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**Humorist Wins English Derby**

J. B. Joel's Entry Takes Race  
From Favorite.

EPSON DOWNS, England, June 1.—  
Humorist won the classic Derby, run  
here to-day.

Viscount Astor's Craig-an-Eran was  
second and Joseph Watson's Lemonora  
was third.

Twenty-three horses ran.  
J. B. Joel's Humorist, the winner, ran  
third in the Two Thousand Guineas at  
Newmarket, in April. Craig-an-Eran  
was the winner of the Two Thousand  
Guineas and Lemonora was second in  
that race. The betting to-day was 6  
to 1 against Humorist, 5 to 1 against  
Craig-an-Eran and 5 to 1 against Lem-  
onora. The fourth horse was Alan  
Breck.

**BIG CROWD THERE.**

LONDON, June 1.—Highways leading  
from London to Epsom Downs were  
crowded at dawn to-day with people  
journeying to the Downs to witness the  
running of the classic English Derby.  
Railroad service, restricted because of  
the coal miners' strike, was supple-  
mented by almost every kind of  
vehicle, while high overhead airplanes  
swooped and buzzed as they watched  
the slowly-moving river of traffic be-  
low and signaled ground officers of  
trouble anywhere along the road.

Craig-an-Eran, the Sterling colt, owned  
by Viscount Astor, ruled favorite as  
the time for the start approached,  
while Leighton and Humorist had their  
followers.

Alan Breck was played quite heavily  
in early betting, but this support fell  
off this week when it was rumored he  
had gone lame and might not start.

King George and Queen Mary, for  
the first time, drove down to the course  
in semi-private. In the past they have  
driven only to the Ascot meeting place.

There was brilliant sunshine during  
the early forenoon, but later threaten-  
ing clouds gave promise of unsettled  
conditions by 3 o'clock, when the race  
was scheduled to start.

**ARMED MEN BREAK IN  
ON GAME OF TENNIS**

Commence Firing and One Man Is  
Wounded in Luncheon Tent.

DUBLIN, June 1.—Armed men made  
an attack upon the residence of the  
Hon. Edward Donogh O'Brien at Ros-  
levan, Ennis, to-day. A tennis game  
was in progress, when 40 men suddenly  
appeared, shouting, "Hands up!" They  
commenced firing, some bullets enter-  
ing the luncheon tent on the grounds,  
where W. H. Ball was sitting. Mr. Ball  
was wounded. A motor car was stolen  
and another was burned during the raid.  
Several women fainted while the melee  
was in progress.

**THE COMPLETE LIST.**—Through  
error, several of the schools taking part  
in the recent public school cadet rifle  
competition were left out of yesterday's  
published report. The complete list  
follows: Alexandra Rectory, Chesley, De  
La Salle, Ryerson, Riverview, Ealing,  
Empress, Lord Roberts, Talbot, Lorne  
Avenue and Boyle Memorial. All schools  
made good records.

**COMPROMISE IN  
KNOLLWOOD CASE**

Special Session of Council Will  
Consider Offer

WON'T PAVE CAR TRACKS

Glaring Evidence of Town  
Planning Neglect

Monday night will see a special meet-  
ing of the City Council called on the  
recommendation of the aldermen com-  
posing the works committee, which met  
last night. The Council will be called  
on to accept a compromise offer with  
regard to the Knollwood Park sewer  
tax appeal, and to authorize the  
paving of Stanley street within 18  
inches of the street car tracks. The  
city will not pave the street railway's  
right-of-way, which would involve the  
laying of new lines and ties.

In connection with the Knollwood  
Park appeal, a ratepayer in that dis-  
trict complained to Attorney J. M. Donahue  
of Knollwood citizens lobbying, or  
endeavoring to lobby, members of the  
City Council by an indignant letter  
the ratepayer asserted that no such  
offer had been made.

