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given the free use of the Town Hall on March 3rd. last, for the Fruit Institute Meeting.

The Council adjourned.

OBITUARY

ROBERT NICHOLS.

There passed away in Port Hope on March 2nd, aged 76 years and 6 months, one who has been a resident of the town for 59 years—Mr. Robert Nicholls. Born in Baltimore on Sept. 1, 1834, of good Scotch stock (his mother being Isabella Campbell of Clan-Campbell) he was early indentured to Mr. John Helm, to learn pattern-making, at which he became an expert.

Upon the retirement of Mr. Helm in 1872 from the Foundry, a partnership was formed consisting of the late Messrs. Geo. Helm and Mr. Robt. King, under the firm name of "Nicholls & Co." This continued for five years. In 1877 the late Mr. Geo. Helm and Mr. Robt. King retired, and the business was carried on by Mr. Henry Helm and Mr. Robt. Nicholls, as "Helm & Nicholls" until 1885 when Mr. Nicholls retired. Since then he has lived quietly, but for the past 10 years has been a semi-invalid confined to the house.

He was a man of sterling integrity, "whose word was as good as his bond," and much esteemed during his active life in the community.

He was in former years prominent in Masonic Circles, being a member of the first Masonic Lodge ever formed in Port Hope, and to the last was always interested in Masonic matters. A staunch Liberal in politics, (a reader of the Globe from its first number) and a Presbyterian in religion. His wife pre-deceased him 30 years.

He leave to mourn his loss one son and one daughter, Dr. Bruce F. Nicholls, dental surgeon, Bay Street, Toronto, and Mrs. Newman Williamson at home.

The funeral took place on Sunday March 5th, under Masonic auspices and was largely attended.

LEGISLATION MAKES MONTREAL AN ISLAND NO LONGER

Spanning of Rivers Joins City to Mainland — St. Lawrence Route vs. Georgian Bay Canal

Ladies Object to Imported Wives

From Our Own Correspondent.
Montreal, March 20.—If the pick and shovel men work as hard when the time comes as the legislators have been doing lately the Island of Montreal will be ancient history even to the present generation. Bill after bill is being presented to the Legislature at Quebec and charter after charter is being sought asking for power and authority to build bridges and tunnels across the St. Lawrence and the Riviere des Prairies from the mainland to the Island of Montreal. Of course the rivers will still be there, but if the plans all mature the crossing of them from the island to the main-

land will be like crossing the Seine from one district to another of Paris.

No less than seven railway and development companies want to get into the city. Two of them would tunnel the river, the others would build bridges. One of them has conceived the brilliant idea of tunnelling the whole island, passing under the streets from south to north, under Mount Royal and out goodness knows where in one of the back parishes. The promoters are working like mad to obtain the necessary consent to start work. Montreal needs more ways of communication with the mainland to the south of her, but it is doubtful if she is quite ready to go into bridge building and tunnelling wholesale. There is something behind all this activity and excitement which the public, as yet, has not been able to fathom.

NEW PHASE OF WATERWAYS PROJECTS

Heretofore Montreal has been looked upon as an unanimous champion of the Georgian Bay canal project, so that it was with some surprise that the plans outlined by Mr. Henry Holgate, the expert engineer, for the development of Canada's waterways, were received so heartily. Mr. Holgate asserts that if the present St. Lawrence route were improved as it would be quite possible to improve it, it would prove so much superior to the Gay Canal route as to render the consideration of that vast project entirely superfluous.

"For many years," said Mr. Holgate, "the improvement of the St. Lawrence canal system has been discussed, but not in such a way as to produce definite conclusions. No comprehensive estimates and surveys have been made so as to determine the practicability of increasing the capacity of this route to Montreal on such a scale as contemplated for the Georgian Bay Canal, with locks 650 feet long and

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and 75 feet wide and a minimum of 22 feet of water on the sill. I think the time has come when such a study of the St. Lawrence should be made, and this before we commit ourselves to heavy expenditures on existing route.

Mr. Holgate also made incidental reference to the proposed development of power at Long Sault Rapids, saying that the idea of canalising the river by maintaining the navigation channel in the river and erecting dams below the various rapids had been the dream of engineers for many years.

INDUSTRIES ON THE BOOM Despite the fact that reciprocity does not stand a chance of being settled one way or the other for some time to come Canadian industries are booming, and there is a feeling of the utmost confidence pervading the atmosphere breathed by those who have money tied up in Canadian industrial securities. The severe depressions which have prevailed during the past twelve months in such staples as cement, iron and asbestos are now lifting and legitimate business is getting back to a normal basis again.

IMPORTED WIVES A short time ago the newspapers heralded the fact far and wide that a modern steamship company, harking back to the ways and means of Samuel de Champlain's time, had started a movement to bring women from the old country to Canada to seek husbands. The Ladies' Auxiliary League of Montreal rose in rebellion, saying that it was a slur on this young nation's womanhood, and there was a hot time for a few days. Finally the Immigration Agent explained that it was all a mistake, the ladies accepted the apology and Canadian men will henceforth have to look elsewhere for their "ready made wives."

AUCTION SALES Mrs. James Rosevear is giving up house-keeping and will sell at her place, lot 2, con. 3, Hope, on Thursday, March 23rd, at 1 o'clock, her driving pony, buggies, cutter, harness, implements, machinery, household furniture, &c., without reserve. Terms cash.

Mr. Joseph Grigg has instructed the undersigned to sell by auction at his place, lot 7, con. 7, Hope (near Garden Hill Station) on Wednesday, March 22nd, at 1.30 p. m., his valuable farm stock, implements &c., without reserve.

An important sale of household furniture, etc., will be held at the residence of Mr. R. K. Scott, Hope street, on Monday, March 27th, at one o'clock, sharp. Terms cash. This is a rare chance for bargains, as everything is of the very best. See posters.

Mrs. A. E. Williamson, is giving up house-keeping and moving to Toronto, and will sell all her valuable furniture and household effects at her place, No. 1, Deyell's Terrace on Monday, March 27th at one o'clock. Terms cash. See small bills for particulars.

SIMILAR TASTES.—Belle—But do you think you and he are suited in each other? Nell—Oh, perfectly! Our tastes are quite similar. I don't care very much for him, and he doesn't care very much for me.

