

WM. CARROTHERS NOW SLEEPS ALL NIGHT, HE STATES

"I Get Up in the Mornings
Rested and Ready for
Work," He Declares.

"There was hardly a time in three or four years, before I began taking Tanlac, when I felt right," said William B. Carrothers, a well-known carpenter, living at 161 Duesenberg avenue, while in the standard drug store, recently.

"I was almost a nervous wreck," he continued, "and it seemed that I would just roll and toss half the night, unable to sleep. Why, my nerves were so unstrung that I couldn't hold a pen steady enough to write, and I was so worn out and weak that I never felt like doing my work. The least little job of work would tag me almost completely out."

"I was lucky to get as much as three or four hours' sleep at a time before I took Tanlac, and that seemed to do me no good. But now I can sleep all night without waking and get up in the mornings rested and ready for my work. I don't have that nervous, weak feeling like I did, and am gaining my strength back rapidly."

"My wife had been suffering from stomach trouble and indigestion and nothing seemed to help her. But Tanlac certainly is doing her a world of good. We have taken three bottles between us, and are going to keep it up, as it has given us better results than anything else I have ever been able to find. Tanlac certainly is fine, and I don't hesitate to recommend it to anyone."

Tanlac is sold in London by Standard Drug, Limited, under the direction of a special representative, and by an established agency in every town.—Adv.

A CHILD DOESN'T LAUGH AND PLAY IF CONSTIPATED

Look, Mother! Is tongue
coated, breath feverish
and stomach sour?

"California Syrup of Figs"
can't harm tender stom-
ach, liver, bowels.

Mother! Your child isn't naturally
cross and peevish. See if tongue is
coated; this is a sure sign its little
stomach, liver and bowels need a clean-
ing at once.

When listless, pale, feverish, full of
cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't
eat, sleep or act naturally, has stom-
ach, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver
and bowel cleansing should always be
the first treatment given.

Nothing equals "California Syrup of
Figs" for children's ills; give a tea-
spoonful, and in a few hours all the foul
waste, sour bile and fermenting food
which is clogged in the bowels passes
out of the system, and you have a well
and playful child again. All children
love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxa-
tive," and it never fails to effect a good
"inside" cleansing. Dissolve one or two
children of all ages, and grown-ups are
plainly on the bottle.

Keep it handy in your home. A little
given today saves a sick child to-
morrow, but get the genuine. Ask your
druggist for a bottle of "California
Syrup of Figs," then look and see that
it is made by the "California Fig Syrup
Company."

Lemons Do Whiten! Try This on Face, Neck, Arms, Hands

The lemon juice massage indulged in
once or twice each day means a little
time and trouble, girls, but what of the
splendid results? A skin bleached beau-
tifully white, a complexion with "the
bloom of a peach," a softening of those
lines of care; in fact, a skin eloquent of
nature's purity and hands white, soft
and full of charm.

What girl or woman hasn't heard of
lemon juice to remove complexion blem-
ishes; to bleach the skin and to bring
out the roses, the freshness and the
hidden beauty? But lemon juice alone
is acid, therefore irritating, and should
be mixed with orchard white this way.
Strain through a fine cloth the juice of
two fresh lemons into a bottle contain-
ing about three ounces of orchard white,
then shake well and you have a whole
quarter pint of skin and complexion lo-
tion at about the cost one usually pays
for a small jar of ordinary cold cream.
Be sure to strain the lemon juice so no
pulp gets into the bottle, then this lotion
will remain pure and fresh for
months. When massaged daily into the
face, neck, arms and hands it should
naturally help to whiten clear, smooth
and beautify the skin.

Any druggist will supply three ounces
of orchard white at very little cost, and
the grocer has the lemons.

A hard cough

that tears you every time it comes, yet
persists in coming, usually disappears
under the healing power of Robert's
Syrup of Cod Liver Oil and Tar. The
household effect of the oil having been
removed, the extractive principles re-
main to build up wasted strength.
Combined with tar this makes a won-
derfully powerful corrective for the irri-
tation set up by Coughs, Colds or
Bronchitis.