**CLERK'S SUGGESTION.**

At the suggestion of City Clerk Baker  
the works committee decided to re-  
commend to the City Council with re-  
gard to the city's propo-  
sition of expense in laying the sewer.  
The plan now for the work extend over 30 years  
instead of 10 years, and that the city  
bear one-half of the amount ordered  
returned by the council.

The city, if the recommendation is carried  
at the special Council meeting, will  
charge some \$5,000 of the sum in-  
volved to the general tax rate. Over  
\$11,000 was ordered so charged by the  
council of revision.

On motion of Ald. Boss, Stanley  
street will not be completely paved.  
The street car track and 18 inches on  
either side will have to be looked after  
by the street railway. Crushed stone  
may be used by the city for that purpose,  
the city engineer pointed out.

A petition from Ryan street citizens  
objected to the location of a black-  
smith shop in a residential section. It  
developed that the building inspector  
had turned down the application for a  
permit, but applicant appeared before  
the works committee at a subsequent  
meeting and had the permit issued.

The committee expressed regret  
that the matter had come to the  
council last night, but the matter  
then went too far for redress. The  
chairman of the committee and Mr.  
Piper, however, will appear to the  
owner to put his building back in line  
with residences instead of on the street  
line, as now proposed.

**LESSON FOR ALDERMEN.**

"It should be a lesson to us," said  
Ald. Childs, who was not present when  
the permit was authorized by the com-  
mittee. "Hereafter no building permit  
should be issued by this committee  
without the aldermen personally in-  
specting the property. I will vote for  
no more such permits until I have seen  
the location."

Citizens on Mount Pleasant avenue,  
one side of which is in the county,  
complained that they were unable to  
secure city zoning. The committee will  
instruct citizens on the county side of  
the road to petition their Township  
Council, which meets on Friday night,  
to ask the City of London to oil the  
road and charge the township with  
their share. The city-side residents  
will at the same time prepare a peti-  
tion for the City Council.

It was recommended that the city  
purchase a portion of the Scarrow  
property abutting on Kensington bridge  
road, that the Dundas street west  
may be widened considerably. The  
suggestion came from the London  
Motor Club and was carried unani-  
mously.

Application was received from The  
Advertiser Publishing Company for  
permission to erect an elevator open-  
ing on the street in their new plant,  
which will be situated in the Struther's  
building at the corner of York and  
Richmond streets. It is understood  
that the Merchants Bank, now occupy-  
ing offices on the site of the proposed  
new hotel, will occupy the present  
Dundas street plant of The Advertiser.

**DO NOT THINK MUCH OF  
GARFIELD'S ESCAPE**

Murrell Gang Cites "Pat's" Get-away  
as a Model of That Sort.

Stirling and William Murrell and  
Henry Williams, alias William Vaughn,  
mentioned Norman Garfield's escape  
and rescue for the first time yes-  
terday. Evidently they had only just  
heard of it from some of the new-  
comers among the other inmates at the  
jail.

They did not appear to take any  
great interest in the matter, but one  
of them mentioned it to Governor  
Carter when he took them for their  
usual daily exercise. They seemed to  
think that Garfield had made a rather  
poor attempt at a get-away and men-  
tioned the continued absence of their  
comrade-in-crime, "Pat," who escaped  
after the shooting of Russell Campbell  
at Melbourne.

The men are behaving themselves  
well, Governor Carter stated, and seem  
to enjoy themselves during their daily  
exercise. Sometimes they play catch  
and sometime just walk about as they  
feel inclined. They are in good spirits.

**HOUSING LOANS  
FOR EX-SOLDIERS**

May Permit Them To Build Or  
Purchase.

EASY REPAYMENTS.

Confident That Government Will  
Endorse Plan.

Complete details of the \$50,000,000  
housing loan scheme for veterans, which  
was approved by the Ontario conven-  
tion of the G. W. V. A. last week, have  
been received by A. E. Foster, local  
secretary. The scope of the program  
is much broader than would appear on  
the face of it and if it is adopted by  
the Dominion Government will provide  
aid that will relieve the housing  
situation throughout Canada.

