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M. FOSTER, Manager, 121 Market St.
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MUSIC

ACADEMY OF MUSIC, 74 Queen St.—Both phones 721. Piano, Organ, Theory—Mr. David Wright and associate teachers. Voice Culture and Singing—Miss M. E. Nolan. Violin—Mr. A. Ostler. Miss M. Jones, Mrs. V. Ellis. Elocution—Mr. George Morley. Local centre for the Toronto Conservatory of Music. Pupils prepared for the Toronto University examinations.

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DR. RUSSELL, Dentist—Latest American methods of painless dentistry, 201 Colborne St., opposite George St., over Cameron's Drug Store. Phone 406.

DR. HART has gone back to his old stand over the Bank of Hamilton; entrance on Colborne St. d-mar26-15

MEDICAL

DR. R. J. TEETER, Waterford, Ont. makes a specialty of Chronic Rheumatism. Phone 44, Norfolk Rural.

RESTAURANTS

FOUND AT LAST—Ye Olde English Fried Fish and Potato Restaurant. Come and have a good fish dinner, by an expert cook. Hours: 11 a.m. to 12 p.m. 145½ Dalhousie St. Machine Phone 420. 1jan16

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See our line of Fixtures.
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R. FEELY has moved to 181 Colborne St. from 48 Market St. Watch for announcement of big Graniteware Slaughter Sale.

R. FEELY—Moving to his new store at 181 Colborne St., Sutherland's old stand, opposite the market. Watch for an opening sale of something worth while in Tinware, Graniteware, etc.

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FLOUR AND FEED

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PAINTING

A. J. OSBORNE, Successor to the late Joseph Tilley, is carrying a full and up-to-date range of Wall Papers 168 Market St.

D. D. TAYLOR—Graining, paperhanging and kalsomining, signs, raised letters, business and office signs; glass, ornamental, plate and sheet; automobile painting. 20 Colborne St., phone 392. Automobile paint shop in rear, 146 Dalhousie St.

Not In Its Province.

Vancouver, Feb. 9—The local board of trade has tabled a request for the endorsation of Dominion-wide prohibition from the National committee, taking the stand that prohibition is not a question upon which it should pass an opinion.

DIED

CARRUTHERS—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Cobden, 78 Spring St., on Wednesday, Feb. 9th, Mrs. Jane Carruthers, advanced in years. No flowers, by request.

BERRY.—In Brantford, on Wednesday morning, February 9th, 1916, Robinson Berry, in his 76th year. Funeral from his late residence, 185 Chestnut Ave., on Thursday, February 10th, 1916, at 1.30 p.m.

HASKETT—In Toronto, Feb. 8th, 1916, Elizabeth (Lizzie), beloved daughter of Mrs. Wm. Haskett, 12 Alvin Ave., Deer Park, Toronto. Funeral at 2.30 p.m. on Thursday, from St. Jude's Church to Greenwood Cemetery.

O'CONNELL—In Brantford, on Monday, Feb. 7th, 1916, William L. O'Connell, aged 21 years. The funeral will take place from the residence of his father, Michael O'Connell, 109 Sydenham St., on Thursday morning, at 8.30, to St. Basil's Church, thence to St. Joseph's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances kindly accept this intimation.

COMING EVENTS

BIBLE SOCIETY Anual meeting in Zion Church to-night, Speaker Rev. Rev. John MacNeill of Toronto. Come early as a crowded audience will doubtless gather to hear this eloquent preacher. Collection in aid of the Bible Society.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Alex. Campbell and family, of 127 Waterloo street, wish to thank their numerous friends for the deep sympathy shown them in their late bereavement.

THE PROBS

Toronto, Feb. 9—The storm has moved away to the Atlantic. A very shallow depression is moving eastward across the great lakes and middle states, while a rather important high area is spreading southeastward from the western provinces. The weather continues extremely cold in the west and moderately cold from Ontario east.

Forecasts.

Snow flurries to-day. Thursday—Northwest winds, fair and colder again.

GOOD SEATS STILL AVAILABLE.

The concert performance of the Grand Opera "Maritana" by the Schubert Choir, will be worthy of your patronage. There are some good seats yet available, at Boles Drug Store.

WILL LONDON HOLD ITS LEAD?

Bankers Wonder Whether Financial Centre Will Shift to New York City.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, Feb. 9 — "Will London cease to be the banker of the world?" was the question asked by Lord Ritchie at the meeting of the London and Liverpool Bank of Commerce yesterday and he discussed the point at some length. Referring to the growth of the international banking business of New York, he expressed the opinion that whether England is to lose its premier position from the financial point of view, will depend among other things on the duration of the war.

