

### PHILLIPS DISCHARGED SHOT WIFE BY MISTAKE

Threw Jug of Water at Him—Be-  
ware of Gambling and Drink,  
Says Judge.

J. B. Phillips was yesterday acquit-  
ted of the charge of shooting his wife.  
It appeared that the incident was an  
accident.

The shooting fracas occurred at 233  
St. George-st. last 24th of May. Phillips  
appeared before Judge Winchester  
yesterday afternoon, charged with  
wounding his wife, Mary Phillips. T.  
C. Robbette appeared for the defence  
and Crown Attorney Greer for the  
prosecution.

Inspector Archibald, who lives a  
couple of doors from the accused, was  
the first witness called. He stated  
that on the evening of May 24 last  
his daughter came in and told him  
that there was something serious  
happening in Mr. Phillips' house. He  
immediately went in and found Mr.  
Johnstone, a neighbor, holding Phillips  
down on the floor. Mr. Johnstone  
then gave him a revolver, which he  
stated Phillips had used. The inspec-  
tor then took charge of Phillips. He  
struggled violently and kept calling  
out: "Where is my wife; is she kill-  
ed?" A policeman then came, and  
the inspector gave Phillips to him.  
He thought that the accused was suf-  
fering from delirium tremens at the  
time.

The next witness called was Mr.  
Johnstone, the neighbor. On the par-  
ticular evening he heard sounds of  
screaming and fighting and going  
into the house he found Phillips in  
the hall upstairs with a revolver and  
acting very strangely and immedi-  
ately grabbed him.

Dr. McPherson was then called. He  
stated that he was called in shortly  
afterward and that he found Mrs.  
Phillips suffering from a bullet wound  
and a flesh wound in the shoulder, and  
a cut over her right eye, which, on  
being questioned, he said might be  
caused by a blow from a water pitcher.

Mrs. Phillips stated that both she  
and her husband had been to the races  
on that day and that he had been  
drinking very heavily. On coming  
home in the evening to supper he had  
several more drinks, but was not quar-  
relsome. After supper he started to  
talk of 127 acres of land he had bought  
and then of 10,000 acres. These re-  
marks caused her to think that there  
was something seriously wrong with  
him. He then said that he would go  
up and get a little sleep. She then  
went up stairs to undress the children.  
About five minutes afterwards she  
heard a shot. She picked up one of  
the children's room into the hall, which  
was very dark, and found him with a  
revolver in his hand, and acting very  
strangely. She picked up a pitcher of  
water to throw over him and he dis-  
charged the revolver. In her opinion  
it was an accident.

His honor in summing up the case  
said that in view of Mrs. Phillips'  
saying she thought it was an accident,  
he would discharge him, but would ask  
him to furnish a personal bond for  
his good behavior in future. He  
strongly advised him to give up drink-  
ing and gambling.

#### HELP THE OTHER FELLOW.

You will meet many boys and young  
men these days who are wearing on  
the lapels of their coat a neat button,  
on which is inscribed the words:  
"Help the other fellow," in black and  
red. The button is a mark of the  
big activity in tuberculosis  
work; then be-  
low are the  
words: "Mus-  
koka Free Hos-  
pital." This all  
means that the  
wearer is out  
endeavouring to  
help the other fellow—especially the  
poor fellow who is down with tubercu-  
losis—by pushing the sale of the little  
Christmas Stamp issued on behalf of the  
Muskoka Free Hospital for Consump-  
tives. The idea comes from the  
M. C. A. boys, whose interest in  
this work grows from day to day.

The newspaper publishers, together  
with the advertising agencies, consti-  
tute one of the active committees of  
the Citizens' Stamp Committee. It is  
always part of the work of the news-  
paper and advertising man to hustle.  
He has little time to go leisurely, and  
this spirit permeates the committee of  
newspaper men, that is under the  
management of Mr. C. T. Pearce, gen-  
eral manager of "The News." We have  
just had one list shown us from one  
of the sub-committees, representing  
the calls of an hour or two one after-  
noon, and indicating orders that total  
\$127—and this from just one of the  
six groups of newspaper men who are  
out on the warpath.

#### LURING ITALIANS ON.

LONDON, Dec. 8.—(Can. Press).—A  
correspondent with the Turkish force  
in Tripoli says the loss of the Turks  
in the recent battle at Anzara, when  
they were defeated by the Italians,  
was less than 100 killed or wounded.  
The retirement of the Turks, he  
says, with their sick and wounded,  
was carried out with great skill. It  
is the hope of the tribesmen, the  
correspondent adds, that they may be  
able to draw the Italians beyond the  
range of the Italian warships lying  
off the coast.

#### Singing Hymns Made Her Lonesome

Very human are the stories one will  
gather as they meet from time to time  
with patients who have been in the  
Muskoka Free Hospital for Consump-  
tives. A newspaper reporter has been  
digging up some cases of this kind.  
When visiting the hospital, he says:  
"I chatted with a young woman of  
perhaps twenty-five summers, ruddy,  
pretty, smiling and happy; even tho'  
at the time she was confined to bed."  
She told rather a touching story in  
these words: "Three years ago my  
sister died of consumption. I think I  
caught it from her, having been in  
very poor health at the time. There  
was nothing for me to do, if my life  
was to be spared, but to come to this  
institution. I would not give up hope,  
I like being here alright, only when  
they are singing hymns on Sunday, I  
feel a bit lonesome and homesick. The  
doctors are all kind and the nurses are  
all lovely."

