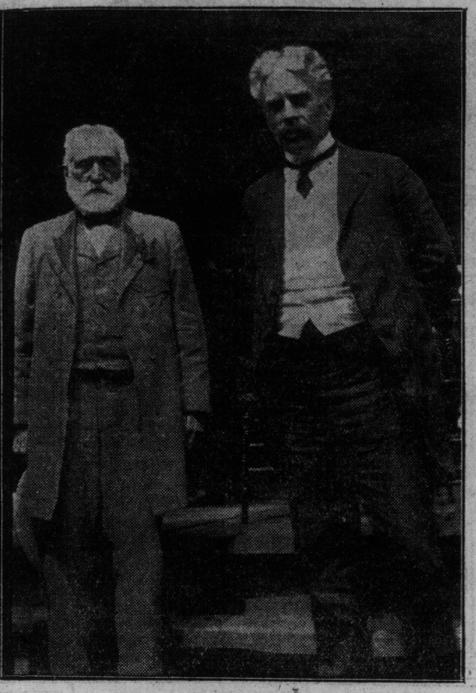


THE OLD AND THE NEW



R. L. Borden photographed with Ex-Premier Sir Mackenzie Bowell at the Conservative picnic at Trenton.

Odd Things in Ontario's Life

Udney All Agog. Talking about weddings reminds me of another diaphanous of harmony when early in June one of our most popular convivialists among the young men...

Pinafore Revived. Gilbert and Sullivan's far famed opera of "Pinafore" will be put on the stage of our town hall on Friday evening next, June 24th.



Udney Chaps Take Courage. Amusement for another five years, for weddings in Udney are but seasonal occurrences. You see when one fellow screws up courage to enter the matrimonial state it encourages the other chaps who have been scared before...



Pinafore Put on the Stage. Local talent has been practicing for this for some time back and the object in view is an excellent one, no doubt there will be a full house...



There Were Some Mosquitoes. One Read, the well-known American author, was in Udney last week with Dr. Fisher of Sharon, Pa., and visited the French River. Both gentlemen...

Metropolitan School of Music. As a consequence of excessively hot weather the Metropolitan School of Music, instead of holding a "closing" concert last month (as has been the custom for 15 successive years)...

Wasn't Looking for Big Game. Men were delighted with their trip and expressed great pleasure at the genial qualities and friendliness of the residents of this section and were taken by surprise with the calibre and range of the mosquitoes, but promised to return in August when the insect pests had ceased from troubling. Ople was asked if he struck any mosquitoes and answered that he had not, being unfamiliar with the game laws here...

BITE OF HORSEFLY. LONDON, July 2.—The death of Henry James Blackburn, aged seventy-seven, was said, at the inquest, to have been caused by the bite of a horsefly or a blue-bottle. Dr. Cowell stated that death was due to acute blood poisoning. A blue-bottle may have fed on some bad meat and then bitten him and poisoned him. A verdict of death from blood poisoning was returned.

List of guests at Mimicoanashene: Mrs. Arthur S. Smith, Miss Jessie Macdonald, Hector Bruce Macdonald, Toronto; Mr. W. H. Dunlap, Miss Sherber, Miss Elizabeth Sherber, Miss Berris, Miss Bruce Macdonald, Toronto; W. H. Cawthra, G. H. Kelley, C. A. Larkin, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. Bartholomew, Buffalo; Mr. and Mrs. W. Mulock, Jr., and family, Toronto; Mr. and Mrs. J. Ralston, Detroit; Albert J. Ralston, F. Spalding, J. B. K. Hodgins, Miss Estelle Hodgins, Miss M. Inez Brazill, Toronto.

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WIRELESS TELEPHONES TO CONVEY MESSAGES FROM MINE TO SURFACE

Entombed Men Enabled to Carry on Conversation With Outside World Thru New Invention.

LONDON, July 2.—Half the terrors of mining accidents will probably be done away with by the use of the wireless telephone. An entombed miner buried some hundreds of feet in the bowels of the earth can carry on a conversation with a rescue party above with perfect ease with Mr. Sharmar's instruments. The apparatus is so simple that no skill whatever is required to work it, and it is light and portable.

The principle of Mr. Sharmar's instrument is to utilize the earth for transmitting electric waves just as sound waves are transmitted thru the air. The telephone is made to actuate an "impulse" coil which sends electric impulses thru the earth, which reach the iron pegs of the receiving instrument.

At Summer Resorts

ORCHARD BEACH. Mr. Mrs. and Miss Haimar have arrived at the beach to open up their new cottage. Mr. Mackenzie and family have taken the Wilkieson cottage. Mr. Brimston and family, Newmarket, are settled in their cottage.

EASTBOURNE. Dr. and Mrs. John Caven. Bloort-street spent last week end with Mr. and Mrs. David Caven. Miss Bertram is spending the summer at T. Bradshaw's cottage.

ORILLIA. Owing to the logs which were coming thru the Narrows preventing the steamer from landing at Atherley, many tourists were disappointed last Tuesday, on what date a moon-light around the lake, finishing with a strawberry social was to have taken place in the grounds at Orchard Point Inn.

