

## BRITISH SCHOLAR AT EMPIRE CLUB

Sir Bertram Windle Speaks on  
Recent University  
Developments.

"Recent Developments in University Life in Great Britain" was the subject of the address at the Empire Club yesterday by Sir Bertram Windle, who was introduced by the president, Arthur Hewitt, as one of the most brilliant scholars in the empire.

Sir Bertram Windle opened his address by allusions to Canada, of which he had heard much all through his married life. Lady Windle having been reared in Ontario and regarding Canada as the only country a civilized human being should want to live in.

Turning to his subject, he wondered whether the league of nations would really be efficacious in averting war. He had always held that the only thing that would serve to do this would be an alliance among the English-speaking peoples. (Applause.) The Irish question which he had heard discussed thru eight weary months in the Irish convention must be cleared away. He had seen seven or eight opportunities which had been lost, and every time the price went higher. It must be settled soon and this was all he desired to say on the subject.

Nothing, he thought, was more responsible for the war than the spirit of the German universities. Quoting from the Book of Wisdom he thought the passage adequately represented the standards of German education. Such education was worse than no education at all.

Out of the reconstruction meetings there had arisen certain general and certain special developments. One of these was a faculty of brewing in Birmingham. It would be of no use to them in Toronto. (Laughter.) One of the leaders of the temperance party had said to him: "I don't like beer, but if you must have it, it is better that you should have good beer than bad beer."

That, he thought, was a more temperate expression than was usual from such orators. (Laughter.)

**Training in Commerce.**  
The first faculty of commerce in England was started in Birmingham by Sir William Ashby, a Toronto man, who had been at Harvard, and came to Birmingham. The attitude of the English people rapidly changed towards it when they found the classes were rapidly filled by Japanese students. They knew a good thing when they saw it.

He had started a similar course in Cork, and in a three-year course the students had actually six months' experience in a mill. A first class arts course was the foundation, a course in economics, two modern languages, book-keeping, and were included in as broad a course as could be devised.

The worst scandal in the English system was the consular service, most of the consuls being German. They had instituted a new system making it a closed system or profession, and not the haphazard thing it was before the war. The education demanded for this consular work was just such a course as the commercial one provided.

He thought that a course of "journalism" would be of advantage and could turn out men who would be useful in the profession. They could not teach them the minutiae of a newspaper office, but they could teach them things that would be useful in a newspaper office. Plain, straightforward, unadorned English composition was one of the things that could be taught. (Applause.) Languages, law, the law of libel—(laughter)—geography, and other subjects were mentioned.

He approved of the exchange of professors and students between American and British universities. He thought this should not be for longer visits than three months. He thought it was a mistake to send students abroad until they had taken their first degree. He was going to become unfriendly. He had had his eyes opened since he came to Toronto, and he wished some others could have a similar experience. He would say no more than that, but it would be a great advantage to the British Empire to have such an exchange of views.

**Mrs. R. R. Sanderson Succumbs Suddenly to Pleuro-Pneumonia**

It is with great regret that the many friends of Mrs. R. R. Sanderson will learn of her sudden death from pleuro-pneumonia on Saturday last at her home, 185 Westminister avenue. The late Mrs. Sanderson (Edna Eastwood), known to her friends as Ted, was the second daughter of the late William Norton Eastwood, one of Toronto's oldest business men, and was only thirty-four years of age. She was laid to rest in Mount Pleasant on Tuesday, the 2nd of February, and a large number of floral tributes testified to the esteem in which she was held. She is survived by her husband, R. R. Sanderson, of the Phoenix Novelty Company.

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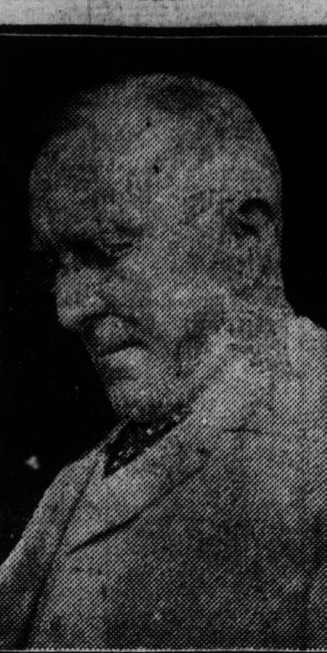
OLD ENGLISH RECIPE FOR CATARRH, CATARRHAL DEAFNESS, AND HEAD NOISES.

