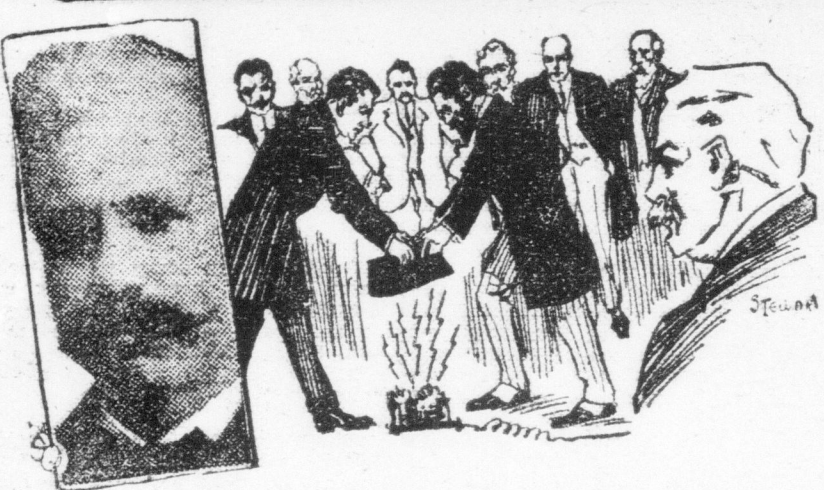
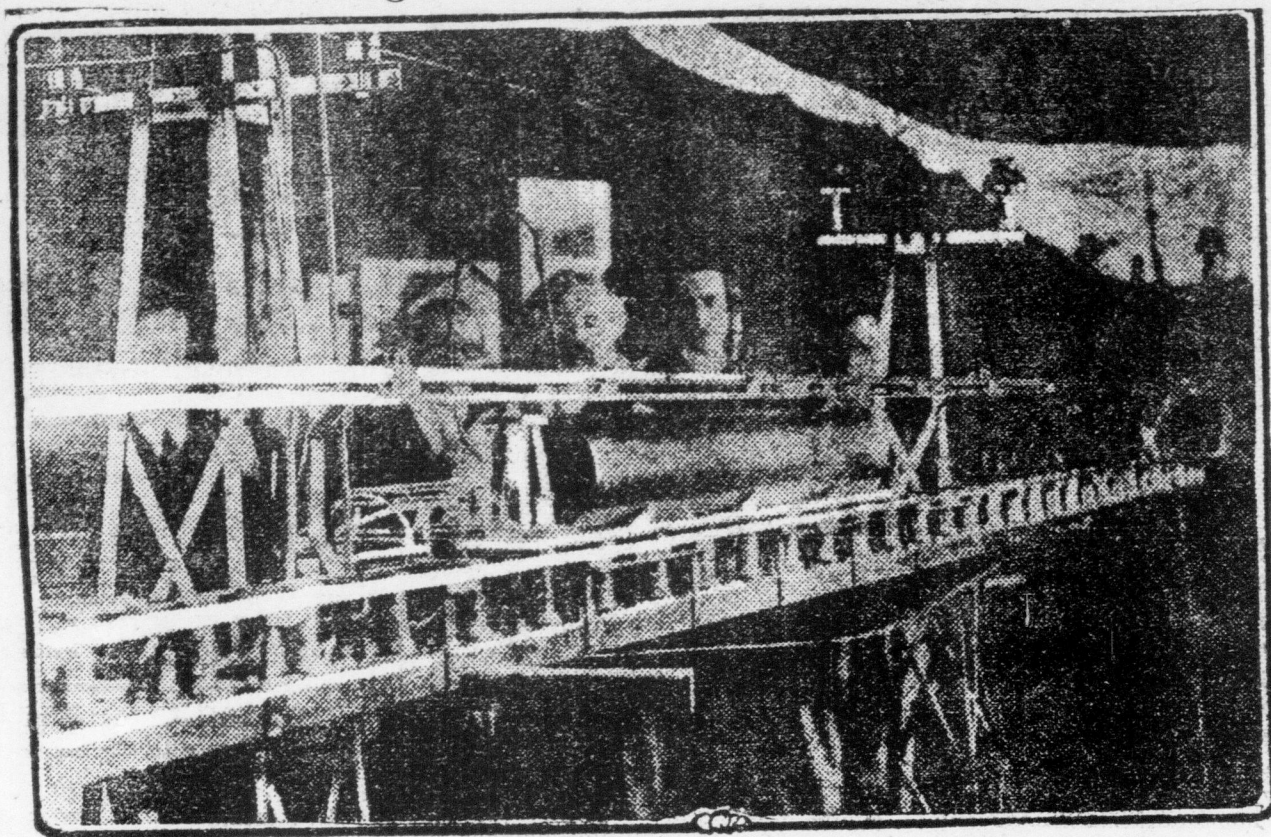


## Inventor Defies Law of Gravitation; Constructs Engine That Can Go 1,000 Miles an Hour



Above, Experimental railway in Bachelet's workshop; below, an actual demonstration of weight held in mid-air by electric current and photograph of Emile Bachelet, the Wizard.

