

## POTATOES STILL LEAVE TORONTO

Thirty-Seven Cars Loaded for  
U. S.—Bakers Deny  
Profiteering.

### INGREDIENTS UP

There was little news yesterday in the H. C. L. so far as potatoes and bread are concerned. On the esplanade railway siding 37 carsloads of potatoes, with an average of 350 bags to a car, were discovered. They were not designed, however, to relieve the Toronto situation—they were sold to go to the United States, but owing to the railway tie-up in Chicago it is difficult to transport them. Some of these potatoes were sold as low as \$5.25 per bag, whilst Toronto dealers are asked by the merchants to pay \$6.25 for the same article. The difference is said to be made up in the present rate of exchange and that no labor is employed when the buyers purchase the potatoes as they stand in the railway cars. In this connection, A. A. McKinnon, one of the oldest potato dealers in the city, said yesterday that the big buying of American interests had changed the whole complexion of the local market. "They are offering us \$5.50 a bag in carload lots," said he, "and as there is no labor attached, we are reaping a clear profit."

**Not Profiteers.**  
Mark Bredin, chairman Canada Bread Company, declared yesterday that the bakers are in no way profiteers in putting another cent a loaf on bread. Mr. Bredin alleges that the rising price of flour is the main cause for the bread price jump, but there are other contributory causes. Flour in December was \$11 a barrel. Now it is \$13.40 a barrel. Yet the bakers waited until February 17 before they raised the bread price, and they waited until the board of commerce justified an increase of 1½ cents a loaf. "We were then going along on the ragged edge, so to speak," said Mr. Bredin. "But we waited, whereas we would have been justified in raising the price in December, for \$2.25 a barrel is equal to 1½ cents a loaf."

**Many Other Causes.**  
"There are many other causes—the price of sugar, which before the war we bought at 3½ and 4 cents a pound; the price of oats, which we used to buy at 45 or 50 cents a bushel, are now \$1.15; and a long list of rising costs like that."

"What about wages? Do you blame them?" "No, we do not lay the blame for the bread increase on wages, that is not contended at all, although we have had to raise wages by a big margin."

### UNIVERSITY NOTES

In recognition of his long services for the university, the board of governors have decided to have a portrait of Sir Edmund Walker, chairman of the above-mentioned board, painted and presented to the university. Sir Edmund has been chairman of the board of governors for the past ten years, and has served on the board of trustees since 1891.

Dr. C. K. Clarke, dean of the faculty of medicine, has received a letter from Dr. C. Pearce, who visited Toronto during the winter months, in company with Dr. George V. Neely, president of the Rockefeller Foundation. Dr. Pearce expects to be in Toronto again on or about May 15, when he will further investigate the needs of the faculty of medicine and the amount of the \$500,000 gift that will be allotted to it for the advancement of medicine in Canada. A number of prominent American physicians will also accompany Dr. Pearce on his visit here.

The students' administrative council, which is the governing body with regard to all student activities in or around the university, has granted a renewal of the relations between the men and women of the first year, administration of the financial and executive work of TheVarsity, the undergraduate newspaper, and The Torontoensis, or official graduate's year book.

Up to the present, the official in charge of the annual convocation have not decided as to what date the convocation ceremonies will be held, but in all probabilities this annual and very important function will take place at convocation hall during the first, possibly the second, week in June. The graduation list this year should be particularly heavy, in view of the fact that a great number of the young men who enlisted before they completed their course will receive their degree this year. The examinations for arts and medicine are only about a week away, and the results of these examinations should be published towards the end of May, with convocation following close on the heels of this.

### MAKE ABLE SEAMEN OUT OF YOUNG LADS

Admiral Kingsmill, who has taken immense interest in the welfare of the boys of the naval brigade, has indirectly sent out to various stations and ships the first finished product of Canada's famous naval training school. Several of the boys, ranging in age from 16 to 23, have been sent out as able seamen and are now beginning the great careers of their lives. One of these was selected from 50 volunteers. He was sent to the Maid of England, a freighter plying between Halifax and Glasgow. Two more were sent to trawlers in the Bay of Fundy, and seven or eight others are being sent on to the fisheries protective department for Lake Erie.