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A TROUBLESOME MISGIVING

(Continued from Saturday)

CHAPTER II

Peak's destination was Peckham Rye. On quitting the railway, he had a walk of some ten minutes along a road which smelt of new bricks and stucco heated by the summer sun; an obscure passage led him into a street partly of dwelling houses, partly of shops, the latter closed. He paused at the side door of one over which the street lamp dimly revealed—"Button Herbalist."

His latchkey admitted him to total darkness, but he moved forward with the confidence of long use. He softly ascended two flights of stairs, opened a door, struck a match, and found himself in a comfortable sitting-room, soon illuminated by a reading lamp. The atmosphere, as throughout the house, was strongly redolent of dried simples. Anyone acquainted with the characteristics of furnished lodgings must have surmised that Peak dwelt here among his own movables, and was indebted to the occupier of the premises for bare walls alone; the tables and chairs, though plain enough, were such as civilization permits; and though there were no pictures, sundry ornaments here and there made strong denial of lodging-house affinity. It was at once laboratory, study, and dwelling-room. Two large cabinets, something the worse for transportation, alone formed a link between this abode and the old home at Twybridge. Books were not numerous and a good microscope seemed to be the only scientific instrument of much importance. On door-pegs hung a knapsack, a botanist's vasculum, and a geologist's wallet.

A round table was spread with the materials of supper, and here again an experienced lodger must have bestowed contemplative scrutiny, for no hand of common landlady declared itself in the arrangement. The cloth was spotless, the utensils tasteful and carefully disposed. In a bowl lay an appetising salad, ready for mingling; a fragment of Camembert cheese was relieved upon a setting of green leafage; a bottle of ale, with adjacent corkscrew, stood beside the plate; no ordinary baker's, or was made

to look better than its kin by the fringed white cloth in which it nestled. The custom of four years had accustomed Peak to take these things as a matter of course, yet he would readily have admitted that they were extraordinary enough. Indeed, he even now occasionally contrasted this state of comfort with the hateful experiences of his first six years in London. The subject of lodgings was one of those on which (often intemperate of speech) he spoke less temperately. For six years he shifted from quarter to quarter, from house to house, driven away each time by the hateful contact of vulgarity in every form,—by foulness and dishonesty, by lying slandering, quarrelling, by drunkenness, by brutal vice,—by all abominations that distinguish the lodging-letter of the metropolis. Obligated to practice extreme economy, he could not take refuge among self-respecting people, or at all events had no luck in endeavouring to find such among the poorer working-class. To a man of Godwin's idiosyncrasy the London poor were of necessity abominable, and it anguished him to be forced to live among them.

Rescue came at last, and in a very unexpected way. Resident in the more open part of Bermondsey (winter mornings made a long journey to Rotherhithe intolerable), he happened to walk one day as far as Peckham Rye, and was there attracted by the shop window of a herbalist. He entered to make a purchase, and got into conversation with Mr. Button, a middle-aged man of bright intelligence and more reading than could be expected. The herbalist led his customer to an upper room, in which were stored sundry curiosities, and happened casually to say that he was desirous of finding a lodger for two superfluous chambers. Peak's inquiries led to his seeing Mrs. Button, whom he found to be a Frenchwoman, of very pleasing appearance; she spoke fluent French-English, anything but disagreeable to the ear constantly tormented by the London vernacular. After short reflection he decided to take and furnish the rooms. It proved a most fortunate step, for he lived (after the outlay for furniture) at much less expense than theretofore, and in comparative luxury. Cleanliness, neatness, good taste by no means exhausted Mrs. Button's virtues; her cooking seemed to the lodger of incredible perfection, and the infinite goodwill with which he was tended made strange contrast with the base usage he had commonly experienced.

In these ten years he had paid but four visits to Twybridge, each of brief duration. Naturally there were changes among his kinsfolk: Charlotte, after an engagement which prolonged itself to the fifth twelvemonth, had become Mrs. Cusse, and her husband now had a draper's shop of his own, with two children already born into the world of draperdom. Oliver, twice fruitlessly affianced, had at length (when six-and-twenty) wedded a young person whom his mother and his aunt both regarded as a most undesirable connection, the daughter (aged thirty-two) of a man who was drinking himself to death on such money as he could earn by casual reporting for a Twybridge newspaper.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

To Western Canada (via Chicago) including certain points on Grand Trunk Pacific Railway, April 4th, 18th, May 2nd, 16th, 30th, June 13, 27th, July 11th, 25th, August 8th, 22nd, September 5th, 19th. Winnipeg and return \$33; Edmonton and return \$41. Tickets good for 60 days. Proportionate rates to principal points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Homeseekers' excursion tickets will also be on sale on certain dates via Sarnia and the Northern Navigation Company. Secure tickets and illustrated literature from any Grand Trunk Agent, or address A. E. Duff, District Passenger Agent, Toronto, Ont.

When the Mule Kicks. "No man unless he is blind should ever be kicked by a mule. There is no excuse for it. If kicked he is as much to blame as the mule," said a mule raiser. "A mule never kicks without first wagging his ears and switching his tail," said the breeder. "All you have to do is to keep your eyes on his ears and tail. And when he begins to wag his ears or switch his tail then it is time to dodge. And if you dodge quickly you will never be touched."—Kausas City Journal.

A Cold Bite. "You were twenty miles from the north pole and starving!" exclaimed the credulous housewife. "And how did you save yourself?" "Why, mum," responded Fright Fred as he wiped away a tear, "in my starving moments I remembered old Eskimo dogs. Pushing out through the snow, I twisted one of der tails, an' den—an' den—" "And then what, my poor man?" "I got a cold bite."—Chicago News.

WHAT THEY DREAD

Sifton and La h Tell Big Montreal Meeting.

THEY CAN FORESEE PANICS

Former Minister of the Interior Gets a Large Audience in Montreal and Debates on What the Reciprocity Pact Will Lead to—There is No Need For It, He Says—McGill Students Pull His Carriage.

Montreal, March 21.—The anti-reciprocity meeting last night proved to be a success, from a numerical standpoint. In addition to the wholesale advertising, the committee in charge secured a contingent of McGill students to act as escort to Hon. Clifford Sifton.

Charles Chaput, president of the anti-reciprocity League, was in the hair and made a speech, in which he claimed that any closer business relations with the country to the south was fraught with the greatest danger, specially to his own fellow-countrymen.

Mr. Sifton followed the lines of his speech in the Commons. Mr. Lash said he had never seen these two great cities of Toronto and Montreal more in earnest on any great public question, as all party lines had been obliterated, while the freemen of the Dominion were lining up to give our common national heritage.