### Special Correspondence.

New York, April 6.—Emile Bachelet, a grizzled Frenchman living in obscurity and for a long time near to poverty, but for twenty years a patient, though unschooled deliverer into the hidden mysteries of electric forces, has just demonstrated to the wonderment of the scientific world an invention that actually defies the world-old and seemingly inflexible law of gravitation.

In his shabby laboratory in Mount Vernon, N. Y., Bachelet exhibited his wonderful device to a party of interested friends, he having received on the previous day his basic patent rights. Only a few weeks ago the government patent experts believed the man out of his head.

The performance in the laboratory was weird. At the touch of a button they saw a twelve-pound metal weight rising in mid-air, resting solidly on an invisible cushion of electric current. They placed their hands on this

weight and pressed down. The weight wobbled and squirmed upward, like a hollow ball on water.

Bachelet made these experiments merely to demonstrate the new scientific principle which he has adapted to a transportation device so wonderful as to make imagination reel.

He explained that the principle is that of electric-magnetic attraction. The boy with his horseshoe magnet knows that it will pick up a needle. Bachelet has found an alternating electric current, or wave, that drives the needle away from the magnet—drives it into the air.

Scientists have pursued this fugitive idea for many years. Tom L. Johnson, late mayor of Cleveland, who was an inventor, experimented with the principle of electro-magnetic repulsion, but never perfected it.

Bachelet discovered that while direct electric current strongly attracts metals, the alternating or interrupting current will repel metals, particularly aluminum and brass.

and have Turkey accept Italy's settlement terms.

Mr. Morgan recently had an audience with the King of Italy, and it is thought that he then learned what Italy will offer Turkey in the way of a settlement. When he meets the Kaiser he will communicate his information and, as Germany has great influence at Constantinople, an ending of the war may be arranged.

Italy, it is known, will not end the war unless Turkey hands over Tripoli.

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### MORGAN AS PEACE-MAKER

Now in Europe With View of Ending Italian-Turkish War.

London, April 6.—J. P. Morgan's visits to Europe have always proved to be interesting events, but according to the reports in financial circles here his present sojourn on this side of the ocean may contribute to the ending of a war, namely the Italy-Turkey conflict. The American financier has been commissioned to meet the German Emperor in Venice when the latter returns from his short vacation at Corfu, and it is then that it is expected that Mr. Morgan will endeavor to bring the Kaiser to the side of peace.

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## A SILVER OFFERING FOR J. M. DILLON

President of W. O. C. T. A. Given Handsome Present by Members on Saturday.

### ANNUAL MEETING HELD

High Praise for the Man Who Has Presided Over the Assessment For Two Years.

At the regular meeting of the Western Ontario Commercial Travellers' Association held on Saturday afternoon in the Masonic Temple, Mr. J. M. Dillon, who for the past two years has presided over the association, was presented with a four-tier cabinet of silver by the members in recognition of his services on behalf of the association. This was the second occasion he had been elected president, and during his four years' presidency of the office had done a great deal to bring the organization to its present prosperous condition.

The address was read by Mr. Donald Ferguson, the president, and the presentation was made by Mr. H. H. Benson, second vice-president. Mr. Ferguson made a short speech, in which he spoke of the excellent work done by Mr. Dillon, and expressed the gratitude of the association for his services. The address was signed on behalf of the association by Donald Ferguson, president; H. W. Lind, first vice-president; H. H. Benson, second vice-president; W. L. Underwood, treasurer; A. Robinson, secretary.

### Mr. Dillon's Reply.

Mr. Dillon, in reply, thanked the members for the kindness. He appreciated it very much, and it would be but another reminder of the pleasant relations that had existed between himself and the members during the 37 years he had been connected with the organization. In a reminiscent mood, he recounted the difficulties in organizing the association in the early days. The small membership, and the lack of funds, made it hard work to get it alive, but the membership was enthusiastic, and kept at it until at the present time, the membership is over 3,000, and the reserve fund a quarter of a million dollars. Mr. Dillon spoke appreciatively of the work of the present officers of the association, and declared that the coming year would be the best in its history.

