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### Separate White Skirts, \$1.49

Ladies' White Skirts, made of fine imported repp and French duck, made in the latest style, perfect fitting, well tailored, lengths 38 to 42. Saturday special ..... \$1.49

### Shepherd Check Suitings at 25c

Extra special quality of Shepherd Check Suitings, 42 inches wide. On sale Saturday at ..... 25c

### White Muslin Waists For 98c

Ladies' White Muslin Waists, with embroidered front with kimono set-in sleeves, 34, 36 and 38 bust. On sale Saturday at ..... 98c

### White Jabots Values Up to 35c Saturday Only 17c

10 dozen Lawn and Lace Jabots, latest styles. Regular 35c value. Saturday special ..... 17c

### Clearing of Lisle Gloves at 17c Pair

Odd lines of Short Lisle Gloves, in colors, sizes 6 to 7. Values up to 40c. Saturday only, pair ..... 17c

### 65c Black Voile For 39c

All-Wool French Voile, 42 inches wide (black only). Regular 65c value. Saturday special ..... 39c

### 50 Dozen Princess Ribbed Stockings

Sizes 5½ to 10, black only. On sale Saturday morning from 9 to 12 o'clock only, at pair ..... 18c

1,000 YARDS OF FANCY SHANTUNG SILKS, ROSCOE SILKS AND TOKIO SILKS. VALUES UP TO 50c. SATURDAY SPECIAL ..... 25c

### Dollar Black Paillette For 79c

All-Silk Black Paillette, 36 inches wide, guaranteed to wear. Regular dollar value, Saturday special ..... 79c

### White Cambric Underskirts at 59c

Three styles of Lace-trimmed Cambric Underskirts, made with wide flounce, also has extra dust ruffle. Regular 90c value. Saturday special ..... 59c

### 40-Inch White Lawn For 7½c

Ten pieces of Fine White Victoria Lawn, 40 inches wide. On sale Saturday at yard ..... 7½c

### Cotton Voiles For 25c

A perfect selection of Fine Cotton Voiles, in white, sky, black, fawn and navy. Special, the yard ..... 25c

### 10c Linen Handkerchiefs

With hemstitched border. Saturday special ..... 4 for 25c

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For handling oil. It insures you good clean oil, as the tank is absolutely dust-proof. It insures you full measurement. We have just installed it. Try us for your Coal Oil. 5 gallons best Canadian, 60c; 5 gallons best American, 70c. We have a good Axe with handle for ..... 50c and 65c Buck Saws ..... 20c

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We have opened this week large shipments of the above goods from Great Britain, the United States and Canada, and only ask the opportunity of showing you the nicest assortment of wedding presents that you have ever seen.

Now is the ideal time to paint, and Sherwin-Williams Paint is the only kind to use. We are sole downtown agents for this great line. Jap-a-lac has saved many a piece of furniture from going to the lumber room. It makes old things new. Try a 10c can.

London is noted for its fine lawns, and we are there with the lawn requirements. Our Mowers, Grass Shears, Trowels, Hose, Rakes and Barrows are good and cheap. We will make special prices tomorrow, and all next week on Shears, and we ask any lady who buys our Shears to be sure to bring them back if they are not first class. Prices from 40c to 75c pair.

## COWAN'S HARDWARE

125 and 127 Dundas Street. Phones 3461-3462.

### AFTER PALMA TROPHY

Canadian Riflemen Will Endeavor to  
Take Big Prize.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Ottawa, May 31.—Canadian riflemen are going after everything in sight this year. The Palma trophy is the latest thing they have determined to capture. It has been decided to enter a team for the Palma trophy, which is the big international rifle prize of American origin. Canada won the trophy once before and

then lost it to England, which parted with it to an American team. Canada is going after it again. The shoot will take place some time after the Bixby and the D. R. A. meets.

### A DUKE IN THE WEST.

Vancouver, B. C., May 31.—The Duke of Sutherland, accompanied by Hon. Francis Grosvenor, is here. The duke hopes to be in Vancouver again next September. His visit was made with a view to looking into one or two details in connection with his colonization scheme in Alberta, and his holdings in British Columbia.

## EAST ENDERS ARE FOR ANNEXATION

Progressives Strongly Favor the  
Taking In of Pottersburg  
By the City.

### EAST LONDON MARKET

Report Stated That Progress Is Being  
Made Toward Securing  
One.

The question that occasioned the most discussion at the meeting of the East London Progressive Association Thursday night was the proposed annexation of Pottersburg.