The Daily Mail, commenting on Lord Ritchie's speech, says:

"London became the banker of the world because of its magic wealth and its financial facilities and because it is the capital of a country which is so rich that it is in a position to lend. This is being altered by the war and the United States seems to be assuming the premier position, but, although bankers are discussing the possibility of the loss of our position, it is not yet lost by any means."

Baron Ritchie is a lieutenant for the city of London and is vice-chairman of the port of London authority. He is a member of the Board of Directors of the London and Liverpool Bank of Commerce, Limited.

Vancouver Lost.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Portland, Ore., Feb. 9.—Vancouver and Portland teams furnished an interesting contest in their meeting here last night. Portland opened the scoring, getting the only goal in the first period, while in the second period both teams failed to find the nets. In the third period Portland scored another, shutting Vancouver out. Portland won by a score of two to nothing.

ANNUAL CHOIR CONCERT

Hear the Schubert Choir sing "Maritana" to-morrow night.

Seattle Beat Victoria.

Seattle, Feb. 9.—Seattle outplayed the Victoria team in the opening period of the game last night to the tune of 4 to 1, and in the second period had increased their total to eight, while Victoria added four more. In the final session neither scored, Seattle winning the game by a score of 8 to 4.

RUSH SEATS 25c.

Thursday night, 10th Feb. Grand Opera House, "Maritana", 300 rush seats 25c. in gallery.

The life of Armino Conte, Italian Consular agent at Milwaukee, was imperilled by a bomb, which exploded at the door of his apartment. He escaped unhurt.

WORRYING OVER MESOPOTAMIA

British People Not Satisfied as to General Townshend's Safety.

MINISTER OF AVIATION NOW

New Scheme to be Inaugurated to Maintain Air Defence.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

London, Feb. 9—The British newspapers continue to express some anxiety for the British army at Kut-el-Amara. To-day is the sixty-third day since General Townshend's force was isolated there. It is pointed out, however, that General Townshend is in daily communication with the relief expedition by wireless so that his position and his resources must be precisely known.

Apparently the commander recently has been virtually unmolested, but his position, with the hospitals full of wounded, in the resourceless little Arab town must be full of hardships.

Despatches from the Tigris region emphasize the great natural difficulties in the way of the advance of the relief force and also describe the formidable nature of the Turkish defences which have been skilfully constructed under German advice. The Turks are known to have received large reinforcements, but it is assumed that Lieut.-General Sir Percy Henry Noel Lake, commander of the British forces in Mesopotamia, has taken measures to similarly strengthen his relief column.

The creation of the new office of Minister of Aviation is part of the Government's programme for the development of better defence against air craft attacks in England, according to The Standard.

The government will announce next week the details of the new scheme of defence organization, which has been planned.

The Standard says:

"The new minister of aviation will direct and co-ordinate the air services of the army and the navy and will be responsible for them to parliament. The government in its forthcoming announcement to parliament will stand by the position it has heretofore taken that the military value of the Zeppelin type of airship is insignificant and that the government sees no reason to imitate the action of Germany, either by building more dirigibles or by instituting a policy of reprisals and employing war planes for the purpose of operating over centres of population in the enemy's territory."

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London Faces Taxi Shortage

Scotland Yard Refuses to Loosen Restrictions and Bars Out Women.

London, Feb. 9.—The taxi shortage in London has caused the public to fill the mail bags of the local newspapers with complaints regarding the insolence of drivers and the whistling nuisance. During rush hours, especially during dinner and theatre times drivers often refuse to take fares unless they chance to be going in the direction the driver favors. This is due to the rule that drivers when not carrying passengers must pay for their own gasoline. A movement for a law to prevent the use of whistles to call taxis is suggested, but while putting down a nuisance it would not help transportation facilities.

The real trouble is traced to the enlistment of competent drivers. Because of this some of the taxi companies have temporarily retired from business. Scotland Yard has hindered the sustibtution of new drivers by a refusal to relax on the strict geographical examination of former days. Then, every candidate had to show an intimate knowledge of London's streets and by-ways. Many women could easily qualify on the mechanical side and show a fair general knowledge of London, if the rules were relaxed. Meantime, Londoners who used to look down on plebeian modes of travel are taking to the undergrounds and the buses, which maintain excellent services notwithstanding the war.

TO-MORROW NIGHT, FEB. 10TH

Hear the Schubert Choir sing Maritana. Seats at Boles Drug Store 50c, 75c, $1.00, reserved.

Want Harbor Deepened.

By Special Wire to the Courier.

Kingston, Feb. 9.—The board of trade passed a resolution last night calling upon the government to prepare Kingston harbor to receive large vessels which will come from the Upper Lakes through the new Welland canal. The harbor depth must be 25 feet.

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FOR FLETCHER'S
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The bout will be promoted by Tex. Rickard. He issued an official statement last night, naming the date and purse.