### Other Speakers.

Short speeches were made by Mr. H. H. Benson, second vice-president; W. L. Underwood, treasurer; William Gray, past president; J. T. Green, past president, appreciating the work Mr. Dillon had done for the association.

The regular routine business was transacted. Among those present were Donald Ferguson, H. H. Benson, W. L. Underwood, Alf. Robinson, W. Gray, R. W. Vanless, J. T. Green, C. W. McGuire, J. M. Adams, G. McEwen, William Turnbull, C. C. Falls, W. Grant, J. W. Nichols, Glen Wilson, J. Currie, A. Conley, W. J. Taylor, and others.

### THE GRAIN COMMISSION

Professor Magill To Be Appointed Chairman of the Body.

[Canadian Press.]  
Ottawa, April 6.—Appointments to the grain commission authorized by the act passed at the recent session of Parliament will be made only when the act is formally proclaimed.

It is understood, however, that the Halifax report that Prof. D. Magill will be named chairman, is correct. Prof. Magill investigated the question of grain-handling and elevators for the Saskatchewan Government, and is well informed on the subject. The other members of the commission will probably be C. C. Cassels, warehouse commissioner at Winnipeg, and Frank Gibbs, chief grain inspector, Fort William, and formerly of Ottawa.

### FLOATED AT HIGH TIDE.

Bristol, R. I., April 6.—The British tank steamer Georgian Prince, which went ashore on the eastern end of Howland Thursday evening, was floated at high tide early today by several tugs. At dawn the vessel was anchored off Bristol harbor and another large steamer was standing by. Shore observers believe that the cargo of oil was being transferred from the Georgian Prince to the other vessel. The Georgian Prince appeared to be leaking.

### AYLMER MOTOR CLUB

Newman Booker is President of Newly-Formed Organization.

[Special To The Advertiser.]  
Aylmer, April 6.—The automobile owners of the town met in the office of W. Harold Barnum last night and formed themselves into a club to be known as the Aylmer Motor Club. The following officers were elected: Honorary president, D. Marshall, M. P.; honorary vice-president, J. J. Nairn; president, Newman Booker; secretary, W. Harold Barnum; treasurer, E. A. Caughell. The club will start the season with a membership of about forty.

Two bylaws will be submitted to the property-owners to be voted on shortly, one for the purpose of purchasing the Scott property that the street may be made wider; the other for the purchase of the W. E. Stewart property on John street for a site for the Carnegie library.

### WESTERN ELECTRIC ELECTS.

New York, April 6.—U. N. Bethel was elected president of the Western Electric Company today, succeeding R. F. Wells. Other directors and officers were re-elected.

### KILLED IN ACCIDENT.

New York, April 6.—It was reported at police headquarters here today that one man had been killed and eight injured in an accident on the Newport Chester Railroad, near the Williams Bridge road, not far from White Plains. No details were given.

### REMARKABLE OPERATION.

Leipzig, Germany, April 6.—A remarkable operation has just been performed on an imbecile child by Prof. Erwin Payr, director of the surgical clinic attached to the Leipzig University, with great success. The professor planted a piece of the thyroid gland taken from a healthy child born of a healthy mother, into the liver of the imbecile child, who immediately afterwards began to improve in intelligence, which steadily increased until a complete cure was effected and the patient discharged from the clinic.

## STRATHROY STUDENTS' EASTER HONOR ROLL

Results of Term Just Completed Were Most Satisfactory in Every Way.

[Special To The Advertiser.]  
Strathroy, April 8.—The honor roll for the local public schools for the term just closed is as follows:

### MAITLAND STREET SCHOOL.

T. Dunsmore's Division.  
F. Weise, E. Gough, Irma James, Margaret Berdan, Gertrude Graham, A. Anderson, H. Geddes, Helen Healy, Irene Mathews, Edith Cummingford, Pearl Cooper, Muriel Walls.

### Miss Stevenson's Division.

Sonora Frank Murphy, Amy Newton Douglas, Below, Iva Watkinson, Percy Dewar.

### Miss Robertson's Division.

Seniors—Charlotte Rapley, Evelyn Gough, Alma Truman, Marjory Sadler, Mary Sullivan, Grace Boman, Irene Shields, Helen Auld, Clifford Hunter, Vera Howson.

