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A NOVEL DESIGN.

Figured and plain crepe have been combined in an unusual manner for the neat little summer frock sketched here. Plain tango crepe was used for the skirt, while a figured crepe with ecru ground and figures in tango and black was used for the blouse and basque-like skirt yoke. The yoke and lower skirt portion were joined under a braid matching the latter in color. The blouse opens over a vest of plain white batiste, finished with a rolling collar of the same. A fall of lace trims either side of the front, lending an attractive fluffiness to a rather severe whole.

He Invented Telephone At The Age of Twenty-Five

The Ottawa Free Press contains the following breezy reference to the invention of the telephone in Brantford.

"Forty years ago, on the porch of an unpretentious little house in Brantford, two Scotchmen sat talking. One was a middle aged man, known to his neighbors as an elocutionist, deeply interested in helping deaf mutes communicate with each other. The other was a thoughtful looking young fellow of 25, professor of vocal physiology—whatever that was—in Boston university. Neighbors passing up and down the street heard snippets of their conversation, and passed on, wondering what all this talk about 'armatures,' and 'current interrupters' and 'induction coils' meant.

The young man was explaining a new invention he had been working on, a multiple telegraph instrument, which could send a number of messages over a single wire. It worked on the principle of an electric buzzer with springs that alternately made and broke a circuit.

The way in which these springs vibrated at the sending end was reproduced at the receiving end. Only, and this was the important feature,

ed, was the moment that the telephone was invented. The middle aged man was Alexander Melville Bell, famous elocutionist, and the young man, his son, was Alexander Graham Bell.

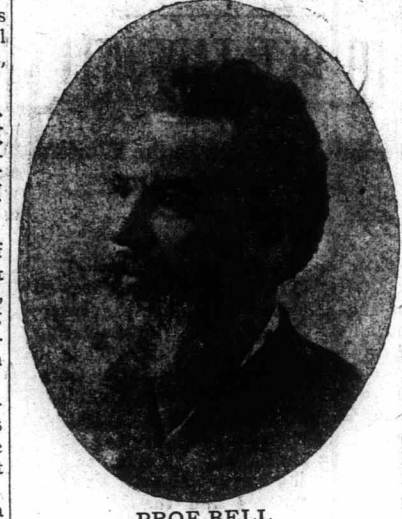
"Brantford was my thinking place," said Dr. Garam Bell not long ago, discussing the invention of the telephone. "There I would go and spend my summer holidays and look over the line of experiments that had been made in Boston, and plan for the future. And in the summer of 1874, during my visit to my father's house in Brantford, discussing with my father the experiments I had made in Boston, relative to the reproduction of musical sounds by electricity for the purpose of multiple telegraphy, the thought of the membrane telephone was elaborated. It was practically the same instrument as shown in the patent. It was a theoretical conception of a magneto telephone, a very daring conception, if I may be allowed to say so that the vibration of the voice might create electrical impulses like the aerial impulses, and produce an audible result at the other end. As a theoretical man I saw a speaking telephone, that theoretically we had the means of transmitting and reproducing speech in distant places."

Dr. Bell went back to Boston with this idea fermenting in his head. He kept on for a time working at his harmonic telegraph. He was assisted by a young Boston mechanic, Thomas A. W. Watson.

On the afternoon of June 2, 1875, Watson and Bell were "tuning up" one of the spring instruments, Watson was plucking away at the transmitter spring, making it buzz, or rather whine, while Bell was adjusting the transmitter spring so that it would give a whine of exactly the same pitch as the other. Suddenly the spring of the Watson instrument stuck. He kept plucking at it without avail. He bent over to examine it. The make and break points were fused. There was no interruption of the current. The circuit was unbroken. Yet the receiving spring continued to vibrate. The steel vibrating over the magnet was making the steel over the other magnet vibrate. The electrical waves were setting up sound waves.

Bell rushed over to Watson's instrument with a shout. "What did you do then? Don't change anything. Let me see." A few days before he had remarked: "If I could make a current of electricity vary in intensity, precisely as the air varies in intensity during the production of a sound, I should be able to transmit speech telegraphically." That was exactly just what happened. The steel spring vibrating across the pole of the magnet, was generating a current of electricity that varied in intensity with hearing distance of the spring. The sound was being electrically transmitted, the telephony was possible. The first crude telephone was in operation.

Bell and Watson immediately set to work to construct the human voice. To get the delicate vibrations of speech they attached a membrane of gold-beater's skin over the springs of the instruments to work in the



PROF. BELL.

same way as the human ear-drum acts by passing vibrations.

Dr. Bell describes the first conversation over the phone on July 1, 1875, as follows: "We had only one membrane telephone, and the receiver was one of the old tuned reed receivers. It was held up to the ear. You crammed the armature against the ear to dampen its vibrations. I was listening at that armature, while Watson was down in the basement of Charles Williams, Jr., building at 109 Court street, and then we changed places. I may say that I heard nothing. Then Mr. Watson went downstairs to ligate and I went upstairs to speak, and while I was speaking, Mr. Watson came rushing upstairs in a state of great excitement and saying: "Why Mr. Bell I heard your voice very distinctly, and could almost understand what you said."

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Nuptial Notes

BOWDEN—IGGULDEN

The marriage took place quietly Saturday afternoon at Trinity church of Eleanor K. Iggulden, to William Bowden, Rev. G. W. Latimer conducted the services.

