

E. I. SIFTON TAKES THE STAND IN LONDON ELECTION CASE

Declares He Never Heard of a Conspiracy To Corrupt Electors at the By-Elections.

SAYS HE HANDLED LARGE SUMS FOR SOME ACCUSED

But Could Not Recall Where All the Money Came From—Admits Opening London West Ballot Box With Spence and Serviss—Prosecution Harks Back to Brantford Election of Twelve Years Ago.

[From Our Own Man.]
Toronto, Nov. 25.—The long-anticipated evidence of Edgar I. Sifton has at last come out, and the much-heralded bombshell was a squib. Sifton was on the stand for a couple of hours this afternoon, and gave his story with evident bias. He swore that he received \$100 from Mr. George M. Reid, and on cross-examination admitted that this money was for legitimate expenses. He swore that he had received between \$700 and \$800 from "Gorman." This was to cover all expenses, and an ordinary election costs about \$5,000, he said.
Witness was not certain that O'Gorman did not say that the money was for illegitimate purposes. He contradicted Jerry Collins flatly as to meetings regarding folding ballots, and said that he was not present. This was one of Jerry's strong points. Sifton dealt with Mr. James C. Duffield, Mr. George M. Reid and others, by which they were to take over Sifton's electric plant as a consideration for his staying away. Mr. McEvoy was acting as solicitor during this transaction, and compelled Sifton to acknowledge that this transaction was entered into months before Jerry Collins' confession, and had nothing at all to do with the election matters. Sifton also said he spent \$200 in the Beck-Rumball election, but could not tell where he got the money. He attempted to implicate O'Gorman in an attempt to get witness to commit perjury, but acknowledged that he knew nothing of a conspiracy. The story of Sifton created very little impression, as it was given in a very flippant manner.
Collins was recalled, but was dismissed in a short time. The crown will finish up tomorrow.
Jerry Collins was the first witness after the noon adjournment, and was taken in hand by Mr. J. M. McEvoy, K. C.
Q.—Is the book presented here of

McWatters Money Back If Wanted But S. A. Can Put It to Good Use

Staff Captain McGillivray Makes an Explanation About the Matter.

Staff Captain McGillivray has made the following statement re the McWatters' case:
"I regret very much the circumstances which have prevented Mrs. McWatters from coming to Canada.
"Our international immigrant office in London, Eng., had her case thoroughly investigated by a special officer, and in face of all our efforts to bring her and the family out, she pleaded ill-health and had just put her boy into a home, and other developments of a personal character stood in the way, and for the present at least we are compelled to cancel all arrangements.
"I found the daughter Martha very much broken up over the affair, and said she could not understand her mother's refusal to come out, after continual requests for help and urging Martha to try and find some way to assist her to come to Canada. I found the young girl very candid, and I know she has done her part in a noble way, and I assured her we

would explain matters through the press.
"Now we are prepared to pay any money given for the family if requested to do so, otherwise I would suggest it being put into a fund here in our immigration work in London for meeting expenses in assisting those who come out from time to time and have a struggle to get a start. I have been compelled to purchase some men's first week's groceries, and in case a poor boy comes to me to be replaced, I have to pay his board for a week, cases of sickness and cases where a man finds employment and needs a little money to purchase a railway ticket, and numerous are the demands upon us, and I have the utmost confidence in the sympathy of our friends, and believe they can trust us to do the very best with any funds put into our charge.
"I am leaving the city, and will carry all books with me containing information re the above case, and will adjust matters before putting the case into the hands of my successor, Adjutant Williams, who will always do his best to assist and befriended all who deserve a helping hand. Address all communications re the McWatters case to STAFF CAPT. J. M. MCGILLIVRAY, 181 Bay Street, Ottawa.

Judge MacMahon Recalls Early Days Famous Meeting in Biddulph Hall

When the Floor Fell in and the Speakers Went Through.

Mr. Justice MacMahon, now of Toronto, and who is a former Londoner, having at one time been a candidate in the Liberal interests here, is furnishing the Toronto News with some reminiscences of the early days in this district, where he was known years ago as a vigorous campaigner. Amongst other things his lordship says:

Campaigning in Middlesex.
A constituency to which, considering the near approach of election day, devoted considerable time, was North Middlesex, in the interest of James S. Smith, who had represented the riding since 1877. My efforts were confined to the townships of Biddulph and McGillivray.
In the election of 1871, Mr. Smith had a formidable opponent in Mr.

Charles Mackintosh (afterwards Lieutenant-Governor of the Northwest Territories), who was then the editor and proprietor of the Strathroy Dispatch, an admirably conducted Conservative journal with a large circulation throughout the county of Middlesex. No candidates for parliamentary honors could have been better equipped than Mr. Mackintosh, as he was thoroughly conversant with the history of the political parties in Canada, a ready and forceful speaker, with an immense fund of humor, often a powerful adjunct in winning over audiences.

A Meeting in Biddulph.
At a meeting of the electors held in Biddulph on Page Two.

Burglars entered the home of Mrs. Robert Wood, of Berlin, securing \$40 in cash and a quantity of valuable jewelry.
The little son of Mr. M. T. Connolly of Logan Township, fell while playing in the schoolyard yesterday and broke his thigh.

Important Regulation Re Customs Every Importer in London Affected

Department Makes a New Order Re Allowing for Discounts on Shipments.

A dispatch from Toronto this afternoon says:
The department of customs has issued an order putting a stop to discounts for stated terms.

"In the past it has been the custom to give 2½ cents discount at ten days, but this has been discontinued, and will now be allowed only when on cash transactions without time."

Collector of Customs Elliot stated to The Advertiser this afternoon that

this would affect nearly every merchant in the city.
It is what is known as a conditional discount—that is, it is not deducted from the gross amount of the invoice.

Suppose, for instance, a man buys goods to the value of \$500, and the net bill is \$500 with, perhaps, 2½ per cent for cash, printed across the invoice. In that case the customs officers would charge duty on \$500. But in case it were a bill for \$500, and the 2½ per cent were deducted, making a total of \$487 50, the charges would only be based on that amount.
That is, in future merchants do not receive any discounts unless they either pay cash, or unless the firm they are dealing with is well known enough to trust them with the discount.

Prices of Drinks Have Again Fallen Local Hotelmen Failed To Keep Faith

Majority of Places Are Selling at the Old Prices Today.

The attempt of the local hotelmen to raise the prices of drinks throughout the city has proven somewhat of a failure, owing to the inability of the members of the association to stick together at the critical time.

Throughout yesterday afternoon nearly all goods were sold at the increased prices, but early in the evening a number of uptown bars found that they were not doing much business, and investigation revealed the fact that everyone who wanted a drink was flocking to certain hotels around the market.

The proprietors of these hotels, so the other members of the association claim, are directly responsible for the

failure of the movement, in that they, contrary to the arrangement, cut the increased prices within a few hours after they went into force.

To say that many of the hotelmen are disgusted is putting it mildly, and anyone who mentions a move for raising prices to them just now is likely to get hurt.

They declare that never again will they trust certain other hotelmen to stick together in an affair such as was planned.

"The hotelmen of this city never did stick together," said one man this morning, "and this is the last time I join any league, no matter what it may be for. There is always someone who plays the traitor, and comes out with a neat bunch of money as a result."

Two hotels did not raise their prices at all, the Richmond House and the Fraser House.

A number of the hotels are still charging the increased rates.

Niagara Power Contract Not Produced Aldermen Have Not Seen Document

London Electric Company May Install Gas Producer Plant.

The proposed Niagara power contract has not yet reached the city hall. It is still in City Solicitor Meredith's office.

"I have seen nothing of it as yet," City Clerk Baker said to The Advertiser today.

"I have not seen it, either," Acting Mayor Stevely told the reporter. "Why then, the agreement or contract has not been in the hands of the mayor and aldermen the past month or so is a mystery."

It is pretty well agreed that the document should be in the hands of the council before the final decision to submit Niagara power to a vote of the people, but thus far it has failed to materialize.

It was stated at the city hall today that the city will have competition on

its hands if it undertakes to distribute power and light over its own city.

The assertion was made that the London Electric Company is now negotiating with a producer gas concern with a view to installing such an engine, and entering into competition with Niagara power.

It was also stated in the mayor's office that the Goldie & McCulloch Company, of Galt, which manufactures engines, etc., has installed a producer gas engine and plant.

It was rumored around the city hall today, too, that the electrical companies in places where Niagara power is to be adopted, in case the bylaws carry, are getting together for the purpose of testing the legislation which the Ontario Government passed, and which gives the municipalities the right to go into competition with the companies through the sale of Niagara power, without reference to the rights of the existing companies.

Mr. C. B. Hunt, of the London Electric Company, could not be seen in regard to this rumor.

Trial Adjourns Awaiting Witnesses

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Nov. 26.—Court did not sit until 11:20, as several witnesses wanted by the crown were not present.

"I regret to say that the train on which three or four witnesses were supposed to be has arrived, and they are not here," declared Mr. Staunton. "I would therefore ask that court adjourn until 2 o'clock."

Judge Winchester agreed to this.

The witnesses are Tom Lewis and George Kelly, London, and one or two more. These witnesses will not take much time and arguments for non-suit will be begun this afternoon, and so far the crown has made a poor case, as absolutely no evidence of conspiracy in Toronto has been offered.

The Wilcox Co. Goes Into Liquidation

The Wilcox Manufacturing Company, of Chelsea Green, manufacturers of builders' hardware, etc., went into forced liquidation yesterday afternoon.

The company organized three or four years ago with an authorized capital of \$250,000, of which amount about \$100,000 was paid up.

Mr. Arthur E. Dymont was the president, Mr. Thomas Baker, vice-president, Mr. Charles E. Santo, manager, and W. E. Wismer and Dr. A. Santo, directors.

The firm employed all the way between fifty and one hundred hands, and always paid good wages.

Business was brisk, and only a few weeks ago, the concern began the erection of an addition which would have doubled its capacity. It was said at the time that the firm had orders which would keep it busy for a year at least.

The great volume of business being transacted required the use of a large amount of capital, and when the money stringency became acute, the Wilcox people found it impossible to go ahead.

A call was sent out to the stockholders, asking them to pay up. It is said that Mr. Dymont, who resides in Barry, had subscribed for about \$37,000, and Mr. Baker, of this city, for a block of stock amounting to about \$20,000.

These gentlemen, with Mr. Wismer, for reasons which they apparently deemed sufficient, refused to pay up, and the company went into liquidation.

It is understood that liabilities are about \$50,000 in excess of the subscribed capital.

Two local banks are creditors to the extent of \$15,000 and \$10,000 respectively.

The London and Western Trusts Company will act as liquidators.

When seen by The Advertiser today, Manager Moore, of the trust company, declined to make any statement in regard to the affairs of the company.

"The books are not in a condition to allow of a statement being made for a few days," he said.

The manager added that he has a man at present going over the affairs of the company, and that a statement will likely be issued very shortly.

A meeting of the shareholders will likely be called in a few days, when the affairs of the company, and the alleged refusal of certain stock subscribers to pay up will be discussed.

Mr. Robert White, aged 90 years, a pioneer resident of Bruce Township, died on Saturday.

An Old Boys' Association was formed in Petrolia yesterday, and it is likely that a big celebration will be held next summer.

CARRIES OFF FURS OF GAY CARD PARTY

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Nov. 26.—A daring robbery occurred at 179 Carlton street last night, when Mrs. Angus was giving a euchre party. The guests were having a big time when a noise was heard upstairs. Investigation showed the bathroom door to be fast. When burst open the burglar, it was found, had jumped through the window. Furs belonging to the guests, to the value of \$400, are missing. Other garments were scattered on the lawn.

FRENCH SHIP MISSING SEVENTY-FIVE ABOARD

St. Pierre, Miquelon, Nov. 26.—Fears are entertained for the safety of a French fishing vessel Angler, which left St. Pierre two months ago for France. Aboard the vessel were 75 men bound home, and since leaving port nothing has been heard of her.

PORK IS DUE FOR ANOTHER DROP

"Canadian pork is due for another drop," said Market Clerk Maher this morning. "In Chicago live pork is selling at three and a half, while here the dressed article brings seven and a half."

There was all kinds of pork on the local market this morning, there being over a hundred dressed hogs offered for sale.

The local price is said to be much higher than the market warrants, and a sudden drop is predicted.

TO LIMIT THE PLAYERS

National League Will Endeavor to Keep Down the Salary List.

New York, Nov. 26.—One of the proposals which it is expected, will be made at the coming meeting of the National League of baseball clubs in New York, will be to limit the number of players that any one club may retain on its salary list. It is stated that George B. Dwyer, of Boston Club, will propose the adoption of a resolution forbidding the reservation of more than eighteen players and providing that not more than five new men may be added during a playing season. Dwyer declares that the salvation of the big leagues depends on the reduction of expense, and that in order to retain public interest the teams must be more evenly matched.

A FREE LANCE AFFAIR

Government Unable to Assist in Newspapermen's Tour of British Isles.

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—The promoters of the proposed Canadian newspapermen's tour of Europe during next summer, laid a lengthy statement before the Government in order to ascertain if financial assistance would be provided if the project was carried out upon dignified lines. The plea urged was that a party of Canadians could do more good for Canada by a tour of Britain than could Britishers who rushed through Canada at the Government's expense. After due consideration the department of the interior states that the Government cannot hold out any hope of assistance to the newspapermen of Canada. The proposed tour may now be arranged as a free lance affair and pleasure jaunt, without any restrictions as to scope.

CHARGED WITH THEFT.

A young Englishman was arrested last night by Chief Wilson, of Strathroy on a charge of stealing a pair of shoes. He will be given a hearing in a day or so.

HOMESTEAD ENTRIES.

Ottawa, Nov. 26.—There was a net decrease in the number of homestead entries made in September, 1907, compared with September, 1906. Of 200 of a total of 611 made in September, 1907, by persons coming from the United States, there were 174 from North Dakota, 116 from Minnesota, 36 from Kansas, 33 from South Dakota, 30 each from Washington and Wyoming, 29 from Michigan and 25 from Illinois.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—FINE AND MILD.

FORECASTS.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—8 a.m.

Today—High northwesterly winds; colder, with snow flurries.

Wednesday—Southwesterly winds; fine and milder.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations. 8 a.m. Min. Weather.

Calgary 42 26 Fair

Winnipeg 42 26 Fair

Port Arthur 42 26 Clear

Parry Sound 32 26 Snow

Toronto 32 26 Cloudy

Ottawa 26 26 Cloudy

Montreal 26 26 Cloudy

Quebec 30 30 Cloudy

Father Point 36 30 Rain

The first column in the above table records the temperature at 8 o'clock this morning, and the second column records the minimum temperatures during the 24 hours previous.

A snowstorm has been general in the Province of Quebec, and heavy rain in the Maritime Provinces. The weather is cold in Manitoba, but quite mild further west.

YESTERDAY'S TEMPERATURES.

Minimum and maximum temperatures:

London, 26—40; Owen Sound, 26—40; St. Catharines, 26—40; Windsor, 26—40; Port Arthur, 26—40; Parry Sound, 26—40; Toronto, 26—38; Ottawa, 26—38; Montreal, 26—30; Quebec, 26—30; St. John, 26—44; Halifax, 36—44.

GOT WHISKY FOR INDIANS FINED \$50 AND COSTS IN COURT

Police Magistrate Love Dealt Leniently With a Man Named Halenight—Interesting Features of the Case.