Robert's
SYRUP OF
35¢
A bottle Cod Liver Oil & Tar

BISURATED MAGNESIA

For Dyspepsia, Indigestion.
Heartburn, Belching, Sour Stomach,
Gas in Stomach, etc., take a teaspoon-
ful of Bisurated Magnesia in a half
glass of hot water after eating. Is safe,
pleasant, and harmless to use, and
gives instant relief from all forms of
stomach disorders. Sold by druggists
everywhere.

LONDON PAPERS SEE HUN OFFER MANY WAYS

Daily Express Thinks Germany
Fears the Bolsheviks

DAILY MAIL SEES A TRAP

All Agreed That as They Stand
Central Powers' Terms Are
Not Acceptable.

London, Dec. 28.—A statement pur-
porting to give in broad outline the
view taken in high British political
circles of the German peace terms is
printed by the Daily Express. It says
that two things are known here: first,
that Germany does not want a general
peace with Russia, but a general peace
with the Allies; second, that Germany
fears the Bolsheviks, and is afraid of the
effect on the German working classes.
"A stiff upper lip is the attitude in
this country at present," the statement
declares. "The peace terms are not
sufficient to lead us to lay down our
arms. We must be watchful. It is up
to Germany to show that she is sincere."

SINCERE OR TRAP.
London, Dec. 28.—Opinion here on the
reply of the central powers to the Bol-
sheviki peace terms, so far as can be
judged from the editorials in the morn-
ing newspapers, follows two main lines.
On one hand, it seems to be felt that
the central powers have made a per-
fectly sincere offer to end the war im-
mediately, while on the other hand it
is declared that they have set a trap
in which they hope, although
vainly, to catch the Allies.

The former view is not confined to
papers generally regarded as having
pacifist leanings. It is supported
strongly, for instance, by the Conserva-
tive Daily Express, which stands un-
compromisingly for victory over the
central powers and is an ardent apostle
of anti-Bolshevism. In all the papers
taking this view the statement of the
central powers is regarded as being ad-
dressed less to Russia than to the Al-
lies collectively, and the offer made
through Count Czernin is assumed to
be an initial proposal which the central
powers probably are prepared to modify
in the course of bargaining, for non-
acceptance of the terms of the central
powers regarded as entirely acceptable
in their present form. The Express says:
"The terms may be taken as Ger-
many's first bid. The proposals are, of
course, wholly inadequate, but it is sig-
nificant that the idea of conquest has
been abandoned completely. This is
the first indication that Germany has
begun to realize the true position with
which she is confronted."

Must Be Reparation.
"Germany is pledged definitely to the
principle of reparation, thereby bluntly
repudiating von Tuppitz and the other
pan-Germans, but while reparation is
accepted, reparation is sought. Repara-
tion will be accepted as the price of the
restoration of those economic relations
without which Germany cannot live."
"An anti-Bolshevik Allied reply
to Count Czernin might be a demonstration
to the German people that the Allies
have no intention of destroying their de-
struction, hinder their development or
threaten their independence. When
the conditions under which the Allies
stand for and what really are their in-
terests, the German people themselves
will complete the destruction of the
militarism which has set out to conquer
the world."

A Striking Fact.
The Daily Chronicle says it is a strik-
ing fact that the central powers have
accepted the formula of no annexations,
no indemnities, and continues:
"The new peace offensive of the cen-
tral powers is meant, not primarily for
Russia, but for the Allies at large, and
especially the United States."

"If the Allies are appealed to by the
Russians for their views, they should
seize without hesitation the opportu-
nity of making a candid and reasonable
statement of their war aims and their
peace terms. On certain important
questions, such as the repudiation of
territorial ambitions and punitive in-
demnities, there is, in fact at least, a
common ground between the German
proposals and the declared principles
of the Allies, and it should be borne in
mind that when a statement of peace
terms is framed under such circum-
stances as brought the present certain
proposals to birth, its demands may be
assumed to represent, not an irreducible
minimum, but a skillful negotiator's
stock in trade."

Highly Interesting.
A highly interesting situation, the
Daily Telegraph thinks, has been
created by the reply of the central
powers, but it does not see in it the
prospect of any secure settlement of
the world's peace.

"With what looks like an absolute
change of mind," it says, "Germany
has thrown over her annexationists and
pronounced for a status quo ante peace.
If this is so, it means a definite aban-
donment of ambitions in Belgium and
the western provinces of Russia."

