

## YOUNG GIRL SAVES SEVEN FROM FIRE

Twelve-Year-Old Miss Rescues Children From Burning House.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
St. John, N. B., Feb. 21.—Twelve-year-old Margaret Davies was the heroine of what might have been a fire tragedy here last night, when by her own efforts she rescued seven children from almost certain death in a blaze that swept a three-story house on Main street. There were ten children in the house when the blaze started, four belonging to Mrs. James Mott, and the others, the brothers and sisters of Margaret Davies. The only exit was at the front of the building and immediately on the outbreak, Margaret seized two of the Mott children, their mother taking two more, and carried them from danger. Despite the flames and smoke, Margaret returned to the burning home and bore the other little ones to safety, the youngest of which was 18-months old.

## APPOINTMENT OF BISHOPS IS CONFIRMED BY ROME

Associated Press Despatch.  
Ottawa, Feb. 21.—Despatches from Rome to Mr. Di Maria, apostolic delegate in Canada, confirm the appointment of Mr. Deschamps, vicar general of Montreal, to be auxiliary bishop of Montreal, and the appointment of Mr. John Kidd, president of St. Augustine's Seminary in Toronto, to be bishop of the Roman Catholic diocese of Calgary.

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## King George Must Escape Rigorous English Climate

Doctors Order British Ruler To Leave England For Health's Sake.

## PRINCE HENRY TO ACT

Associated Press Despatch.  
London, Feb. 22.—King George of England must, on recovery from his present illness, betake himself out of the rigorous English climate as a precaution against the possibility of a second attack of influenza, which is very prevalent in England at the present time.

So the king's physicians, Lord Dawson, Sir Milson Rees and Sir Frederick Stanley Hewitt, have ruled. The three physicians paid their customary morning and evening visits to the palace today, and after a rather long consultation issued a bulletin at 8 o'clock this evening, revealing for the first time how very serious the bronchial attack had been and why recovery was so slow.

The physicians have advised the king to spend the remainder of the winter in a yachting cruise in the Mediterranean, and it is not questioned that their advice will be followed.

The official bulletin read: "The king passed a fair day. There is still a rise of temperature in the evening, but the slow progress continues. "At its onset the influenza which attacked his majesty was somewhat severe, the bronchitis extending to the base of the lungs—a form of malady which is apt to be tedious and resistant. "In order to secure complete restoration of health and fitness, we advise when the stage of convalescence has been reached that his majesty shall proceed to the South of Europe and cruise in his yacht for a few weeks. (Signed) "HEWITT, "REES, "DAWSON."

Presumably, in view of this decision, the royal duties will devolve on Prince Henry, as the Duke of York is in Africa, and there is no suggestion of any change in the plans of the Prince of Wales.

## ST. THOMAS PASTOR ATTACKS FERGUSON

Rev. Wilfred Gaetz Declares Ontario Premier Favors Liquor Interests.

Special to The Advertiser.  
St. Thomas, Feb. 22.—In his address to his congregation tonight, Rev. Wilfred Gaetz, pastor of the First Methodist church here, forewarned the assemblage to beware of the insidious and subtle campaign being carried on by the "Liberty League," which the speaker declared, was closely associated with Premier Ferguson and his leaders, who, according to Mr. Gaetz, are opposed to anything that favors the O.T.A.

Mr. Gaetz attended the temperance convention held in Toronto recently and spoke tonight on first-hand knowledge that he has of existing conditions in regard to the O.T.A. at the capital city, and the attitude that Premier Ferguson has adopted in favor of the liquor interests.

Mr. Gaetz roundly scored Premier Ferguson and his associates, bearing especially on the 48 members who represent "dry" ridings of the province, who, according to Mr. Gaetz, are opposed to voice their opinions because they cringe to the snap of the whip in the hands of their leader.

Heer of 44 per cent will be introduced in Ontario, Mr. Gaetz stated, upon information from Premier Ferguson himself.

Mr. Gaetz tied upon the people of Ontario to come together in a mass meeting and register a protest that should be forwarded to the men who represent them in the legislature.

## Woman Slays Large Wildcat

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Amherst, N.S., Feb. 21.—Mrs. Stanley Page, armed with a pitchfork, killed a large wildcat discovered by her children in their barn near here yesterday. The animal put up a terrific struggle, but its sharp teeth and claws were no match for the three long prongs of the fork. Mrs. Page was unharmed.

## PLANS TO GARNER HIGHWAY HARVEST

Municipalities Asked To Lay Plans To Boost Tourist Trade.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Brantford, Feb. 22.—An effort to form a main provincial highway boosters' association to get behind the main provincial (Hamilton-Windsor) highway, will be made at a meeting in the chamber of commerce here. A call was sent out to St. Catharines, Grimsby, Hamilton, Paris, Ingersoll, London and Chatham, asking these cities to send representatives to a gathering here on Friday next, bringing with them representatives from the smaller places along the route.

The object of the association would be to appeal to tourists through community advertising and service, to take this route in touring through Canada. This action follows considerable correspondence carried on between the Brantford chamber of commerce and organizations in the other municipalities.

