

GLINT OF A FORTUNE RED FLAG DISPLACES DOES NOT TURN HEAD NATIONAL ANTHEM

Mrs. Harriet Shunn, Heiress to Millions, Is Not Unduly Elated.

FIND WAYS TO SPEND IT

Has Optimistic Feeling That Agents Will Not Be Required for Its Distribution.

[By the Nomad.]
Notwithstanding the fact that but a few legal technicalities lie between her and the possession of a fortune of over a million dollars, Mrs. Harriet Shunn, of Bridges street, is not at all unduly excited or elated over the event. Mrs. Shunn, as was announced in The Advertiser of a few days ago, is one of the beneficiaries in a large estate in Ireland recently released by the court of chancery. Two others being her sisters, Mrs. Anne Jones, of Streetford, and Mrs. Burdick, of this city.

Seen in her cottage home yesterday afternoon, Mrs. Shunn discussed the matter with an Advertiser reporter who called.

"Never Built On It."
"While I have always known the money was there, and that we'd likely get it some time or other, I never built upon it," she said. "My late husband used to talk about it sometimes, but I always made him stop. It seemed so far away. Even now I am not building on getting it, although the last letters from the lawyers said it would be paid over within the month."

"But haven't you been planning how to spend some of it?" asked the reporter.
"No, I haven't. For I didn't count on getting it. When we do, though, I guess we'll find enough ways to spend it," said the heiress.

"And what does the baby think about it?" asked the reporter, picking up Mrs. Shunn's little granddaughter, who was creeping shyly towards her. "Good-good," gurgled the little one, reaching with chubby hand for the gay picture cover of a magazine in the reporter's lap. "The disposal of the long-looked-for family fortune did not bother her any."

"Give to Poor."
"One of my sisters says she will give her share to the poor," resumed Mrs. Shunn. "I just have two sisters living. My three lovely daughters and three sons. Some of my sisters left children, and I expect that they'll get their mothers' shares."
"Goodness," said the reporter. "I think I should have been building castles in the air right along. So you've no idea how you will dispose of the money. What you'll do with it first of all?"
"No, I've made no plans. When it comes, no doubt, I'll find ways to use it."

I.O.O.F. PUTS ON DANCE AT THE MASONIC HALL

More Than 400 Attend Social Evening—Pleasing Program Staged.

More than four hundred attended the dance and entertainment given in the Masonic Hall last night by the London lodges of the I. O. O. F. Beautiful decorations, light and electrical effects, and the finest food were provided. The original London Harpers, and the fashionable and artistic gown of the ladies, made the ballroom appear a place of veritable enchantment.

Visitors were present from Toronto, Stratford, Thamesford and other out-of-town places. The earlier part of the evening was devoted to an excellent and attractive program presided over by District Deputy Arthur Borland. Brief addresses were given by Grand Master P. T. Copeland, Past Grand Sir Dr. Clarence T. Campbell, District Deputy Borland, and Grand Secretary William Brooks. A feature of the program was the delightful tenor solo rendered by Miss Kathleen Paul, a youthful and promising singer. Songs were rendered by Miss Joseph Halseall, M. McCormick, George Gollop, and a capable quintette composed of George Wardrope, Harold Skinner, Bertie Forte, M. McDougall and Jack Barnard. Recitations were given by Miss Anna Begg and Miss Florence Hamilton.

Among the visitors from out-of-town lodges were Grand Master Copeland, of St. Marys; Grand Secretary Brooks, of Toronto; and Ernest Mittington, of Amiable lodge, Manchester Unity, Norwich, England.

W. H. Heslop was chairman of the committee in charge of the dance, and on which were the following representatives of the different lodges: Chorazin lodge: W. H. Heslop, E. F. Simmons and A. Barrowclough; Eureka lodge: Samuel Crawford, F. W. Paul and Bert Moore; Dominion lodge, Thomas Hamblin, C. L. Graves and M. Pringle; Forest City lodge: J. F. Hickey-Lyne; Gordon High lodge: J. H. Thompson; May Queen lodge: Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Borland; Victoria Rebekah lodge: Mrs. Powell and Mrs. Malone.

BANKER ROBERTS DEAD.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
DUNGANNON, May 1.—J. M. Roberts, aged 76, a local private banker, died at his home here today after an illness extending over several weeks. Besides his wife he leaves two daughters, Cora and Edith at home, and John, of the Sterling Bank in Toronto.