If you know of some one who is troubled with Catarrhal Deafness, head noises or ordinary catarrh—cut out this formula and hand it to them and you may have been the means of saving some poor sufferer perhaps from total deafness. In England scientists for a long time past have recognized that catarrh is a constitutional disease and necessarily requires constitutional treatment.

Sprays, inhalers and nose douches are liable to irritate the delicate air passages and force the disease into the middle ear, which frequently means total deafness, or else the disease may be driven down the air passages towards the lungs, which is equally as dangerous. The following formula which is used extensively in the damp English climate is a constitutional treatment and should prove especially efficacious to sufferers here who live under more favorable climate conditions.

Secure from your druggist 1 ounce of Farming (Double strength). Take this home and add to it 1 pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar; stir until dissolved. Take one tablespoonful four times a day. This will often bring quick relief from distressing head noises. Closed nostrils should open, breathing become easy and hearing improve as the inflammation in the eustachian tubes is reduced. Farming used in this way acts directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system and has a tonic action that helps to obtain the desired results. The preparation is easy to make, costs little and is pleasant to take. Every person who has catarrh or head noises or is hard of hearing should give this treatment a trial.

## SIR BERTRAM WINDLE



Who delivered an address at the Empire Club yesterday.

## CITY HALL NOTES

One again our Mayor Church's ubiquitous hobby, that of erecting an athletic stadium in Rosedale, go down to defeat. This last scene of bloodless warfare was the meeting of the board of control yesterday, when the mayor started the discussion. On being assured that it was, the controller expressed the opinion that not enough was left to the good judgment of the head of the parks department. "We hear a lot of talk about giving a free hand to the heads of civic departments, and yet this thing comes up periodically." The mayor's retort was that the parks commissioner was decidedly opposed to the stadium.

Helping greatly to restore his worship's proverbial good humor was the fact that his resolution, sent on by the legislation committee, that authority be sought from the legislature to expend \$200,000 on the erection and equipment of recreation centres, was passed by the board, with a slight amendment. This resolution asks that the expenditure be made without putting it to a vote of the people.

**Motion Amended.**  
The amendment was in regard to the Rosedale stadium, and when a clause in the legislation committee's report came up, several members smiled broadly. Controller Gibbons then amended the motion, making it read: "For the securing and equipping of recreation centres." The words "commonly known as stadiums," were struck out.

"My idea is to establish these centres in the east and west ends of the city," stated the mayor. "And in Rosedale," countered Controller Cameron. His worship, Controller Gibbons and Controller Maguire supported the motion. Controllers Cameron and Ramsden opposed.

That a civic parks and playgrounds acquisition advisory commission be appointed consisting of the mayor, the treasurer, parks and assessment commissioners, one controller and the chairman of the parks committee was the motion presented by his worship to the board of control.

In explanation of this, he stated that under the present system, park purchases were always accompanied by publicity, and owners boasted their price before the city could buy. Controller Cameron said that he might be in favor of it after a conference with the gentlemen named. "I do not intend to be a party to a vote of lack of confidence in the parks commissioner," is not a lack of confidence," said the mayor. "It is strictly a business matter." The final decision was to hold a conference with these officials.

**Recommendation Not Accepted.**  
The board did not accept the recommendation of the parks committee, that application be made to the legislature, authorizing the expenditure of one mill on the dollar every year for park purposes. Instead, it was recommended that a conference be held with the finance commissioner on the matter.

The recommendation of the legislation committee, that income exemption from taxation be raised from \$700 to \$1000, and in the case of heads of households from \$700 to \$2000, was passed by the board. "If we do away with the city's revenue in this way, we shall be getting a 35 or 40-mill tax rate, and I do not know where we shall be at," warned Mayor Church.

"I propose to have a writ issued against the Toronto & Niagara Power Co., to compel them to remove their poles," declared the mayor. A conference will be held on the matter between the corporation counsel and the works commissioner.

The wording of the decision of the city council judgment received by the city is very emphatic in finding the Toronto Railway Company liable for the expense to which Toronto has been put in removing snow from the car tracks.