These boys are all Torontonians, and by virtue of great enthusiasm and application to study, managed to cram a four years' course into two years.

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## SOCIETY NEWS

CONDUCTED BY MRS. EDMUND PHILLIPS

His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Mrs. Clarke are going to Montreal this week for a few days. His Excellency the Duke of Devonshire will spend a few days at Government House towards the end of the month.

Lady Gibson and Miss Eugenia Gibson were in town from Hamilton yesterday with Mrs. Robert Walde. Colonel Grant Morden is expected in town from Montreal to spend the week-end with his mother, who will return with him on an short visit.

A luncheon yesterday for Miss Betty Greene and her attendants at her wedding on the 5th of May. The hostess wore a graceful black gown. The collected table was arranged with real lace and a basket of pink sweet peas and white lilacs, with a corsage bouquet of pansies for each guest and for the bride-elect a bouquet of sweetest roses.

The guests included Mrs. H. Nicholson (Hamilton), Miss Ruth Smith, Miss Marjorie Bevan, Miss Sidney Greene, Miss Rosamond Ryckman, Mrs. Poupore, Miss Margaret Austin, Miss Isobel Cawthra. Mr. Charles MacInnes, K.C., is in Ottawa for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George O'Neill are at the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa. The marriage took place on April 15, in St. George's Church, Toronto, of Lieut. Col. E. J. Renaud, O.B.E., R.C.O.C., eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Renaud, Ottawa, and Miss Lillian M., widow of the late Lieut. Col. James Rose, M.D., Halifax, N.S.

Mrs. William Hamar Greenwood, Vancouver, and daughters, are in Toronto en route to New York. They will spend a few days at the Commodore before sailing for England by the Kronland, the first of May. Miss Greenwood has finished her third year university examinations at Vancouver, B.C., and Miss Charlotte Greenwood has taken a course of study at the Ontario Ladies' College, Whitby.

Miss Vivian Clarke was the hostess of a luncheon at her home at St. George's yesterday in honor of Miss Ethel Jennings. The guests included Mrs. Wilbur Best, Mrs. Austin Meredith, Mrs. Holly Prime, Miss Mary Hanna, Miss Claire Prime and Miss Stanley Higgs.

Mrs. Hanbury Budden is in town from Montreal, staying with Mrs. Hume Blake. Mrs. Douglas Ehardt will return from Baiton, Florida, the middle of next month.

Mrs. D. J. Ryan, Rusholme road, and Mrs. C. Muirhill, Lyndhurst avenue, have left for an extended trip to Atlantic City and other cities.

The last meeting of the Dancing Club took place at the King Edward and closed a most successful season. A few of the large number present included:

## AS A WOMAN THINKETH WHAT EVERY WOMAN WOULD LIKE TO KNOW

BY HELEN ROWLAND.

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Here are some more things, which every woman would like to know!

She would like to know:

How a man can laugh at women's clothes, after he has caught a glimpse of himself in the mirror?

Why a man assumes that all angels are blondes, and that therefore all blondes must be angels—unless he happens to be married to one?

Why a man calls it "news" when he tells something, and "gossip" when a woman tells it?

Why a man thinks that it is necessary to use only one brain-cell in conversing with his wife?

Why a man spends half his life in thinking up alibis to escape doing things, and the other half in hunting up things for a woman to do?

Why even a divorced husband lends a woman a mysterious fascination, in the eyes of a man, that no spinster can ever hope to attain?

Why the feminine qualities with which a man falls in love no more resemble those which he wants in a wife, than a jazz-tune resembles the dowdy?

Why every married man constitutes himself a "detective," and pounces upon a forgotten piece of cheese in the ice-box as prima facie "evidence" of his wife's attempt to impoverish him?

Why a scintillating remark from the lips of a pretty girl always strikes a man dumb with pain and astonishment?

Why all the successful and brainy men marry chorus girls, telephone operators and manicurists, while brilliant women always draw blank checks?