The first case to be tried under the act restricting the sale of intoxicating liquors to people not permitted to drink, was heard before Magistrate Love this morning and proved a most interesting one.

A few days ago while Policeman Greene was on his rounds, he noticed Frank Loman, a young man who has been placed on the "Indian list," hanging around the Grand Central.

The officer at once informed the bartender, who said that he had refused to sell Loman any liquor, knowing him to be on the prohibited list.

He had also asked Loman to leave several times, but he refused to do so. The proprietor was called, and Loman was ejected, and an information laid

against him under the terms of the act.

When he appeared this morning Magistrate Love found him guilty, and fined him \$10 and costs, and warned him that he was in future only to go into a hotel on commercial business, and that if he were found loitering or harboring in a hotel in the future, he is liable to be prosecuted.

The Act.

Caluse 7, section 125, says, "If the person having such habit by himself or by any other person, shall within twelve months after service of such notice purchase or attempt to purchase or procure liquor, or shall be found loitering or loitering in or about the barroom or other place in which liquor is dispensed, upon the premises of any person, named out

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Business Outlook Is Improving Factories Are Becoming Busier

Two Firms Report Receipt of Big Orders—Building Permits Are Numerous.

Despite some minor setbacks, business in London appears to be steadily picking up, and many manufacturers and wholesale men report orders coming in more freely.

It was stated today that the enameling department of McClarys, which had been running on half time for some time past, is now running full blast, and that the firm has at

least six months' work ahead in this department.

A large brass firm began this week the filling of one of the largest orders it has received in three years.

In many other lines of business a distinct improvement has been noted.

It has been remarked, too, that the number of building permits these days is, if anything, in excess of the permits issued at the same time last year.

Relief Inspector McCallum reports very few applicants for relief, and Inspector Sanders, of the Children's Aid Society, has a similar story to tell.

On the whole, the business public is satisfied with conditions.

General Manager Bennett To Leave

It was officially announced by the Bennett Theatrical Enterprises Company, Limited, of London, that Mr. C. W. Bennett, general manager of the company, who has resided here since 1904, will in the future take up his headquarters in New York City, and will leave London in two weeks.

The growth of the Bennett circuit, and the fact that New York is the dramatic and vaudeville center of America, necessitates the move.

Mr. Bennett will be in London frequently.

But Few Crooks in County

"The fall has evidently driven all the crooks from the county into the city," said one of the county constables this morning.

"Never has it been so quiet around the court house as it is, and has been for some time. At the present time

no complaints are being received and everything is going along as calmly as if crooks were unknown in Middlesex.

As a general rule the jail at this time of the year is filled, but there is plenty of room there now for miscreants."

CANADIANS WAR ON BRAZIL REPULSED WHEN ATTACKING TOWN

Rio de Janeiro, Nov. 26.—A Brazilian Sebastião de Magalhães, who recently published in some American newspapers a proclamation inviting subscriptions to aid an expedition in overthrowing one of the states of Brazil, landed Sunday at Bahia and later embarked on a tugboat with four Canadians and four Englishmen for the town of Ilheus, a seaport about 125 miles distant from Bahia. Arriving there the little band, which was well armed, attacked the town where a detachment of police and a number of inhabitants offered resistance. One of the attacking party was killed, and another was made prisoner. The rest of the party fled after having cut the telegraph communications. The Government has issued an order for the capture of the men who escaped.

Goderich Town Stricken With Smallpox Epidemic

Goderich, Nov. 26.—Smallpox is epidemic here, and between 40 and 50 cases have been quarantined. Schools have been closed and a general vaccination of citizens and children has been ordered.

The churches held no services yesterday on account of the outbreak. Service was held in the Roman Catholic Church, but an announcement was made that no further services would be held until the spread of the disease had been checked.

This is the story in condensed form that has created a feeling of intense anxiety here, and business has suffered in consequence. The very large number of cases, and the number of people who have been exposed to these cases has created a condition that is not at all realized. Every step that can be taken to eradicate and check the disease has been taken.

Dr. Charles A. Hodgkiss, of the provincial health department, has arrived here, and is doing all that can be done with the staff of the local doctors. Hospital accommodation is comparatively small, and most of the cases are being treated in private residences.

The cause of such a great number

TORONTO COUNCIL PASSES THE BYLAW

Will Ask Citizens for \$250,000 for Power-Distributing Plant.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—Last night the city council decided without a dissenting vote to submit the Niagara power bylaw to the citizens at the January elections. The bylaw calls for \$250,000, to provide a distributing plant.

FIERCE FIGHTING IN ALGERIA ARABS STORM FRENCH CAMP

Lalla Maghia, Algeria, Nov. 25.—Ten thousand of the fiercest Bonis Nasen tribesmen swooped down on the French camp yesterday and were beaten off with a loss of 1,200 killed. At one time the French infantry were in danger of being surrounded, but they finally disengaged themselves from their perilous position by a most

brilliant charge of the Spahis. The rout of the Arabs was completed by vigorous shelling by the artillery. The Arabs were not discouraged by this severe repulse, but reformed their forces, and in addition directed their efforts to rousing other tribes. The fighting was resumed today and the booming of cannon could be heard throughout the afternoon.

MRS. BRADLEY INSANE

Was Not Responsible for Action When She Killed Senator Brown.

Washington, Nov. 25.—That Mrs. Annie M. Bradley was insane at the time she shot former Senator Arthur Brown, of Utah, in this city, on Dec. last, was the opinion of Dr. W. M. Barton, of the medical department of Georgetown University, and a specialist in nervous diseases, expressed at the trial of Mrs. Bradley today. Dr. Barton's testimony followed the reading of a hypothetical question of 1,300 words, covering the history of Mrs. Bradley's relations with Senator Brown.

Dr. Barton diagnosed Mrs. Bradley's ailment as puerperal insanity, caused by the continued assaults upon her nervous system, due to the abortions which she had had performed upon her. In explaining why he looked upon her as an abnormal woman, he said she was interested in things that do not usually attract women, and instanced the fact that she was secretary of a political club as an evidence of her abnormality. Dr. Barton was in the stand practically the entire day. His testimony was unshaken.

THEIR RELEASE ASKED.

Ottawa, Nov. 25.—Emmanuel Devlin, M. P.; F. A. Gendron, H. A. Goyette, K. C., and others, waited on Sir Wilfrid Laurier this morning and asked for the release of the Buckingham strikers, who were sent down for two months because they were implicated in the riots in that place. The chief reason given was that the prisoners' families were suffering because they are unable to provide for them.

RECALLS EARLY DAYS

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a hall over a driving shed in Lucan, in the township of Biddulph, at which both political parties were represented. Mr. (now Sir John) Carling and others came from London, as part of the Conservative contingent, while the Government had when the House was dissolved was, by the result of the elections, reduced to seven, which would have been a good working majority for Sandfield had they continued a compact body in his support. But the result of the elections had satisfied some of his supporters that the outlook was not assuring, and the muscular tension about the knees of a few of them began to relax, and they assigned various reasons for not being as warm and ardent supporters of the Government since the election as they had been before it. There were a few of the Conservative members, like Albert Prince, of Essex, who had no personal regard for Sandfield Macdonald, yet supported the Government. They considered that Sandfield's horizon as a political leader was lamentably contracted; that he was difficult to deal with; and was possessed of a petty and vindictive spirit, which would soon destroy him as well as the party he led.

Mr. Scott's Position.

With the conditions then existing it was a matter of moment as to which side could secure the nomination of the speaker and the opposition was desirous of nominating Mr. R. W. Scott (now Senator Scott). But, as he had been elected member for the city of Ottawa in the Conservative interest, and as a supporter of Sandfield Macdonald's Government, he thought

dressing the electors in the "Swamp Schoolhouse" in that township the opposing factions engaged in a free fight, knocking over a large stove in which a fierce fire was burning, and Mr. Macdonald, thinking it unsafe to remain, seized the satchel containing his political ammunition, jumped on a table, and endeavored to climb out through a small window in the gable end of the schoolhouse. Finding egress through such an aperture impossible, his return to the floor was halted with much derisive cheering and laughing by the crowd, because he, an Irishman, and the son of a British officer, turned his back on a little skirmish like that. Whenever we meet Mr. Macdonald he never fails to remind me of the lively night at the "Swamp Schoolhouse."

The Majority Disappearing.

The elections did not settle the actual strength of the parties, as there were numerous protests to be disposed of, the trials of which were watched with keen interest. In the result the Opposition obtained a slight advantage. The majority of twenty which the Government had when the House was dissolved was, by the result of the elections, reduced to seven, which would have been a good working majority for Sandfield had they continued a compact body in his support. But the result of the elections had satisfied some of his supporters that the outlook was not assuring, and the muscular tension about the knees of a few of them began to relax, and they assigned various reasons for not being as warm and ardent supporters of the Government since the election as they had been before it. There were a few of the Conservative members, like Albert Prince, of Essex, who had no personal regard for Sandfield Macdonald, yet supported the Government. They considered that Sandfield's horizon as a political leader was lamentably contracted; that he was difficult to deal with; and was possessed of a petty and vindictive spirit, which would soon destroy him as well as the party he led.

the offer of the speakership should come from his own side. When the House met on Dec. 7, 1871, Mr. Scott was nominated by Sandfield Macdonald, and, there being no opposition, he became speaker. A few days thereafter the Government was defeated on two motions made in reply to the address, when the Hon. E. B. Wood resigned office as provincial treasurer.

Amongst those who voted against the ministry were such well-known Conservatives as Boulbe, Deacon, Grange, Merrick and Prince. Mr. E. B. Wood also voted against his former colleagues. The Government immediately resigned, and Mr. Blake was called upon to form a ministry, and great was the surprise of the country to learn that Mr. Scott, who resigned the speakership, was included in the ministry as commissioner of crown lands.



"Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall."

In "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall" their majesties the Queens Mary Stuart of Scotland and Elizabeth, the Virgin Queen of England, appear. All the scenery, silks, velvets, swords, plumes, jewels and appointments of royal state do not win the attention of the audience from the wooing of Lord John Manners, whose heart is set on Dorothy Vernon, however much these trappings may momentarily appeal to the eye of the beholder. Miss Bianca West will play "Dorothy Vernon of Haddon Hall" at the Grand Friday evening.

Suzanna Rusholme, Hubert Harbin and Ben Field are English players imported by Henry Miller especially for his Cecilia Loftus-Lawrence D'Orray production, "The Lanciers," at the Grand Wednesday evening. All three enjoy enviable reputations in London. As America already has taken very kindly to them—Mr. Field, especially having made a strong impression—they in future will be identified with theatricals exclusively in this country. All of the characters in "The Lanciers" except that portrayed by

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Nov. 26

STORE NEWS TODAY.

Wednesday Morning Out They Go



CROWDED FOR ROOM—We have removed one hundred and seventy-nine Winter Mantles from the tables they occupied in our Ready-to-Wear Department (to make room for the display of brighter goods for the Christmas trade). We cannot wait any longer as we must have more room, being more crowded this season than usual, owing to building operations.

These Coats are being marked down to almost half, and will be on sale tables Wednesday morning for a quick clearance. The style represented by above cut is a fair representation of many of the new styles in this collection.

THESE ARE THE PRICES:

Only nine in this lot mostly tweeds. Were regular \$5 and \$6.50. All at one price. \$3.85
Twenty-four in this lot, consisting of black, beaver and tweeds. Regular \$8.50 to \$12.50. All one price. \$6.85
One hundred and fifteen in this lot, in fawn, navy, cardinal, olive, and black beaver cloth; also ladies' and maids' pretty tweed Coats. Regular \$13.50 to \$18.50. All one price. \$10.85
Thirty-one in this lot, beaver and tweed Coats, black and colors. You'll find the swell styles of the season here, tight and loose fitting, \$20 to \$25. All at one price. \$14.85
Remember, every Coat in this sale is this season's. Every Coat a new fall model. Every Coat the proper thing for all winter wearing, and you can further depend that every Coat is a worthy member of the Coat family, otherwise it would never be given place in this establishment, as VALUE, NOT PRICE, IS OUR MOTTO.

COME WEDNESDAY AND HAVE YOUR PICK.

Evening Dress Goods Moderate Prices, 50c, 65c, 75c Yd.

Silk and Wool Lansdowne, 65c	Fancy Eolienne, 75c	Crepe de Chine, 50c
A very light weight, beautiful, soft material for evening dresses, in pale blue, champagne, and Nile green, 44-inch, at per yard, only 65c	Silk Eolienne, in navy, pale blue, light and Alice blue; very soft, with small, dainty figures for evening wear; 44-inch, at per yard, only 75c	All-Wool, in pale blue, brown, cream, light green, and gray; very soft and clinging for evening dresses. A small raised crepe weave, 42-inch, at per yard 50c

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Ladies' \$1.25 Felt Shoes, Sale price 78c
Ladies' \$1.75 Vici Kid Turn Sole Buskins, Sale price \$1.28
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Ladies' \$1.75 Dongola Shoes, Sale price \$1.38
Ladies' \$2.75 Vici Kid Shoes, Sale price \$1.98
Ladies' \$3.50 and \$3.75 Vici Kid Shoes, Sale price \$2.98
Thirty pairs of \$4.50 and \$5.00 American Lady Shoes, in small sizes, Sale price \$2.98
Ladies' Dainty \$1.75 White Kid Slippers, Sale price \$1.38
All \$5.00 American Lady Shoes in patent and plain, button and lace \$3.98

Boys' \$1.35 Good Strong Shoes, Sale price 88c
Boys' \$1.50 School Shoes, Sale price \$1.08
Boys' \$2.50 Extra Strong Box Calf School Shoes, Sale price \$1.98
Boys' \$3.25 Strong Box Calf School Shoes, Sale price \$1.88
Girls' \$1.60 Dongola School Shoes, Sale price \$1.28
Girls' \$1.85 Box Calf School Shoes, Sale price \$1.48
Ladies' \$1.25 Colored Spats, brown, green, fawn and pearl gray, Sale price 98c
Ladies' \$1.00 Black Spats, Sale price 78c
Ladies' 75c Black Spats, Sale price 48c

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All These Great
Shoe Values Will Be
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Don't mistake the store—next door west of Woods' Fair. All cars from east stop at our front door. Make an extra effort to get in early. We can wait on you to better advantage before the big crowd comes. Everything spot cash. No goods sent on approbation.

Matthews & Granger
Waverly Shoe Hall. 174 Dundas Street.

WOODS' FAIR

Big Values in Umbrellas For Wednesday

School Girls' and Boys' Umbrellas, in fancy bone and metal-trimmed Congo handles, Austrian covering and steel rod. Wednesday, three dozen, only, each 60c
An assortment of Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, in polished wood and fancy bone handles, gloria covering, steel rod, sizes 24 and 26 inches, Wednesday, sale price, each, 75c and \$1.00
Men's Self-Opening Umbrellas, gloria covering, Congo handles, and nickel trimmed. Wednesday, special \$1.25

CHRISTMAS UMBRELLAS

Ladies' and Men's Umbrellas, with fancy gold and silver mountings, taffeta covering, guaranteed, close rolled, very desirable for Christmas presents. Prices from, each, \$2.25 to \$5.50

SOILED WAISTS, 50c and 75c

We have discovered another small lot of Ladies' Lawn Waists, slightly soiled, and worth in the regular way from \$1.00 to \$1.50. Special sale price Wednesday, each, 50c and 75c

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"CISSY" LOFTUS,
Who Appears at the Grand With Lawrence D'Orray Wednesday Evening.

are laid in Quebec. One American is in the cast, Doris Cameron, a California beauty, who was educated in England. Miss Loftus and Mr. D'Orray, of course, are English.