"All the influential residents of Pottersburg are keen for annexation," was a statement that was made several times, and the meeting decided to take steps to bring about this object.

Two letters from Mr. J. Grant Henderson, commissioner of industries, asking for the assistance of the association towards this end, were read, and a committee was appointed to range with Mr. Henderson for a public meeting to be held in Pottersburg as soon as possible.

The committee elected is composed of the following: Messrs. Hargreaves, Leach, Christian, Pearson, Wakeling, Watkinson and Procter and will commence immediately to prepare for the meeting in Pottersburg. Mr. Henderson will be asked to secure speakers for that occasion.

East End Market.  
The report of the market committee showed that progress is being made toward the establishment of a market in the East End. The matter of opening up Dorinda street was discussed, and the feeling of the meeting was that this street should be opened as soon as possible. Mr. Hargreaves, who has charge of the employment and real estate bureau of the association, reported that there had been several inquiries for houses to rent, but that none had been available. There has been but one application for work, and the applicant had been placed in a position.

### NOT MERGING

Again Denied That Tuckett Are to  
Unite With Macdonald.

[Canadian Press.]  
Montreal, May 31.—C. Meredith & Co., the concern which has purchased the Tuckett Cigar and Tobacco Company in Hamilton, Montreal and London, this morning denied that it was to be merged with the business of Sir William Macdonald or the business of any tobacco company. It was stated that the acquisition of the company was the first step in connection with its complete reorganization and enlargement.

The name of Sir William Macdonald got mixed up in the matter through the efforts of other parties to merge his enterprise and that of Tuckett at the same time as the negotiations between the Meredith Company and the officers of Tuckett were being carried on.

## WORK WILL BE RUSHED ON NEW ART BUILDING

Western Fair Board Named a  
Special Committee to Erect  
the Structure.

The new art building for the Western Fair will be constructed at once, a special building committee being named at the session of the executive of the fair on Thursday evening.

Mr. W. J. Reid, president of the association, was informed by Ald. Johnston that the Government grant of \$2,500 had been made towards the construction of the building, and he advised that work be commenced at once.

"We must have a creditable structure," declared Mr. Reid.

"We want a building, permanent, beautiful and suitable," declared Mr. W. M. Spencer, chairman of the grounds and buildings committee.

After some discussion it was decided to name Ald. H. E. Johnston, William Moore, W. H. Abbott, R. R. Bland and W. J. Reid, a special committee to construct the building. Plans and specifications will be called for at once, and in the meantime, the committee will secure all possible information on such matters. A meeting of the committee was called for Friday evening to go into the question more fully.

It was also decided to invite Hon. Martin Burrell, minister of agriculture for the Dominion, and Hon. J. S. Duff, provincial minister of agriculture, to open the Western Fair on Tuesday, Sept. 10. The secretary, Mr. A. M. Hunt, will communicate with them at once to arrange for their visit.

Mr. W. M. Spencer, chairman of the grounds and building committee, pointed out that the matter of lighting the grounds had not been disposed of and it was decided to leave the whole matter in the hands of Mr. Spencer's committee.

Secretary A. M. Hunt advised the executive that the prize lists and advertising matter would be ready for mailing on Saturday next.

Those present at the meeting were Mr. W. J. Reid (president), J. H. Saunders (vice-president), W. M. Spencer, Ald. H. E. Johnston, R. R. Bland, W. H. Abbott, William Moore, Jeffery Hale, and Secretary A. M. Hunt.

### FIGHT OVER RAILWAY

Action Contemplated For Possession  
of Grand Valley Line.

Brantford, May 30.—The local manager of the Trusts and Guaranty Company, of Toronto, has been notified by the head office that the company is in charge of the interests of the bondholders of the Grand Valley Railway Company. It is also stated that the National Trust Company, of Toronto, is contemplating action on behalf of the old Brantford street railway bondholders. In the meantime, the Brantford officials are awaiting proper authority before handing over. Both parties are seeking possession under the mortgage clauses in the bylaw.

## WOMEN MUST HELP GUIDE THE SHIP

Sir George Gibbons' Address  
Before National Council  
Thursday Night.

### WOMAN IN THE HOME

Jean Blewett Made a Characteristic  
Speech—Woman's Suffrage Deal  
With by Dr. Stowe-Gullen.

Five most comprehensive addresses were delivered on Thursday night in the Normal school at the final meeting of the National Council of Women sessions, the subject for the evening being "Patriotism as Exhibited in Citizenship." Rev. J. Gibson Inker occupied the chair, and after favorably commenting upon the National Council work, called upon Sir George Gibbons to give an address upon "Peace and Arbitration."