As the secretary pointed out, the  
Free Press, the scheme will allow any  
veteran to build a house to suit his own  
needs and by paying a sum equivalent  
to the rental for the house he is even  
able in a few years to own it. If a loan  
of \$5,000 on a house was spread over a  
period of 25 years the annual payment  
would be \$200 and the interest de-  
creased by \$250 a year from the maximum  
of \$250 payable the first year. With \$450  
for yearly payments less than \$40 a  
month would be required by a veteran  
to fulfill his end of the contract.

The original plan, as put before the  
convention, is amended by the follow-  
ing additional clauses:

**BUY HOUSES ALREADY BUILT.**

"Provision for the purchase of ap-  
proved and properly valued houses al-  
ready built, as is done by the Soldiers'  
Settlement Board in farms. Loans to  
be available for advance on mortgages  
not exceeding 90 per cent. of the total  
value of the property, except in select-  
ed cases, where the man is able to pro-  
duce proof of integrity."

"In cases of sickness, accident or  
unemployment or other unforeseen cir-  
cumstances, no foreclosure or other  
eviction proceedings shall be taken for  
six months."

"That to cover possible depreciation  
of building values houses erected under  
the above scheme within two years are  
free of the usual property taxation for a  
given period."

The majority of the other clauses  
aim to reduce the cost of the houses to  
the minimum, but at the same time  
provide for the erection of houses which  
will meet the needs and desires of the  
applicants for loans. The contracting  
will be under Government supervision,  
so that expensive transportation and  
charges for building materials, archi-  
tects' fees and insurance costs may be  
cut to the minimum. It is even pos-  
sible for a veteran to secure furniture  
on his loan, provided that the \$5,000  
limit is not exceeded.

"We are confident that the scheme  
will secure the favorable consideration  
of the Federal Government," said Sec-  
retary Foster. "There was no opposi-  
tion whatever to the proposals at the  
convention and it is likely that the  
Dominion Government will take it up and  
press for legislation covering the plan.  
It is not a question of the Government  
giving away money, but merely loan-  
ing it to ex-service men, so as to  
stabilize business conditions and help  
veterans in a practical manner."

**ANOTHER APPEAL  
FOR THE CHINESE**

Famine Relief Committee Says  
Situation Serious

A late cable from the famine relief  
committee in China states serious facts  
with regard to the condition of the  
people in the famine provinces.

The spring crop in Chihli Province,  
covering 20 per cent. of the fertile land,  
is declared almost to be a complete  
failure. There is grave danger that the  
people will eat the crop in the fields un-  
less additional relief from outside  
sources is secured. The early harvest  
comes in the latter part of June and  
the second in August. Help must ar-  
rive, it is declared, even before the  
time of the June harvest if there is to  
be a harvest at all. Appeals are being  
made for the citizens to continue the  
gifts which they generously made six  
months ago.

The fund to date stands: Previously  
acknowledged, \$1,408.90; Mr. Ludbrook,  
\$5; boys' class, Hyatt Avenue, \$2; total,  
\$1,408.90.

Subscriptions are being received by  
Mrs. F. A. Steven, 588 Princess avenue.

**Official Wedding  
Anniversaries**

CLIP OUT FOR REFERENCE

One year, paper; five years, wooden;  
10 years, tin; 15 years, crystal (cut  
glass); 20 years, china; 25 years, silver;  
30 years, pearl; 35 years, coral; 40 years  
ruby; 50 years, golden; and 60 years,  
diamond.

And when you buy dia-  
monds, play safety first—buy perfect  
blue-white diamonds from John A.  
Nash, My Jeweler, whose new store is  
182 Dundas street, "where you will  
eventually buy."

**LEFT ARM FRACTURED.**

STRATHROY, May 31.—William Mc-  
Donald, an elderly gentleman, who lives  
on the town line of Adelaide and Wil-  
liams, suffered a compound fracture of  
the left arm when driving into town.  
Part of the harness broke and the horse  
kicked Mr. McDonald, then broke from  
the buggy, running away. The accident  
occurred in front of the home of Mr.  
Howard Downham, who lives just in-  
side the corporation. Mr. Downham  
drove Mr. McDonald to the hospital,  
where Drs. McCabe and Berdan re-  
duced the fracture.