PLAN TO BOOST CLINTON.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
CLINTON, May 1.—A splendid meeting of the local board of trade was held this evening and steps will be taken to boost the town in many ways. President John Ransford presided and addresses were given by W. Brydson, Dr. Shaw, Dr. Tozer, C. F. Libby, F. G. Andrews and W. F. Cooper.

IN THE SPRING YOU NEED MEDICINE

Your close confinement indoors and heavy living during the winter, and the bad condition of your system brought about by cold weather, have made your blood impure and weak. So that now eruptions appear on your face and body, you lack vitality, strength and animation, your appetite is poor, you have that tired feeling. Ask your druggist for Hood's Sarsaparilla. It makes the rich red blood that you must have to feel well, look well, eat and sleep well. Get it today.

London Socialists Conclude Concert With a Party Song.

"WE'LL DO AWAY WITH IT"

Words With Which Old Custom of Canadian Patriotism Is Thrust Aside.

"It's customary at the close of a concert to sing 'God Save the King.' We'll do away with that tonight and sing the 'Red Flag' instead," said the chairman, T. W. Sargent. From lusty throats the words of the Socialist anthem rang forth, proclaiming to all who cared to listen that London Local No. 44, Social Democratic party of Canada, was holding May Day celebrations in the Duffield Hall.

The program was quite lengthy, but there was no halting in the enthusiasm. Thomas Salls spoke briefly, after which Charles Bloomfield offered a violin selection. Mrs. Salls sang the "International Anthem," and Mrs. T. W. Sargent, Miss Nellie Thompson, John Lindsay, J. Mergenthaler and A. J. Bowyer offered vocal numbers.

"I. B. Ashplant, in a short address, hailed May Day as the opening of a new era in social democracy. J. Thompson contrasted the increasing wealth of Canada and other countries with the great number of unemployed in Canada the past winter and the suffering and hardships resulting to the workers. When people came to know, he said, the actual amount of social injustice existing at the present day, they would at once realize that the solution of the world's evils and suffering lies in socialism. Charles Bloomfield rendered a violin solo and M. Linwood a piano solo.

OVER 8,000 PEOPLE HEARD CLARA BUTT

Royal Albert Hall, London, England, Packed With People at a Recent Performance.

From the interest shown by citizens, everything points to a packed house for the Butt-Rumford concert to be given in the Armories next Tuesday evening. It is rarely that the music lovers and supporters of good music in this city get together like they have in this particular event to make a concert a success. It demonstrates that London is badly in need of a big concert hall for events of this kind.

Royal Albert Hall, London, England, with its seating capacity of 6,200, and with 2,000 persons standing in addition to that number, seldom has presented a more remarkable scene than on the occasion of a recital given by Mrs. Clara Butt and Kennerly Rumford, shortly before the famous English contract and her husband sailed for America a year ago. The concert was an afternoon affair, and the boxes and stalls were filled with the aristocracy of the United Kingdom.

"Clara Butt," wrote a correspondent, "looked taller and handsomer than ever. For several minutes she remained bowing, bowing, wondering when the cheering would stop."
"It was in the centre of a silence, which had quite an uncanny effect after the terrific uproar, that Clara Butt's voice soared up through the stillness on the first bars of Beethoven's soul-stirring 'In questa tomba.' And what a voice it was! Years ago the whole world enthused about Clara Butt's singing, and declared nothing more stupendous was possible. Yet since then her voice has actually increased in volume, just as her singing has become more extraordinarily artistic."

"Perhaps the most remarkable effect of the afternoon was produced by Clara Butt's inspired rendering of 'Abide with Me.' How often she has sung that song in different parts of the world it would be hard to say, but never can it have held an audience more spellbound. From the time the opening lines floated up into the vast dome until the final words faded and died, the dense human throng remained rigid, their gaze centered upon the hypnotic singer."

"Kennerly Rumford was also accorded a remarkable reception. When at last the concert came to an end—for there were many encores—seven gigantic trophies and innumerable baskets of flowers had been handed up amid great enthusiasm of the audience. The greatest difficulty was experienced in inducing the people to disperse. They massed about the entrance through which the queen of song was expected to pass."

Mrs. Butt and her husband made a brave attempt to escape through another door, but the news spread, and in a few moments their car was closely hemmed in by the crowd. London has seldom witnessed a more remarkable demonstration."