"Hooligan in New York."

"Hooligan in New York," a melodramatic comedy drama, will be seen at the Grand on Thursday. It is said to tell a consistent story and is as full of laughs and tears as any ever staged. The author, Sam Morris, has taken for his theme the incidents made famous in cartoons of Hooligan, and has woven around the character a story of metropolitan life, that is unique in the manner of handling and presentation.

Starr Skates For Racing

Starr "TUBE RACER" is made on exactly the same lines as the skates used by leading professionals—and is the lightest skate made.

The "STARR RACER" combines extra long ice surface, strength and rigidity—the three requisites of perfect racing skates.

Both styles are illustrated in the new 1908 Skate Book. Write for free copy.

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WHY ESKIMOS ARE DYING

Diseases and Missionaries Responsible Says Dundee Whaler.

London, Nov. 26.—General Mackinnon, addressing the Hampstead Cadets, said the cadet corps in perfection are found in Canada and New Zealand.

was received cordially by all denominations.

John W. Murray, Dundee, refutes the allegation that whalers are responsible for the extermination of the Eskimo in Ungava. He spent nine years there and says the great cause of death is a disease resembling cholera, which does not affect the white men. He adds that the action of missionaries in drawing the natives together is responsible for the latter's loss of hunting skill, for when game in the immediate neighborhood is gone the Eskimo, knowing food is assured, decline to go any distance for it.

CONDENSED ADVERTISEMENTS.

No Advertisement Less Than Fifteen Words.

Meetings—When no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion. Articles for Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodging, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements—First insertion, one cent a word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent per word. No advertisement less than fifteen words.

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

DEATHS.

McFARLAND—In this city, on Nov. 26, 1907, Norman, youngest son of Daniel and Anne McFarland, aged 1 year and 3 months.

Funeral from the parents' residence, 825 Ottawa avenue, on Wednesday, Nov. 27, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

GRANT—In Winnipeg, on Monday, Nov. 11, 1907, Amelia (Millie), daughter of the late Angus Grant, Esq., formerly of this city, and beloved sister of Angus and Charles Grant, of Winnipeg, and Mrs. Donald McCallum, Poplar Hill.

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES, ETC.

GRAND WEDNESDAY EVENING

The Event of the Season.
CECILIA (Cissy) LOFTUS
LAWRENCE O'HARA

In the Music: Hit, "THE LANCERS"
A Company of Fifty Artists.
SEATS, 25, 50, 75, \$1, \$1.50.

THURSDAY EVENING,
The Big Fun Show.
HOOGLAND IN NEW YORK
SEATS, 15, 25, 35, 50

FRIDAY EVENING
THE ROMANTIC DRAMA.
Dorothy of Haddon
Vernon of Hall

Special prices for this engagement only. Seats tomorrow, 15c, 25c, 50c, 75c and \$1.

BENNETT'S

MATINEE ALWAYS
DAILY GOOD
ANOTHER GREAT SHOW
BOND & BENTON in Handkerchief
No. 15; THE FIVE MAJORS, 8 KITA-
MURA JAPS, International Horse
Show Pictures and Five other features.

Grand Fancy Dress Carnival

TONIGHT.
Jubilee Bink. Excellent cash prizes.
Special music for the occasion.
Admission, 15c, 25c.

ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

Annual Dinner
TECUMSEH HOUSE,
FRIDAY, NOV. 29.

Tickets limited. May be had from members of the society. 6c-zyw

Christmas

Visit the old folks at home in the Old Country. Victorian sales Dec. 6; Empress of Britain, Dec. 13; Lusitania, Dec. 14. Call and obtain information as to rates, etc. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce.

SHIP REPORTS

Special wireless messages of the arrival of ships received by F. B. Clarke, Richmond street, next Bank of Commerce, and always posted in window.

MASQUEBADE HALL, THURSDAY NIGHT, at Courtess's Hall, 745 Grey street. b

WEEKLY HOP-CULLIS' HALL, WELLINGTON street, tonight. Heal & Borden. 15c.

PALACE DANCING ACADEMY AD-
VANCED class, ladies and gentlemen,
opens Wednesday, Dec. 4, 8 o'clock.
Register now. Dayton & McCormick. 6c

BAZAR—FIRST CONGREGATIONAL
Church, two days, commencing Tuesday,
Nov. 26, at 3 p.m. 6c

LECTURE—MR. ALBERT HALIBUR-
ton in Charge of House (Unitarian
Church), Monday, Dec. 9. Subject,
"Women's Work." 5c

OCEAN TICKETS—MONEY EXCHANGED
for steamship passengers' Gold, drafts,
etc. F. B. Clarke, Richmond street.
2c

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES.
Balls, banquets, Phone 1265. Tony Vita's
Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue. 2c

TONY CORTES—ORIGINAL LONDON
Harpers. Music furnished for all occa-
sions. 161 Maple. Phone 127. 2c

LEARN TO DANCE—PRIVATE LESSONS
by E. B. Millard, 145 Princess terrace.
Season open. Call and register. 3c

MEETINGS.

AN EMERGENCY MEETING OF ST.
John's Lodge, No. 20, will be held in the
Masonic Hall this Tuesday evening, 7-
7:30 sharp. The third degree will be
conferred on several candidates. Visit-
ing brethren cordially invited. Hugh
McIntosh, W. M.; M. D. Dawson, secre-
tary. 2c

BOARD OF TRADE—THE REGULAR
monthly meeting will be held in board
rooms, 380 Richmond street, Thursday,
March 28, at 8 o'clock p.m. Receiving
communications, reports of committees
and general business. Hon. Adam Beck
will address the board on Niagara power.
A large attendance is desired. Samuel
Stevley, president; J. A. Nelles, secre-
tary. 7c

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST
Church—Special evangelistic services are
being conducted by Miss Morton, the elo-
quent evangelist, of Toronto, commencing
evening at 7:45. You are cordially
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ARE YOU OPEN FOR A BETTER POSI-
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MEN TO LEARN BARBER TRADE IN
eight weeks. Catalogue free. Mober
College, Queen and Spadina, Toronto. 6c

SHIPPER AND STOCKKEEPER WANTED.
Sainsbury & Co., 101 King street. 5c

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

MARRIAGE LICENSES ISSUED BY W. H.
Bartram, 97 Dundas street. 5c

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED AT ONCE—TWO EXPERIENCED
laundresses; good wages. Apply Tecum-
seh House. 7c

WANTED—KITCHEN HELP. APPLY CITY
Hotel. 7c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED GENERAL
maid. Apply Mrs. George Belton, 24
Central avenue, corner Wellington. 7c

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRLS. AP-
PLY Britannia House, Wellington and
York streets. 6c

WANTED

25 Waitresses for Mill
Atties Ball
FAWKES & SONS, Caterers. 6c

WANTED—GOOD COOK. REFERENCES
required. Apply Mrs. George T. Brown,
61 Talbot. 5c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESLADY
for Christmas trade; good proposition.
Acme School of Art, 430 Talbot street. 5c

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST, SUNDAY—A YELLOW SIDE COMB,
with Rhinestone setting. Reward at 828
Oxford street. 7c

LOST, NOV. 7—WHITE FOX TERRIER PUP,
tan ears and face; answers to "Toby";
seen in South London. Reward, 25c.
Hill. 7c

LOST—A WHITE RUSSIAN WOLF HOUND,
with two brindle spots on head and one
on back; answers to name of "Laska";
reward on returning to Dr. Tullman,
corner Hyman and Richmond streets. 6c

LOST, SATURDAY, NOV. 23—FEMALE
hound pup, white, with black and tan
ears and face; answers to "Toby";
reward on returning to Dr. Tullman,
corner Hyman and Richmond streets. 6c

LOST, BETWEEN LAMBETH AND MILL,
on Wharncliffe road, a goat skin robe,
red lining. Return to Eli Smith, Lam-
beth. 6c

LOST—SHORT-HAIRED YELLOW COLLIE,
with white breast and front legs, half
length tail. Notify City Hotel stables. 6c

LOST, SATURDAY AFTERNOON—AMERI-
CAN gold dollar tie pin. Reward at this
office. 6c

LOST ON CRAIG STREET, TUESDAY
night—\$5 bill. Reward for return to this
office. 6c

ROBE TAKEN FROM THE HOTEL HAN-
LON, St. John's, Friday last. Please
return to avoid trouble. 6c

LOST—SILVER WATCH AND FOB, ON
Talbot, Dundas, Richmond or Maple
streets. Reward. Richmond Corset Com-
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TO LET—HIGH-CLASS NEWLY-FURNISH-
ED rooms; modern conveniences. 325
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suitable for one or two gentlemen; bath
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street. 10c-zyw

TO LET—TWO-STORY BRICK HOUSE AND
stable, York street. Immediate posses-
sion. Apply J. W. G. Winnip, barrister, et-
cetera, 418 Talbot. 7c

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Modern conveniences. Apply 566 Talbot.
6c-zyw

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Adelaide; good location. Cottages, 323
Piccadilly, 284 Central. Apply 381 Duf-
ferin avenue. 6c

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dining-room, kitchen, four bedrooms,
bath, gas and w.c. 36 Oxford street.
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board; modern conveniences and central.
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bers, London, or 504 Colborne street. 7c

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parlors, open plumbing, Peace furnace,
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COTTAGE TO LET—71 DUNDAS STREET.
Apply Mrs. Mackie, 14 Kensington street,
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PEOPLE'S MOVING VANS—LARGEST IN
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manager Carling & M. Company. 5c

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WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD IN PRI-
vate family, by respectable gentleman.
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state price, condition and original value.
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WANTED TO RENT—ABOUT 20 ACRES
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TURN YOUR OLD GOLD JEWELRY INTO
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WANTED—DELIVERED AT THE FERTIL-
izer Works, East street, the Hamilton
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for which liberal price will be paid. The
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TEACHER WANTED FOR S. S. NO. 7.
Adelaide; state salary and qualifica-
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A. Morgan, Kerwood, Ont. 7c

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second class Normal preferred; duties to
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WELL-EDUCATED YOUNG MAN (ENG-
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FOR SALE—NEW MILCH COW. APPLY
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POOL TABLE—WILL EXCHANGE FOR
billiard table. James Gleeson, 631 Dun-
das street. Phone 2223. 7c

HEAVY AND LIGHT WAGONS, DELIV-
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GOOD CUTTER, ALSO CHARTS FOR
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250 FEET OF IRON CULVERT PIPE FOR
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Furniture, stoves, carpets, etc. Cash or
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load; prompt delivery. Forest City Bent
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A BEAUTIFUL ROSEWOOD PIANO, 7½
octaves, thoroughly renovated and guar-
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REFORM.

Mr. Willison's address to the Cana-
dian Club of this city was a series of
well-reasoned arguments for civil
service reform. The position he takes
is one to which the best thought in
the Liberal and Conservative parties is
steadily moving. In this matter Cana-
da is far behind the United States,
the home of the spoils system. There
the principle of basing appointments
and promotions upon examination ap-
plies to the greater part of the civil
service, a fact which many Canadians
learn with surprise. In Great Britain
the public service has been entirely
freed from party influence. Canada
appears to be the only country, under
responsible government, in which the
merit system has not a foothold.

The system practiced here places a
great power in the hands of a federal
or provincial government, but the
men who wield this power are not so
much the masters as the servants of
the office-hunting element and the
patronage jobbers and brokers.

While the prospect of reward for
party service is undoubtedly a stimu-
lus to political activity, Mr. Willison
was able to point out that in Great
Britain, where patronage is not an in-
centive, there is no lack of public in-
terest in public affairs.

The influence of the patronage system
makes for a lower tone in politics.
Its elimination would render public
life more wholesome and more attrac-
tive to high-minded men. It would re-
lease ministers of the crown and mem-
bers of parliament from very irksome
and often degrading duties, place them
in a position of greater independence,
and enable them to devote themselves
exclusively to the public business.

The growing body of public senti-
ment in favor of civil service reform
will probably have weight with the
Laurier administration. Even on party
grounds the Government would have
nothing to lose by such a move. The
federal civil service, although filled
with men of one stripe of politics for
twenty years before 1896, must be
equalized, or nearly so, by this time.
An installment of reform, placing pro-
motions and minor appointments upon
a merit basis, would be welcomed by
the best opinion of the country, and
would pave the way for the adoption
of the British system. As Mr. Will-
ison indicates, there are certain high
appointments in the public service for
which the Government of the day must
be responsible, but it is the minor of-
fices that most harry the politicians,
and foster most of the evils of the
present system. If even promotions
were determined by merit and exami-
nation the moral effect upon the civil
service would be remarkable.

OLD AND NEW LAND POLICIES.

A matter in connection with Mr.
Borden's recent stamping tour
through the west which has not es-
caped notice, is the care taken by the
Opposition leader to omit from his
speeches certain cries which are fa-
miliar to his Ontario audiences—
for instance, as his allegations against
the Government's land policy. The Min-
ister of Agriculture, Hon. Sydney Fish-
er, referred to these omissions in the
course of a recent address before his
constituents at Mansionsville, Que.,
and showed conclusively that Mr. Borden
is less reckless in making charges of
crooked land transactions where the
facts are best known than he is in the
east.

Take the Robbins Irrigation scheme
as a case in point. Here we have a
matter concerning which all sorts of
insinuations have been made by Con-
servative orators and writers in On-
tario and the Eastern Provinces. The
scene of this exploded scandal is near
Medicine Hat, and one would suppose
the Opposition leader would grow elo-
quent on this subject at his meeting
there. But, no; he made not the slight-
est reference to it. Neither did he at
Saskatoon mention the Saskatchewan
Valley Land Company transaction, out
of which he and his lieutenants have
been laboring so hard to make political
capital in the east.

That the transactions referred to
were in the public interest Mr. Fisher
clearly shows, and in this respect they
stand in marked contrast to the policy
of the Conservative governments,
which gave away to friends immense
areas of public lands. In all the Con-
servative distributed among railway
companies no less than 36,000,000 acres
and gave to other corporations 1,500,-
000 acres, while 8,500,000 acres was the
total area granted to settlers during the
eighteen years Mr. Borden's political
friends were in office.

With the advent of the Liberal
Government there came an end to land
grants to railways. Not one acre has

been so granted during the eleven
years Sir Wilfrid Laurier has been in
office, though, of course, it has been
found necessary to make good obliga-
tions entered into by its predecessors.
Since 1896 two million acres
have been granted to various com-
panies, such as the Alberta Company,
which secured half a million acres, and
the Saskatchewan Valley Land Com-
pany, a quarter of a million acres,
while during the eleven years settlers
have been granted twenty million
acres.

With all the land grants 3,918 miles
of railway were built during the
eighteen years of Conservative rule,
while, without granting an acre of
land to any railway company, the Lib-
erals during the past eleven years have
been instrumental in having no less
than 4,938 miles of railway built or
placed under contract.

The results of the Conservative land
policy are seen and felt in the west
today. Most of the fertile belt in the
odd-numbered sections has been prac-
tically locked up, while settlers going
on the even numbers for homesteads
find themselves surrounded by land
belonging to a railway grant, and held
by the railway company free of taxa-
tion, until land values increase, leav-
ing to the homesteader the payment
of taxes and other burdens of a coun-
try in process of development. Is it
any wonder that Mr. Borden is mum
on the land question, when address-
ing western audiences?