"I am glad to be here to attend this meeting of thoughtful women," said Sir George, "because I know you are thoughtful women who gather here to discuss these great economic questions which have to be discussed and thought out, and many of which can be better discussed and better thought out by the women of the country than by the men. More than ever was the time come that it is essential that you shall join with the men in helping to guide the ship of state."

Uprising of Masses.  
The speaker dwelt upon the spread of socialism, and stated that unless some remedy is applied shortly, an uprising of the masses the world over is sure to take place. War has largely lost its glamor, and is now more a matter of money and the power to build large ships and maintain a large army. The war between the United States and Spain was not a credit to the former country because of the unequal fighting strength. "I am not against war," said Sir George, "because I know you are not, and I don't believe in peace at any price, or in foregoing principle. The people who talk war the loudest do not go to the front, who do the fighting, who get killed. When war comes, the best go, and the best do not come back. War is not to be avoided by not having a navy, or soldiers. Much as I am in favor of arbitration and peace arrangements, nobody respects our navy and militia more than I do. Some day the nations of the earth will gather together in peace, their armies and navies, not for the purpose of despoiling each other, but for the purpose of keeping each other in line."

International Peace.  
In reference to arbitration, Sir George spoke of the efforts for international peace as made by the Hague Tribunal, and dwelt upon the settling of the disputes between Great Britain and the United States regarding the Canadian fisheries. In his opinion the trades and labor people of European countries were doing much to avert war, and the inclusion of the large gathering in Berlin to protest against war between England and Germany was related. "The only solution of the difficulty is the proposal of some leading American statesman, to establish a permanent judicial court, not a floating court as we have at the present time, but one composed of fifteen men, elected from the nations of the earth, who give enough to give judgments in the interest of our own nation and in the interest of truth and of right. Until you have something like this to offer you can't prevent what has existed since the world began."

Jean Blewett.  
Mrs. Jean Blewett, of the Women's Canadian Press Club, Toronto, spoke on the subject of women in the home and elsewhere. Mrs. Blewett is endowed with a rare charm and pleasing personality, and interspersed her remarks with bright bits of verse of her own composition.

"A home without a woman is like a body without a soul," she said. "No matter what beauties it may possess, without her presence it is a place, graceless and unprofitable." In speaking of business and professional women, Mrs. Blewett stated that she was proud of the progress they had made in the world. "Woman has entered the field of business and public life without losing her womanliness, and in face of opposition and criticism at first, and the world is better for it. Mrs. Blewett paid a tribute to Queen Victoria and rendered a pleasing sketch about the celebration of May 24.

The Woman's Movement.  
Miss J. L. of London, England, and Dr. Stowe-Gullen, of Toronto, each delivered most convincing addresses on the woman's movement. Miss Owen urged the necessity of women being allowed to express their individuality by means of the ballot. "Women are citizens, and true citizenship expresses itself in service, but there can be little done to remedy social evils unless woman is allowed to have a voice in the government of the community. Woman's influence was compared to the power of Niagara, which, Miss Owen stated, did little good until it was utilized to produce electricity. "But if we want to bring about reforms, if we want to have our say in philanthropic and remedial measures, if we want to get our hands on the lever of progress, we must make it very evident that we do want it."

Woman Suffrage.  
Dr. Stowe-Gullen referred to the suffrage question as one of the greatest and most momentous problems that the world has faced.

"Nowhere in the history of the world has the question ever been argued for the direct liberty of one-half the human race, and indirectly for the rights and liberties of the whole race," she stated. The origin of the movement in 1848 and some of its subsequent history were briefly outlined, and industrialism in its relation to women commented upon. Dr. Stowe-Gullen stated emphatically that women's entrance into commercial life was not to blame for the rate of wages being lowered. Regarding education, the speaker stated that professional women owed much to the suffrage movement, as prior to it, universities and colleges were barred to the weaker sex. In respect of the statement so often made that "woman's place is home," Dr. Stowe-Gullen cleverly turned the table upon mankind by stating that home is also man's place, and that they had neglected this fact too long. The immigration question was spoken of as a grave danger to Canada within the next few years. The people coming in from foreign countries do not take any part in the national life, but remain here only for the purpose of money-making. "If the men of our country do not awaken to the situation, and see the seriousness of it, it will be no time before we will all be compelled to face the situation and suffer from it," said Dr. Stowe-Gullen.