Hon. Mr. Sifton said that they had not to discuss an issue, the most important which had arisen in Canada during many years. It had out many drift from party lines, life-long Liberals having united to oppose a policy introduced by the Liberal Government.

Proceeding Hon. Mr. Sifton said that the fiscal policy of the Government had been wonderfully successful, that it had improved the trade of the Dominion in every direction, both foreign and interprovincial, to such an extent that the trade had jumped from thirty to a hundred millions in four years, while Canada had become one of the most prosperous countries of the world.

During the past twelve years Canada had gone along without anything approaching hard times, despite occasional flurries, which had failed to produce any panic or general distress. But the United States had during that time had no less than three serious panics. "And the result of tying ourselves to the States will be that we shall have the honor and pleasure of sharing in their next panic instead of going on our way as now."

"I have been in politics for twenty-three years," continued Mr. Sifton, "but never before have I seen a Government bring down an important measure to Parliament and so entirely fail to make good in argument as the Government has done in this case. The marvelous thing," continued Mr. Sifton, "is that our friends in the Government seem to desire to put the farmers on a free trade basis, for all they have to sell, while they will still have to pay duty on their manufactured goods."

"The great beneficiaries of the agreement," said Mr. Sifton, "would be the American Newspaper Association, the Chicago Beef Trust, the U. S. Steel Co., the Minneapolis Milling Trust and the Hill railway interests. It will mean that these vast aggregations of American capital will be invited to come in and dictate to our country and to take from us the business we have built up by the past 25 years of hard work."

An amusing incident took place last evening during the Sifton procession. Several hundred Sifton sympathizers were drawing the ex-Minister's carriage, when an opposing faction took possession of the rig and set fire to it. A scuffle ensued and the Minister was rescued from his enemies.

Two Years for Stealing Oats. Niagara Falls, Ont., March 21.—Charged with stealing a thousand pounds of oats from the barn of Jas. Parker, in Stamford Township, James McAvoy of this city was yesterday sentenced to two years in the Central Prison by Magistrate Fraser. Chief Kimmins and Officer Farrell traced the wagon tracks from Parker's barn to McAvoy's house, where the oats were found hidden. Two valuable lap robes and a tie strap, belonging to the late O. D. Glasgow, were also found, which were stolen on May 7 last. McAvoy pleaded guilty to both charges. He served two years in the Central Prison six years ago on a charge of horse-stealing.

Atlantic Rate Conference. London, March 21.—If an Atlantic rate war has been avoided as a result of the negotiations which were begun as far back as November, it is now expected that the North Atlantic Conference agreement will be renewed for another three years.

A meeting to confirm this arrangement is to be held at Cologne this week.

Toronto Bid Accepted. St. John, N.B., March 21.—The bid of Amelius Jarvis & Co., of Toronto, for a quarter of a million of St. John debentures, 4 per cent, forty years, was accepted. They tendered at 93.04.

Smallpox at Ottawa. Ottawa, March 21.—Another mild case of smallpox developed yesterday, making five now quarantined at the Isolation Station.

MARKET REPORTS.

Liverpool Wheat Futures Close Higher, Chicago Lower—Live Stock—Latest Quotations.

CHICAGO, March 20.—A see-saw movement in wheat prices to-day left the market this evening at just the same point as Saturday night to wit to 1/4c below. Differing views in regard to Kansas crop prospects led to a rise and then to a decline. Corn finished with a net loss of 1/4c to 1/2c to 3/4c; oats of 1/4c to 1/2c, and provisions 1/4c to 1/2c to 3/4c. The Liverpool wheat market closed today 1/4c higher than on Saturday; corn was 1/4c to 1/2c higher. Antwerp closed 1/4c higher on wheat, Berlin, unchanged; Buda Pest, 1/4c higher.

Winnipeg Options. Close. Open. High. Low. Close.

Wheat—May.....92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2 July.....92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2 92 1/2 Oats—May.....34 34 34 34 July.....34 34 34 34

Toronto Grain Market. Wheat, bushel.....\$0.80 to \$0.81

Wheat, bushel.....\$0.80 to \$0.81 Rye, bushel.....\$0.65 to \$0.68 Barley, bushel.....\$0.65 to \$0.68 Oats, bushel.....\$0.37 to \$0.38 Buckwheat, bushel.....\$0.45 to \$0.48 Peas, bushel.....\$0.75 to \$0.80

Toronto Dairy Market. Butter, store lots.....\$0.17 to \$0.19 Butter, separator, dairy.....\$0.24 to \$0.24 Butter, creamery, in rolls.....\$0.24 to \$0.24 Butter, creamery, solids.....\$0.23 to \$0.24 Eggs, new-laid.....\$0.19 to \$0.20 Eggs, cold storage.....\$0.17 to \$0.18 Cheese, lb.....\$0.13 to \$0.13 1/2 Honeycombs, dozen.....\$2.50 to \$2.50 Honey, extracted, lb.....\$0.19 to \$0.21

Montreal Grain and Produce. MONTREAL, March 20.—The foreign demand for Manitoba spring wheat was poor, but cables were strong and bids higher. The local trade in coarse grains were slow. A little business was worked over the cable in spring and winter wheat flour at an advance of 2 1/2c per sack and there was also an improved demand from local and country buyers.

Oats—Canadian western, No. 2, 2c; extra No. 1 feed, 3 1/2c; No. 3 C.W., 2 1/2c; No. 2 local white, 2c; No. 2 local white, 2c; No. 1 local white, 2c. Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, \$5.60; seconds, \$5.10; winter wheat patents, \$4.90; strong bakers, \$4.50; straight rollers, \$4.40; in bags, \$1.15 to \$1.18. Rolled oats, \$4.25; feed barley, \$3.90; bag of 50 lbs., \$1.95. Feed barley, car lots, ex store, 4c to 5c. Corn—American No. 2 yellow, 5c to 5 1/2c; Eggs—Selected, 2c; eggs, fresh, 2c; No. 1 stock, 2c; No. 2, 1 1/2c. Cheese—Westerns, 12 1/2c to 13 1/2c; eastern, 11 1/2c to 12c. Butter—Choice, 25c to 27c; seconds, 24c to 25c.

CATTLE MARKETS.

Union Stock Yards.