SAMPLES OF UNFAIRNESS.

One witness in the conspiracy trial
at Toronto swore that Conservatives
were offering \$15 for votes in Brock-
ville. Another one professed to know
that Conservative money was spent
freely in the same riding. The White-
Comstock election took place some
years ago, but no earlier than the
period covered by Pritchett's story. If
the Ontario Government were as anx-
ious to expose corruption as to smirch
the Liberal party it would do as it
did in London—send detectives to
Brockville to ferret out evidence. Its
partisan objects are written over the
whole proceedings at Toronto.

Today the Free Press has the im-
pudence to accuse the Toronto Globe
and other newspapers of brazenly
slandering Mr. George Taylor, M. P.,
because they suggested that he should
be called to refute the story of a wit-
ness who had heard that Mr. Taylor
was handling money in Brockville.

What sort of treatment is the Free
Press meting out to the defendants in
the present trial? In today's issue
there is a screaming and scurrilous
headline, "George M. Reid Sanctioned
Opening of Ballot Box." Readers are
told that "Reid appeared disturbed
and ill at ease," and that "he rocked
nervously back and forth on his chair,
and apparently was troubled inwardly."
Sifton is described editorially as
"a prominent young citizen" of finan-
cial substance, who has told "a story
of political corruption that surpasses
anything ever told in the annals of
Canada." The whole intent and pur-
port of this is to prejudice Mr. Reid
before he has had an opportunity to
disprove Sifton's allegations or throw
light on Sifton's motives.

The Free Press is the last journal in
Canada that has a right to talk of
slander, or whine about fair play.

The local Tory organ is acting on
the principle that the defendants in
the election case are guilty in any
event.

And still no glimpse of the contract
which the hydro-electric commission
wants the city to sign. Is this fair
to the taxpayers?

General DeWet is the new minister
of agriculture in the Orange River
Colony. Several British generals can
testify that he knows the ground.

The Center York and Ottawa by-
elections are fixed for Dec. 23. There
will be either a Christmas box or a
box in the ears for one of the parties.

The Toronto Globe counsels Mr.
Beck to cut loose from the disgraceful
campaign carried on by the Toronto
World in behalf of his power scheme.
The London Free Press also needs this
rebuke.

EXPERIENCE.

[Ally Stoper's Half-Holiday.]
Bumpus—Give me a pair of lady's shoes,
please.
Shopman—What size?
Bumpus—Oh, no matter. They're for my
wife, and she won't be pleased, anyway.

DANGEROUS TO HER.

[Answers.]
"Come, Tommy," said Miss May Dupp
to her little brother, "I wouldn't cry that
way."
"I know you wouldn't," sniffed the boy;
"cause all yer complexion'd come off."

SIGNS OF WINTER.

[Toronto Telegram.]
Regina apprehends that summer is
waning when "a thin film of ice," about
nine inches thick forms on the placid
surface of Pileo-Bones Creek.

LIFE'S MOTIVE.

[Nixon Waterman, in Times Magazine.]
Love is the origin, the end,
And man, amid his toil must trace
Where all his prayers and wishes blend.
The beauty of a woman's face,
In all he dreams, in all he does,
His being's inward eye must see
The presence of a love that was.
A love that is, or is to be.

HABITUAL INEBRIATES.

[Toronto Star.]
Habitual inebriates ought to be restrain-
ed. The safety and welfare of society de-
mand this. It would be easy to devise a

system under which such restraint would
be accompanied with scientific treatment
for the eradication of the drink crave, and
with the requirement of useful work, the
proceeds of which would be available for
the benefit of the prisoner or his depend-
ents.

Even if such a method involved more
expense than does the present stupid pro-
cedure, it would be profitable to the com-
munity as a whole; and, at least as long
as the public revenue is derived from the
authorizing of facilities for drinking, it
would not be unreasonable to use public
money for effective dealing with the of-
fense of drunkenness. Public opinion
would sustain Government action on this
line.

NOT A FAIR DEAL.

[St. Thomas Journal.]
Dr. MacCallum, superintendent of the
London Asylum, has been removed for no
just cause. Funny way these Tories have
of showing their belief in civil service
reform.

THOU CANST NOT BOAST.

[Richard Brinsley Sheridan.]
Thou canst not boast of Fortune's store,
My love, while me thy wealthy call;
But I was glad to find thee poor.
For with my heart I'd give thee all,
And then the grateful youth shall own,
I loved him for himself alone.

But when his worth my hand shall gain,
No word or look of mine shall show
That I the smallest thought retain
Of what my bounty did bestow;
You still his grateful heart shall own
I loved him for himself alone.

UNFORTUNATELY.

[Tit-Bits.]
Miss D.—Angolina, why don't you marry
Lieutenant Y.?
Miss A.—First, because he has no brains,
and he can't ride, dance or play tennis.
What could we do with him?
"But he swims beautifully!"
"Oh, yes. But one can't keep one's hus-
band in an aquarium, you know."

NO WONDER.

[Cleveland Leader.]
Our little boy said such mackerel for the
first time the other morning.
"Where does these fish come from—the
lake?" he asked, after the first bite.
"No, from the ocean," answered his
father.
"Geel!" said Benny. "I don't wonder the
ocean's salty!"

DISINTERESTED KINDNESS.

[Punch.]
Landlord—One you won't 'ave any ob-
jection, sir, to my putting a subscription
list up in the bar for the benefit of 'the
widow of Gies, the wagoner, as died last
Saturday?
Rector—Certainly, if you wish to.
Landlord—Thank you, sir. 'E was a man
as ought to be encouraged. Considerate
to his 'easer, 'E always stopped ere to
rest 'em on 'is way up the 'ill.

TWO SONNETS.

FROM THE PORTUGUESE.
How do I love thee? Let me count the
ways
I love thee to the depth and breadth
and height
My soul can reach, when feeling out
sight
For the ends of being and ideal grace.
I love thee to the level of every day
Most quiet need, by sun and candle-
light.
I love thee freely, as men strive for
right;
I love thee purely, as they turn from
praise;
I love thee with the passion put to use
In my griefs, and with my childhood's
faith;
I love thee with a love I seemed to lose
With my lost saints—I love thee with the
breath,
Smiles, tears, of all my life!—and, if
I could, I would lie down where thou
doest
—Mrs. Browning.

FROM THE SPANISH.
How do I love thee? Let me tell the ways:
I love thee for the cash thou hast in
sight,
I love thee for thy pile, its breadth
and height,
For what thy solid investment pays;
I love thee for the millions thou canst
raise;
With thy manna thou hast won me
quite,
Thy bank account has filled me with
delight;
I love thee purely, hence these words
of praise.
I love thee for the rhino I can use,
Thy being my regard encompasseth,
I love thee with a love that I shall lose
If thou dost lose thy wad; I hold my
breath
While from the titles offered thou dost
choose.
Bring me thy millions, and he mine till
death.
—S. E. Kiser.

GETTING HIS RIGHTS.

[Washington Star.]
"The meanest man I ever knew," said
Mark Twain, "lived in Hannibal. He sold
his son-in-law the half of a very fine cow,
and then refused to share the milk with
the young fellow, on the ground that he
had only sold him the front half. The
son-in-law was also compelled to pro-
vide all the cow's fodder and to carry
water to her twice a day. Finally the
cow butted the old man through a barbed
wire fence, and he sued his son-in-law for
\$50 damages."

SURRENDERED AT LAST.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
"I can't understand," said the doctor,
after the operation had been performed
and the patient had been prepared for
burial, "how your husband was able to
live, with such an affliction as he had."
"Well, you see," replied the sorrowing
widow, "it was years and years before we
could persuade him to go on the operating
table."

LAZY FISHER.

[Punch.]
A rustic was sitting on the bank of a
stream when the parson's daughter came
that way.
"Well, miss, I be fair 'mazed w' the way
o' that 'ere fisherman, that I be?" said the
lover.
"Why is that, Carver?" asked the young
lady.
"The owd folk has been sittin' there fur
the last six hours, and hasn't caught
nothin'."
"How do you know that?"
"I been a-watchin' o' he the whole
time."

MUCH LIKE LONDON.

[Hamilton Spectator.]
Last night the board of works, almost
without discussion, decided to submit a
by-law to issue \$25,000 to provide for the
installation of a municipal light and power
plant. The aldermen treated the matter
much more lightly than they would have
treated a proposition to expend another
hundred upon that existing piece of
municipal property, the sucker, and differ-
ences of opinion involving a hundred thou-
sand dollars or so were not allowed to
obstruct the proposition.

WOULD PAINT
LONDON GREENEye Specialist Says That the
Color Is Soothing and
Healthful.

London, Nov. 25.—"If the whole of
London were painted green it would
have a wonderful effect upon the
health and spirits of us Londoners,"
one of London's leading eye special-
ists said to a reporter yesterday.
"Eyesight and health are most
closely connected, and among town
dwellers eyesight is steadily deteriorat-
ing."
"The next generation of Londoners
will be afflicted with short sight."
"If I had my way I would have
every house in London painted a fresh
foliage green. Then in a little time
we should have a brighter, happier
London than has ever been known."

Green One of Nature's Cures.
"Green is one of nature's cures for
worry and fatigue. Watch a man who
is worried or tired out, and see how
often he will wander to a window, from
which he can gaze on a tree in leaf
green of the foliage."
"Instinctively his eyes seek the rest-
ful green of the foliage."
"A great deal of the good obtained
from a visit to the country is from the
incessant environment of green
fields and green leaves."
"A green room, too, is a splendid
thing. I know of a case of a popular
actress who could never understand
why it was that in a certain room
in her house she could always rest so
much better than in any other one.
She mentioned the fact to me one
day and I pointed out to her that the
paper and furniture were entirely
green."

"Big cities like London are surely
deteriorating the eyesight of those who
dwell in them. It is the lack of hori-
zon that does the harm."
"To look at a thing in the distance
is no strain upon the eyes, but a rest
to them; the muscles are simply re-
laxed. But in London the farthest
one can look is, as a rule, but a few
yards. The eyes consequently get no rest."

Little Cataract in City.
"On the other hand, town dwellers
suffer far less from cataract than do
country folk. The traffic of our Lon-
don streets does undoubtedly prevent
this terrible affliction."
"In a city street to watch a vehicle
a hundred yards away, and immedi-
ately to turn to one a few feet distant
and so on, necessitates a constant
change of focus, a thing which is ex-
cellent for the eyes, and one which
keeps away cataract."

"Yet the lack of rest for the eyes,
the dull gray of everything, and the
brilliant light is playing havoc with
our sight, and a green London would
do much to counteract these evil
effects."

Chemicals in the Eye.
"Looking at the color green actually
causes the formation of a chemical
mixture in the eye."
"When most other colors are re-
garded this chemical substance is
broken up."

"Colors have a marked effect upon
temperament. Red, as most people
know, excites and afterwards de-
presses. A red papered room will
drive some people almost mad. Green,
on the other hand, rests and soothes,
improves the eyesight, and if in a
walk through London one could see
wherever one looked something green
to rest the eye the effect upon the
people would, I believe, be astound-
ing."

ORANGE RIVER HAS
BOER MINISTRY

Bloemfontein, Nov. 26.—The first
ministry of the Orange River Colony
under the constitution has been formed.
All the members are Boers except
one. Gen. DeWet is minister of agricul-
ture.

A constitution was granted to the
Transvaal last year. On Dec. 17 last
announcement was made in Parlia-
ment in London that a legislature and
a full responsible government would be
granted to the Orange Free State, now
known as the Orange River Colony, in
the course of 1907. The preliminary
steps have been in progress for some
time and the autonomy of the colony
is now virtually realized.

REVEALS A SENSATION

Helen Mar Tells of Her Evidence in
the Gould Divorce Case.

New York, Nov. 25.—Helen Mar, who
came from England to testify in the How-
ard Gould case, has revealed the details
of the testimony she gave behind closed
doors in the office of David McGuire, the
referee appointed by the supreme court to
hear the evidence in the suit. Miss Mar
says:
"I testified before Mr. McGuire that once
in the Hoffman House, in this city, and
once in a residence in Forest avenue, in
Chicago, I discovered Miss Katherine
Clemons, who is now Mrs. Howard
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**EASTERN CANADA
HOCKEY SCHEDULE**
Montreal, Nov. 25.—A meeting of the
Eastern Canada Hockey Association was
held here Saturday night. W. P. Luny
resigned as secretary-treasurer, and was
appointed a member of the executive. Mr.
Emmett Querry was elected secretary-
treasurer. The meeting then proceeded to
arrange the schedule for the coming season,
but adjourned until Tuesday evening
without completing it. The dates so far
arranged are:
Jan. 4—Ottawa at Quebec.
Jan. 11—Wanderers at Ottawa.
Jan. 11—Quebec at Victoria.
Jan. 18—Montreal at Quebec.
Jan. 18—Ottawa at Shamrocks.
Jan. 25—Victoria at Ottawa.
Feb. 1—Shamrocks at Quebec.
Feb. 1—Ottawa at Montreal.
Feb. 8—Quebec at Ottawa.
Feb. 15—Wanderers at Quebec.
Feb. 22—Shamrocks at Ottawa.

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THE GUARDED SECRET

"Aline, you are exhausted," he said, reproachfully.

"Yes, I am tired," she answered wearily. "I should like to go to sleep."

"They kissed her and went away, softly, but Aline did not go to sleep. She lay, broad awake, in the chilly rainy dawn of the new day, looking drearily into the future."

"I have lost my life," she said, mournfully, to herself. "For, if I live it down, I shall be old by then and nothing but the grave will lie before me."

She recalled some verses she had read in a book at Delaney House.

"Rudderless, we drift athwart a tempest, And when once the storm of youth is past, Without a life, without a love, or lust, Death, a silent pilot, comes at last."

Death! She gave a shudder in spite of herself. She had always had the keenest love of life, the greatest enjoyment of its pleasures. She was sanguine, ardent, impetuous. Even now, when she looked at death across a bridge of sorrow, she felt a little afraid of it. She bewailed her blighted life, her irrevocable folly. She would have to pay the cost of her girlish willfulness by the sacrifice of all that was best in life. Bitterly she bewailed her fault and Oran Delaney's hard heart, that had brought this doom upon her.

"If I had known the cruel price I must pay for my silence, I would have died before I would have pledged myself to it. But Mr. Delaney must have known. He is older than I am—he knows the world. How cruel, how wicked he must be to doom me to such a fate!" she said to herself indignantly.

Moved by a sudden impulse she slipped from the bed, threw a light shawl about her shoulders, and went over to the window. She peered down through a crevice in the curtain at the wonderful garden whose blooming beauties had lured her so innocently to her fate.

Oh, how changed was the scene as she gazed upon it now! The roses all were dead, the leaves were blown from the trees, and lay in golden drifts across the path. Some late autumn flowers—chrysanthemums, asters and others of their kind, were breaking into lavish bloom in their neglected beds, but the rain and storm had beaten them down, and they lay prostrate on the earth. All was dreariness and desolation, and the gray-stone towers of grim Delaney House seemed to frown more darkly than ever now that she knew what influence potent for evil pervaded its gloomy interior.