**AILSA CRAIG RACES JUNE 3.**

AILSA CRAIG, May 31.—The large  
crowd that has attended sports here  
for some years is expected on Friday  
June 3, when the Driving Club is giv-  
ing \$900 in prize money for the horse  
races.

**MOTHERS' CLUBS  
ELECT OFFICERS**

Mrs. K. C. Bluet Head of Ryer-  
son Organization.

YEAR OF PROSPERITY.

Business Sessions Followed By  
Social Time.

The largest annual meeting in the  
history of Ryerson Mothers' Club took  
place at the school last evening, with  
Principal Alex McQueen presiding over  
the election.

Mrs. K. C. Bluet was elected to the  
presidency, other officers being Mrs.  
(Dr.) Padden, and Mrs. Tates, first and  
second vice-presidents; Mrs. O. Mooney,  
secretary; Mrs. W. H. Marshall, assis-  
tant secretary; Mrs. Kennedy, treas-  
urer; Miss Hattie Chapman and Miss  
Laura Cooke, staff representatives, and  
Mrs. Padden, press secretary.

During the evening Mr. McQueen ad-  
dressed the members, asking the co-  
operation of mothers and teachers for  
the Junior Red Cross campaign in the  
autumn, and urging the value and im-  
portance of the establishment of a  
junior branch of the Red Cross.

Mrs. Mooney read an instructive  
paper on "Flower Culture," and an in-  
teresting event of the evening was the  
reading of a letter from a New York  
secretary of a New York Mothers' Club,  
with whom the Ryerson mothers have  
been in communication. This New York  
club is one of the settlement organiza-  
tions and the secretary a foreigner,  
who, coming to America only a few  
years ago, was yet unable to speak  
English, now writes a charming word-  
ed letter, descriptive of the work of her  
club.

The appointment of a committee of  
three in each grade to assist the teach-  
ers at the school picnic, and arrange-  
ments for a sale of home cooking at  
the school on Friday, June 10, in aid  
of the hospital completed the business.

**LORD ROBERTS.**

The business discussion at last night's  
annual meeting of the Lord Roberts'  
Mothers' Club was very brief, and was  
followed by a delightful program and  
social hour.

Officers elected with Mrs. W. J. Car-  
son presiding, were Mrs. Detwiler, pres-  
ident; Mrs. (Dr.) Bryant, vice-presi-  
dent; Miss Hamilton, secretary, vice-presi-  
dent; Mrs. A. A. Moffatt, press secre-  
tary, and Mrs. W. H. Line, music con-  
vener.

Following the treasurer's annual re-  
port it was decided to donate the bal-  
ance in the treasury to the children's  
hospital, and to continue working for  
this cause in the fall. Arrangements

were also made to hold the club meet-  
ings in future on the second Tuesday  
in the month instead of on the fourth  
Thursday.

Those taking part in the attractive  
program were Mrs. T. L. Brighton, Miss  
Moore, Miss Bradley, Miss Mowatt, Mrs.  
Victor Blackwell, Miss Miriam Smith,  
Miss Grace McKenzie and Master Mur-  
ray Aikenhead, the last three perform-  
ers being pupils of the school. Miss  
Midway Granger and Miss Brighton  
were the accompanists. A dainty sup-  
per was served at the conclusion of the  
program.

**CHESLEY AVENUE.**

Mrs. James Mills was last night elec-  
ted president of the Chesley Avenue  
Mothers Club, succeeding Mrs. Ed. Pel-  
low. As her executive Mrs. Mills will  
have Mrs. A. P. Stok and Mrs. H.  
Rogers as vice-presidents; Mrs. W. H.  
Griffin, secretary; Mrs. Charles Denley,  
assistant secretary; Mrs. W. Masop,  
planist; Mrs. Pellow, press secretary.