HAS BROTHER IN LONDON
Mrs. (Canon) Downie, of Port Stanley, Stricken While Visiting in Toronto.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
TORONTO, May 1.—Mrs. Downie, wife of Canon Downie, of Port Stanley, and a sister of Mr. George Rogers, of London, died here today at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Richard Williams, whom she was visiting when taken ill. She was 68 years old and prior to her marriage was Miss Josephine Rogers, of Kingston. Besides her husband, Mrs. Downie is survived by three daughters, Mrs. George Cowan, Vancouver; Mrs. R. Williams, Toronto; and Miss Henrietta at home, and two sons, Jack, of San Francisco, and David, manager of the Bank of Commerce, Paris, Ont. Mrs. James McGowan, Windsor, is a sister, and George Rogers, of London, a brother.

The funeral will be on Monday from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Williams, 26 Kendall avenue, Toronto.

SERIOUS BLAZE AT CLINTON
[Special to The Advertiser.]
CLINTON, May 1.—What threatened for a time to be a very serious fire started tonight from an oil heater left in the barber shop of M. Crick. The blaze was making great progress in the frame building when it was noticed, and it was feared that the fire would make its way into the furniture store adjoining. Hard work on the part of the local department, however, soon checked the flames. The loss is fully covered by insurance.

CO-OPERATIVE MANAGER



P. FALCONBRIDGE, who has charge of the affairs of the Erie Co-operative Association, which is marketing Essex products almost from coast to coast.

HAND FOUND BY ITALIAN IN RUINS OF BIG FIRE

But It Belongs to a Doll and the Supposed Gruesome Tragedy Takes on Ludicrous Turn.

Blackened and shrivelled through contact with intense heat, a hand was found by an Italian laborer, rummaging through the debris in the ruined store of Norman Peel on Dundas street, of the Dominion Savings building, recently gutted by fire. Wildest consternation and confusion reigned for a moment—until it was discovered that the charred member belonged to a huge doll that, along with other novelties in the store, had been burned.

Along with other workers the Italian was engaged in cleaning up the burnt fixtures piled deep on the floor. Suddenly, in removing a heavy piece of twisted steel from the heap, he was horrified to see what he thought was a human hand protruding from the rubbish.

With a scream that could be heard for a block the fear-stricken Italian dropped his shovel, and rushed out into the street.
"Find a hand! Find a hand!" he reiterated at the top of his voice.

In an instant workmen in the building who heard the cry rushed to the spot and demanded of the excited son of Italy where the ghastly remains were to be found. Eagerly following his wildly swinging arms the party accompanied by a patrolman who was passing, entered the ruins.

There it was, sure enough, with charred fingers spread apart and blackened almost beyond recognition—yet it was a human hand, all right.
"Call the coroner, the fire department, someone yelled."

There was a wild stampede in every direction. Then someone more valiant than the rest, summing up his courage, picked up the gruesome find. He looked at it. Then he laughed.
"It's a doll's hand," the venturesome one announced, wondering. The Italian, the police officer, and lesser shining lights sat down. Several jaws were heard to click mechanically. Several pairs of eyes looked almost hungrily at the gent from across the sea. Napoleon probably looked like that when his English cousins put him holidaying on St. Helena.

SEEKS TO BREAK WILL CLAIMING SENILE DECAY

Civil Engineer Enters Action on Grounds That Uncle Was in State of Mental Incapacity.

Alleging that his uncle, the late Rev. Archibald Stewart, was suffering from senile decay, and in a state of mental incapacity, James McDonald, a stationary engineer, of London, is seeking to break the will. The late Mr. Stewart, a retired Presbyterian minister, died in London on February 17 last.

The estate was valued at \$7,500, the largest bequest being one of \$3,000 to a nephew, James McEwen, of Cavalier, N. D., to be held in trust for the eldest child of Neil and Lizzie McEwen, of London, who she reaches her 21st birthday. Mrs. Margaret McDonald, of London, was bequeathed \$300, to be given to her son, James, on her death. A bequest of \$800 was made to the testator to the Presbyterian Church in Canada, half of it to be used as an endowment fund for widows and orphans, and the other half for a fund for aged and infirm ministers, the bulk of the estate going to Mrs. Flora McQueen, of Exeter.

