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Treasurer-Geo, E. Clarke.

Manager-Fred Douglas. Another meeting will be held at an

early date, and a captain will be ap-The remains of Mrs. Mary McGuinn, relict of the late Michael McGuinn, will be brought here today from Port Huron for interment in Beechwood cemstery. The deceased, who was over 90

rears of age, was a former resident of this town, and is survived by three the Player Piano is to be regarded. Shildren—Thomas, Terrance and Sara, Victor Victrola Recital Daily from 2 to ell of Port Huron. H. J. Pettypiece is spending a couple of days in Toronto on business. W. J. Skinner moved into his enew

house on Main street this week. Chas. Steer, of Plympton, moved into the house recently occupied by Mr. Skinper, on Prince street. A new coal furnace is being instaled in the Catholic Church.



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Carson and His Imitators. To the Editor of The Advertiser: In your issue of the 6th inst., you have an article under the above heading, referring to the tactics of Sir Ed-ward Carson, the suffragettes and Jim

Larkin, and attributing the lawlessness of the latter two to the example. I am afraid your history has got mixed. Long tefore the Unionist organization to fight the present home rule bill was formed. Larkin was pursuing his evil course through Ireland, leaving behind him a trail of discredited trade unions, spoiled trade and broken-up homes. Of course, in previous cases it was chiefly Protestant capital that suffered and therefore he received the gracious smiles of the Nationalist party, and of their henchman, Lord Aberdeen. But now the war is brought into their own camp—Roman Catholic capital is suf-fering. John Redmond frowns and Lord Aberdeen has to drop his chum of a few years ago. Do not put the cart before the horse by attributing "Larkinism" to Sir Edward Carson. In regard to the suffragettes, if they want a precedent they can't do better than ok at the records of the Nationalist party. The following among many more would surely make the fiercest suffragette turn green with envy: Murdering landlords and high persons in

breaking up a home and stealing the children, etc. So far the Ulstermen have said they will not have home rule, and, of course, are getting ready to keep their prom-Their enemies know they will keep their word, hence the campaign

the state, cutting tails off cattle, attacking a Sunday school party at Cas-

tledawson in the summer of 1912,

SAMUEL E. McKEGNEY. St. David's, London, Ont. Nov. 7, 1913.

William A. Colledge, Editor of Encyclopedia, Lectures in Auditorium.

"Second Fiddles" was the subject of an inspiring, forceful and practical presentation by William A. Colledge, D. D., F. R. G. S., in the Auditorium on Saturday night, of the possibilities and limitations of human endeavor, a phase of life in which most people are interested. The lecture was brimful of the experiences and observations of Dr. Colledge, who is both a scholar and a man of affairs. It was not a dry discussion of facts, but an entertaining and lively presentation of great truths, and running throughout it was

a rich vein of humor. At the close of the lec number of businessmen spoke to Dr Colledge and expressed a wish their employees, and, in fact, all the Forest, Nov. 8.—A meeting was held young men of the city, had been present to hear his lecture. Dr. Colledge is editor-in-chief of the New Standard Encyclopaedia, and head of the department of English language and literature in the Armour Institute, Chicago. For three years he was with Henry M. Stanley in Africa.

Principal S. J. Radeliffe, of the Normal School, introduced Dr. Colledge, and presided at the lecture, which was one of the best delivered before the Y. M. C. A. lyceum for a long time.

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The morning session will commence at 10:20 with a prayer service, led by Rev. A. J. Johnstone. Following these exercises, Rev. Dr. Ross and Rev. Murray C. Tait will make addresses, which vill be followed by an open discussion. In the afternoon Rev. James Gordon, of Brantford; Rev. Murdoch Mackenzie and H. K. Caskey, general secretary, will speak. Rev. C. E. Manning, secretary of the Methodist Home

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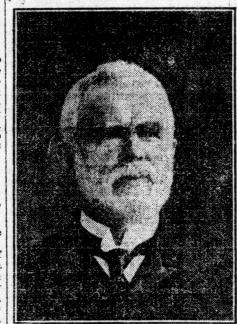
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Mission Board, will also address the convention. At 6:30 the banquet will be held, when Bishop Lucas, of the Mackenzie River district, Mr. J. S. Moore and Rev. Mr. Mackenzie

R EV. Murdock Mackenzie, who will speak at Laymen's banquet on Nov. 14.



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of this one man.

Dared To Defend Combines. Professor Adam Shortt is he only Canadian who, without being nancially interested, has dared to deend trusts and combines, and who has even gone so far as to declare them not only good, but necessary, needing only proper control to be of great service to the state and to humanity. He has often expressed this opinion in private life and to his students and in semi-public places, but last February he enunciated this policy before the age pensions committee of the House of Commons at Ottawa, and not only confessed the belief, but backed it with reasons, and with the weight of his own name as-among other things an eminent economist and a man of character.

Professor Adam Shortt is an excep-tion to the rule that great academicians and most Canadian university presidents come from the Maritime Provinces. He was born at the small Ontario village before referred to, in 1859-he is fifty-four years old on the 24th of this month. His parents were of Scotch descent. From them it is perhaps that he inherited a love of learning and a thoughtfulness which carried him through the local schoolmasters' exercises in triumph and landed him first at the Walkerton high school and then at the University of Toronto. At the age of 24 he had his B. A. from that institution. At twenty-five he had his M. A. From that time on his rise was steady. The year

Won New Honors. man of the civil service commission at

raduate work in Glasgow and Edinurgh, he obtained the degree of LL.D. other line of work. Partly to keep He was a member of the Ontario railin 1904, hairman of the G. T. R. engineers' and machinists' board of conciliation in 1907, member of the Canadian historical manuscript commission of 1907, trustee of Queen's University in 1909, vice president of the Ottawa Archaeological Society, president of the Ottawa branch of the Social and Moral Reform Association, and finally was appointed president of the new University of British Columbia, which is not fully organized. He has done a great deal of historical research work and economic research work. He has published, for example, such works as ing the Lemieux act and the act to "Imperial Preferential Trade From the regulate combinations in restraint of Canadian Point of View"; "Documents trade. Relating to the Constitutional History of Canada, 1759-61"; and the "Life of

Lord Sydenham," which was brought out as one of the "Makers of Canada" Raised Scholarship Standard,

Professor Shortt's best-known work and that which has had the most direct effect perhaps, was in connec-

professor of philosophy at his connection with the commission; for a considerable period, have been was virtually a guarantee that so far cancelled. as its scope went it might thereafter In four years he became lecturer in be relied upon to counteract the "pull" three more years he succeeded to the chair, holding it until 1908—sixteen years—when he was appointed chair man of the civil service commission at scholarship standard of the general man of the civil service commission at scholarship standard. scholarship standard in the service. He went upon the theory that the Meantime, of course, he had had civil service must not be made a a few days' visit to Londor ther honors. As the result of post- mere refuge for men who could not or would not make a success in any

out that type and partly because he felt that the country should command the best class of service, he kept the educational standards comparatively high. This has had a remarkably good effect upon the whole dealers. service at Ottawa. Outside of this and the other activities of this interesting Canadian there is also the fact that Professor Shortt, by his personal qualities, is able to impart his ideas to men in high places, such ideas bearing fruit without betraying sometimes their originator. Professor Shortt had more than a little to do, it is said, respect-

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