Why a man insists on making his wife dress so "sensitively" that no other man will look at her—and then begins to wonder what he saw in her?

Why a man always assumes that "stained-glass" attitude, when he has decided to "give up" something that he doesn't want or is tired of?

How a man's heart can spring right back into working conditions, so soon after it has been "crushed"?

Why a man never begins to find fault with a woman, until she decides to go into the kitchen and cook for him?

Why a man will cheerfully break the Sabbath, but regards the act of "stretching" after the seventh inning as a sacred rite?

Why is baseball? Why is a derby hat? Why is a bachelor?

Why a man seldom begins to dream of the "ideal woman," until he has been married to a real one for a few long years?

Why a man doesn't want his photograph to flatter him?

Why men are so interesting—and indispensable?

Why life is so dull without them?

## HARD TO SECURE DOMESTIC ARTISTS

Central Technical to Suggest  
New Department to Education Minister.

Matters in connection with the Central Technical School were discussed at a meeting of the advisory industrial committee, held yesterday afternoon. Trustee Mrs. W. E. Groves in the chair. On a strong recommendation from Mr. J. P. McKay, the appointment of Miss Agnes Puddington, B.A., B.S., to the position of director of domestic art in the Technical School, was approved and will be recommended to the board. In connection with the position and the difficulty in securing those in Canada trained in such work, Mrs. Groves introduced the idea of the need for a school which would train in order to supply the demand. After discussion it was resolved to interview the minister of education with the view of suggesting such a department in connection with the Technical School, and the opportunity given the students for observation in the schools would be all needed to make a beginning, was explained by Dr. McKay.

It was also decided to recommend that a minimum fee of \$10 for the use of the auditorium of the school for evening or half day be charged, and the regular fee for same be \$25. The custodian, caretaker and operating engineer to be paid \$3 each when services are given after school hours. The resignation of S. B. McCready, who is to take up a fresh line of work, was accepted. Principal McKay gave the returns for the past month of the lunch room, receipts being \$3,342; expenses, \$2,193.28; credit balance, \$1,148.72. This was considered very satisfactory.

### GREATEST OF ALL PIANOS.

"I have traveled the world over," writes Dr. Pachmann, one of the world's greatest pianists, "and have heard the greatest pianos of all countries. I do not hesitate to say that the Helmsman & Co. piano that I used in my Canadian tour surpassed in beauty of tone and delicacy of touch any piano I have used anywhere. Inspect these instruments in the firm's warerooms at 193-197 Yonge street, Toronto."

### ST. ANTHONY'S DANCE.

The St. Anthony's branch of the B. V. Sodality held a very successful euchre and dance last night in the St. Mary's Hall on Bathurst street, which was tastefully decorated for the occasion. About 100 couples were present and they spent a most enjoyable evening, dancing to the strains of the orchestra that was in attendance.

### STEAMER SERVICE STARTS.

The Canadian Pacific Railway announces that their first upper lake steamer for this season will leave Port McNicoll for Port William Saturday, May 1, followed by five sailings each week thereafter.

Freights for Port Arthur, Port William and northwest points is now being accepted for routing via Port McNicoll.

### TEAM RUNS AWAY.

Becoming out of control at 5.30 p.m. yesterday afternoon, a team owned by John Malcolm, 43 Saultier street, bolted north on Strangely street, crossing Queen, and crashed through the glass window of Fred Higginson's grocery store, 808 East Queen street. The horses were slightly out by glass.

### B.O.T.A. CHARGE.

William Oulton, 189 West King street, was, arrested last night by Plainclothesmen Greenley and Parish on a charge of B.O.T.A. Oulton is said to have had a bottle of whiskey on his person when arrested by the police.

## "What's in a Name?"

Facts about your name; its history; its meaning; whence it was derived; its significance; your lucky day and lucky jewel.

By MILDRED MARSHALL

LULU.

Yesterday's discussion of Loretta suggested Lulu as an interesting parallel study. Lulu is also the result of modern spelling. Its correct form is Loulou, a version which originated and is still favorite in France.

