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ONLY BUSINESS CAUTION.

Notwithstanding any smart comment to the contrary appearing in the news columns of our contemporary, the only reason which the Mayor had in asking that the reporters be not present at the conference between the City Council, School Boards and Board of Trade, was that the financial condition of the city could be reviewed with the utmost freedom. There was no objection and has been no objection to giving verbally every possible fact and figure to the reporters of St. Catharines, but it serves no good purpose to publish certain things for outside bond houses and other interests to read. The Standard reporter has no more claim to be present at such a conference and to report what is said than a Journal reporter, and the publisher of The Journal would give nothing

out to his own paper. If a condition should arise later that the submission of a by-law would be found necessary some of the facts might be brought out through the papers, but unless this is necessary we see no advantage in now advertising the civic debt, etc. It is an easy thing for a paper to create a public suspicion over the proceedings of bodies that meet in conference to discuss large financial problems, but it is usually done to get a personal drive at someone rather than to benefit the people.

An editor of a newspaper while holding a public office has as much desire to publish what he knows and what takes place as his contemporary, but civic interest sometimes takes precedence over news instinct. The Mayor, ever since he has been in office, has made it a rule not to take advantage of his position to give his own paper news that he does not give his contemporary. Both are treated with the utmost impartiality and fairness, but this courtesy seems to be little appreciated.

WHAT EXCHANGES SAY

A CASE FOR BITTERS.
Brandon Weekly Sun.—Much as English stockholders may resent the treatment given them by what they seem to think a high-handed colonial Government, it will in the end prove to be very good medicine, for they will have learned, and all the world will have learned, that Canada has a mind and a will of her own, and that absentee property rights cannot override the ordinary rights of contract and guarantee. Sugar-coated medicine would have been given had it been possible, but it was unavoidable a case for bitters, and the bitters will doubtless have a good corrective effect after their first unpleasant taste has passed away.

PLAIN HARRY'S BEST.
Guleph Daily Herald.—Has Harry Lauder earned the knighthood conferred upon him? He has—like thousands of others who got no reward, and a great deal better is the reward his than dozens of those who were awarded titles for far less cause. Sir Harry gave, and lost, his only son in the war. He has done a lot of recruiting all over the world, and sacrificed concert tours to give his talents to the entertainment of the soldiers in the trenches. Besides this he is raising a million pounds for the relief of married soldiers. Yes, Sir Harry is worthy of honor.

—and yet we'd rather have had him plain "Harry Lauder!"

THE "ONE BIG UNION."
Regina Leader.—The present "One Big Union" propaganda originated, so far as Canada is concerned, among the most radical leaders in British Columbia, men who to-day control the great labor organizations of that Province, the membership of which can outvote all organized labor in the Prairie Provinces, and which, if merged in the "One Big Union," will be at the mercy of the big British Columbia Miners' Lumbermen's and Longshoremen's Unions, with their tens of thousands of members, many of them of foreign extraction and having little sympathy with the ideals of British democratic government. It is well that the people of Canada should understand these things, and more particularly the members of the present labor unions of the Prairie Province. It is for the latter to determine whether they are to "scrap" their present union organizations and embrace the "One Big Union" idea.

TRADING IS MOSTLY IN FAVOR OF BUYERS

Cotton and Milling Stocks Score Gains on Big Buying
Montreal, May 8.—With little difference in the number of listed stocks traded in on the Montreal Stock Exchange to-day as compared with the previous day, there was an increase of over 3,000 shares in the volume of business, with trading for the most part in favor of buyers, practically the whole list showing net gains of a fraction to 8½ points, with thirteen stocks making new high levels for the year.

Interest in the Spanish River and Steamship issues gave place to the cotton and milling stocks, the former being mostly neglected, while the latter scored spectacular gains on active buying.

Maple Leaf headed the list in point of strength, buying of some 500 shares advancing the price from 149½ to 159, with the close at 158, a new high level, and a net gain of 8½ points, with more stock wanted at that price. St. Lawrence Flour, on a turnover of 700 shares, made a new high for the year at 96½ and closed at 96¼, a net gain of 2½ points, although closing bid was off to 9, with offerings at 9½.