TORONTO, March 20.—Receipts of live stock at the Union Stock Yards were 71 carloads, consisting of 1459 cattle, 12 hogs, 371 sheep and lambs, 23 calves and 42 horses.

Exporters. E. L. Woodward bought for Swift & Co. 100 steers for London market, 1355 lb. each, at \$5.35, average price, or a range of \$5.30 to \$5.36.

Butchers. Prime picked lots at \$5.50 to \$6; but we only heard of four choice heifers selling at \$6.25. Loads of good, \$5.40 to \$5.75; medium, \$5.15 to \$5.35; common, \$4.50 to \$5.10; cows, \$3 to \$4.50; bulls, \$4 to \$5.

Milkers and Springers. The market for milkers and springers is not nearly so good as it was. Not many cows were on sale, and \$40 to \$60 would be about the ruling prices. One drover had two cows, for which he was offered \$90 and \$70 each, but declined to sell them, as he said they were worth more at home.

Veal Calves. Veal calves sold at \$4 to \$5.50 per cwt. Sheep and Lambs. The market was firm for both sheep and lambs. Sheep, wethers, sold at \$4.50 to \$5 per cwt.; rams, \$4 to \$4.50; lambs, \$4.50 to \$5, and one choice lot at \$7.10. Thick, fat, heavy lambs are the kind that sell at \$2.20. Good quality, nice, 100 to 110 lbs., bring the \$7 price.

Hogs. Hog prices were again reported another notch of 10c per cwt. lower. Selects, fed and watered, at \$7, and \$6 1/2 to drovers for hogs for cars at country points.

Montreal Live Stock. MONTREAL, March 20.—At the Montreal Stock Exchange Market, the receipts of live stock for the week ending March 18 were 1400 cattle, 1500 sheep and lambs, 1300 hogs and 2000 calves. The offerings this morning were 700 cattle, 1000 sheep and lambs, 650 hogs and 500 calves. Notwithstanding the fire, which took place at the above market this day week, there was ample accommodation for all the stock that came forward, and buyers and sellers were not put to any inconvenience, and, considering the little time the management had, the market is in as good condition as could be expected. A feature of the trade was the stronger feeling which prevailed for cattle, and prices compared with those of a week ago show an advance of 1/4c per lb., which was due to the smaller offerings, whether was fine and the gathering of buyers fairly large, and as they all wanted some beef the demand was good and a more active trade was done. Choice steers sold at \$12, good at \$10 to \$11, fair at \$9 to \$10, 5 1/2c, fair at \$8 to \$9, and common at \$7 to \$8 per lb.

Another feature of the trade was the stronger feeling which developed in the market for hogs and prices advanced 15c to 20c per cwt., which was attributed to the smaller supply. At the advance there was a fairly good demand from packers and sales of \$7.50 per cwt. weighed off cars. In the small meat trade calves were a glut on the market and sellers found it difficult to make sales even at the slump in prices on account of the fact that the government inspectors are very strict this season and in consequence a large percentage of the purchases made of late have been cancelled. Some sales were made at prices ranging from \$2 to \$3 each, as to size and quality. The trade in sheep and lambs was quiet and prices were unchanged. Yearling lambs sold at \$2.50 to \$3.50 per cwt., and sheep, at \$2 per lb.

East Buffalo Cattle Market.

BUFFALO, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 250 head; market slow and lower; prime steers, \$3.40 to \$3.50; shipping steers, \$3.50 to \$3.75; butcher grades, \$3.25 to \$3.50; heifers, \$3.25 to \$3.75; cows, \$3 to \$3.25; bulls, \$2.50 to \$3.25; mixed cows and springers, \$2.50 to \$3.

Calves—Receipts, 1500 head; market, slow and lower; cull to choice, \$3.50 to \$4.50; mixed, \$3.25 to \$3.50; heifers, \$3.25 to \$3.75; market, active and 1 1/2c to 2c higher; choice lambs, \$7 to \$7.25; cull to fair, \$5 to \$5.75; yearlings, \$5.75 to \$6.25; sheep, \$3 to \$3.50.

Hogs—Receipts, 12,500 head; market, active, 10c lower; Yorkers, \$7.30 to \$7.40; pigs, \$7.50; mixed, \$7.10 to \$7.20; heavy, \$7.05 to \$7.10; rough, \$6 to \$6.25; stags, \$4.75 to \$5.25.

Chicago Live Stock.

CHICAGO, March 20.—Cattle—Receipts, estimated at 25,000; market steady. Heaves, \$5.15 to \$6.50; Texas steers, \$4.40 to \$5.60; western steers, \$4.75 to \$5.85; stockers and feeders, \$4 to \$5.75; cows and heifers, \$2.60 to \$3.50; calves, \$6.25 to \$8.50.

Hogs—Receipts, estimated at 60,000; market dull and 10c lower than Saturday. Light, \$5.70 to \$7; mixed, \$4.50 to \$5.90; heavy, \$5.40 to \$6.90; rough, \$4.40 to \$4.65; good to choice heavy, \$6.65 to \$8.20; pigs, \$5.40 to \$7; bulk of sales, \$6.50 to \$8.50.

Sheep—Receipts, estimated at 21,000; market steady. Native, \$3 to \$3.10; western, \$3.25 to \$3.10; yearlings, \$4.75 to \$5.65.

GOLD EXTRACTION.

Getting Metal In Saskatchewan Is Interesting Work.

The evolution of gold extraction from the river bed and bars of the Saskatchewan would form a volume of interesting details. On the hilly drive from Duck Lake, the famous battle ground of 1885, on the south shore of the North Saskatchewan, to Prince Albert, tourists may view an old, curiously constructed, ramshackle, abandoned steamboat, which somewhat resembled a sternwheel passenger craft, and is yet rigged with an apparatus evidently intended for dredging. This is a disused gold dredger, which represents some \$10,000 or \$12,000 invested, mostly by Englishmen, in enabling an English engineer to develop his ideas as to what a gold dredger should be. Perhaps, if he had been furnished with wheels, pulleys, chains, stanchions and other mechanical parts of good steel, it might have worked to this day. But the parts were made in England, possibly by some one used to contracting for the war office. They gave out at all critical junctures with wondrous rapidity, and the dredger practically went to bits, as has been said, almost after the manner of Dr. Holmes' "one-hoss shay." Yet it produced in the open season of one year, gold that sold at the mint for \$3,100, from 18,000 cubic yards of gravel dredged from the bars of the North Saskatchewan; this means 45 cents of gold per cubic yard. The tailings are said to have contained enough more to be worth reworking.