She gazed wistfully at it through the fine impalpable mist of rain that obscured all things. She saw a figure emerge from the gloomy portals into the deeper gloom of the rainy dawn. It was Mr. Delaney. He walked slowly with downcast head and his hands behind him, smoking a cigar, and she gazed after him with a look of intense interest. The fine blue smoke curled upward and lost itself in the mist.

Drawing the curtain closer, Aline watched him, herself unseen. She found a singular fascination in doing so, and when she saw his glance turn musingly once or twice up to her window her heart beat strangely—with anger, she thought.

"He has spoiled all my life, but does he realize that he has done so?" she asked herself, musingly. "Could he be so deliberately cruel?"

It almost seemed to her that he would not have done so could he have known.

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"Could anyone be so hard, so cruel, as to willfully blight a young girl's life?" she asked herself, with a sort of wonder, as her eyes followed Oran Delaney in his dreary saunter along the wet, gravelled paths. "He saved my life once. Why should he make it valueless to me?"

As she gazed at the dark, grave face under the brim of the wide slouch hat, it seemed to her that it was not hard nor cruel, only profoundly grave and sad. A longing came over her that he should know all that had transpired that night since she came home.

"If he knew, he might perhaps relent and release me from my vow of silence," she thought, eagerly. She remained at the window watching him thoughtfully until he disappeared from view in a turn of the path, then she turned aside to her writing-desk and drew out pens and ink and paper. She wrote hastily, and almost incoherently:

"Mr. Delaney—They are all very angry and surprised because I would not tell them where I have been. Papa says people will think strangely of me if I do not tell. He says they will think I am guilty of something—I do not know what—and that they will not associate with me, and that I shall never have any more peace or pleasure in my life. You did not know these things when you bound me to silence and secrecy. Did you, Mr. Delaney? I feel quite sure you did not. You could not have been so heartless as to ruin all my life like that! But now that I have told you, will you not have pity on me? Release me from my promise and let me speak, I pray you.—Aline Rodney."

She put the poor little appeal into an envelope, and when night came she tied a little weight to it and threw it far into the garden, hoping that Mr. Delaney would find it there the next morning.

CHAPTER XXVI.

Aline's return to her home created quite a little stir of pleasant excitement in the town of Chester.

The friends of the Rodneys vied with one another in the speediness of their calls upon the young lady. They found her pale, calm and more beautiful than ever, for she had gained a certain quietness and repose of manner that became her to a charm. There was a softer tone in her voice, a gentler light in her eyes. She seemed eager to please and divert all who came.

The good townspeople came all agog with curiosity. They expected to hear all manner of romantic stories from the returned girl. They piled her with all sorts of curious, not to say impertinent questions.

They were astonished and indignant when they heard that they were not to learn anything. To each and all Aline returned the same reply:

"I prefer not to discuss the subject with anyone."

This refusal, when spoken so gently yet firmly, and not without a certain aristocratic aloofness, further excited their curiosity. They were indeed, it would have been the height of rudeness to have persisted.

But, baffled with Aline, they turned to Aline's family. Everyone felt that her strange story belonged most naturally to the public. They were astounded when they found the Rodneys uncommunicative on the subject. No one could understand such strange reserve. Every question, every hint, was met by a quiet evasion that effectually silenced curiosity. The social world of Chester woke up gradually to the fact that the Rodneys meant to keep the cause of Aline's absence a dead secret.

Popular indignation was roused to fury. Mr. Rodney's prophecy did not prove itself a dead-letter by any means, for the loud tongue of scandal was not lacking to add its quota to the tumult. The worst things poured out in the circles of Mme. Rumor. Sible were hinted, and then spoken. The whole family were socially ostracized in less than a month. Each member came in for a share of the obloquy that had fallen on Aline's head. The silence each was compelled to maintain was held in the light of crime. From being prominent members of the most select circles in Chester they were coolly dropped by all. No one left their cards, no one sent invitations.

Everyone turned the cold shoulder. There was only one friend who remained faithful to the Rodneys in their troublous time.

This was Effie's noble and handsome lover, Dr. Anthony.

While the town gossiped and sneered,

ed, his neat buggy was seen before the Rodneys' door more frequently than ever. Effie, Aline, or Mrs. Rodney were often seen driving with him through the wide, pretty streets, and people were fain to acknowledge that "that girl," as they contemptuously called her, was prettier than ever in spite of the cloud of mysterious disgrace that clung about her. She and Dr. Anthony had become great friends. He could not help admiring his betrothed's young sister even while he deplored the silence she maintained at so bitter a cost to herself and her friends.

And while the weary days waned and faded, Aline was waiting with a breaking heart for some sign or token from Oran Delaney.

It was many days now since the little white-winged prayer for mercy had fluttered from her hands down into the garden of Delaney House. She had watched and waited, she had hoped and prayed, but no answer had come to her frantic appeal. Yet she knew that he had found it and read it.

She had been watching through a tiny rent in her curtain which she had made expressly for that purpose. She saw him tear it open and read it, then slowly walk away without even glancing up at her window.

Days went and came. There was no day in which Aline did not watch that tall form pacing up and down, though sensitively shrinking from observation herself. She spent many hours alone in her room, and it became insensibly a fascinating occupation to watch for his appearance as he came out for his daily walk, which he did whether it was gloomy or bright.

There was one thing which inspired her with a feeling of pique. It was that he never turned his eyes up to her window, never by any chance gave a sign or token that he was conscious of the wistful blue eyes watching him behind the white lace-bordered curtains.

Of what was he thinking? Why did he so persistently ignore her prayer? Had he really forgotten her? She asked herself these questions over and over, but no answer came from the silent lips of Oran Delaney as he walked up and down his lonely garden.

One day her father came home to dinner with a rather excited look upon his face.

He glanced across at the beloved daughter whose willfulness had brought such sorrow upon them all. She sat in her place as usual, but she scarcely tasted her food, only toyed with it while her thoughts seemed far away, and her long lashes drooped against her pale cheeks.

"Aline," he said abruptly. "She started like one in a dream, and dropped her fork. The blue eyes looked quickly at him with a startled expression."

"Yes, papa," she answered, in the low, sad voice that had grown habitual with her since her return.

"Mr. Linton called upon me today," he said.

"Mr. Linton?" she repeated, blankly. "Mr. Linton was a banker and quite an important personage in the social element of Chester."

"He brought me something for you," continued Mr. Rodney, and he reached across the table and laid a small folded package in Aline's hands.

She looked at it in wonder, without touching it.

"What is it, my dear?" inquired Mrs. Rodney, with womanly curiosity. "Open it, Aline," said her father.

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"Is it a letter, papa?" she asked, and the note of keen eagerness in her voice did not escape his alert hearing.

"Were you expecting a letter from anyone, dear?" he asked, pointedly.

"Yes—no," she answered, dejectedly, and a scarlet flame leaped up into her cheeks, then faded out into deathly white.

"Why don't you open your package, Aline?" said her sister.

"Yes, why don't you?" echoed Max, in a voice of lively curiosity.

She did not touch it still—she only looked at her father.

"Do you say it is not a letter, papa?" she asked.

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The work of the Japs is marvelous. Such head, foot and hand balancing has never been seen in London. After the work of the Arabs last week it would seem that nothing in a similar line could hope to appear on Bennett's bill this week and make good the Japs have the Arabs beaten to a standstill. Of course, the work is different, but the two acts furnish demonstrations of skill, strength and dexterity, and the Japs have it on the Arabs at every turn.

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Joe Deming is back—yes, Joe's back. His monologue and songs are the same as when he was last seen here. A great deal of it should be relegated to the junk pile.

Sampson and Douglas have a very fine comedy skit, while the feats of strength of the Damm brothers are wonderful.

Johnston and Wells, a talented colored team, are all to the good, the costuming of the act being an outstanding feature.

A film is shown, which is said to show Hon. Adam Beck driving a tandem in London. The film shows the past summer, and in addition, the regular moving pictures are put on. Prof. Stevens' splendid orchestra has a choice programme of music.

The bill is a big one—just as good as can be seen at Shea's, Toronto, or the Temple, in Detroit. It should be patronized.

In 1905 fiscal year, according to the annual report of United States Supervising Inspector General Uhler, with a total of 606,000,000 passengers carried on waters coming under the United States steamboat inspection service, only one life was lost out of every 2,390,438. In 1906 fiscal year, owing to the stranding of the steamer Valencia on Vancouver Island, with a loss of 121 lives, and the unprecedented number of casualties on Lake Superior that year, the loss of life was increased to one out of every 1,736,000 people carried.

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Mother of the Late Phil McLeod of London—Many Bequests.

The will of the late Mrs. W. C. McLeod, formerly of Woodstock, and mother of the late Phil McLeod, of King street, London, who died in Buffalo on the 10th of October last, has just been filed at Woodstock in the surrogate court for probate. Mrs. McLeod lived in Woodstock for many years, and her husband had the reputation of being a millionaire. The will disposes of real and personal property to the estimated value of \$150,000, about \$70,000 of which is in Canada, as follows:

Her sable mantle is given to her daughter, Ethel E. Raynor. All other wearing apparel and her jewelry is to be divided according to the discretion of the executors, among her daughters, Elizabeth Jessie Radley, Margaret Isabelle Hyslop, Ethel Eliza Raynor and Florence Anna MacLeod, and her daughter-in-law, Marion Todd MacLeod, wife of her son, Russell MacLeod.

To her niece, Elizabeth Murray MacKenzie, she gives \$1,000.

To her nephew, J. D. MacKenzie, of Woodstock, is given \$2,000, if a note of the late Mrs. MacLeod, is given an annuity of \$200 each, to be paid semi-annually.

To Major John MacKay, of Rogart, Scotland, is given \$2,000, the same to be divided among his children should he not be living at her decease.

To her son, Russell MacKenzie MacLeod, is given the sum of \$10,000.

She directs that the executors deposit in the bank \$1,000 for each of her grandchildren, to be paid when they severally attain the age of 21 years. The income upon the deposit may be used for educational support, at the discretion of the executors.

Bequest To Hospital.

She directs that there be paid to Woodstock General Hospital such sum, not exceeding \$3,000, as shall be necessary to provide for a ward in the said hospital to be called "The W. C. MacLeod, sen., Ward," and directs that at the time such payment is made, they (the executors) shall enter into an agreement with the said hospital that the right of introducing patients into such ward shall be vested in the pastors of Churches and of Knox Churches, or either of them.

It is also directed that the sum of \$1,000 be given to the trustees of Chalmers Church, Woodstock, to be applied to the reduction of the church debt.

Christmas Tea.

The executors are directed to set apart in the Bank of Commerce, a sum of \$1,000 to constitute a fund, the interest and income of which shall be used for the distribution of tea to the poor in the parish of Rogart, Scotland, such distribution to be made at Christmas by the parish minister of the said parish.

She directs that the daughters have the privilege of taking what furniture or pictures they desire from her residence under the direction of Chas. F. McLaughlin, one of the executors, that which is not claimed to be sold. All the rest, remainder and residue of the property, real, personal or mixed, of every kind and character, shall be sold and given in equal portions to her four daughters, named above.

Stocks Not To Be Sold. Investments in stocks and shares in companies are according to her wish, not to be sold, but to be transferred to those receiving legacies. In the event of the death of a son or daughter before her decease, the money going to the son or daughter shall be divided among his or her issue.

Three executors are named, her son-in-law, Wm. Hyslop, of Toronto, a nephew, J. D. MacKenzie, of Woodstock, and Chas. H. McLaughlin, of Buffalo. In cases of disagreement the decision of the latter is to be final. Each executor is to receive \$500 for his services.

The will is dated at Buffalo, Dec. 13, 1903. The witnesses were John W. Fisher and Charles Diebold, jun., of Woodstock.

FATAL CINCINNATI FIRE

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Cincinnati, Nov. 25.—Fire started in the William Windhorst Drygoods Company store, Twelfth and Main streets, today. The entire six-story building was soon a mass of flames. One woman is known to be dead, and half a dozen others were injured most

Down the Steps

ASHPLANT'S

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Emergency Shoe and Rubber Sale

A MOST EXTRAORDINARY SALE EVENT

Remarkable value-giving that compels your attention and unless you're taking full advantage of it you are missing the best in London.

We start the third week of the greatest Shoe and Rubber Sale in our history—greatest in volume and variety, in quality and value-giving. It provides a golden opportunity to buy the winter's supplies in Shoes and Rubbers and to save many dollars. Will you share in the remarkable savings? A visit to the store will convince you of the unparalleled advantage of buying here.

LADIES' BOOTS—SPECIAL FOR EMERGENCY SALE, \$2.48



We have for ladies a special purchase of High-grade Patent Leather Boots, Blucher cut; dull calf uppers, military heel, extension soles. Sizes, 7, 8 (D and E widths). A dressy shoe just from the maker's hands. Emer- \$2.48

MEN'S HEAVY SOLID DONGOLA SHOES, solid leather insole. Regular \$2.50. Marked to clear at \$1.98

MEN'S BOSTON CALF LACE BOOTS, heavy soled for winter wear. Marked for this sale at \$1.18

SCHOOL GIRLS' DONGOLA KID BOOTS, made with low heels and full round toes; extension sole. Regular \$2.00, while they last \$1.48

EXTRA SPECIAL—125 pairs Ladies' Box Calf Lace Boots; brand new goods; shapely, good wearing and stylish; all sizes, 3 to 7. An extra special value that you must buy quickly. Emergency Sale Price \$1.38

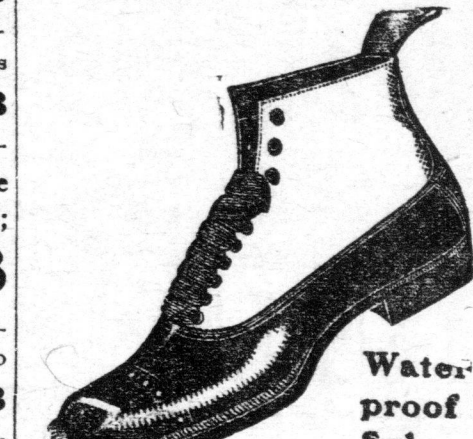
CHILDREN'S STORM RUBBER BOOTS, these go right up to the thigh. Sizes 7 to 10. Regular \$2.35. Emergency Sale price \$1.68

INFANTS' SOFT-SOLED SHOES, in white, brown, black and blue. Sale price, per pair \$1.90

CHILDREN'S DONGOLA PATENT - TIP BLUCHER SHOES, sizes 8, 9 and 10. Sale price \$1.68

(Space does not permit mention of all lines on sale.)

MEN'S REGULAR \$3 BOOTS, THIS WEEK'S SALE PRICE, \$2.28



This special for men, on sale this week, is one of the strongest values in the Emergency Sale. Ask to see it when you come to the store. Men's Box Calf Boots, calf lined, nailed soles; a good, strong shoe in every way. All sizes. Regular price, \$3; for \$2.28

Rubbers

For lack of space we cannot enlarge at any length on the stupendous bargains we are offering in all kinds of Rubbers and Overshoes for women, misses and children, men, youths and boys. But a word to the wise is sufficient—buy your Rubbers here where qualities and values are best.

