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Gaston Glass in "The Song of Life."



Georgia Woodthorpe is the mother who rebelled at dishwashing.

tells him that she is his mother.
That climax is sincere because it
is elaborated with the scenicist's
idea of drama, thus getting away
from the real drama of the moment.
The mother is put into jail, but be-
fore the "other man" is eliminated
from the action he exonerates every-
body. No one had any intention of
shooting him—it was all an accident.

Mother and son go free without
trial. No one is charged with carry-
ing concealed weapons. The girl
who was sick of poverty returns to
the impoverished husband. The
mother who deserted her baby finds
happiness in her old age with that
child and in washing dishes for him.
Oh, would that justice and life
might run like that!

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CLAIMS CANADA IN URGENT NEED OF OIL SUPPLY

C. O. Stillman Declares De-
pendence Upon Foreign
Wells Causes Anxiety.

URGES WIDER SEARCH

Imperial Company Head At
Annual Meeting Sure Do-
minion Has Big Fields.

TORONTO, Jan. 19.—Necessity for
discovering oil supply in Canada
as a national source of wealth, rather
than any details of plans in the com-
pany's own exploration, was emphasized
at the annual meeting of Imperial Oil
Limited, today.

President C. O. Stillman said that the
Imperial had built up a large manufac-
turing, marketing and distributing plant,
but it was desirable to round out its
organization by securing a domestic
production of petroleum.

"Dependence upon foreign sources of
supply for crude oil had caused great
anxiety in the past, especially during
the war, but the company's relation with
foreign oil fields in the United States had
enabled it to obtain a continuous and sufficient supply."

"While this is reassuring, when we
contemplate any possible recurrence of
such a shortage in the future," said
Mr. Stillman, "there exists, however,
many disadvantages in the fact that we
are forced to import about 98 per cent
of our raw material."

"High freights are, of course, the
most important of these, but in addi-
tion to this we have been heavily
penalized in the past two years by the
depreciation in Canadian exchange. In
order to buy funds with which to pay
for our raw material abroad our ex-
penditure in the last year has been
about four million dollars, or an
amount almost equal to that paid out
in dividends."

Mr. Stillman gave out no details of
the company's financial operations.
Has Ten Million Flow.

Vice-President V. Ross, reporting
for the production department of the
west, stated that a well at Pouce
Coupe had a flow of 10,000,000 feet
daily of gas, but no use was being
made of it, owing to its remoteness
from civilization. Drilling was con-
tinuing on this well in the hope of
finding oil. The company had aban-
doned operations at four wells, but
were working at fourteen other points
outside of Fort Norman. The deep-
est well abandoned was Twin Butte
in Southern Alberta, which had
reached a depth of 3,975 feet.

President G. H. Smith of the In-
ternational Petroleum Company, a
subsidiary of Imperial, of which he
is also a vice-president, reported on
the year's operations in Peru and
Colombia. Production of oil had
doubled in Peru during the year and
was now 11,000 barrels a day.

In the election of directors the
vacancy on the board through the
retirement of Mr. Mayer was filled
by the election of F. J. Wolfe, while
Victor Ross succeeded Mr. Mayer as
vice-president.

PEKIN TROOPS
MUST WITHDRAW
PEKIN, Jan. 19.—Gen. Chang Tso-
ling, governor of Manchuria, has or-
dered the withdrawal of his troops
from Peking to Mukden. This is re-
garded as an indication that the gov-
ernment does not fear further trouble
from Gen. Wu Pei-fu, who recently
issued an ultimatum demanding that
the cabinet of Premier Liang Shih-
yi resign.

Mayor Has Girl's Salary Cut So Others Won't Become Jealous.

WINDSOR, Jan. 19.—Engaged
as telephone operator at
the new Windsor police build-
ing, at a salary of \$25 per
week, Miss R. Begg faces a
cut to \$5 per month.

This action was taken by the
police commission Thursday
afternoon following a com-
plaint by Mayor H. W. Wilson
that the commission, by pay-
ing "such a high salary" to
Miss Begg, might cause dis-
satisfaction among other girls
in the employ of the city.

Mayor Wilson doubted the
wisdom of having a switch-
board at police headquarters.
Figures, however, showed the
service would save \$100 a year.

FIND SMALLPOX OF SEVERE TYPE

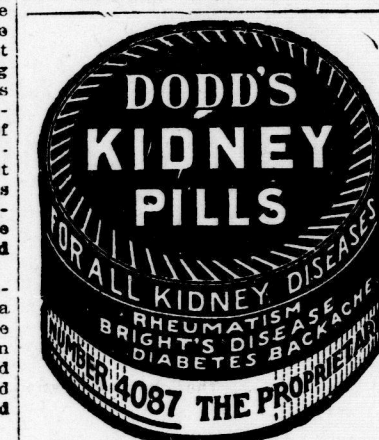
TORONTO, Jan. 19.—The present out-
break of smallpox in Toronto is of a
severe type but not sufficiently wide-
spread to be called an epidemic. There
were 18 cases in all reported today.

A physician of the health department
stated that the number of persons who
were vaccinated two years ago would
serve to prevent the disease spreading
now to a great extent.