Not Acceptable.
"The enemy powers, however, reject
the absolutely fundamental point of the
right of subject nationalities to self-
determination which is vital to the
cause for which the Allies are fighting.
The Allies are required to give under-
takings which would thrust back the
liberated peoples of Palestine and
Mesopotamia under the Turkish yoke,
would insure Alsace-Lorraine remain-
ing German, and would restore Italy re-
maining Austrian, and would exclude
an attempt to place the whole question
of the oppressed nationalities of south-
eastern Europe upon a foundation of in-
ternationally-guaranteed security."

Such an outcome, the Telegraph adds,
would be a virtual victory and a new
lease of life for militarism.

Probably a Trap.
The Times and the Daily Mail are
exponents of the view that the propo-
sals constitute a trap for the Allies,
and, if accepted, would leave the cen-
tral powers victors. The Times says
that Count Czernin's statement "be-
ars out President Wilson's judgment
of last summer that the purpose of the
German peace intrigue is the deceit of
nations."

The Daily News, which warmly in-
dorsed the recent letter of the Marquis
of Lansdowne, and is regarded as being
tinged with pacifism, contends that
Germany had to choose between her
extremists and her moderates, as no
peace formula could possibly satisfy
both Count Reventlow and Philipp
Scheidemann.

"Nothing could be more ill-advised,"
it says, "than a general denunciation
of the German offer by the press or
politicians of the Entente Alliance, as
such a reception is precisely what Ger-
man diplomacy is playing for. That
does not mean that the German propo-
sals can be grasped at as a basis of
immediate negotiations—their defects
are self-evident."

After denouncing the terms as they
would affect Belgium and other mat-
ters as being altogether unacceptable
the Daily News adds:
"These deficiencies might seem for a
moment to furnish sufficient ground
for ignoring or summarily dismissing
the German proposals. Reasons re-
sponding to that conclusion are short-
sighted and impolitic as already has
been suggested."

It is Germany's manifest policy, ac-
cording to the Times, to secure while
there is yet time, a peace which will
preserve under her control her vast
Central and South-eastern Europe
enabling her to boast truly that mili-
tarism has vindicated splendidly its
claims. The Times concludes: "The
whole pretense of negotiation is char-
acteristically dishonest."

"Even the blindest mole," declares
the Mail, "could see through the smoke
screen of verbal evasions with which
the Germans try to conceal their real
intentions. Seemingly compliance with
the Russian suggestion coupled with
reservations that take all the meaning

from the tentative agreement is clear-
ly the German game. The Allies are not thinking
of peace. They are thinking only of vic-
tory, and victory is what they mean
to have."

INGERSOLL MILKMEN BOOST PRICE UP TO 11 CENTS PER QUART

Entries Pouring In For the
Poultry Show Next
Week.

INGERSOLL, Dec. 27.—The cost of
living went up another notch today,
when the milk dealers announced that
in future the price would be eleven
cents per quart. It has been selling at
ten cents for some time.

The annual show of the Ingersoll and
South Oxford Poultry Association will
be held in the town hall next week, and
already there has been a lively demand
for prize pigs. The officers have given
careful attention to the prizes and made
other arrangements, which, it is ex-
pected, will bring out a large number
of exhibitors.

Speaking of his sojourn in England
for over five months, George A. C.
Herdman, who up to August 1st was
chief examiner for the imperial ministry
of munitions at the Morrow works, and
who only reached Ingersoll last night,
stated that there is a very optimistic
feeling as to the final outcome of the
war. The prices of foodstuffs, he stated,
were high, but there was no scarcity,
notwithstanding that they are under
Government control. There is great
confidence on the part of the people,
he said, in the ability of General Haig
and of the power that will be thrown
into the war on the side of the Allies
by the United States. There is the
belief, Mr. Herdman stated, that Haig's
troops could defeat the Germans on the
west front whenever it is desired. In
Liverpool, alone, according to Mr. Herd-
man, there are 17,000 widows.

At the annual meeting of the sup-
porters of the separate school, the fol-
lowing were elected trustees by acclama-
tion for two years: No. 1 Ward, N.
P. Dunn; No. 2 Ward, M. J. Morrison;
No. 3 Ward, A. H. McDermott.