Now, extensive gold-dredging operations are carried on along the Feather River of California, in gravel or sand, which yields less than 20 cents per cubic yard. Boston men and money are engaged on Feather River. Many have since turned their attention to the Saskatchewan.

At present the North Saskatchewan, at many points along the meandering for 500 miles below Edmonton, is being exploited by miners using a very crude apparatus locally called the "grizzly," which term is more properly applied to one part of the collection of cheap contrivances.

The grizzly, whence the evolution of the gold dredge is a very simple device. Any ordinary man could construct one, at a cost of \$5 or \$10, according to his ability. Men earned and now earn from \$2 to \$4 a day along the Saskatchewan by this process. On some bars they run as high as \$8 and \$10. During the open season scores may be seen recovering fine gold; the work is remunerative and fascinating, but now that modern invention has produced a dredge and buckets operated by water power and electricity, doing the work of 1,500 to 2,000 men each day, the days of the "grizzly" and the "rocker" appear to be numbered—so far as being considered distinctive machines for gold recovery.

A steam dredger is essentially a "grizzly" apparatus on a great scale. The machinery lifts gravels from the river bed, the bar, dumps it aboard the boat, washes it over successive screens, and ultimately leaves the gold adhering to blanket cloth, from which work it is washed in receptacles containing mercury, so that amalgam is formed. A steam "grizzly" and all other plant contributing to the formation of a first-class modern gold-dredging apparatus, cost from \$50,000 to \$125,000—or more, according to capacity.—T. H. Brooks, M.E.

A New Kind of Insanity.

Many weird things come to the attention of the men who look after the immigrants. Especially do the officials who have charge of the deporting of undesirables not find their lives monotonous. Romance looms up every week—scene of tragedy, scenes of comedy. An interesting incident occurred the other day—something rather new for Canada. A big train crept into Ottawa populated mostly by Russians. There was nothing in that to cause cub reporters to prick up their ears; many incoming foreigners hiking for the prairies are given a glimpse of the capital city en route. But this train was not westward bound; it was pulling in the opposite direction—full of deportees, so the officials said. They also calmly said in answer to journalistic queries, that all the foreigners on the train were demented. Nor were they joking. Of course, there are many forms of insanity. Brainstorm was not one of the symptoms of this. The Russians were afflicted with a peculiar malady common to those of the Slavic temperament—intense homesickness. Nostalgia is the name in the psychology books for it. The Canadian Immigration Department has so far, except in rare instances, been saved nostalgia troubles. However, other Governments have been worried. The United States spends a large sum annually returning Russians who yearn for their little villages, out of place in the western hustle.

Two and a Half Hours on Operating Table

Specialist Could Not Remove Stone In The Bladder

GIN PILLS PASSED IT

JOLLETTE, P.Q. "During August last, I went to Montreal to consult a specialist as I had been suffering terribly with Stone in the Bladder."

He decided to operate but said the stone was too large to remove and too hard to crush. I returned home and was recommended by a friend to try GIN PILLS.

They relieved the pain. I took two boxes and went back to the specialist. He said the stone was smaller but he could not remove it although he tried for two hours and a half. I returned home and continued to take GIN PILLS, and to my great surprise and joy, I passed the stone.

GIN PILLS are the best medicine in the world and because they did me so much good, I will recommend them all the rest of my life."

See a box—6 for \$1.50—at all dealers, and money back if they fail to give relief. Sample box free. National Drug and Chemical Co., Dept. B., Toronto.

ESTIMATES TABLED

Main Expenditures For the Year Total Eight Millions.

MILK BILL GOES THROUGH

Hon. James Duff's Measure Is Given Its Third Reading—Mr. McNaught Introduces a Bill to Give Municipalities the Right to Control Car Lines—Provision Made For Museum and Prisons.

Toronto, March 21.—Eight million dollars in round figures the estimated amount to be expended on current and capital account, according to the main estimates presented to the Ontario Legislature yesterday afternoon.

The pure milk bill was given its third reading, and a resolution of appreciation of the great services rendered Canada by His Excellency the Governor-General was also adopted.

Hon. Col. Matheson, Provincial Treasurer, briefly explained the main estimates for the fiscal year, Nov. 1, 1911, to Oct. 31, 1912. The estimates were, he said, practically the same as last year, when the various salaries increases were considered. There was about half a million dollars on capital account which was for Government House, prison farm and Central Prison buildings, and the new provincial museum.

The amount for the Provincial Departments is \$7,332,411.66.

Public buildings, \$625,500, and public works, \$70,200.

Colonization and mining roads, \$133,000.

The net aggregate is \$8,090,911.66.

The sum of \$200,000 is appropriated towards the erection of the new Government House on East Bloor street.

Hon. J. Duff, Minister of Agriculture, declined to accept the task of issuing a set of regulations for the enforcement of the pure milk bill.

Hon. A. G. MacKay argued that it was the duty of the Department to make the regulations.

Hon. Mr. Duff insisted that they should be left to the municipal councils, and the bill went through committee in that form.

J. J. Carrick, Port Arthur, protested against the clause in the Assessment Act, to abolish the fixed assessment on Port Arthur acreage land. He declared the clause iniquitous.

Hon. I. B. Lucas said the acreage assessment had been \$1, \$4, \$10, and last year \$20. The committee considered the time had arrived to arrange for a change to the regular assessment, the present rate of \$20 to continue until Dec. 31, 1912.

Mr. Carrick replied that if the Ontario Government was the tower of strength it was supposed to be, it should not permit iniquitous legislation holding back the development of the northern country.

Sir James Whitney said a member should not use the term iniquitous regarding the proceedings of a committee without evidence to confirm it.

The chairman of the committee informed Mr. Carrick that he could move an amendment on the third reading.

Sir James Whitney has responded to a crisis by opening the way for a bill to vindicate the right of Toronto and other municipalities to control their streets and highways. As it is retroactive, it will negative the radial double-track order to the Rosedale golf links, which otherwise the city would have to fight out in the Court of Appeals. The bill was introduced yesterday by W. K. McNaught, M.P.P. It is entitled an Act to amend the Railway Act.

At the night session the estimates were passed through committee, after three hours' discussion.

J. McEwing, East Wellington, enquired why the appropriation for technical education for 1912 was only \$96,300, while \$103,700 was voted for 1911?