GUELPH JUNCTION WILL LOSE NAME

GUELPH, Jan. 19.—Word was re-
ceived by the chamber of commerce
today from the C. P. R. authorities
to the effect that in the near future
a new name would be given to what
is now called Guelph Junction. They
have received a number of com-
plaints from the patrons, who say
that they have been confused in
thinking that when they arrived at
Guelph Junction they are in Guelph,
when in reality they are sixteen miles
away. The giving of this station a
new name would do away with any
such confusion in the future. The
new name has not yet been selected.

Canada Laundry
Starch, 3
lbs. 25c
Hawthorn Sliced Pine-
apple, 2's
..... 35c
Macaroni,
1-lb. carton .. 15c
Pure Gold
Salad Dressing
Canada Pure Lard,
3-lb. 48c
Magic Baking Powder,
16-oz. 33c
Edwardsburg Corn
Starch, 5-lb.
tin 39c
Extracts, all flavors,
2 bottles 23c
Lard, 2 for 22c
Finest Canned To-
matoes, 2 tins
for 29c
6-oz. Corn Brooms,
union made 49c
Red Bird
Matches, box
Eagle 22c
Milk 12c
Finest Canned
Corn, tin 12c
Canned Apples,
large tins 50c
Spaghetti, 16-oz. pkgs. 14c
Sago, 2 lbs. 18c



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CLAIMS CHARGE OF MOTORISTS IS UNJUSTIFIED

Magistrate Declares London
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REFERS TO POLICE FILES

States Only Three Forest City
Offenders Fined During
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[Special to London Advertiser.]
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claim of London motorists that they
have been persecuted in the courts of
St. Thomas on charges of speeding
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hicles act is entirely unjustified and
unfair, is the opinion of Magistrate
Maxwell of this city.

In a report, believed to have eman-
ated from the London Motor Club,
it was stated that members of that
organization had been harassed and
persecuted by the courts of St.
Thomas on information sworn by
street car men who had been allowed
police court fees.

The magistrate pointed out that
London was fined as the result of in-
formation given by employees of the
street railway, the magistrate claim-
ed.

Speaking in reference to the claim
that summonses three weeks old
had been delivered on different oc-
casions in London, Squire Hunt of
the county police court said:
"There were two or three cases
where the summonses were delayed
not through any fault of this court
but because the men summoned were
commercial travellers. The sum-
monses were sent out promptly in
every instance. I am inclined to
think that one man caused all this
stuff to be put in the newspapers."

"I am by no means anxious to try
these cases, if the Londoners voice
so many objections. In fact, I would
be delighted to see them taken to
London and tried. I am not hunting
for that kind of work."

YOUTH SENTENCED FOR
FORGING TWO CHECKS
ST. THOMAS, Jan. 19.—William
McVey, the 20-year-old Yarmouth
youth who, on Tuesday, pleaded
guilty to two charges of uttering
forged checks, one for \$12, and the
other for \$15, appeared before Magis-
trate Maxwell Thursday morning,
and was sentenced to not less than
three months and not more than two
years, less one day, in the Ontario
Reformatory.

With each \$1.00 purchase of merchandise
5 Lbs. Cane Granulated Sugar 30c

Canada Laundry Starch, 3 lbs. 25c	Canada Prize Cheese, lb. 23c	Quaker Toasted Corn Flakes, 2 pkgs. 18c
Hawthorn Sliced Pine- apple, 2's 35c	Purity Brand Rolled Oats, large pkg. 27c	Canned Cherries 25c
Macaroni, 1-lb. carton .. 15c	Oranges Sunkist, navels, doz. 49c	Pure Honey, 5-lb. 89c
Pure Gold Salad Dressing Canada Pure Lard, 3-lb. 48c	Betty's Pure Jams, No. 4, Corneal, 3 lbs. 69c	Pure Marmal- ade, 4-lb. tin Queen Japan Rice, 3 lbs. 25c
Magic Baking Powder, 16-oz. 33c	Lifebuoy Soap, 3 bars 24c	Shortening, 3-lb. tin 45c
Edwardsburg Corn Starch, 5-lb. tin 39c	Shredded Wheat, 2 pkgs. Pearl Tapioca, tin 10c	Cream of Wheat Breakfast Cereal, pkg. 28c
Extracts, all flavors, 2 bottles 23c	Keene's Mustard 27c	Ivory Gloss Laundry Starch, 1-lb. pkg. 11c
Lard, 2 for 22c	Tiger Catsup 20c	Cowan's Icing for Cakes, pkg. 14c
Finest Canned To- matoes, 2 tins for 29c	Jelly Powders Crossett Fish Sardines, 16c for 33c	Clark's Chicken Soup, tin 20c
6-oz. Corn Brooms, union made 49c	Real Rose Tea, per lb. 48c	3½-lb. bag Pure Table Salt 9c
Red Bird Matches, box Eagle 22c	Kaisins 22c	Cowan's Cocoa, 25c
Milk 12c	Cascade Salmon 9c	1½-lb. tin 15c
Finest Canned Corn, tin 12c	Cornstarch, pkg. 9c	Libby's Pork and Beans, tomato sauce, 17-oz. tin Sardines, pkg. 6c
Canned Apples, large tins 50c	Black Tea, per lb. 35c	Excelsior Dates, pkg. 15c
Spaghetti, 16-oz. pkgs. 14c	70c Fresh Ground Coffee, per lb. 45c	
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