### Miss Shepherd's Division.

Dorothy Johnson, Berne McAlister, Watson Snook, Fred Boyd, Jack Kannawin, Gladys Herd, Irene Downham, Madeline Goldhawk, James Elmore, Mary Hoskin, Clifford Shields, Chaire Auld, Jack Newton, George Wright.

### COLBROOK STREET SCHOOL.

L. Cuddy's Division.  
Fred James, Wallace Leitch, Gladys Davis, Jannette Johnson, Vera Fortner.

### Miss Armstrong's Division.

Seniors—E. Pook and Helen Berdan, Ruth Davis, Richard Pincombe, Ernest Perkins, Grace Kinder, R. Ellis, Leonard Rogers, L. Cann, Stella Gill, Leola Smith.

### Juniors—Lillian Field, Lily Somerville, Irene Leitch, Grace Dunn, Ruth Brett, Gertrude Stathane, Hubert Connelly, Harold Steele, Gladys Burkholder, Gordon Piffey, Hugh Collins, Marie McDonald, Edna Robinson, Roy Brothers, Hugh Taylor, Vivien McLellan.

### Miss Smith's Division.

Seniors—Elva Keyser, Jean Thompson, Clara Wilkie, Emily Jervis, Lucile Moore, Audrey Donaldson, Mary Somerville.

### Juniors—Louis Galloway, Harry Sullivan, Olive English, Eva Joyce, Lawrence Newton, Marjorie Gough, Norman Campbell, Edward Davis, Hazen Pearson, Clarence Pearson.

### Miss Statham's Division.

Seniors—Elva Keyser, Nellie McAdore, Lillian Gale, Gordon Millett, Kenneth Lyons, Winnifred Kinder, Clifford Smith, Mary McAdore, Jean McVicar, Dorothy Mitchell.

### CARADOC STREET SCHOOL.

Miss Crealey's Division.  
Paul Milliken, Leonard Montgomery, Elsie Patterson, Rachel Joyce.

### EASTER EXAMINATIONS

SECTION NO. 3, LOBO.

The following is the report of S. S. No. 3, Lobo, giving the percentage of each pupil:

Class V.—Dorothy Cutler 92, Edith Nichols 78.

Class IV.—Senior—Wilfred Crawford 84, Pearson Brown 81, Frank Adair 75.

Junior IV.—George Eycraft 81, Kathleen Crawford 88, Fred Adair 59, Robbie Gladwell (absent).

Class III.—Senior—Amy Nichols 78, Laura Zavitz 76, Mabel Brown 73, Kenneth Crawford 72, Ha Clara 71, Bessie McIntyre 62, Russell McIntyre 52.

Junior III.—Anna Eycraft 77, Cora Tucker 73, Theodore Grey (absent), Everett Smith (absent).

Class II.—Howard Brown 84, Arthur Gladwell 84, Eddie Clark 57.

Class I.—Senior—Ellis Cutler 67, Mary Shotwell (absent), Kenneth Graham 65, Gordon Tucker 58.

Class I Junior—Chester Brown 76, Douglas Graham 63.

A. M. CAVERHILL, Teacher.

### SECTIONS 9 AND 13.

The following is the report of the test examinations held in S. S. Nos. 9 and 13, Lobo and London Townships. The pupils were examined on the subjects for entrance and for promotion:

Class IV.—Senior—Pass 299—Elmer Gadsby 447 (spelling), Charlie Fong 425 (arithmetic).

Class IV.—Junior—Sheldon McCandless 247.

Class III.—Senior—Pass 249—Dora Wallace 425, Bernice Tucker 229, Stanley Doan 280.

Class II.—Junior—Wesley Hyatt 250.

Class I.—Pass 299—Mary Wallis 285, Inez Tucker 239, Edgar Doan 302, Reggie Thody 175, Annie Thody 169.

Part II.—Pass 175—Hazel Higgins 190, Laura Edwards 188, Keith Alway 183, Alex. Marshall 188, Shirley McCandless 159.

Part I.—Charles Thody, Clifford Hyatt, Benson Tucker, Mary Knight.

G. W. GENDOLYN LANGFORD, Teacher.

### EMPLOYERS OPPOSE INDUSTRIAL WORKERS

Citizens' Committee of San Diego Run Editor Out of Town.

[Canadian Press.]  
Hoquiam, Wash., April 6.—The strike situation in Hoquiam has greatly been affected by the decision of the sawmill presidents and managers to sign an agreement that \$2.25 a day shall be the lowest wage paid to the common laborer here; that preference be given to the so-called white labor, and that an employment bureau, maintained by citizens, undertake to keep the mills supplied with desirable men.