John McQueen, of USborne Township, and Donald McAlpine, executors of the will, and James McEwen, Cavalier, N. D.; Flora McDonald, Flora McQueen, Archibald McDonald, London, N. D.; John Somerville, the board of trustees of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, and Mary Elizabeth McQueen, a minor, living in Vancouver, are named as defendants in the action for the contesting of the will.

Judge Elliott has given an order for the service of the parties concerned who do not live in Canada.

HAY TOWNSHIP PIONEER

[Special to The Advertiser.]
EXETER, May 1.—The funeral took place today to Exeter Cemetery from the family residence, in Hay Township, of Mrs. Helen Campbell, the widow of the late William Campbell. She had lived nearly all her life on the farm on which she died.

Mr. John Colwell, who sustained a slight stroke recently, is recovering.

Mr. John Molr, who recently sold his farm in USborne, has purchased Mr. John Spackman's house on William street, and will move to town shortly.

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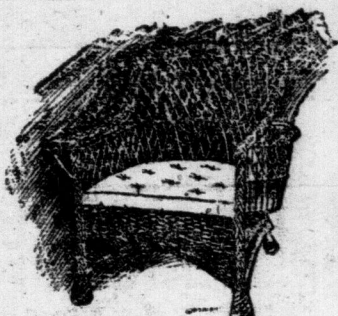
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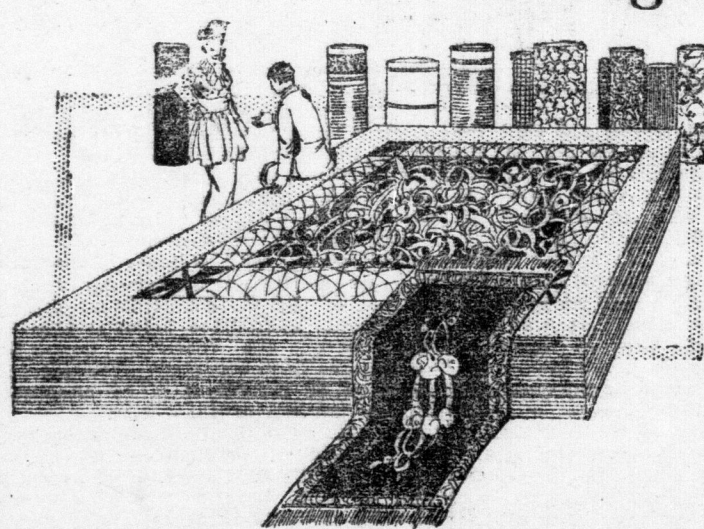
Also a limited number of Voile Curtains; ivory and ecru with insertion set in; 2½ yards long. A limited number to sell at this price. Pair \$1.50

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Special quality, in ecru, ivory and white; 36-inch, made of good quality yarn. Only, yard 20c

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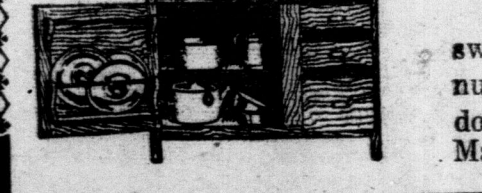
Sandringham Axminster Carpets (Templeton's) body and border, \$3.50
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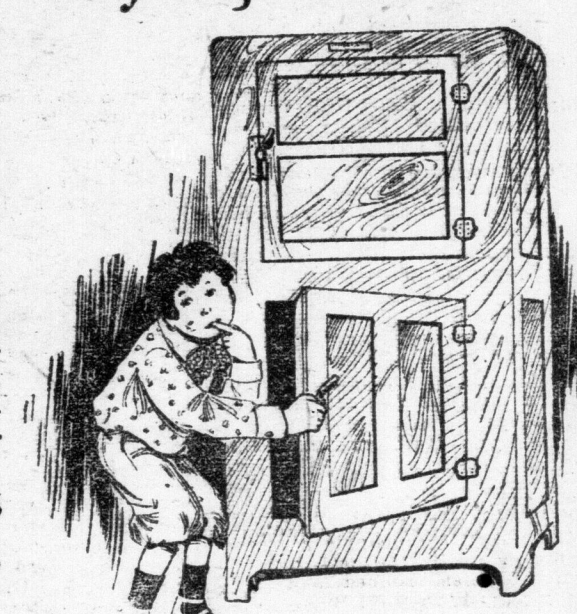
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Basement.



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