The mayor accused The Daily Star of publishing lies. This accusation resulted from a Star editorial, which stated that his worship was trying to seek credit for the suggestion of providing a teacher for minors for the Jail Farm. The editorial was to the effect that this credit belonged to Ald. Nesbitt.

"I called the attention of the government to the state of affairs at this institution," he said, "and recommended that a teacher be placed there. There are seven or eight lies in this one editorial. They ought to call it 'The Daily Star Lie'."

The board of control approved an interim appropriation of \$15,000 in connection with the influenza epidemic.

**MADRID PROFITEERS FINED**  
Madrid, Feb. 5.—Heavy fines were assessed today by the new tribunal organized to deal with profiteers, which held its first session and tried a large number of defendants charged with hoarding wheat and other foodstuffs.

## SIX MILLION JEWS ARE FACING DEATH

Starvation and Disease Cause  
Indescribable Suffering in  
Eastern Europe.

The hardships of this winter will mean death to thousands of Jews in Poland, unless outside aid intervenes at once, according to Lieutenant Shelton Wright, of the American Red Cross commission to Poland, recently returned to the United States after months of relief work in eastern Europe.

He painted a vivid picture of this half-starved people, clad in rags, who

are now creeping back toward their devastated homes after months of refugee wandering, and dying of starvation and typhus along the roads, as they go.

"Every box car full of refugees returning to their homes has in it those who die along the way, and those who have contracted typhus," Lieutenant Wright said. "The people try to avoid the disease by keeping clean, but it is impossible to do so, under existing conditions. Even our nurses and doctors fall ill of typhus, a disease caused by filth and lice."

The Red Cross and the American Jewish relief agencies are doing their utmost to keep both the Jews and the Gentiles in these stricken lands alive. Six million Jews in eastern Europe face death unless immediate shipments of food, clothing and bedding from Canada and the United States reach them before the cold weather sets in.

An ambassador heareth no blame—Italian proverb.

## DUFFERIN OLD BOYS ARE MAKING READY

The executive committee of the Dufferin School Old Boys' Association met at the National Club last evening. The following committees were appointed to attend to the details of the 21st annual banquet and reunion to be held in the Pompeian room of the King Edward Hotel on Wednesday, February 25:

Membership committee—Chas. Horswell, chairman; J. D. Ford, vice-chairman; Arthur Fox, Geo. Howard, A. H. Averil, Frank Wallace, Ernest Lea, R. G. Street, Chas. Hickling, Capt. Joe Lawson, Wm. Hambly, C. E. Woodstock.

Entertainment committee—E. J. Freysong, chairman; Geo. Howard, vice-chairman; R. W. Reford, J. W. Barry, Jas. Lister, Chris. Hillock, W. J. Darby, R. C. Gavin, Edgar Wallace. Finance committee—W. P. Playter,

chairman; A. Scholey, vice-chairman; Allie Williams, Arthur E. Scott, Chas. E. Winters, Dr. E. A. McDonald, Lyman Martin.

Publicity committee—Fred Hambly, chairman; J. P. Patterson, vice-chairman; W. J. Sheppard, Bernard Cairns, John Mathers, W. J. Darby, Capt. Joe E. Thompson.

The old boys are planning big things for this night and are hoping for a big turnout of former Dufferin School pupils. Tickets for the event may be secured from any member of the committee.

## DWELLING HOUSE DESTROYED.

About four o'clock yesterday afternoon fire broke out in Andrew Grant's dwelling house on his farm near Hagerman's Corners. The cause of the fire is not yet ascertained, tho it is thought to have started in the kitchen from the cook stove. The building was totally destroyed, but by hard work the contents were saved.

## EPIDEMICS CALL FOR CLERGY'S CO-OPERATION

A letter asking for co-operation on the part of the Toronto clergy in coping with the two epidemics, will be sent out during the week, Dr. Hastings, M.O.H., told The World today. This communication desires that on Sunday a plea for volunteer nurses and workers be made from every pulpit in the city.

Yesterday's mortality list just doubles Wednesday's. Last night it was estimated that nearly 25 deaths had occurred during the day, a few of these being from smallpox.

## PRODUCERS TO HEAR EXPERT.

The milk producers of Peel county will be addressed on Saturday at their annual meeting by Professor A. Leitch, of the farm survey department of the Ontario Agricultural College, who will tell them that they are losing money on their milk production at present.

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