A quiet wedding was solemnized by
Rev. R. J. M. Perkins at the rectory,
Oxford street, when he united in mar-
riage Elizabeth May Jeffrey to William
Smith, both of Ingersoll. Mr. and
Mrs. Smith will reside in Ingersoll.

Following is the schedule that has
been adopted by the town league for
league: January 4, Handfords vs. Ori-
ents; Four Square vs. Collegiate; Janu-
ary 5, Collegiate vs. Handfords; Janu-
ary 16, Orients vs. Four Square; Janu-
ary 23, Orients vs. Collegiate; Hand-
fords vs. Handfords; February 13,
Four Square vs. Collegiate; March 1,
Handfords vs. Collegiate; Four Square
vs. Orients; March 8, Collegiate vs.
Orients; Four Square vs. Handfords.

HAD LEG FRACTURED BY BRANCH OF TREE

HENSALL, Dec. 27.—Andrew Dou-
gall, son of Henry Dougal of the Lon-
don road, had his leg fractured by a
blow from a limb of a fallen tree. The
boy was suddenly released, and
struck the young man a heavy blow.
J. C. Robinson, who conducted a
wholesale fruit business here, is return-
ing to London with his family.

Keen interest is being shown in the
nominations next Monday, and it is
likely that the election will be warmly
contested.

Large quantities of grain are being
brought in by the farmers and local
millers, and buyers are being
sent very busy.

Local coal dealers have been for-
tunate to secure some supplies this
week, and have been selling it in small
quantities so that all who need fuel
will be able to get some.

RETIRED ORGANIST IS HONORED BY FRIENDS

FOREST, Dec. 27.—A pleasant even-
ing was spent at the home of Mr. and
Mrs. A. J. Clark, Fairview Farm,
Ravenswood, Monday evening, when
they entertained the Sunday school
teachers and scholars of the Methodist
Church and the young people of the
neighborhood. The feature of the even-
ing was the presentation of an appro-
priate address and clock to Miss Gib-
son, the organist, who has resigned on
account of ill-health. The address was
signed on behalf of the quarterly board
by Rev. E. J. Harding, A. J. Clark and
J. Clements. Among the guests present
were Mrs. S. V. Clark of Toronto, and
his friend, Pte. H. Clements of Lon-
don, who were holiday visitors at A. J.
Clark's.

LATIN-AMERICANS TALK POSTPONED UNTIL APRIL

BUENOS AIRES, Dec. 27.—The Gov-
ernment announced today that the
congress of the neutral Latin-Ameri-
can nations had been postponed until
April. This congress, it was reported
several weeks ago, was to have been
convened in January.

LEATHER MERCHANT'S DEATH.
TORONTO, Dec. 27.—Frederick Geo.
Clarke, 64, president of the firm of
Clarke & Clarke, leather merchants of
this city, died on Christmas Day in
Baltimore, Md., while on a tour of the
south for the rest of the winter. He
was born in Peterborough, Ontario. A
widow and two sons overseas and a
daughter survive. An elder brother,
also of the same firm, died in London,
England, as the result of exposure in
the sinking of the Lusitania.

Your Vote and Influence

Respectfully Solicited For

J. J. Harding

Alderman

NO. 1 WARD.

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Controller E. S. Little

Stands on the platform of
BUSINESS METHODS
NO INFLUENCES
NO GRAFT
STRICT ECONOMY

VOTE FOR HIM. LONDON NEEDS
HIM ON THE

Board of Control

E. S. LITTLE
(Robinson, Little &
Co., Limited).

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CITIZENS' MASS MEETING TONIGHT at 8 O'CLOCK MASONIC TEMPLE, QUEEN'S AVE.