#### Local Option in Blandford.

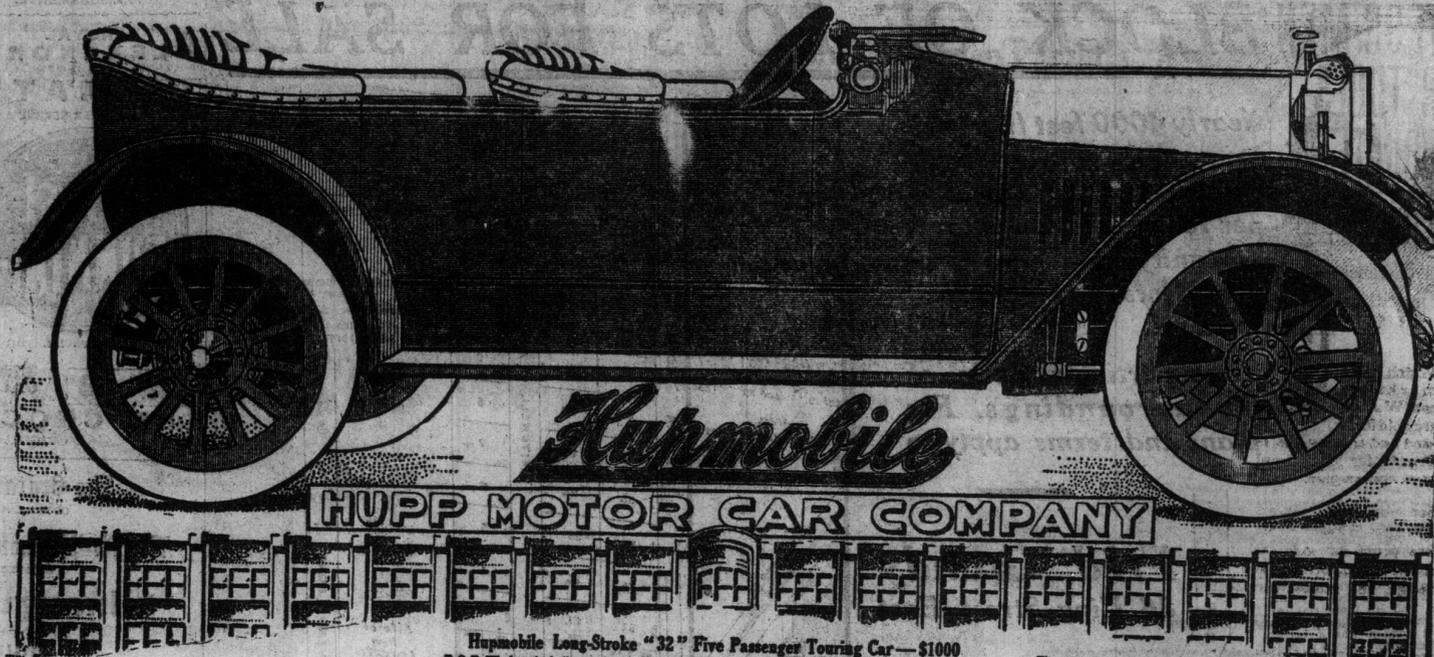
TAVISTOCK, Dec. 8.—At the meet-  
ing of the Blandford Township Coun-  
cil to-day a petition was presented ad-  
vising that a vote be taken on local op-  
tion at the January elections. If the  
vote favors local option there will be  
a large area of dry country, as the  
hotel in Bright, which is the only li-  
censed one in the Township of Bland-

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medicine, and only requires touching the  
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Marvellous results from taking his remedy for  
treatment; no hypodermic injections, no pub-  
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sure cure.  
Address or consult Dr. McTaggart, 15 Yonge  
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Hupmobile Long-Stroke "32" Five Passenger Touring Car—\$1000  
F. O. E. Windsor, including equipment of windshield, gas lamps and generator, oil lamps, tools and horn.  
Three speeds forward and reverse; sliding gears. Four cylinder motor, 34 inch bore x 5 1/2 inch stroke.  
Bosch magneto, 14-inch wheels, 30 x 2 1/4-inch tires. Color—Standard Hupmobile blue.

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A new and larger Hupmobile which immediately thrusts upon your attention a score of tangible superiorities which set it in a class apart from cars of its price.

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- Third, the Americanization, after close study abroad, of invaluable engineering principles entirely new to this country.