It was explained that this year there was \$7,400 in some special appropriation not required for 1912.

Hon. A. G. MacKay asked if there was any special reason for an increase from \$41,500 to \$49,500 for the maintenance of patients in municipal sanitarium for consumptives. Mr. Hanna explained that it was due to a statutory requirement fixing the grant according to the number of patients, which was increasing.

Mr. Studholme wanted to know if the Salvation Army was to get a bonus of \$5 besides the grant of \$10,000. Bonuses only paid for domestic servants and only after they had been located and proved to be satisfactory.

Dirigible Comes to Grief.

Krefeld, Prussia, March 21.—The balloon Duseldorf IV, which ascended here Sunday, was carried over the Zuyder Zee, an arm of the North Sea, and because of loss of gas was obliged to descend. The basket struck a breakerwater violently, and the balloon pilot, Paul Kayser, was instantly killed. A passenger, Otto Schroder, a silk manufacturer, was badly injured, but was rescued after the balloon drifted into a creek.

Another Furness Liner Scorched.

New York, March 21.—A special cable from London yesterday afternoon says that fire did \$2,000 damage to the Furness liner Rapahannock, while she was lying at Rotherhithe, on the Thames.

Last Friday the North Point, of the same line, was burned on the Thames.

Arrival of Mgr. Stagni.

Ottawa, March 21.—Plans have been perfected for the reception here on Friday next of Mgr. Stagni, the new representative of the Vatican in Canada. At 7:30 Friday evening he will be welcomed by Archbishop Gauthier, and on Saturday, from 3 to 5, Mgr. Stagni will himself hold a reception.

Death List of Penn's Mines. Harrisburg, Pa., March 21.—It cost the lives of 1,125 men to mine 231,966,370 tons of coal in Pennsylvania last year, according to the annual report of the Department of Mines.

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BRUTALITY PUNISHED.

Judge Richards of Winnipeg Severe on Lawless Foreigners.

Winnipeg, March 21.—Judge Richards put his foot down yesterday on the lawless tendencies which have developed among a certain class of foreigners in the city. Four of the prisoners convicted at the assizes came before him for sentence, and the punishment meted out was among the most severe of his term of office.

William Moon, for assaulting a child, received 15 years in the penitentiary and 30 lashes.

Paul Kochar, for beating his wife, was sentenced to a limit of two years and will receive in addition 50 lashes.

Michael Hrynesyn, for manslaughter, must serve three years.

Nicholas Lucska will serve six months for throwing a bottle at a street car.

In the Police Court yesterday Gaston Monvoisin admitted that he had killed Nicholas Giovanni. When the charge of murder was read to him he said he had shot a man, but did not know his name. No formal plea was taken, and he was remanded.

Manitoba's Boundary Offer.

Winnipeg, March 21.—There was a flutter of excitement in the galleries of the Legislature yesterday afternoon when Premier Roblin laid on the table the offer of the Ottawa Government received yesterday as to terms of the Manitoba boundary extension.

The main condition is as follows: "That inasmuch as the said province will not have the public lands, mines and minerals and royalties incident thereto, in the added territory as a source of revenue, there shall be paid half-yearly in advance by Canada to the province, in addition to any payments or allowances at present enjoyed, an annual sum based on the population of such added territory as ascertained at each census thereof as follows:

"The sum payable until the population of such added territory reaches 100,000 shall be \$200,000, thereafter until such population reaches 150,000, the sum will be \$250,000, and thereafter the sum shall be \$300,000."

Irish Home Rule.

London, March 21.—The Pall Mall Gazette says if Britain were to interfere with Canada or Australia in the way Redmond suggests should be done in Ireland, the solidarity of the Empire would not bear the strain for a moment. On the other hand, if Ireland were placed in the position of these dominions, every one of the Imperial safeguards held out to the Protestant royalist minority would dissolve instantly.

Anten Dillon's statement that all the colonial Premiers are Irish home rulers, The Gazette says it would be better to have added that there is not one who came from a country where the dominating power is held by an intolerant and aggressive church. The colonial Premiers' home rule fervor is a highly inexpensive indulgence.

Horse Bites Ear Off.

Brockville, March 21.—Edward Kilborn, a farmer, living near Brockville, is minus the greater portion of one ear. He entered the stable to hitch a horse, when the animal suddenly displayed a vicious temper and made a lunge at his head. The ear was snapped off so quickly that Kilborn had not time to protect himself.

Upwards of one dozen deaths occurred in Brockville and vicinity within the past twenty-four hours. John Marshall, a pioneer builder, died at his home here, aged 92 years. Another victim was Elmer Davis, proprietor of the Central Hotel at Jasper, who dropped dead. He was 35 years of age.

Puts U.S. Trust in Aeroplanes.

St. Paul, Minn., March 21.—"The United States is totally unprepared for any great emergency in war. Such men as Wilbur Wright will prove to be this country's saviors when the day comes for a trial of strength with Japan or any other country."

"With a small fleet of aeroplanes hovering over the Pacific or the Atlantic, it would be impossible for any hostile fleet of warships to land a force. This country is not prepared for attack from either shore."

This is the opinion of Sir Frederic Villiers, the famous English war correspondent and artist, who is here today.

A Race With Death.

Montreal, March 21.—With the train going at top speed in the race for a doctor, the last rites of the Catholic Church were administered to Alphonse Masse, aged 30, who was run over by the St. Agathe train on Sunday evening. He was late and ran, in spite of the warning that the platform was slippery, and fell under the wheels. Three cars passed over his leg and arms.

Diver's Narrow Escape.

Ottawa, March 21.—While the Toronto and Montreal divers were examining the intake pipe, the Montreal man, Purvis, had a narrow escape from death.

The glass in the facing of his helmet broke and he was nearly swept away. He got to the surface in safety.

Strike of Miners Called.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 21.—Reports yesterday indicate that the order of President Lewis for a strike of United Mine Workers in the Tuscarawas field in Ohio and a part of the Pittsburg district has been generally obeyed.

Choked to Death.

Stratford, March 21.—Mrs. Martha Moore, a widow, 68 years old, residing in this city, choked to death at the tea-table yesterday during a violent coughing spell. A large family survives.

Death of J. L. Williams.

London, March 21.—James L. Williams, the oldest Methodist in London, died yesterday in his 94th year. He was an uncle of Lady Mann of Toronto.