## One Is Killed In Tong Fight

Another Probably Mortally Wounded As War Breaks Out.

Associated Press Despatch.  
Providence, R.I., Feb. 22.—One Chinaman was killed and another probably mortally wounded in a tong fight in a Chinese restaurant in the heart of this city this forenoon.

## RECORD HARDWARE SHIPMENT IS MADE

Largest Trainload of Canadian Merchandise Ever Manufactured Leaves Fergus.

Special to The Advertiser.  
Fergus, Feb. 22.—The largest shipment of hardware ever made in Canada left the plant of Beatty Brothers, Fergus, yesterday in a special Canadian Pacific train of 24 cars and was composed of more than 2,000 iron farm pumps, 1,000 step and extension ladders, and 1,000 electric and hand washing machines and barn equipment for spring delivery to 700 dealers throughout Western Canada. The invoice price of the shipment being more than \$100,000.

The train was in charge of Mr. R. McKillop, superintendent of the Bruce division, accompanied by Mr. Ferguson, district freight agent of the C.P.R.

## TWO LINERS DAMAGED IN NEW YORK CRASH

Associated Press Despatch.  
New York, Feb. 21.—Two incoming liners, the Tuscania of the Cunard-Anchor Line, and the Rochambeau of the French Line, collided off the quarantine station today. Both ships were damaged, but not seriously. The crash occurred in a heavy fog over the lower harbor. Part of the Rochambeau's railing ripped, while the Tuscania's stern was injured. The Tuscania, with 220 passengers aboard, was returning from a cruise to the Indies. The Rochambeau carried 145 passengers from Havre, France.

## DEATHS FROM INFLUENZA ON INCREASE IN ENGLAND

Associated Press Despatch.  
London, Feb. 21.—A great increase in the official statistics of deaths from influenza during the month of January was recorded. Figures just issued show there were 32 deaths from influenza in London alone in January. Other cities were also severely affected, notably Birmingham, Liverpool, Leeds and Rochdale, the total of deaths being well over 1,000 last month.

## CANADIAN STEAMSHIP LINES DENY PRESTON INTERVIEW

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Montreal, Feb. 22.—In another statement issued by the Canadian steamship companies, including the Canadian Pacific, Cunard, White Star, Anchor-Donaldson, Manchester Lines and the Furness-Withy in connection with the W. T. R. Preston report, tabled in the House of Commons last week, the companies deny that they nor their officials had any interviews with Mr. Preston in England, Canada or elsewhere previous to the filing of his report. It is also denied that he had ever made any representations to them for reduction in rates eastbound or westbound.

## FAILURE AWAITS PLAN FOR PARLEY

Labor Minister Declares Wenige's Drive Not Likely To Bring Results.

## ON UNEMPLOYMENT

Special to The Advertiser.  
Chatham, Feb. 22.—Mayor C. D. Sulman has received a message from Hon. James Murdock, minister of labor, in which he points out that there is little hope of success for the deputations which Mayor Wenige has organized among the different municipalities to urge federal action to give relief to unemployed. He asserts that Chatham should be advised that the government cannot do anything. It is not likely, therefore, that Chatham will be represented in the deputation. The Chatham city council decided also not to name a representative to the deputation organized by Mayor Wenige of London, which will upon Premier Ferguson on March 3, to protest against the present assessment for provincial highways.

## BRANTFORD PROTESTS

Special to The Advertiser.  
Brantford, Feb. 22.—As a result of the telegram from Hon. James Murdock, minister of labor, warning that visits from the heads of Western Ontario municipalities would be without avail, as the government policy of non-assistance would not be changed, and stating that the visit was for propaganda purposes the responsibility would be on the heads of those behind the move, Mayor McBride this afternoon sent the minister a telegram of protest, declaring the action of the minister was unchristianlike.

## CITY BUSINESS CENTER IS THREATENED BY FIRE

Many Buildings Damaged by \$1,000,000 Blaze—Three Spectators Hurt.

Associated Press Despatch.  
East Liverpool, Ohio, Feb. 22.—Damage of \$1,000,000 was caused by fire, which early today destroyed three buildings, damaged thirteen others and threatened to wipe out the downtown section of the city. Three spectators were injured by flying glass. State officials have been requested to investigate.

## TORONTO PRIEST DIES AS RESULT OF STROKE

Rev. Father Murray, Professor of Music, Was Ordained in London.

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Toronto, Feb. 22.—Following a stroke which he suffered ten days ago, Rev. Father Edwin Murray of the Basilican Order, professor of music at St. Michael's college, died in St. Joseph's hospital here today. At the time of taking his illness he was accounted the oldest living graduate of St. Michael's college. He was ordained as a priest in London, Ont., in 1872, by the late Bishop Walsh, and in 1882, when he was celebrated at St. Basil's church here and in the college in 1922.

## TORONTO MAYOR SEEKS TO REDUCE TAX RATE

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Toronto, Feb. 22.—Following a protracted session of the board of control and chairman of civic committees Saturday afternoon, in an effort to bring the tax rate below 50.2 mills, Mayor Foster announced that the city council must endeavor to reduce the rate to 38½ mills and he was satisfied that this would bring sufficient revenue to conduct the business of the city.