Its popularity is attributed to the Provencal Lora de Sades, beloved of Petrarch, whose story is considered one of the world's greatest romances. She is the lady whose praises are sung by the great Italian poet in his "Rome" or sonnets. She is identified with Lora de Noves, an Avignon lady, who died of the plague in 1348 and who was already married to Hughes de Sades in 1327 when Petrarch is said to have first seen her.

The romantic nature of the French caused the name of the lovely heroine to find extraordinary vogue in that country. However Lora or Laura is scarcely euphonious to French ears and she became Laure, and finally Loulou. In this country, Lulu is the accepted form and her association with Laura is practically forgotten. Sometimes the name is even regarded as a diminutive of Louise.

Jet is Lulu's talismanic stone. It is the symbol of sorrow, but according to an old superstition, it will protect its wearer from sorrow since it has an almost unique power among gems of being a part of the very body and soul if guarded with jealous care. Friday is Lulu's lucky day and 4 her lucky number.

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### I.O.B.B., Toronto Lodge.

Holds Pleasant Stag Dance

I.O.B.B., Toronto Lodge No. 836, held a very successful stag last night at the Prince George Hotel. About 100 candidates were initiated, and splendid talent held the 200 members spellbound until midnight. The brethren assembled were overjoyed when they heard the news that Britain had accepted the mandate to establish a Jewish state in Palestine. Following the announcement, patriotic airs were joyfully sung, and the meeting closed with "Rule Britannia" and "God Save the King."

### CHARGED WITH THEFT.

Laverne Humphrey, 922 Eastern avenue, was taken into custody last night by Acting Detective Donaldson on a charge of theft. Humphrey was employed by William Taylor, who runs a butcher store at 1362 East Queen street, and is alleged to have delivered C.O.D. orders, valued at approximately \$19, and to have kept the money.

## Piquant and pungent— yet delicate

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## MOTHER TO RETAIN CUSTODY OF CHILD

Parents Disagreed as to Small Bill at Corner Grocery.

For at least eighteen months Mrs. Irene Jennings of Ossington avenue will be able to keep her three-year-old son. The action of the father, James Jennings, for the care of the child, made yesterday before Mr. Justice Lennox at Osgoode Hall, was dismissed. Mr. and Mrs. Jennings were married on July 15, 1916, and lived together until Mrs. Jennings left in October, 1916.

It was brought up that the cause of the separation was the husband's refusal to pay a small bill which his wife had contracted at the corner grocery. R. H. Greer, for the mother, said that when Mrs. Jennings went to live at her husband's home he was in the habit of fighting with visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Jennings alleged that the husband drank heavily.

Mr. Jennings will be allowed to renew application in 18 months, and in the meantime may see his son every week.

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## MOURNING ORDERS 24 HOUR SERVICE

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## Rented Garage for Stolen Auto, is Police Story

Reginald Johnson, 53 Gloucester street, was arrested last night by Detective-Sergeants Koster, Thompson and Mulholland on a charge of stealing an automobile, the property of K. H. Doll, 25 Dundonald street, from in front of his residence last Sunday morning. The officers recovered the missing motor car in a garage at the rear of 164 Harbord street, which they claim Johnson had rented for the purpose of storing the stolen car.

## Man Found Unconscious From Illuminating Gas

With gas escaping from a tube attached to the gas jet and the door locked from the inside, John Bernard, aged 20, a returned soldier, rooming at 330 Symington avenue, was found unconscious from the effects, by P. C. Hughes at 8 a.m. last night. The door of the room was broken in by Hughes, who rendered first aid, later summoned Dr. C. N. Mooney, 1238 Devonport road. Bernard was removed to the Western Hospital, where it was reported that he was recovering from the effects of the asphyxiation.

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# When Wages Go Up--- Bread Prices Go Up

WE could not increase our bakers' and drivers' wages without raising the cost of bread, especially as flour has advanced in price a few months ago. An increase of 20% has been made to our men and we had to raise the price to make ends meet. In other cities bread prices have been higher than in Toronto for years. Toronto is one of last places to get 13c bread. Even at the new price, bread is the cheapest food you can buy.

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