RUBBERS
For Women 42c
For Women (storm) 48c
For Women (storm) 52c
For Misses (11 to 12) 42c
For Children (4 to 10) 33c
For Children (storm) 38c
Ladies' High-Cut Buttoned Overshoes, on sale tomorrow, at, per pair \$1.28

Extra Special!
325 pairs Maple Leaf Brand, No. 1 quality, Ladies' Rolled Edge Rubbers, all sizes, 2½ to 8. Regular price 85c. While they last, per pair 55c

Extra Special!
1,550 pairs Ladies' Rubbers, stamped Toronto Brand, in approved shapes, regular heel, all sizes. Regular 65c value. Sale price 42c

RUBBERS
For Men, 6 to 12 68c
For Men (storm) 77c
For Boys (1 to 5) 50c
For Youths (10 to 13) 48c
Men's Overshoes, waterproof, wool lined \$1.37
These prices are away below regular.

ASHPLANT'S DOWN THE STEPS ASHPLANT'S

of them from leaping from the windows. The fire started in a show window, presumably from crossed electric wires, and went up the third floor, where the dead woman was found, and from that floor spread throughout the big structure. There were in the building 125 employees, of whom fifteen were located on the third floor. Coming at the lunch hour the crowd in the store was somewhat smaller, and that fact may reduce the list of casualties.

YOU SHOULD KNOW OF THIS RECIPE

Said To Relieve Rheumatism and Anyone Can Mix It at Home.

Cut this out and put in some safe place, for it is valuable and worth more than anything else in the world if you should have an attack of rheumatism or bladder trouble or any derangement of the kidneys whatever.

The prescription is simple, and can be made up by anyone at home. The ingredients can be had at any good prescription pharmacy and all that is necessary is to shake them well in a bottle.

Here it is: Fluid extract dandelion, one-half ounce; compound Kargon, one ounce; compound syrup of sarsaparilla, three ounces.

Take a teaspoonful after each meal and at bedtime. A few doses is said to relieve almost any case of bladder trouble, frequent urination, pain and scalding, weakness and backache, pain above the kidneys, etc. It is now claimed to be the method of curing chronic rheumatism, because of its direct and positive action upon the eliminative tissues of the kidneys. It cleanses these sponge-like organs and gives them life and power to sift and strain the poisonous waste matter and uric acid from the blood relieving the worst forms of rheumatism and kidney and bladder troubles. The extract dandelion acts upon the stomach and liver and is used also extensively for relieving constipation and indigestion. Compound sarsaparilla cleans and enriches the blood.

As you or anyone of your family, especially the old folks, may be attacked at any time it would be wise to cut this out and save it.

A well-known local druggist is authorized that this prescription is safe to use at any time.

Mix it yourself.

The six great ports of India which received merchandise and distributed it for consumption and re-export in 1906 were: Calcutta, \$14,470,130; Bombay, \$12,048,055; Karachi, \$3,148,055; Rangoon, \$3,100,295; Madras \$28,896,990; and Chittagong, \$1,027,030.

Professor Zuehlke, of Chicago University, remarks that the traveling library is an ideal form of philanthropy, because "it's not carried on by the rich for the sake of the poor, not by the educated for the uneducated, but by the people for the sake of the people."

The fire loss of the United States and Canada for the month of June, as compiled by the New York Journal of Commerce and Commercial Bulletin, shows a total of \$14,765,000. This makes the aggregate for the half year \$117,477,500.

In the North Central States there is a percentage of 30 unmarried men out of every 100, to 19.3 of unmarried women.

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The railroad line to Mecca is being built by Turkish soldiers, under the supervision of a German civil engineer, and the cost is being defrayed, in part, by Moslems in all parts of the world who make voluntary contributions. The remainder of the expense is covered by special taxes.

In the United States 100 inhabitants cultivate 290 acres of land, while in Europe the proportion is 890 acres to the 100 inhabitants.

PILES

See testimonials in the press and ask your neighbors about it. You can use it and get your money back if not satisfied. 60c. at all dealers or ROYAL MAIL TRAINS, Toronto.

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Get your size in Stanfield's—

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When inward mail steamers at Halifax do not connect with the regular train, the Maritime Express, west-bound special train, with through sleeping and dining cars attached, will leave Halifax for Quebec and Montreal, connecting with trains for Ottawa, Toronto, and all points west.

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If you are contemplating a trip for the winter to Texas, California, Old Mexico, or any point, south or west, consider the merits of the great Wabash line, the short and true route between the east and west. Round trip tickets on sale daily at lowest rates. Write your nearest Wabash agent for full particulars, or address J. A. Richardson, district passenger agent, northeast corner King and Yonge streets, Toronto, and St. Thomas, Ont.

TRAVELERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the east—*3:50 a.m., 10:56 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11:23 a.m., *6:25 p.m., *7:48 p.m., 10 p.m.

Arrive from the west—*12:09 a.m., *2:15 a.m., *3:50 a.m., *11:13 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., *7:5 p.m.

Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:20 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., *11:24 a.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m. (Eastern Flyer).

The trains leaving at 7:30 a.m., and 2:05 p.m. stop at all stations.

Depart for the west—*3:25 a.m., *3:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:33 a.m., 1:40 p.m., *8:05 p.m.

The 7:40 a.m. and the 1:40 p.m. trains stop at all stations.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:40 a.m., *4 p.m., *6:50 p.m. (Eastern Flyer), 11 p.m.

Depart—6:35 a.m., *11:27 a.m., 2:20 p.m., *7:55 p.m. (International Limited).

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—*3:15 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:30 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 11:10 p.m.

Depart—6:10 a.m., 11 a.m., 2:50 p.m., 5 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:50 p.m.

Trains marked thus * run daily. Those not so marked run daily except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive—From the east *11:30 a.m., *4:30 a.m., *8:20 a.m., *5:20 p.m.

Depart—For the east—*4:40 a.m., *8

Latest News From Far and Near

Hockey Teams In Plenty For This Winter's Sport

No Less Than Seven in Line for City and O. H. A. Honors.

There is going to be some fun around this old town when it comes to procuring enough ice space to accommodate the various hockey teams that insist that they are in line for city league honors this year. The latest to line up is the Westminster team. This makes seven to get into line, and where there will be found ice enough to supply that number of city league teams, not to mention the O. H. A. contests, is going to keep somebody doing some tall figuring. It wouldn't be a very bad idea to

compel each team that enters the city league to post a forfeit that they will stay the season out. Very often when a team feels itself getting it in the region of the collar button, it feels disposed to leave the battling to some more fortunate team.

The following letter explains itself: Sporting Editor: Dear Sir.—The Westminster team has decided to enter a team in the city hockey league. We have the same team as last year, also a large number of new players to choose from. The boys are taking up hockey with a vim.

Yours truly, THE WESTMINSTERS. P. S.—A meeting for the election of officers will be held Tuesday or Wednesday, when we will send you a more detailed account.

A Fine Trophy For Curlers

One of the handsomest trophies ever given in this city for the purpose of encouraging curling was that offered by Mr. John McKee, son, to the London Thistle Curling Club last evening at a well-attended meeting of the club.

The cup when finished will resemble to a great extent the famous Labatt trophy,

and is offered for the purpose of forming a big bonspiel to take place at an early date.

Clubs from all parts of Western Ontario will participate in the bonspiel, and it is expected that the game will be boomed locally as it never has before.

Mr. McKee is to be very highly commended for his sportsmanlike action.

THE THISTLE CLUB ELECTS SKIPS

That the Thistle Club means business over thirty new members were added to the already long list now on the books.

The members are going in for the pastime for all time in it, and new members will be welcomed at any time.

The initiation fee is a very small one, and the returns are tenfold.

The skips for the present curling season

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Burns Will Lose, Says London Paper

The London Sporting Times says of Burns and Moir, who meet there Dec. 2: "There is going to be a terrific scrap between Gunner Moir, late of the Royal Marine Artillery, and Mr. Burns, of New York, the gentleman who lately laid out Bill Squires, Australia's heavyweight, insensible, by landing him in quick succession four fair 'haymakers' on the point of the jaw. The principal difference between the men is that Burns is a quick and tricky fighter, while Moir is just the reverse—a seeming disparity which is made up by the fact that the former is a punishment as long as a wooden leg will stand pointing. Somehow or other I

gathered the impression, when I met him, that Burns had been led to underestimate his future opponent, whom he had not then seen. Burns has brought with him the biographic film of his match with Squires, and as the celluloid ran over the biographic-drum it was evident that the lumberman was knocked out before he had fairly set himself going. Certainly a Yankee fight as a spectacle is sadly marred by the presence in the ring of the referee. Big Jim Jeffries rushing between the men at every clinch, obscured much of the men's action. In inspired quarters they are laying out to four on Burns, but I have taken the odds. What is more, I need the money."

WARM BASEBALL AT ARMORIES ONE OF GAMES TO BE PROTESTED

There was all kinds of excitement at the indoor games in the Armories last night, and it is said that one of the games will be protested, though for what reason is not exactly apparent inasmuch as the winning team won out by double the score. In the first contest of the evening P and C company locked horns in as pretty a bout as has been seen on the Armory floor this season. The second-named company won by only a very small margin. The score was 12 to 15.

At the start off it looked like a runaway for the victors, but the other boys jumped up toward the latter part of the game and made matters interesting to the end.

C Company won out in the last inning by one, by bunting hits. "P" Company . . . 3 2 0 1 2 5 1—15 "C" Company . . . 1 0 0 0 3 1 0—11 Lineup: "P" Company—Roberts, c.; Bryan, p.; Kilgour, Howe, Boyd, Archer, Russell, Hewitt, Plumridge.

"C" Company—Sussex, c.; Penwarden, p.; Rider, Cartledge, Robinson, Lashbrook, Howden, Bentley. The second affair went to "B" Company, with Captain Becher at the helm. The score was 12 to 6.

"B" Company . . . 4 0 1 0 1 0—6 "C" Company . . . 0 1 0 1 3 0—12 The lineups were: "B" Company—Braddon, c.; Becher, p.; Westman, Baker, Couch, Ingram, Tucker, Ball, Ware, Manning, Borden.

"C" Company—Tambling, c.; Gandor, p.; Crowder, Fitzgerald, Smith, Orr, Phelps. Umpire—Jeffries and Anderson.

LATEST GOSSIP OF SQUARED ARENA

The much-talked-of "Packer" McFarland-Kid Herman fifteen-round contest was pulled off at Davenport on Thursday night, and, although no decision was rendered, "Packer" proved himself the better man. He was all over Herman after the fourth round, and from then on he had matters pretty much his own way.

The "Kid" put up a game fight and gave "Packer" the best he had in his pugilistic makeup, but he did not have enough of it to get more than the loser's end of the money had there been a loser's end to it. That was Herman's first fight since the first of the year, but he thought his knowledge of the game was so superior to McFarland's he could beat him with a three weeks' workout.

He did pretty well for four rounds, after which his eleven months of pugilistic idleness began to tell and he "blew up." He would have made a better showing had he had several fights under his belt, but he did not have them.

"Packer" fought in his customary aggressive style. He was up and at it at all times, and demonstrated—if that really was necessary—he is one of the best lightweights in the country.

Judging by the stand taken by the Philadelphia fight promoters regarding the Jack O'Brien-Jack Johnson match the crime of taking, to which O'Brien confessed, was more heinous than that to which Joe Gans confessed. The difference may be this: O'Brien, a white man, boasted about his offence, while Gans, colored, pleaded the limitations of his race, and tried to apologize and live it down.

The public was willing to forgive Gans, whose wrongdoing was engineered by a white man to whom he naturally looked for advice and instruction as to the best means to realize on his ability as a boxer.

Also, it should be remembered, Gans' partners in crime were white and they invariably received the long end of the money. His white master depended on betting on the events for his trouble in arranging the fakes thus showing that the white men were willing to enter into a crooked compact with the black man's master for the bulk of the tainted proceeds and then shoulder the crime on the black.

For years prior to his confession and his promise to fight on the level Gans was pronounced the greatest faker in the business. Since severing his connection with his white master and practically conducting his own business, he has been an honor to the much-abused sport.

O'Brien, on the other hand, was "free, white, and 21," and consequently his own master, while Gans, colored, and not his own master, was led to believe he could not get recognition unless directed by a white.

That makes O'Brien's crime the more serious; still, in these days of pugilistic commercialism, he is entitled to a change for his "white ally," the same as was Gans, especially as he elected to fight a colored man for his first effort to follow the narrow path. His "tune down" by his own townsmen caused some surprise, as he was given a grand reception by these same townsmen when he appeared in the ring on the night of the Al Kaufmann-Dave Barry contest. It was that demonstration more than anything else, that induced him to match with Johnson, thinking the promoters had concluded to give him the first opportunity to redeem himself.

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MR. WILLIAM FULTON, Last Night Elected a Skip of the Thistle Curlers.

KIDDERS LOSE TO THE HORTONS

Latter Took All Three Games on the Ideal Alleys Last Night.

The Kidders went down with a splash last night, and it all came about at the hands of those irresponsible Hortons.

The Hortons took all three games, and they made the tribe of Waterworth look like a Chinese, gambling den after Chief Williams had paid it a visit.

Reginald Graham was the big "jam"—taking all honor in sight. Captain Benny led his own team in the matter of high scores, but could not do it all, and the stuff was rubbed in.

Kidders.			
Chittick	124	154	163—441
Lashbrook	123	124	131—378
Ward	135	145	103—382
Ross	151	164	138—453
Waterworth	153	146	165—464
686 723 700 2,119			

Hortons.			
Wagner	131	123	139—393
Graham	170	205	207—582
Burgess	152	174	120—446
Abram	144	140	165—449
J. Wilson	112	167	188—467
709 809 819 2,337			

The Hermits and Midgets mix tonight.

HARTLEY BEAT REYNOLDS A MILE

Peterboro Walker Won the Twelve-Hour Endurance Contest.

Toronto, Nov. 25.—David Hartley, of Peterboro, very clearly demonstrated his superiority as a walker over Jimmy Reynolds, of Port Hope, at the Mutual Street Rink on Saturday, in their twelve-hour contest, which ended at 11 o'clock at night. Hartley won by a mile and a few feet, covering a distance of 5 miles, 65 laps, while the Port Hope barber was walking 57 miles, 6 laps.

It was apparent from the first hour of the contest that Hartley would be the victor, unless he suffered a collapse. He had a much prettier and cleaner style than his opponent, and a spurt that was simply phenomenal. Whenever he felt like increasing his lead he broke loose and simply romped away from Jimmy. Only once did he fail to gain the coveted lap. That was between 9:30 and 10 o'clock. On that occasion Reynolds managed, by dint of hard, continuous sprinting and the spirited cheering of the crowd, with whom he was a prime favorite, to catch up to his rival after Hartley had pulled out a lead of nearly half a lap. At no time during the contest did Reynolds gain a lap on his opponent, while Hartley lapped Reynolds no less than fifteen times during the twelve hours' grind.

After it was all over and Tom Eck, the most efficient master of ceremonies, announced the result, the walkers were carried to their dressing-rooms by enthusiastic supporters.

CHAUER HAS LANDED FOUR CHAMPIONSHIPS

"Chaucer" Elliott has landed four championships in two years. Last fall he captured the Dominion senior Rugby championship with Hamilton Tigers, a feat he has repeated this season with Montreal. For no one can gainsay the fact that interprovincial and Canadian senior honors are one and the same thing; add to these performances the winning of the Quebec Union rug with Montreal II, and the lifting of the Empire State League pennant by his ball club, Oswego, and his list of recent-day triumphs is complete.—Hamilton Times.

A new industry has been started in Australia in connection with rabbits. Nearly half a gallon of lubricating oil has been obtained by a rabbit at Gulgandra, New South Wales, from 73 pounds of skins, without lessening the commercial value of the latter.