The millmen declare that, while they refused to treat with the Industrial Workers of the World, they had no quarrel with union labor, and would not discriminate against union men.

The Industrial Workers in Hoquiam have tagged themselves with cards reading "Against the Shotgun Brigade."

San Diego, Cal., April 6.—Among the men removed from San Diego during the night, presumably by the members of the citizens' committee, was A. R. Bauer, editor of a weekly paper that has upheld the industrial workers, and bitterly denounced the authorities. He was placed in an automobile and driven swiftly away.

### GEORGE MIGHTON DEAD.

Durham, Ont., April 8.—George Mighton, a farmer of Bentinck Township, died at his home there on Friday last. He was 55 years of age and a much respected citizen. Interment takes place tomorrow.

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### REV. H. D. WHITMORE TO HIS CONGREGATION

New Pastor of First Congregational Church Made Good Impression Sunday.

Rev. H. D. Whitmore the new pastor of the First Congregational Church, took charge on Easter Sunday, preaching two sermons to large congregations. In opening the service in the morning he conveyed the greeting of Calvary Congregational Church, Kingston, his former charge to the members of the First Congregational Church.

His first sermons were appropriate to Easter Sunday, dealing with the resurrection of Jesus Christ, and they stamped him as a preacher of much power and deep thought.

In the morning he preached on the subject, "Who Shall Roll Away the Stone From the Sepulchre?" The resurrection was one of the great facts of history. On it the Christian religion was based—it gave hope for this world, and that to come.

Over men's lives a pall hung, and it could only be lifted by Christ. Philosophy had failed, atheism had failed, all systems that did not place Jesus Christ in His proper place had failed. The variousisms were but the trick of the adversary to lead mankind from the truth.

The heathen world, with its fearful rites, perpetually asked who would roll away the stone from their graves. They could find no answer, until the Christian Church took to them the story of Jesus and the resurrection. The Christian's grave is not one of lamentation, but of hope, for Christ died and rose again, and so shall all, when the day of judgment comes. The new pastor was given a hearty welcome by the congregation, the large majority waiting after the services to become acquainted with him.

### FRACTURED HER HIP

Mrs. George Stevens, of Guilds, Lay Helpless For Hours.

[Special To The Advertiser.]  
Guilds, April 6.—Mrs. George Stevens, an elderly woman, who resides at Scotland, near here, while going to visit a neighbor, fell on some ice and fractured her hip. She lay helpless for some time, and then became unconscious. Finally her groans attracted the attention of some passersby, and she was removed to her home. Her condition at the present time is very serious.

Guilds Methodist circuit has gathered \$35 for the Chinese famine fund.

Mr. George Gosnell is the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Norman Cunningham, of Eribeau, who is very seriously ill at her father's home.

### REV. THOS. GRIFFITH DEAD

One of the Most Prominent Figures in Methodist Church of Canada.

Toronto, April 8.—Rev. Dr. Thos. Griffith, M. A., Ph. D., famous for his successful leadership of the Fox Bay settlers, died on Saturday evening at his late residence, 188 Dowling avenue.

Dr. Griffith was for many years one of the most prominent figures at the Methodist General Conference. His health broke down six years ago during the first year of his pastorate at the First Church, St. Thomas, on returning from the ministry. He came to Toronto to reside. He was in his 69th year.

Among the pastorates held by Dr. Griffith were Euclid Avenue, Carlton Street and Broadway, Toronto; Methodist Church, Quebec, and Sydenham Street, Kingston.

Since retiring to Toronto Dr. Griffith had been a member of Parkdale Methodist Church. He is survived by his son, Dr. R. C. Griffith, of 212 Jameson avenue, and two daughters, Mrs. Kennedy, St. Thomas, and Mrs. McConnell, of Montreal.

The funeral service will be conducted at the residence of his son, Dr. Griffith, tomorrow afternoon, by Rev. W. B. Caswell. The funeral will be to the Necropolis.

### Is Sickness a Habit?

With many sickness undoubtedly becomes to some extent a habit. They have "bilious spells," "back headaches," "attacks of indigestion." Why not shake loose from these ailments and know once more the joy of good health?

It takes a little will power. You may have to deny yourself some luxuries which do not agree with you, but it is worth while to be well and to prolong life. Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills will help you, because they act directly and directly on the liver and thereby remove the causes of biliousness, headache and indigestion.

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De Smith—Doctor, I came to see you about my youngest brother. One of his legs is shorter than the other and he limps. Now, what would you do in a case of that kind?

Doctor—I am afraid I should limp, too!