Mrs. John Gemmell presided over the  
election, which were followed by a  
solo from Mr. W. Holland, with Miss  
Irene Hilbert as accompanist, and a  
reading from Miss Bernice Volick.

The club members discussed plans for  
a large bazaar to be held in the early  
autumn.

**HUTCHINSON DANCE.**

A charming June wedding took place  
this morning at 11:15 o'clock in St.  
Paul's Cathedral, when Very Rev. Dean  
Tucker officiated at the marriage of  
Winifred Katherine Dance, daughter  
of Mr. and Mrs. William John Dances,  
of Leamford, Sussex, England, to Gordon  
William Hutchinson, son of Mrs. Richard  
Booth of this city. Captain Dickinson  
presided at the altar. The bride, who  
was given in marriage by Mr. Purdon  
Love, looked charming in her graceful  
suit of navy blue tulle, embroidered  
in blue, and wide brimmed hat of navy  
blue crepe de chine, embroidered in  
white wool. Her corsage was of pale  
mauve sweet peas and sunset roses.  
There were no attendants. Immediately  
following the ceremony the bride and  
groom left for the station. Miss Mc-  
Gowan carrying the bride's bouquet at  
the door of the cathedral. Mr. and Mrs.  
Hutchinson will spend their honeymoon  
in Detroit and other Michigan cities,  
returning to London to reside on Wel-  
lington street. There were no guests at  
the wedding, but the popular bride was  
the recipient of many handsome gifts.

**PERFECTLY ASTOUNDING!**

Mr. Edison now finds the primary  
school system "repulsive" because it  
teaches "by word instead of by eye,"  
and he would have much greater use  
made of the moving picture. Think of  
what the great scholars and scientists  
from Aristotle both ways—including  
Edison—might have accomplished if  
they hadn't been obliged to get along  
without the "movie" in their most im-  
pressionable years.—Springfield Republi-  
can.

**BATH HOUSES FOR  
CITY ADVOCATED**

Would Be Self-Supporting, Says  
E. V. Buchanan.

PUBLIC SPIRIT NEEDED.

Thames Park Ideal Site For  
Bathing.

"Two large outdoor swimming tanks,  
with convenient bathhouses, owned by  
the city, is one of London's outstand-  
ing summer needs," Manager Bu-  
chanan, of the Public Utilities, stated  
to-day. A regular campaign should be  
put on for such an addition to the city's  
public recreational institutions. It is  
a sort of reflection on our city, consid-  
ering its size, that there isn't a well-  
regulated swimming resort nearer than  
the lake.

"We should get together and work out  
a plan for this civic improvement, which  
would undoubtedly be self-supporting. A  
bathhouse, similar to the one owned by  
the city at Port Stanley, and two large  
swimming pools, which would provide  
bathing facilities for both sexes, and  
perhaps a smaller pool for the use of  
small youngsters. The bathhouse should  
be provided with showers and dressing-  
rooms, where patrons of the civic bath-  
ing establishment could get hot or cold  
water in pleasant, sanitary surround-  
ings. Small concessions might be let  
out to barbers, manicurists and hair-  
dressing establishments."

**SELF-SUPPORTING.**

Mr. Buchanan's enthusiastic appeal  
to public spirit in this matter is ex-  
pected to bring results at the fall meet-  
ing of the Utilities Commission. His  
statement that such an institution  
would be self-supporting will have its  
weight and indicates that the neces-  
sary debentures could be raised under  
the revenue-producing rule, which keeps  
such debentures from being charged  
against the total debt of the city.

He pointed out that nearly every in-  
land city on the continent, with the  
same population as London, has made  
ample provision for summer bathing.  
Winnipeg, located similarly to London  
with regard to Lake Winnipeg, has a  
large bathing resort in its city limits,  
which is patronized by thousands daily.

Civic baths and swimming pools  
would be drawing revenue from the lat-  
ter part of May until September 15 of  
each year, it is stated. They would at-  
tract large crowds in the evenings and  
on holidays.