CONTROLLER SHAW

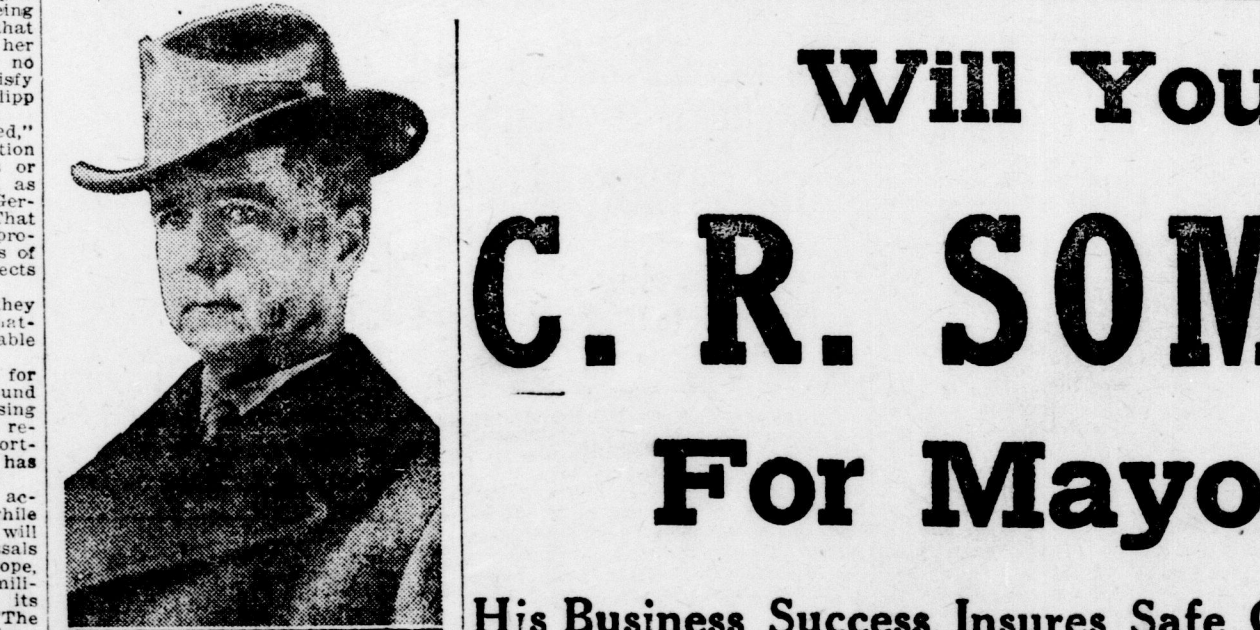
Wants ALL the people to get ALL the facts. Therefore he has secured London's largest hall and
welcomes all candidates, assuring them of a hearing. This is a real representative people's meet-
ing. Ladies specially invited. Hear Controller Shaw, Mr. Geo. Colbert of the Street Railway Men's
Association, and others, discuss live issues.

IN YOUR OWN INTERESTS, GET THE FACTS ON

Saving the market for the citizens.
The garbage question.
Keeping the city hall out of the hands of selfish
interests.

Over-expenditure on schools.
How to solve London's assessment problem.
The only way to reduce taxation.
The Technical School muddle.

COME TO THE TEMPLE TONIGHT!



VOTING
PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION.

RE-ELECT PHILIP POCOCK

FOR
Utilities Commission

Hydro Surpluses and Waterworks Cash Bal-
ances Have Been Due to His Good Manage-
ment.

INDORSED BY THE TRADES AND LABOR COUNCIL.

YOUR VOTE Respectfully Solicited for Re-Election of JOHN M. MOORE For Board of Control

WHISKEY PRICES SOAR.
HALIFAX, Dec. 27.—The city liquor
vendors under the Nova Scotia tem-
perance act were today notified by
the government that the price of
whiskey had increased \$5 a case, the first
jump as a result of the announcement
of prohibition of importation of liquor.

DIES OF BURNS.
SHERBROOKE, Dec. 27.—Elizabeth
Hawkins, 19 years old, died today as a
result of burns received when her
clothing was set afire by a lamp ex-
plosion. Her father, William Hawkins,
was badly burned when attempting to
save his daughter.

YOUR VOTE AND INFLUENCE RESPECTFULLY SOLICITED FOR E. H. Russell FOR School Trustee

FOR 1918

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Again the Workingman Must Fight
the Interests.

MAYOR STEVENSON

Is the Man To Do It. He has demon-
strated for Three Years Where He
Stands.

Three Continued Years of Surpluses.

The Reduction in the High Cost of
Living.

Efficient Management.

Water Question Solved (2,000,000 gal-
lons daily added).

All Public Utilities Paying.

The Paving Plant Has Paid Itself This
Year.

Public Market Improved.

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YOUR VOTE AND INFLU- ENCE FOR

JAMES GRAY

(of Gray's, Limited.)

for

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