LATEST ENGLISH SPORTING NEWS

Golf, Rowing, Lacrosse and Rugby, Turf, Ring, Billiards and Athletics.

At St. Andrews, the death took place, after a few weeks' illness, of Jack Kirkaldy, the well-known professional golfer. Deceased took part in many notable matches and tournaments, and taught the game to several high personages, including his Majesty the King. His best performance in the open championship was at St. Andrews in 1882, when he finished third. Jack Kirkaldy's fame as a creak player was widespread, and with that club alone, he went round St. Andrews, in 1876, in 86 strokes. He held the record for St. Andrews' new course, at 73, and, three years ago, twice went round the old course in 72. His record included the winning of open tournaments at Carnoustie in 1888, and St. Andrews in 1900, and the defeat of Archie Simpson, at Aberdeen, in 1887.

Rowing. Rowing men will regret to hear of the sudden death of Ben Horton, the old London R. C. captain. In 1874 he rowed bow in the London eight, which carried off the Grand Challenge cup.

While practicing on the Thames, near Chiswick, on Nov. 10, Ernest Barry's boat was upset, owing to one of his sculls slipping out of the rowlocks. Barry at once struck out for the shore, pushing his boat along at the same time, but he was seized with cramp, and it was fortunate for him that a boat was near to render timely help.

Lacrosse. Middlesex 6, Essex 3; Kent 10, Surrey 3; Oxford University 5, Hampstead 3; Woodford 4, Clapham 3; Highgate 6, West London 5; Clapham II 2, Woodford II 2.

Wrestling. At Manchester, Brooks, of London, beat Smith, of Manchester, who, how-

English League.			
Manchester United	13	5	0
Sheffield Wednesday	13	5	0
Bury	6	5	17
Southampton	6	5	17
Reading	6	5	17
Bristol City	6	5	17
Preston North End	6	5	17
Liverpool	6	5	17
Newcastle United	7	5	0
Manchester City	4	5	13
Aston Villa	4	5	13
Notts County	5	7	3
Woolwich Arsenal	5	7	3
Middlesboro	5	7	3
Blackburn Rovers	5	7	3
Bolton Wanderers	5	7	3
Notts Forest	5	7	3
Sheffield United	4	6	11
Sunderland	4	6	11
Chelsea	8	1	9
Birmingham	3	9	2

Southern League.			
Plymouth A.	7	2	4
Q. P. Rangers	7	2	4
Southampton	7	2	4
Mitwall	4	4	15
Bradford P. A.	4	2	7
Swindon	4	2	7
Northampton	4	5	4
West Ham	5	5	4
Bristol Rangers	5	5	4
Reading	5	5	4
Tottenham H.	5	5	4
Crystal Palace	6	6	1
Watford	6	6	1
Norwich C.	5	5	13
New Brighton	6	7	1
Bradford	6	7	1
Leyton	3	6	4
Brighton and Hove	3	6	4
Portsmouth	2	9	1

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MATCH GAMES, Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

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Jack Bishop, an old runner, died recently at Leytonstone, at the age of 83.

At the Brasenose, Oxford, games, Hull, of Michigan, won the 100, in 11 seconds, the long jump, 20 feet 6 1/2 inches, the high jump, and was second in the weight-put. In the two-mile freshmen's race N. Macdonnell, of Kingston, Ont., was second to Worley, who won by 70 yards. The Canadian led for the first mile, Harvard, of Princeton University, U. S. A., won the hammer throw.

At Liverpool, Gregson, of Manchester, beat Jim Goddard (colored), American, the referee stopping the bout in the fifth. Bell, of Liverpool, put Harrison (colored), American, away in two rounds, and Johnson, of Liverpool, put out Brady, of Newcastle, in the fifth.

Scalles, the heavyweight, outpointed Taylor, who has been touring with "Gunner" Moir.

At London: Shaw beat Wingfield, Lester beat Stokes, Green beat Bradley, Smith beat Rainsford, Elliott beat Stringer, Fuller beat Barnard, Wallis beat Gittens, Griffiths beat

Debbam, Gilham beat Roach, Hart beat Clifford, Coles beat Hales, Wallace beat Clancy, Warner beat Hickman, Lee beat English (American).

At Plymouth: Brown, (Liverpool) beat Roberts, Bridgman beat Hill, Shillington beat Collings, Hicks beat Fowler, Bridgman beat Fowler.

At Edinburgh: Rodgen beat Forbes, Telfer beat Smith, Peebles beat Spence, Forsythe beat Crow.

Turf. Leading English Jockeys.—Higgs, 689 mounts, 137 wins; Maher, 416 and 111; Halsey, 490 and 95; Randall, 373 and 63; Griggs, 522 and 65.

Frequenter of English racetracks have long recognized that Maher is a many-sided jockey, who adapts himself to circumstances, but he showed himself in quite a new light in his finish on Altitude in the Liverpool St. Leger. Dripsy was sticking like a burr, and do what he might Maher could not shake her off. Then, abandoning his usual style, he sat up in the saddle, like Mornington, Cannon, and used his tail in a fashion foreign to the latter-day jockey. His mare did her best, but Dripsy's head was a few inches in front.

Winners on the Irish turf in 1907.—E. P. O'Call, 6 races, £3,399; R. Croker, 22 races, £2,786; J. J. Parkinson, 33 races, £2,705; W. Dunne, 5 races, £2,051.

Winning Irish Trainers.—Danson 61 races, Parkinson 59, Arnot 78, 53, 31, 11; Halsey, 490 and 95; Randall, 373 and 63; Griggs, 522 and 65.

Leading Jockeys.—Thompson, 52 wins, Brown 31, Aylin 31, Hunter 30. Best Horses on Irish Turf.—American Girl, 2-year-old, won 5 races, £2,959; Temperance, 2, won 4 races, £1,993.

Football Results. The standings of the English and Southern Leagues, including Saturday's games, are:

English League.			
Manchester United	13	5	0
Sheffield Wednesday	13	5	0
Bury	6	5	17
Southampton	6	5	17
Reading	6	5	17
Bristol City	6	5	17
Preston North End	6	5	17
Liverpool	6	5	17
Newcastle United	7	5	0
Manchester City	4	5	13
Aston Villa	4	5	13
Notts County	5	7	3
Woolwich Arsenal	5	7	3
Middlesboro	5	7	3
Blackburn Rovers	5	7	3
Bolton Wanderers	5	7	3
Notts Forest	5	7	3
Sheffield United	4	6	11
Sunderland	4	6	11
Chelsea	8	1	9
Birmingham	3	9	2

Southern League.			
Plymouth A.	7	2	4
Q. P. Rangers	7	2	4
Southampton	7	2	4
Mitwall	4	4	15
Bradford P. A.	4	2	7
Swindon	4	2	7
Northampton	4	5	4
West Ham	5	5	4
Bristol Rangers	5	5	4
Reading	5	5	4
Tottenham H.	5	5	4
Crystal Palace	6	6	1
Watford	6	6	1
Norwich C.	5	5	13
New Brighton	6	7	1
Bradford	6	7	1
Leyton	3	6	4
Brighton and Hove	3	6	4
Portsmouth	2	9	1

Germany has ten Government polytechnic schools, having a total of 15,458 students.

In some countries the rabbit produces seven families in the course of a year.

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MATCH GAMES, Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays.

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Jack Bishop, an old runner, died recently at Leytonstone, at the age of 83.

At the Brasenose, Oxford, games, Hull, of Michigan, won the 100, in 11 seconds, the long jump, 20 feet 6 1/2 inches, the high jump, and was second in the weight-put. In the two-mile freshmen's race N. Macdonnell, of Kingston, Ont., was second to Worley, who won by 70 yards. The Canadian led for the first mile, Harvard, of Princeton University, U. S. A., won the hammer throw.

At Liverpool, Gregson, of Manchester, beat Jim Goddard (colored), American, the referee stopping the bout in the fifth. Bell, of Liverpool, put Harrison (colored), American, away in two rounds, and Johnson, of Liverpool, put out Brady, of Newcastle, in the fifth.

Scalles, the heavyweight, outpointed Taylor, who has been touring with "Gunner" Moir.

At London: Shaw beat Wingfield, Lester beat Stokes, Green beat Bradley, Smith beat Rainsford, Elliott beat Stringer, Fuller beat Barnard, Wallis beat Gittens, Griffiths beat

Well-Written and Breezy Gossip



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Successful Entertainment by Y. P. S.

The Young People's Society of St. James' Church, South London, gave a most successful entertainment last evening. The programme consisted of an instrumental by Miss Griffiths, solo by Miss Minnie Fox and Mr. A. L. Charles, and much-appreciated humorous recitations by Mr. Currie, of Huron College.

The Trial Scene in the "Merchant of Venice" was presented by members of the Young People's Society.

The cast was as follows: Miss

Ethel MacNeill, Portia; Miss Grace Thompson, Nerissa; Mr. Geo. Thompson, Antonio; Mr. H. Widdowson, Shylock; Mr. Frank Judd, Bassanio; Mr. Reg Williams, Gratiano; Mr. Charles Hoare, the Duke of Venice.

The perfect costumes for the several parts added greatly to the excellent presentation, which was enjoyed by a very large audience.

The society's next meeting will be on Monday evening, Dec. 2, and will take the form of a "Tree Social."

TOO MANY LAWYERS AT PRESENT

A prominent local lawyer, this morning stated that the profession of law was a very poor one for a young man to embark in at present. "There are sixty lawyers in this city at the present time," said he, "and there is not work for half that number. Most of them, however, have side lines, such as real estate and insurance and in some manner or another all appear to be able to eke out some sort of an existence."

London Man's Success as a Detective

In connection with the liquor cases which were heard in the police court this morning it is interesting to note the work that has been done in Toronto the last few weeks by Detective Fred MacRae whom many Londoners will remember as a bartender at the Britannia House.

Mr. MacRae has been a member of the special detective force for many months and has been doing splendid work that he is now regarded as one of the coming men on special work.

Farming the Ideal Life For a Boy

"There is the ideal life for any boy," remarked Inspector Sanders, as two little youngsters toddled after a well-known farmer residing near here. "I am sending those boys out on that man's farm because they have expressed a preference for farm life. Just look at that farmer himself. Where could you find a more robust specimen of manhood? Lonesome out there for the boys? Yes, but they get lonesome at times, but they soon grow accustomed to it, and besides we have to do something when we have so many boys on hand."

Mr. Sanders went on to say that

IS IN GOOD SHAPE, SAY COMMISSION

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Nov. 26.—A. F. Dillinger, operating assistant of the railway commission, has made a report on the C. P. R. equipment. He says that the company has not now all the additional facilities requisite for handling all the traffic offered, but will when all orders for equipment, etc., are filled. Double tracking is complete and able to do all the business offered. On

Has Nothing To Fear From Smallpox

Medical Health Officer Hutchinson stated today that while there are quite a number of cases of smallpox at Goderich and other places north of London, there is nothing to fear worried about here.

"We are all prepared for an emergency," said the doctor to The Advertiser today, "and we are keeping a sharp lookout for possible cases. But really there is nothing to fear."

"We in London have avoided smallpox right along despite the fact that the disease has been prevalent in many places much nearer to London

GUELPH POULTRY SHOW

Local Fanciers Say the Big Show Will Be the Best Ever.

Chicken fanciers in this city are looking forward eagerly to the opening of the famous winter poultry show, which commences at Guelph a week from next Monday.

"The show will be the biggest and best ever held," says Mr. William McNeil this morning, "and already the entries are so numerous that space is going at a premium. Chickens from all over Canada and the United States will be represented by their choicest birds, and an exceptionally attractive display is certain."

C. P. R. ISSUES WRIT.

Toronto, Nov. 26.—The Canadian Pacific Railway today issued a writ against the Falls Power Company at Welland, and the Ontario Power Company of Niagara Falls at Welland. A perpetual injunction is asked for restraining the defendant from placing poles and wires on Hellens avenue and from touching the wires and erecting poles and wires that would interfere with the property of the plaintiff or endanger the lives of their employees.

After Dinner

To assist digestion, relieve distress after eating or drinking too heartily to prevent constipation, take

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CANADIAN

night that he was getting off lightly, as under the act he was liable to be fined as high as \$300.

His worship also warned all hotelmen that they are liable to be fined for any amount up to \$500.

Halenight paid up.

Another Phase.

An interesting fact in connection with the case is that if the crown could have proven that the accused had bought the bottle of whisky for less than the Indians gave him and kept the difference, he would have been liable to a fine of \$500 on another charge of selling liquor without a license. A case of this kind came up in Toronto a few days ago, where a painter was found selling whisky to his friends at work from a bottle, and he was fined \$50.

Local Items

—Ald. Stevely, in the absence of Mayor Judd, was acting mayor today.

—Sheriff Cameron left recently for Portland, Maine, where he will attend the wedding of his sons, Mr. Cameron expects to return by next Friday or Saturday.

The New Cardinals

Rome, Nov. 26.—The selection of new cardinals again has caused dissatisfaction among the English-speaking Catholics, who are not represented in the new list. Especially is this the case with those of England, who have been without a cardinal since the death of Cardinal Vaughan. According to statements made at the Vatican it was found impossible to give another American cardinal, as all the Latin American countries would also claim their right to one, already considering themselves badly treated because a cardinal had been granted to Brazil alone. Two French cardinals were named, the Pope wishing to reward the loyalty of the French clergy in the conflict between the French government and the Vatican.

BAIL FOR ADAMS

Released on \$20,000 Bond, But Will Be Tried Again.

Rathburn, Ida, Nov. 25.—Steve Adams, the jury in whose trial for the murder of Fred Tyler, reported a disagreement was today admitted to bail. Bail was fixed at \$20,000. Attorney Darrow, for the defense, announced the bond would be provided within a few days. It is expected that as soon as Adams is released on this bond he will be rearrested on a warrant charging him with the murder of Arthur Collins, at Telluride, Col., in 1902.

MEAT PRICES DOWN.

Chicago, Nov. 26.—Sweeping reductions in the prices of meat and poultry are promised Chicago consumers in a few days as a result of a similar decline in the prices of live stock that has been going on for the last 40 days.

Reductions in the wholesale prices of these commodities were made yesterday, averaging about 10 per cent for all kinds of meat and poultry.

THROWN FROM BUGGY

Alma Man Fatally Injured While Returning from a Funeral.

Alma, Ont., Nov. 26.—While on his way home after attending the funeral of the late J. Trask, George Miller, a local buyer of this place, was thrown from his buggy by running into another rig, owing to the dark night, and died this morning from the effects of the injuries received.

FINAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR TRANSFER

English Syndicate Will Today Take Canada Brickfields' Company.

A meeting will be held this afternoon to complete the arrangements for the taking over of the property in North Dorchester now owned by the Canada Brickfields Company, of this city, by a syndicate of English capitalists, who will manufacture sanitary tiling and other products of a similar nature. The experiments which were recently conducted here, it is stated, completely satisfied the English capitalists interested. It was stated today that work will be gone on with at once.

HOLDUP WAS A JOKE

Courage of Young Hamiltonians Put to Test by Friends.

Hamilton, Nov. 26.—Police Chief Smith stated this morning that the daring holdup of D. C. Scott, G. F. Hall and Wm. Hammond, on the Waterdown road, last Tuesday night, was a joke. These three had been boasting of their ability to put to flight any highwaymen who might attack them, this decided to put them to the test. Knowing they were going for a horse back ride, they waited in a secluded portion of the road and rushed at them, discharging blank cartridges from their revolvers. The friends' faces were blackened with burnt cork. Scott, forgetting his bravery, hopped up his horse, and galloped back the way he came, while Hall was relieved for some time.