Lake of the Woods was advanced two points to 167 on broken lots, with 168 bid at the close and none offered, and Ogilvie was advanced one point to 219½ bid.

Canadian Cottons Led
Canadian Cottons led the cotton group, some 1,000 shares changing hands at 85 to 88½, new high levels, with the close at 88½, a net gain for the day of three points, with more stock wanted at the closing price. Dominion Textile sold up 3½ points to 116¼, a new high price, closed at 115½, a net gain of 2½, and advanced to 116 in closing bid.

Interest, however, was not altogether confined to the milling and cotton stocks, as demonstrated by the advance of Canada General Electric to 114, a net gain of 4½ points, while 1,300 shares of Brazilian sold at 55 to 56½, with the close at 56¼, a net gain of 1½ points, and a new high level for the year, and 1,200 shares of B. C. Fishing sold up to 53½, also a new high for the year, and with the close at 53 showing a net gain of one point. New high levels for the year also was scored by Ames-Holden.

FINANCIAL

A general advance was made in quotations on the Standard Mining Exchange, Nipissing rising from \$10.50 to \$12.50.

The Toronto Stock Exchange had the busiest day in a long time, with sales of 6,368-listed shares and many advances.

The Wheat Export Company is again in the market for flour, and all Canadian mills have orders for work at capacity till July.

MERRITTON

Mr. Theodore Niles, who has been on active service overseas for some time past, and who returned home a short time ago, has resumed his contract work for painting and decorating, and is open for all engagements. Owing to him being competent in this sort of work, no doubt he will soon have his business back again as large as it was before he enlisted.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Scott, of Buffalo, N. Y., are spending a few days very pleasantly with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Bradley.

The executive committee for the big field day to be held in town on May 24th, the proceeds to go toward the memorial monument fund, held a meeting last night, and some arrangements completed for the big event. Merritton is noted for their demonstrations always being successful, and owing to the proceeds going for such a good purpose, no doubt every person will offer their co-operation.

The ladies of St. James' Church held a very successful meeting at the rectory on Thursday afternoon. A large quantity of sewing was turned out, as well as a quantity of material supplied for future work. After the meeting was over dainty refreshments were served and a social hour enjoyed by all present.

The choir of St. James' Church will meet for practice to-night, when all members are urgently requested to be present.

OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

For Saturday, May 10th,
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THOROLD

Miss Mary Grenville, of the American Red Cross overseas nursing staff, has returned to her home in Thorold.

Word has been received in town that C. R. Kennedy and Arnold Shriner, the latter of the Royal Bank of Canada staff, has arrived at Vancouver, B.C., from Siberia, and are expected to arrive in Thorold in a very few days.

Mr. Dan Fenton, who has been overseas for some time past, has returned to town and is receiving a hearty welcome from his many friends.

Mr. Hamilton, of Toronto, is spending a few days in town on business, and while here is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Handislop.

Mrs. Fred Pew, Water street, has been appointed a candidate to attend the Hamilton Branch, W. M. S. to be held in the Methodist Church at Lundy's Lane on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The subject which is being discussed around the town at the present time is baseball. Every person is asking the question "Why isn't there a baseball team in Thorold?" It is not for the want of players, as there are a great number of good ones in this town, but what they want is some person to start the ball rolling. We read about games being played in other cities and towns so why not have some sport in our own town by organizing a team. This would mean that the boys would be entertained by the ball enthusiasts of other places, and would also bring other teams into our town occasionally. We have a splendid diamond so why not get busy and use it. There are several men who would be professional players once they get started, and if some courageous person would kick over the traces and start this ball team going no doubt the town receives unlimited co-operation in his efforts.

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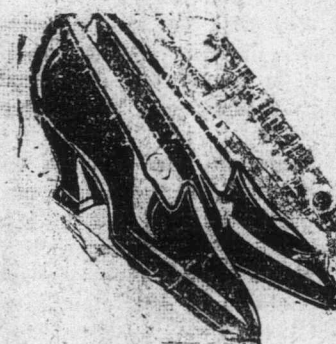
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