Mourn the Loss

Lloyd W. Black, the five months old son of Mr. and Mrs. W. Harry Black, passed away at his parents' residence, 130 St. George street last night. The funeral takes place tomorrow.

Mr. Avery Yager of Regina, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

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Social and Personal

The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest, Phone 1781.

Mr. W. L. Hughes is in Toronto to-day.

Miss Mildred MacMorine spent the week-end in Brantford.—Toronto Globe.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Bradshaw of London registered at the Belmont Hotel last night.

Messrs. W. A. and J. R. Potter of Woodstock, were guests at the Belmont last night.

Friends of Mrs. R. H. Snider will be sorry to learn of her serious illness in Los Angeles, California.

Mr. W. R. Shute and family of Guelph, were among the many who registered at the Belmont last night.

Miss Kathleen Digby has returned from Toronto and is the guest of Miss Doris Hardy, Hazelbrook farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Finnigan and child of Waterloo, and Mr. and Mrs. Cameron of Toronto, composed a motor party who registered at the Belmont last night.

Mr. and Mrs. Fitton of Brantford, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jeffrey Hale for the holiday.—London Free Press.

Mrs. Mueller of William street, left the city last evening to spend the summer with relatives in Chicago and Lowden, Iowa.

Mrs. H. Ivey of Port Dover, has returned home after a visit over the holidays to the parental home at 255 Dufferin avenue.

Mrs. A. Hemmings of Toronto, and Mr. and Mrs. J. Clarke of Galt, were holiday visitors with Mr. and Mrs. G. Mears, 251 Nelson street.

Mrs. U. M. Stanley of Wellington street will receive for the last time this season on Thursday with her sister, Mrs. McGovern of Milwaukee.

Mrs. G. A. Chrysler and W. G. Ranton have been appointed delegates to the International Sunday School association, Chicago, which meets, June 23 to 30.

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CHICAGO, May 26—Ing a strong start, the died today after estimate the crop in Kansas was huge total of 150,000. Closing values were steady varying from 7-8 decline of 3-8c. Corn finished to 1c up, oats 1-8c down and provisions showing 7 1-2 to 2 3/4.

TORONTO GRAIN

Wheat, fall bushel.....
Barley, bushel.....
Oats, bushel.....
Rye, bushel.....
Buckwheat, bushel.....

TORONTO DAIRY

Butter, store lots.....
Butter, creamery, lb. rolls.....
Butter, creamery, 50 lbs. casks.....
Eggs, new-laid.....
Cheese, 10 lb. wheels.....
Cheese, new, 5 lb. wheels.....
Honey, combs, dozen.....
Honey, extracted.....

WINNIPEG GRAIN

WINNIPEG, May 26—C lower for contract grades. No. 1 to 5c higher. Barley lower. The decrease in for the week at Fort Will bushels, and the decrease t pected to be large also.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, 83c; No. 3 northern, 81c; No. 5, 80c; No. 70c.

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 35c; No. 3, 34c; No. 4, 33c; No. 5, 32c; No. 6, 31c; No. 7, 30c; No. 8, 29c; No. 9, 28c; No. 10, 27c; No. 11, 26c; No. 12, 25c; No. 13, 24c; No. 14, 23c; No. 15, 22c; No. 16, 21c; No. 17, 20c; No. 18, 19c; No. 19, 18c; No. 20, 17c; No. 21, 16c; No. 22, 15c; No. 23, 14c; No. 24, 13c; No. 25, 12c; No. 26, 11c; No. 27, 10c; No. 28, 9c; No. 29, 8c; No. 30, 7c; No. 31, 6c; No. 32, 5c; No. 33, 4c; No. 34, 3c; No. 35, 2c; No. 36, 1c; No. 37, 0c; No. 38, 0c; No. 39, 0c; No. 40, 0c; No. 41, 0c; No. 42, 0c; No. 43, 0c; No. 44, 0c; No. 45, 0c; No. 46, 0c; No. 47, 0c; No. 48, 0c; No. 49, 0c; No. 50, 0c.

MINNEAPOLIS GRAIN

MINNEAPOLIS, May 26—May, 90c; July, 91c; No. 1, 84c; No. 2, 83c; No. 3, 82c; No. 4, 81c; No. 5, 80c; No. 6, 79c; No. 7, 78c; No. 8, 77c; No. 9, 76c; No. 10, 75c; No. 11, 74c; No. 12, 73c; No. 13, 72c; No. 14, 71c; No. 15, 70c; No. 16, 69c; No. 17, 68c; No. 18, 67c; No. 19, 66c; No. 20, 65c; No. 21, 64c; No. 22, 63c; No. 23, 62c; No. 24, 61c; No. 25, 60c; No. 26, 59c; No. 27, 58c; No. 28, 57c; No. 29, 56c; No. 30, 55c; No. 31, 54c; No. 32, 53c; No. 33, 52c; No. 34, 51c; No. 35, 50c; No. 36, 49c; No. 37, 48c; No. 38, 47c; No. 39, 46c; No. 40, 45c; No. 41, 44c; No. 42, 43c; No. 43, 42c; No. 44, 41c; No. 45, 40c; No. 46, 39c; No. 47, 38c; No. 48, 37c; No. 49, 36c; No. 50, 35c.

DULUTH GRAIN

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