Some of the points which make the price unprecedented

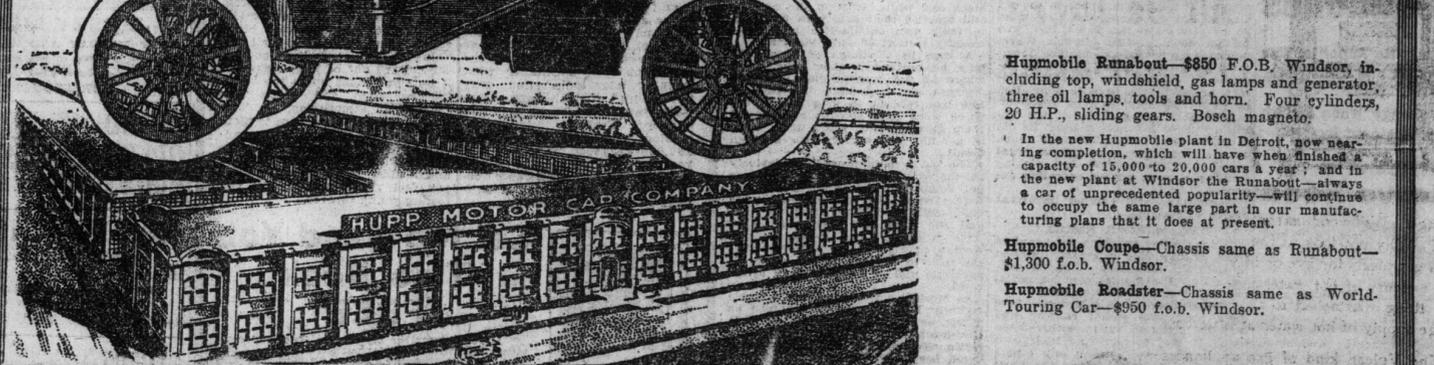
- The three chief characteristics of the new Hupmobile are Durability, Efficiency and Ability.
- By durability we mean that we believe that there are more years of quiet, competent service and a greater capacity for withstanding hard knocks in this car than have ever before been incorporated in a car at any figure near this price—because every part is made of good material, and more than amply strong for a car of this size and weight.
- By efficiency we mean lower oil and gasoline consumption; a lesser tire cost; and a smaller outlay for repairs.
- By ability we mean 60% more pulling power for mountain work and heavy roads; 4 to 50 miles of speed at any time and all times; and ability to throttle instantly to a walking gait or to pick up quickly without feeling the weight of the car.
- These latter advantages are due in large measure, of course, to the motor, one of the first of the small-bore, long-stroke type peculiar to the finest foreign cars ever manufactured in this country.
- The cylinders are cast in block, a practice which, except in cars selling for \$2,500 and more, implies a two-bearing crankshaft.
- The Hupmobile crankshaft has three large main bearings, bronze back, Babbitt lined—less wear—fewer adjustments—longer life.
- Other bearings include high duty Hyatt roller and F. & S. annular; while the wheels are mounted on Bower bearings.
- The valves—all on one side—are enclosed by a pressed steel cover, which keeps oil in and dirt out; and because dirt is kept out the valves remain noiseless, show minimum wear and require minimum adjustment.
- Many a car of 50 to 60 horsepower carries a clutch no larger than the clutch of the new Hupmobile. Multiple disc type, with 13-inch discs, gives positive action and starts the car smoothly and easily.
- Transmission gears are amply large for a 40-horsepower car; run slowly and are quiet at all speeds.
- This excess strength extends also to the full-floating rear axle—large and strong enough for a seven-passenger car. The gears have an unusually large number of teeth—another precaution against wear and the possibility of trouble.
- Oil is fed to all parts and bearings of the unit power plant under pressure—the flywheel runs in oil, and its centrifugal force takes the place of a pump. One kind of oil is used for engine, clutch and transmission, instead of oil and grease, and it circulates and lubricates until it is literally worn out—a self-evident economy.
- Body and chassis design embody a low centre of gravity and minimize skidding.
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H. Stuart of Tennessee, for many years the associate of the late Sam Jones, evangelist. The Arion Male Quartet and special soloists will conduct the song service. Service is to commence at 3 o'clock, with doors open at 2.15.

OSGOODE WON DEBATE.  
Osgoode Hall won a very well con-  
tested inter-college debate last even-  
ing from Victoria College, the subject  
being: "Resolved that the sale of mu-  
nicipal bonds to corporations is detri-  
mental to the public interest, and  
should be prohibited by law." The af-  
firmative was taken by Victoria, and  
the negative by Osgoode.

Famous Southern Preacher.  
An opportunity is given by the Can-  
adian Temperance League to-morrow  
evening at Massey Hall, Rev. Geo.

Ninety Miles More to Go.  
Word was received at the Canadian  
Northern offices here to the effect that  
the ballasting is expected to be finish-  
ed in a week's time on the company's  
line from Belleville to Deseronto. From  
the latter point to Sydenham, the C.  
N. O. will run over the Bay of Quinte  
line, and this brings the railway with-  
in 90 miles of Ottawa.

Mrs. Pankhurst's Lecture.  
The opening sale of Mrs. Pankhurst's  
lecture, next Tuesday evening in Mas-  
sey Hall, was very large yesterday  
morning. As an extra attraction, the  
Royal Grenadiers' Band will play a  
special concert program, commencing  
at 7.30.

Bishop Reeve to Speak.  
The Right Reverend Bishop Reeve  
will preach in Trinity Church East, to-  
morrow morning.

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