## FORMER WHITBY RESIDENT PASSES AWAY AT NEW YORK

Associated Press Despatch.  
New York, Feb. 22.—Frederick James Gibson, general manager of the Bronx Home News, and founder of the Sphinx club, composed of advertising men, died in a hospital today. Although he had been blind for fifteen years, he directed the publication of the newspaper until a short time ago. He was born in Whitby, Ont., 66 years ago. He founded the Sphinx club in 1899 and later was president of the organization. He was one of the founders of the Canadian club here.

## MRS. BAYTOZAE TO REMAIN IN JAIL UNTIL NEXT ASSIZES

Canadian Press Despatch.  
Hamilton, Feb. 22.—As the crown authorities contend that Mrs. Annie Baytozae, who recently was placed on trial with four foreigners on a charge of murder in connection with the death of her husband, Joe Baytozae, last summer, broke the conditions of bail under which she was released from custody by Mr. Justice Gault, she will remain in jail until the next assizes.

## ANNUAL BANQUET HELD BY BLYTH SEWING CIRCLE

Special to The Advertiser.  
Blyth, Feb. 22.—The Maple Leaf Sewing club held their annual banquet and progressive supper in a memorial hall on Friday evening. The hall was tastefully decorated. The tables were arranged in the form of a cross and seven couples sat down to an excellent supper provided by the members. A short program was given in which the following took part: Miss Anne Taylor, Mrs. Hawkins, Mrs. Kershaw, Reeve James

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A lovely dress fabric of art silk and cotton, beautifully made and designed. A very popular cloth this season, in the leading shades of green, coral, helio, tan, sand, also in black; 49 inches wide ..... \$1.50 yard
- Artificial Silk and Cotton Crepe  
A beautiful lightweight material that is very effective and fashionable, the correct fabric for either outdoor or evening wear. Comes in a full range of colors—helio, open, French blue, sand, tan, gray, also in black; 49 inches wide ..... \$1.75 yard
- Cotton Crepe  
This ever popular fabric is going to be one of this season's most useful dress cloths. This is a beautiful cotton cloth of a lovely weight and can be recommended both for smartness of design and durability; in shades of green, gray, sand and tan; 49 inches wide ..... \$1.35 yard
- English Cotton Broadcloth  
New colors are arriving daily in this well-known and useful cloth. A really lovely fabric of a beautiful silk texture and finish, in colors of sand, ivory, green, gray, blue, also black and white; 38 inches wide ..... 75c yard
- Chintz and Crettonnes  
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## Manufacturer's Clearance Sale of Silk Krinkle Bedspreads (Seconds) Sale Price, \$9.85 Each

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McC. Dodds, George Leith, George Scholtz and William Watson. Rev. W. B. Hawkins acted as chairman.

In his speech, the Reeve complimented the members of the club for their good work in paying off the debt on memorial hall.

Hillard McGowan and Mrs. Stanley Chelwell won the prizes of a deck of cards and a beautiful bouquet of daffodils.

## FAMOUS BRITISH PHYSICIAN PASSES AWAY IN LONDON

Associated Press Despatch.  
London, Feb. 22.—Sir Thomas Clifford Allbutt, one of Great Brit-

In our store arrangement you've seen that the Pattern Counter is a part of the Dress Goods Department. That is logical. For when new materials are purchased, a Designer pattern, with the accompanying Belrobe, is the proper thing to slip into the parcel with them.

Spring of 1925 has registered many new fashions in fabrics. Charmalaine for instance—a lovely, supple new weave. Kasheen which typifies the vogue for soft finished fabrics. And silks that glow in jewel tones like a cabinet of gems.

Selection is a pleasure—and then at the Pattern Counter, the Designer Fashion Book provides an appropriate pattern for each choice.

## Bonnet's Silks, Flat Crepes, \$2.69 Yard

Black, Navy and the new high colors.

## Silk Flat Canton Crepes, \$3.00 Yard

Black, navy and eight other street colors.

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## Silk Crepes in Colored Patterns, \$3.50 Yard

This summer will see a bigger season in printed pattern Silk Crepes. You'll see the newest designs that are different.

## The New Faille or Bengaline Cord Silks \$3.50 Yard

One of fashion's newest; 49-inch dories red, blonde, Morocco tan, nigger, navy and black.

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Ottoman Cords, 54-inch, newest colors, ..... \$3.75 yard

Bengaline Cords, 54-inch, newest colors, ..... \$3.75 yard

White Pinline Checks, on newest colors; 49-inch, ..... \$2.00 yard

Roda Epingie, 54-inch, newest colors, ..... \$5.00 yard

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The mail for Judith is growing very heavy these days. More and more feminine impulses are turning to thoughts of new clothes for spring. And you may be sure I'm delighted to answer the letters and to choose samples for them—for who wouldn't be, with such a fascinating range of new fabrics at her hand?

Just mail me your S. O. S.—and I'll promptly "Send Out Samples."

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