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GRAND STAND PLAY

Conservatives Debate St. John Valley Railway Deal.

NO NEWS OF PEACE PACT

Sir Wilfrid Tells Dr. Sproule That Grey-Taft Proposals for Arbitration Have Not Been Officially Communicated to Canada—Railway Discussion Is a Prelude to a Campaign in the East.

Ottawa, March 21.—With a bye-election on for the New Brunswick Legislature, and with the general provincial election looming up in the near future, in which one of the main issues will be the bona fides of the Hazen Government in regard to its promise to secure the construction of the long-desired St. John Valley Railway, extending from Grand Falls to St. John, a distance of 220 miles, practically the whole time of Parliament was taken up yesterday in debating the resolution of the Minister of Railways providing for the taking over and operating as part of the Intercolonial of said road when constructed by a private company under provincial guarantee of bonds.

The debate yesterday showed that the Legislature of New Brunswick had passed legislation providing for the guarantee of the principal and interest to the extent of \$25,000 per mile. A difficulty has arisen, the Provincial Government desiring that the standard of the road shall be the same as the I.C.R., while the Federal Government insists that it shall be the same as the N.T.R. The Opposition members declared that the Dominion authorities refused to co-operate with the Local Government, but this was denied.

Dr. Sproule asked if any communication had been received by the Government in reference to the proposed treaty of arbitration between Great Britain and the United States.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier said that the Government had not received any communication from either Great Britain or the United States dealing with the matter. "I might say," he said, "that if it were possible for Canada to help such a laudable object we would be only too glad to do so."

W. H. Sharpe (Lisgar) enquired as to whether Sir Wilfrid's statement of the other day, to the effect that the Government did not propose at present to make any changes in the tariff other than those contained in the reciprocity agreement applied also to the British preference.

The Premier replied that the Government's policy in regard to the preference was well known, but that it would be further explained by the Minister of Finance when he delivered his budget speech.

Mr. Richard Blain (Peel) said that the Premier had stated the other day that Liberal members were at liberty to renounce the policy of the Government. Were the members of the Opposition to be extended the same opportunity? he asked.

"I hope they will avail themselves of it," said the Premier, in reply.

Hon. George E. Foster thought the time was opportune to enquire as to when the budget statement would be delivered.

Hon. W. S. Fielding said it would be at an early date, though he could not yet name the day.

No Sign of Foul Play.

Hamilton, March 21.—Apparently there is nothing but natural causes to account for the death last week of 18-year-old Bessie Clark whose funeral, on Saturday, was stopped by the police acting on information given in a letter.

Yesterday it was stated by police officers that the autopsy had not disclosed anything sensational. From other sources, it was learned that there was no question of foul play in connection with the death of the girl.

Died From Her Burns.

Chatham, March 21.—Mrs. Ann McMillan, an aged lady, residing in this city, passed away Sunday evening at nine o'clock as a result of burns received on Saturday afternoon. Mrs. McMillan, who was 83 years of age, lived with her son, who was away from home on Saturday. She tried to light a gas stove, when her apron caught fire.

Firemen Rescued Twenty Men.

Springfield, Mo., March 21.—Twenty men asleep in the Young Men's Christian Association building here were nearly suffocated before being rescued by firemen yesterday, when fire destroyed the \$50,000 structure.

To Wind Up Canneries.

Winnipeg, March 21.—An application for the appointment of a Government liquidator of the Central Canada Meat Packing Co., better known as Malcolm's Western Canneries, was made yesterday. Most of this stock is owned in Toronto and Montreal.

Bill Miner Stays in Georgia.

Ottawa, March 21.—"Bill" Miner will serve his twenty-year sentence for train robbery in Georgia, the request of the Canadian Government for his return to Canada to finish his life sentence having been refused by the American State Department.

Russian Minister Murdered.

St. Petersburg, March 21.—It is rumored here that M. Korostov, the Russian Minister to China, has been murdered in Peking.

Russia's New Premier.

St. Petersburg, March 21.—It was announced from a trustworthy source yesterday afternoon that the Emperor has signed the appointment of Minister of Finance Kokovsov to be the new Premier.

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BRIEFS FROM THE WIRES.

China has concluded a loan for \$50,000,000.

Some new discoveries were reported from Porcupine.

President Taft deprecates talk of war with Mexico.

A prize of \$50,000 is offered for an aeroplane flight around England.

A lot of contraband whisky stored in the jail building at Cochrane was stolen.

Several cars of beef have been sent to Winnipeg from Toronto to meet the local demand.

The final provisional census returns give the total population of India as 315,000,000. This is an increase of 25,000,000 as compared with 1901.

The Toronto City Council decided upon the purchase of the Toronto Electric Light Co. and the appointment of a commission to operate the systems.

Canadian banks increased their commercial loans in Canada by \$6,725,669 during February, and the increase in note circulation reflected a firm commercial position. Foreign commercial loans were reduced.

Marshall Robinson, a painter, residing in London West, has received word of a legacy left to him by an uncle living in Dublin, Ireland. Mr. Robinson has been living in London for two years and earning \$2 per day.

Charges Immorality.

London, Ont., March 21.—A deputation from the Women's Christian Temperance Union waited upon the Ministerial Association yesterday, and made serious charges of immorality against the Young Men's Clubs and the public schools. "There are forty clubs in the city," said Mrs. Thornley, "doing great injury to the young men and boys. Having heard of the immorality going on at these, we spoke to the license inspector. He explained that it was well nigh impossible for him to go into these places. They are not licensed and he would be liable if he forced an entrance and did not find anything wrong. He advised us to fight to have them licensed."

"Then in these clubs I am informed not only is liquor drunk, but gambling goes on, and not only gambling, but the social evil is practiced. Why, there are pictures there which are indescribably filthy, and books are exchanged which should never have been printed."

Claims Infringement.

Montreal, March 21.—A stenographer sat in the Princess Theatre last night and took down every word that was spoken on the stage. He was in the employ of Germain Beaulieu, advocate of this city, and his purpose was to secure the proof that will enable Mr. Beaulieu to take a judge to-day and ask for a writ of injunction against the further production of the play, "Two Women," by Mrs. Leslie Carter, on the ground that Mrs. Carter's play is an infringement on the copyright of a play written by himself, "The Living Vision," and of which he alleges Mrs. Carter has the manuscript, which she has never returned to him or his representatives. The action will be directed against the proprietors of the theatre, and as a preliminary a notary protest was served upon them yesterday afternoon.