Thames Park is considered an ideal  
site for such an institution as that park  
area will probably be increased within  
a few years.

**N. HURON LIBERALS  
MAY NOMINATE SOON**

Meeting of Association At Wingham  
Poorly Attended.

WINGHAM, June 1.—(Special to The  
Free Press).—As a preliminary to a  
convention at which a Liberal candi-  
date may be nominated for the House  
of Commons, the North Huron Liberal  
Association held a meeting here yes-  
terday and made a few additions to the  
list of district officers. About a dozen  
attended the meeting, which was held  
in the town hall. W. H. Robertson,  
president of the association, was in the  
chair, and introduced the business ses-  
sion with a few words in reference to  
the political situation in which he urged  
that the nomination of a candidate be  
considered.

The decided apathy of the Liberals of  
the riding in regard to the annual meet-  
ing of the association was much re-  
gretted, and it was pointed out that  
some of the prominent men of the party  
had been against holding the meeting  
at this time. Among these was H. B.  
Elliott, of this town, who rebelled  
against the idea of trying to reorganize  
the party while there was such slender  
interest in political matters.

Officers at the head of the organiza-  
tion for the coming year are: President,  
W. H. Robertson, Goderich; secretary,  
James McMurchie, Blyth; treasurer,  
Alf Carr, Blyth.

The proposed nominating convention  
will be held some time this month and  
a candidate will be sought in the mean-  
time.

**CANADA PLACES TARIFF  
ON THREE COMMODITIES**

As a result of the operation of the  
Fordney bill in the United States, which  
places a heavy duty on a number of  
food products going into that country,  
an emergency regulation in the Cana-  
dian tariff became operative on Monday.  
These regulations, which have always  
been a part of the present tariff, were  
destined to meet just such a situation  
as has arisen with the introduction of  
the Fordney measure.

These regulations provide for a duty  
on wheat, wheat flour and potatoes. Im-  
porters of these goods from the United  
States will during the operation of the  
Fordney measure be compelled to pay a  
duty of 20c a bushel on potatoes, 12c  
a bushel on wheat and 50c a barrel on  
wheat flour.

Practically no American wheat or  
wheat flour comes into London. New  
potatoes, however, which come from  
the American south, are brought in here  
each year and these will be affected to  
the extent of 20c per bushel duty.

**HANGING SHOULD  
BE KEPT SECRET**

Objection To Method of Carry-  
ing Out Law.

KEEP DATE FROM PUBLIC.

Central Place of Execution Is  
Favored.

Strenuous objection is taken by T. D.  
McCullough, secretary of the district  
Social Service Council, to the manner  
in which justice is being meted out in  
the case of Norman Garfield, who is  
sentenced to be hanged in the jailyard  
at Woodstock to-morrow. In his opin-  
ion it is "bedeviling" to carry out the  
hanging in local surroundings and es-  
pecially in the yard, which is more or  
less open to public gaze.

"While capital punishment is still  
tolerated there should be a central place  
of execution and the date of the hang-  
ing should in each case be indetermi-  
nate," said Mr. McCullough. "The  
publication of the place, the date and  
the hour of execution creates distur-  
bance and unrest, particularly among  
nervous women, while over all is a  
morbid spirit, which, to say the least,  
is undesirable."

**KEEP DATE SECRET.**

"The idea of Garfield being put to  
death at a stated time and in a fairly  
conspicuous place to-morrow is abhor-  
rent to most healthy-minded people,"  
added the secretary. "It is bedeviling,  
degrading and coarsening and should  
not be permitted by a civilized Christian  
people."

"While I do not favor hanging as a  
form of capital punishment or the ex-  
treme penalty except in unusual cases,  
I do believe that there ought to be a  
central place of execution," said the  
secretary. "The execution would be  
robbed of much of its offensiveness if it  
were carried out at Kingston peniten-  
tiary and on a date which would be  
undetermined so far as the public are  
concerned."