LATEST STOCK MARKET REPORTS

Reported by C. N. Spencer, Stockbroker, Market Lane, for The Advertiser.

Chicago, Nov. 26.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
December	92 1/2	92 3/4	92 1/4	92 1/2
May	1 01 1/2	1 03 1/2	1 01 1/4	1 03
July	97 1/4	98	97 1/4	97 3/4
December	51 1/4	51 3/4	51 1/4	51 1/2
May	54 1/4	54 3/4	54 1/4	54 1/2
July	52 1/4	52 3/4	52 1/4	52 1/2
December	45 1/4	45 3/4	45 1/4	45 1/2
May	49 1/4	49 3/4	49 1/4	49 1/2
July	44 1/4	44 3/4	44 1/4	44 1/2

DAIRY MARKETS.

LIVERPOOL DAIRY REPORT, WEEK ENDING NOV. 15.

[Hodgeson Bros. Letter.]

Cheese—The market has been extremely quiet all week and although prices are nominally unchanged, there is a disposition to meet buyers, and to make prices quotations are rather dull. Fully ripe cheese is scarce. Finest Western Canadian, September, colored, 62s to 62d per cwt; white, 60s to 62d; earlier made Canadian, white and colored, 58s to 60s.

Butter—The easier feeling still prevails and with slightly more liberal supplies of colonial, values of choicest qualities are about 2s to 2s lower on the week. The Copenhagen quotation is reduced 2 kroner

Analysis of Strong's

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by the analytical chemist of the Dominion of Canada.

Strong's Baking Powder is found to have very high water power. It is a cream of tartar powder, containing no alum or phosphate, and it is not adulterated.

Alum baking powders are sold to consumers at from 10c. to 30c. a pound. So detrimental to health are alum baking powders considered that in many countries their sale is prohibited. Strong's Baking Powder, 25c per lb.

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NEW YORK.

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New York, Nov. 26.

Amalgamated	Open	High	Low	2 p.m.
American Copper	47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/2
American Locomotive	147 1/2	148 1/2	147 1/4	147 1/2
American Foundry	25 1/2	26 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/2
American Refining Co.	67 1/2	68 1/2	67 1/4	67 1/2
Atchafalpa	78 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/4	78 1/2
Atchafalpa	78 1/2	79 1/2	78 1/4	78 1/2
Brooklyn Transit	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
C. P. R.	147 1/2	148 1/2	147 1/4	147 1/2
Chicago & North Western	147 1/2	148 1/2	147 1/4	147 1/2
Chicago Great West	24 1/2	25 1/2	24 1/4	24 1/2
Colorado Fuel & Iron	147 1/2	148 1/2	147 1/4	147 1/2
Chicago & North Western	147 1/2	148 1/2	147 1/4	147 1/2
Distillers	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
Great Northern	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/4	113 1/2
Inter Med. pref.	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
London & Texas	64 1/2	65 1/2	64 1/4	64 1/2
Louisville & Nashville	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/4	113 1/2
Mexican Central	134 1/2	135 1/2	134 1/4	134 1/2
New York Central	47 1/2	48 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/2
Norfolk & Western	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
Norfolk & Western	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
North Lead	30 1/2	31 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/2
Ontario & Western	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
Pa. Ice Mfg.	29 1/2	30 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/2
Pennsylvania	108 1/2	109 1/2	108 1/4	108 1/2
People's Gas	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
Pressed Steel	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
Reading	80 1/2	81 1/2	80 1/4	80 1/2
Rock Island	12 1/2	13 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2
Southern Railway	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
St. Paul & Northern P.	60 1/2	61 1/2	60 1/4	60 1/2
St. Paul pref.	104 1/2	105 1/2	104 1/4	104 1/2
Texas	18 1/2	19 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/2
Union Pacific	113 1/2	114 1/2	113 1/4	113 1/2
U. S. Steel	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
U. S. Steel	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Wabash	19 1/2	20 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/2

TORONTO.

C. P. R.	Open	High	Low	Close
Detroit Electric Railway	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
N. & W. C. & C.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
Toronto Electric Railway	101 1/2	102 1/2	101 1/4	101 1/2
Toronto Railway	101 1/2	102 1/2	101 1/4	101 1/2
Winnipeg	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
N. & W. C. & C.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
N. & W. C. & C.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
N. & W. C. & C.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
N. & W. C. & C.	27 1/2	28 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/2
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MONTREAL.

Canadian Pacific	Open	High	Low	Close
Dominion Steel	87 1/2	88 1/2	87 1/4	87 1/2
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for next week. Medium grades of butter are in moderate demand. We report to our customers as follows: Choicest Canadian creamery, 55lb boxes, 114 to 116 per cwt; choicest Danish, in Kiel cases, 106 to 108; choicest Russian and Siberian, do, 100s to 106s; secondary grades, do, 92 to 100s; choicest Australian and New Zealand, 114 to 116; choicest States creamery, States process creamery, Canadian dairies, imitation creameries and

LIVE STOCK MARKETS.

TORONTO.
Toronto, Nov. 26.—Trade good; prices firm. 55 lb boxes, in today, including 945 cattle, 1,560 sheep and lambs, 200 hogs and 131 calves. Quotations:

Export cattle, choice	4.50	@	84.75
Export cattle, medium	3.75	@	4.00
Export cattle, light	3.50	@	3.75
Export cattle, heavy	3.25	@	3.50
Butchers' cattle, choice	4.50	@	4.75
Butchers' cattle, medium	3.25	@	3.50
Butchers' cattle, light	3.00	@	3.25
Butchers' cattle, heavy	2.75	@	3.00
Stockers, choice	2.25	@	2.50
Stockers, medium	2.00	@	2.25
Stockers, light	1.75	@	2.00
Stockers, heavy	1.50	@	1.75
Feeders, heavy	1.25	@	1.50
Feeders, medium	1.00	@	1.25
Feeders, light	0.75	@	1.00
Milk cows, choice	3.75	@	4.00
Milk cows, medium	3.50	@	3.75
Milk cows, light	3.25	@	3.50
Export ewes, choice	2.50	@	2.75
Export ewes, medium	2.25	@	2.50
Export ewes, light	2.00	@	2.25
Calves, choice	4.50	@	4.75
Calves, medium	4.00	@	4.25
Calves, light	3.50	@	3.75
Hogs, select, cwt, off cars	5.50	@	5.75
Hogs, fat, and light	4.50	@	4.75

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COMPLETE with a safety clip which holds the pen securely in the pocket, the price is \$1.00.

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BAD WEATHER SMALL MARKET

LOCAL MARKET.

Not much can be said in favor of the market today, as the attendance of farmers and buyers was exceedingly small. The cause of the small market, as sales of late have been 1 1/2 and good prices have been paid for all classes of farm produce. Certainly the prices paid here today should bring the produce out of at least that portion which farmers intend to sell.

There were only a couple of loads of oats offered, which sold at \$1.62 to \$1.64 per cwt, an advance of 4c to 7c per cwt since Saturday.

Hay was scarce, there being only 377 bales offered, which sold at \$1.50 to \$1.57 per ton, there should be a brisk demand for hay tomorrow.

Butter and Eggs—Scarce; no change in prices from Saturday.

There were but few and vegetables offered, and there were many apples; prices are unchanged.

Very little poultry was offered, and Saturday's prices were repeated.

The feature of the market was the big supply of dressed hogs, and the high price that they commanded; sales were brisk, at \$7.50 to \$7.75 per cwt, there is a much difference in the prices of live and dressed hogs, and there is likely to be a considerable reduction in the latter.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

OLD COUNTRY PRICES.
London, Nov. 25.—American cattle, 6c; Canadian, 5c.

Liverpool, Nov. 25.—Canadian cattle, 5c to 5 1/2c; ranchers, 4 1/2c to 5c.

Liverpool, Nov. 25.—John Rogers & Co. quote, States 4 1/2c to 5c; Canada, 4c to 4 1/2c; ranchers, 3 1/2c to 4c; bulls, 3c; trade firm.

Glasgow, Nov. 25.—Edward Watson & Co. quote, States 4 1/2c to 5c; Canada, 4c to 4 1/2c; ranchers, 3 1/2c to 4c; bulls, 3c; trade firm.

NEW YORK.

New York, Nov. 25.—Cotton—Futures closed steady. Closing bids: November, 10.71c; December, 10.72c; January, 10.73c; February, 10.74c; March, 10.75c; April, 10.76c; May, 10.77c; June, 10.78c; July, 10.79c; August, 10.80c; September, 10.81c; October, 10.82c; November, 10.83c; December, 10.84c; January, 10.85c; February, 10.86c; March, 10.87c; April, 10.88c; May, 10.89c; June, 10.90c; July, 10.91c; August, 10.92c; September, 10.93c; October, 10.94c; November, 10.95c; December, 10.96c; January, 10.97c; February, 10.98c; March, 10.99c; April, 11.00c; May, 11.01c; June, 11.02c; July, 11.03c; August, 11.04c; September, 11.05c; October, 11.06c; November, 11.07c; December, 11.08c; January, 11.09c; February, 11.10c; March, 11.11c; April, 11.12c; May, 11.13c; June, 11.14c; July, 11.15c; August, 11.16c; September, 11.17c; October, 11.18c; November, 11.19c; December, 11.20c; January, 11.21c; February, 11.22c; March, 11.23c; April, 11.24c; May, 11.25c; June, 11.26c; July, 11.27c; August, 11.28c; September, 11.29c; October, 11.30c; November, 11.31c; 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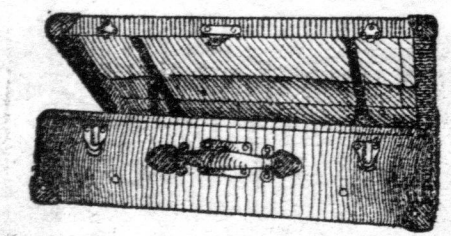
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—Mr. H. D. Tennent, of this city, was in St. Catharines yesterday.
—Mrs. T. C. Wright, of Montreal, is visiting Mrs. Fred Henderson, Piccadilly street.
—The London Salvation Army Band will give a concert in the Citadel at St. Thomas on Saturday night.
—Miss Beatrice Turner, of this city,

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In fifteen years Ontario's wheat crop had been 8.4 bushels more to the acre than that of the United States. Yesterday farming was a business, but today it is a profession.

Anniversary Concert.

The anniversary concert of Colborne Street Methodist Church, which was held last night, attracted a crowd that taxed the seating capacity of the church to its utmost. Rev. F. E. Malott presided and introduced a programme which throughout was received with enthusiasm, those taking part receiving numerous encores.

The numbers of Miss Jean Robb, the new soloist of the church, who recently arrived from Scotland, were especially appreciated, and her readings and singing marked her as a performer of unusual ability. Others taking part in the programme were Mrs. Mowat, organist, Mr. W. Young, Mr. E. Beech, Mr. W. Gibson, Master Herbert Mowat, Mr. H. Ellis, Mrs. E. Wyatt, and the Schubert Ladies' Quartet.

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Mr. Howard Smith is another member of the Bijou staff. He has an exceptionally well-trained voice, and will assist in the musical programmes. Prof. Adami and Mr. Smith have a number of duets, which they intend to sing.

This week the Bijou is offering a novelty to Londoners in the form of a moving picture illustrated song (in the past illustrated songs have been sung to slide pictures). It is entitled, "The Holy City," which Messrs. Adami and Smith sing in a very acceptable manner. The other film they are showing is entitled, "The Prodigal Son."

In future the programme will be changed three times a week. The price of admission is only five cents, and it is open every day from 2 p.m. till 11 p.m. Visit it at 438 Richmond street.

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The pupils acquitted themselves exceedingly well, winning high praise. Their costumes, too, were quite in keeping with the period (1830) represented in the play.

Mr. Edwards and Miss Mortimore sang a number of solos that won great applause, and were heartily enjoyed. The last number, "Farting," a duet, by Miss Mortimore and Mr. Edwards, was especially pleasing.

Miss Butler, the accompanist, was a fair.

The winner of the ticket-selling contest was Elgin Thomson, who sold over fifty tickets.

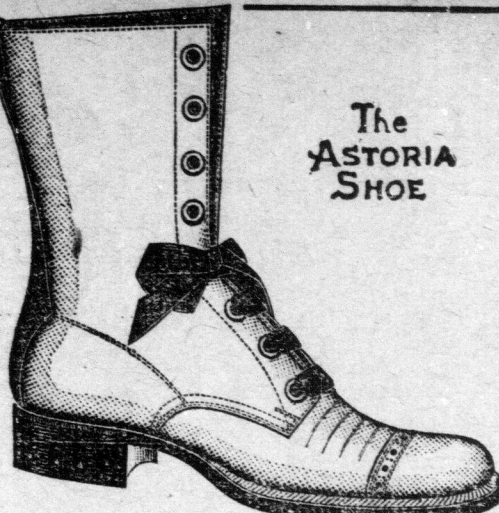
VAN HORNE'S OPINION

Says Any Financial Stringency Will Be of Temporary Nature.

Montreal, Nov. 25.—Sir William Van Horne, chairman of the Canadian Pacific Railway board, returned from his trip to the Northwest today. When seen in regard to the financial situation in the west, Sir William said he had heard nothing of the nature of complaints against the banks.

"My opinion is that the present financial pressure will be only temporary, but I would rather not venture to prophesy. Notwithstanding the inconvenience resulting from the general money conditions now prevailing, I heard no complaints, and the movement of merchandise from the east into the Northwest is considerably above that of the corresponding period of last year. That I regard as a very favorable indication of the condition of the people up there."

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The company will also ask power to build branches in the Northwest from Humboldt to Calgary, Regina line to Lethbridge, North Battleford to Athabasca Landing, Strathcona to Calgary, Regina to United States boundary, Edmonton to Mackenzie River head waters, Russell via Yorkton to authorized line near Goose Lake, south of Neepawa to main line crossing of South Saskatchewan River.

Extensions of time will be asked for the construction of a number of authorized lines, including one from Port Arthur and Port Frances to Quebec, with branches to Ottawa and Montreal.

Authority for the construction of a branch of the Canadian Northern Ontario line from Udney to Orillia will be asked, and the Canadian Northern Quebec Railway seeks power to build from St. Jerome to St. Eustache, and from Ottawa via Hawkesbury to Montreal, traversing Montreal Island and entering the city from the northeast and southwest.

The Alberta Northwestern Railway proposes building from a point between Olds and Red Deer on the Calgary and Edmonton, northwesterly to Rocky Mountain House, and thence westerly to Kootenay Plains, also for a line from Big Horn to the line of the C. N. R.

The Ontario and Michigan Power Company seeks federal authority for acquiring and operating water powers on the Nepean, Black, Sturgeon and

Pigeon Rivers, in Thuder Bay district. The Bank of British Columbia will ask for a charter, and the Canadian Trust Company will ask power to carry on business throughout Canada. The Fort William Car Company has been incorporated by Montreal men with \$1,500,000 capital.

A mad dog at Williamsburg, N. Y., bit six persons and compelled hundreds to flee in all directions. The village of Elm, in the canton of Glarus, Switzerland, is so surrounded by mountains that it has no sunlight all winter.

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