Welcome For Limantour.

Mexico City, March 21.—Finance Minister Limantour arrived here at ten o'clock yesterday morning. A great crowd awaited him at the railway station. President Diaz was not present.

If Senor Limantour purposed to avoid any demonstration his plans failed, as the railway station was crowded with a number of officials and delegations of citizens. The latter hailed the Minister as the "Savior of the country."

Foreign Minister Creel stood at the entrance to the train shed and greeted Senor Limantour warmly.

On the way from the station to the waiting automobile, he stopped several times to listen to addresses by students, workmen and others.

Marine Strike Expected.

Antwerp, March 21.—The impression deepens among continental ship-owners that with attempts by the International Seamen's Union to bring about a universal strike a serious strike at English ports may be expected. This eventually is dreaded on the continent, where it is believed it would cause a condition of chaos in the world's shipping trade. It is admitted that there are not enough sailors available to take the places of union men if the latter should go out. The action of the English unions is anxiously awaited.

C.P.R. Machinists' Demands.

Winnipeg, March 21.—The Canadian Pacific machinists are looking for an increase in wages and improvement in shop conditions, particularly in reference to the arrangement of the working schedules. Increase of pay amounting to about ten per cent. is asked. The present agreement expires at the end of March, and negotiations are already under way with the company.

Andrew Burrows' Death.

Smith's Falls, March 21.—Andrew Burrows dropped dead at a dance at Franktown. He was engaged in the cattle business. He was born at Franktown 67 years ago. He was actively interested recently in having the old military road opened from Smith's Falls to Ottawa and Pembroke.

Painters' Strike at Pittsburg.

Pittsburg, Pa., March 21.—One thousand painters and decorators struck yesterday for an advance in wages of \$1 for eight hours' work over the scale of \$3.49, which expired March 1. Fifty small shops have signed the new agreement.

Bridge Contract Let.

Quebec, March 21.—The firm of O'Neill & Loney of this city have been awarded the contract for the construction of the new bridge over the River Chaudiere at St. George, Beauce.

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CASTORIA advertisement featuring the signature of Charles H. Fletcher and the text 'The Kind You Have Always Bought'.

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Vancouver, B. C., Spokane, Wash., Seattle, Wash., Portland, Oregon. \$44.55

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When Buying Silver Remember that the longest wearing, best-designed silver plate to be had is the '1847 ROGERS' BROS.' brand. Spoons, forks, knives, etc., bearing this trade mark are heavily plated and will wear for years and years.

FROG IN YOUR THROAT 10c At WATSON'S DRUG STORE Midland House. IS CENTRALLY SITUATED FOR THE Country trade. Terms \$1.00 per day. Gaps tables and shed room and an attentive hostler. George Gamble, Proprietor

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Port Hope, Ont., Established 1873

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The Evening Guide

PORT HOPE, MARCH 21, 1911

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The phenomenal success of the Tom Marks Stock Company this season is due in no little measure to the word of Tom Marks and his clever supporting company, and all the critics agree that you get more real enjoyment to the square inch than any other stock company on the road.

Mr. Marks may be said to be even better as a comedian than ever for no artist with his natural aptitudes for comedy could impersonate a variety of characters as he had done since first seen here without a broadening of his artistic view and a refinement of his comic method. He has a keen sense of humor and knowledge of just how far he must go to make a point. Arrangements have been made to present Tom Marks and his excellent company at the Opera House for three nights commencing Monday, March 27th.

Ice Cream Bricks at Oke's

NEW TELEPHONE.—The Methodist Parsonage Telephone number is 298, Rev. W. G. Clarke being now on the line.

We have just purchased the entire set of spring samples from one of the largest clothing manufacturers in Montreal, about 400 suits ranging in price from \$10.50 to \$16. We will give you your choice at \$10 while they last. This is a chance that does not often occur. See Gould's east window.

KEEP DATE CLEAR.—On April 11th the Willing Workers of the Baptist church will hold an apron sale. Further particulars later.

WOUNDS OF THE HEART.—In wounds of the heart itself the escape of blood is never in large quantities, and the lethal consequences are due to the fact that the escape of blood from within its cavity or cavities into the surrounding sac of the pericardium mechanically interrupts the alternate contraction and expansion by which its pumping action is maintained. Accordingly the results of the wound of the heart are usually identical with those of gradual suffocation.

SHAKESPEARIAN LECTURE AND CONCERT.—On Thursday evening, March 30th, at 8 o'clock, in the Town Hall, Rev. M. F. Fitzpatrick of Ennismore, will deliver a lecture on "Macbeth" under the auspices of the Holy Name Society. Professor of English literature for years in the University of Ottawa, the founder of a successful rural high school, and an orator of provincial reputation, the Rev. Gentleman can be relied upon to do justice to the subject. In addition to the lecture there will be an interesting program in which the clever impersonator, Mr. George Lynch, of Peterboro, will be assisted by local talent. Admission 25 cents. School pupils 15 cents.

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- Canned Pumpkins

What makes a nicer Tart Pie than Cranberries? We have some lovely Cranberries at 2 pounds for 25 cents.

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PERSONAL.

Congratulations to Walter C. McMullen, sporting editor of the Hamilton Herald, who returned to his desk yesterday, after an absence since Christmas at his home in Port Hope, where he was seriously ill. However, contrary to the ways of some of the older timers, Walter came back all right. — Toronto World.

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SPRING.—This 21st day of March has the reputation of being the first day of Spring. The sun passes the line this day it is said. We are sure, however, that the sun shines brightly, and the robins and song sparrows are recovering from their recent colds. The ice and snow is gradually leaving us.

DIED

FORD.—At Port Hope, on Monday March 20th, 1911, Margaret Newcomb, relict of J. H. Ford, in her 85th year.

Funeral will take place from the residence of her son-in-law, J. F. Jones, Hope street, on Wednesday afternoon, March 22nd, 1911, at 3 o'clock, to the place of interment, St. John's Cemetery. Funeral private.

CLEVERDON.—In the Township of Hamilton, on Monday, March 20th, 1911, Mary Jane White, beloved wife of Walter Cleverdon, aged 72 years.

Funeral from the family residence lot 31, concession 3, Hamilton Township, on Wednesday afternoon March 22nd, to the place of interment, Welcome Cemetery. Service at 2 o'clock.

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