Those registered at Orchard Point Inn this week are: Mr. and Mrs. S. Gundy, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Rolph, Toronto, Messrs. A. A. Farenworth, W. C. George, C. Dunbar, Orillia, Mrs. J. H. Francis and Master Gordon Francis, Thornhill.

Those staying at Simcoe Lodge this week are: Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Davidson and son Roy, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Brooker of Toronto and Mr. and Mrs. D. Dockstader of Wellandport, Ont.

Married in St. Michael's Cathedral. In St. Michael's Cathedral on June 29 Rev. Father Whalen performed the ceremony which united in marriage John J. Honan, 135 Jarvis-street, to Miss Pearl Riggs, 349 Wilton-avenue.

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AS THE NEWCOMER SCOT SEES CANADA IN LABOR CIRCLES

James Wallace Gibb Contributes Two More Letters To Glasgow Paper Based on the Strictest Fact.

James Wallace Gibb has had two separate and distinct copy-writing dates regarding himself as fully competent to size up the Canadian character. Of course the estimation of female value was his specialty so we do not wonder at his pronouncement of two or three weeks ago, but the man actually has the consummate gall to size up the Canadian workman generally in the following terms: "The national characteristic, the determination to do nothing that is not absolutely imperative." Sounds like the description of the inmates of a penitentiary. And incarceration in such an institution is none too severe treatment for reckless writers who undertake to vilify what is too large for their finite minds to comprehend.

Some Conspicuous Ruins. Here's a story by way of "divarication" in Canadian West are a large number of British immigrants, millarily known as "remittance men," i. e. whilst they take up holdings and plant at various points in the west, they are unwilling to live on periodical remittances of cash from home, spending most of their valuable time in sampling such liquors as they can put lip to. This as a preface to what follows: An English tourist was making a trip thru the western provinces. To all who would hear him he loudly declaimed against the country and the few amusing sights to be seen. "Beastly monotonous, don't you know," he unhesitatingly said to a Canadian. His listener proceeded to point out that these same monotonous stretches of wheat-fields were a source of great wealth, and also served as the granaries of the empire. "Ya-as, oh ya-as," was the languid reply, "but just think. In England, don't you know, we would have passed numbers of impressive ruins in this time."

Our Liquor Laws. The "Indian List" is the cause for much satire on Jamie's part, and is also the excuse for the display of much ingenuity in setting forth an explanation for the term applied to the list. And there is no justification for his jest, since he admits himself that the institution of the list has made drunkenness far less frequent here than in the old land. "Over-indulgence," says he, "is far less noticeable here than at home, and not only at week ends, but through the week. I honestly admit that I have seen at least one man under the influence of drink in one hour than I have seen here in six weeks. And the age bar is much higher and more rigidly adhered to. No miner is allowed to enter licensed premises and no woman is served with liquor either to drink or to carry out." Halfhearted Compliment to the Ladies. We think that already the good seeds of Canadian citizenship have been planted in James Wallace. Nothing less surely could explain his comment to the ladies, halfhearted tho' it is. To them he ascribes the credit for most of the temperance activity prevailing in this province. In his own

At a recent meeting presided over by Mrs. W. R. Trotter the league decided that as there were no unmade ties made or sold in Canada, they would get as near to it as possible and decided to buy goods and make ties and sell them to union men and utilize the profits for league propaganda. They are also arranging a moonlight "get-together" excursion for union men and their wives.

Among the prominent members of the league are Mrs. A. W. Puttee, Mrs. Ada Muir, editor of The Voice's woman's column, Mrs. Hoof and others.

More Women's Aid. There is to be open soon in New York a retail shop handling only articles of women's wear with the union label. The New York Federation of Women's Clubs have favored the support of their members for the label of the Ladies' Garment Workers. The women students of the colleges have manifested a lively interest and the women students of the University of Wisconsin have taken a label pledge.

At Baltimore, Md., at the present time there is a case going on before the courts in which the oxing of private detectives are being pitted against union mechanics, strikers of the Baltimore & Ohio Railway. The detectives swear they wormed their way into the confidence of the union men and discovered a plot to dynamite the B. & O. shops and railroad bridges. On the other hand, the union men under arrest depse that the scheme was proposed by the detectives in the guise as union men and sympathizers, and in spite of their being denounced by Seventh Vice-President Walter Ames of the International Association of Machinists, they—three men into the trap by threats and cajolment. The case is almost similar to a recent case in Toronto, where two spy-master detectives—and a threepenny man to rob a Yonge-street furrier and then had him intercepted in the act, thereby claiming a clever piece of detective work, but the jury discharged the prisoner. It is not so long ago since a machinist striker of the Santa Fe Railway arrived in Toronto at the Labor Temple, a fugitive from justice, as a result of the acts of one of these fake detectives trying to induce him to put emery dust in the oil cups of a locomotive, and when he demurred put it in himself and charged the young man with it, and he, knowing it would be difficult to combat direct evidence, even tho' fake, rather skipped out.

At Hamilton the non-union teamsters in the employ of a railway carage company are talking against striking for a ten-hour day—at present they work twelve hours. The report further states: "The men have no grievance about wages, as only a few weeks ago the company raised them from \$44 to \$46 per month." Men who do not know enough to organize for their protection deserve to work 12 hours a day and for about 15 cents an hour. While the organized street laborers and hod carriers work eight hours a day and receive 25 and 30 cents an hour.