The Playground Movement.  
Dr. Curtis, the playgrounds organizer, also gave an address, and urged the delegates to the National Council to advocate this movement when they returned to their homes in the various cities of

Canada. Dr. Curtis is to address London audiences many times during the coming week, and no doubt a wider interest in the recreation grounds here will result. He referred to the educational value of supervised amusement, and of the excellent results of "team play," by which street boys are taught honor not only in games, but also in all relations to their fellows. "The city that says it is against the law to play in the streets, but does not furnish any other place for the children to play, is providing a school of crime," stated Dr. Curtis.

Vote of Thanks.  
A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the speakers of the evening on behalf of the National Council by Mrs. Elizabeth Denison and Dr. Margaret Gordon, of Toronto. An enjoyable feature was the singing of "O Canada" by the choir of the First Methodist Church, and which elicited hearty applause from the audience. Mrs. Radcliffe, wife of the principal of the Normal School, was presented with a handsome bouquet of carnations by the president of the National Council, Mrs. Farrington, as a slight token of appreciation for Mr. Radcliffe's kindness in loaning the school for the annual sessions.

## 500 MEN WILL GO INTO MEDICAL CAMP

Tents Are Going Up Rapidly  
On Carling's Heights—  
The Training.

Members of the divisional headquarters, Army Medical Corps, were at Carling's Heights early this morning, preparing for the general encampment of the corps, which opens tomorrow. Already the field is dotted with white tents, and by tomorrow night it is expected that fully 500 men will be under canvas on the heights ready for the week of practical work which will begin on Monday.

Special interest attaches to this camp, because of the fact that it is the first of the kind ever held in Canada. For the first time the field ambulances, which form the units of this arm of the service, will operate as nearly as possible under actual service conditions. The various situations likely to arise out of different classes of engagement will be considered from a medical standpoint, and the various manoeuvres which would be required for the removal and treatment of the injured will be carried out under restrictions as nearly as possible like those of actual service. The camp will be selected from among the officers of the department to judge of the probable success or failure of such work as will be carried out by the corps. The last five days will be spent in bivouac.

Every attention will be paid to camp sanitation, and an effort will be made to give efficient training in the proper care and housing of men in camp in order to prevent disease. Lieut.-Col. G. C. Jones will be in command, with Lieut.-Col. Fotheringham as administrative medical officer. It is planned to have a different ambulance for each problem, while the members of the other units will attend as spectators.

In this way the whole corps will get some benefit from each problem. The units to participate are the Fifteenth Field Ambulance, London; the Fourteenth, Toronto; the Tenth and Thirteenth of Toronto, and the twelfth and Nineteenth of Hamilton.

About 20 detached medical officers will be present from different points. Kootenay Election.  
Vancouver, May 31.—R. F. Green was elected a member of the House of Commons for Kootenay by acclamation. The seat was made vacant by the appointment of A. S. Goodeve to the Dominion commission.

## LIVELY BATTLE OVER CLUSTER LIGHTS ON RICHMOND STREET

Petition of Ratepayers Sent On  
to Council By Board  
of Works.

The petition of a number of ratepayers in the north end for the extension of the cluster lights on Richmond and Dundas streets, was heard by the board of works last night, and finally recommended to the council by acclamation. The petition was presented to the council after a discussion lasting for several hours.

Ald. Richter, because of his knowledge of the street lighting question in the city, was asked to read the petition, and he objected strongly to any action on the petition until the question of lighting rates in London, now before the hydro-electric commission, shall be decided. "I think we should wait until we know whether or not it is going to cost us nearly \$30,000 for our street lights before we authorize any further expenses," said he.

"Well, I think the ratepayers who signed this petition deserve some consideration," declared Chairman Pockock, who, with superintendent of lighting, attended the water commission. Surely the city of London can afford what Hamilton, Woodstock and even St. Thomas are going to do. I see no excuse at all for the holding up of this thing. Let it be settled one way or another, that's all. I don't think we should go into this thing without first knowing what it is going to cost," Ald. Richter said.

In Hands of Commission.  
"The whole matter is in the hands of the hydro-electric commission, and even if we get the best of the argument it is the city of London which gets the best of it," said Chairman Philip Pockock. "We are not going to make away with the money. In addition to holding up a project, which would be of untold advertising value to the city, you are exposing the citizens to serious danger from the network of overhead wires on downtown streets. At present it would be an injustice to ask the citizens and other private companies to pace their

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## BOTH SIDES CONCLUDE IN SPARKING CASE

Expected That the Jury Will  
Bring in Decision Saturday  
Afternoon.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Pad Axe, Mich., May 31.—The presentation of testimony in the sparking case came to an abrupt conclusion in circuit court here this morning, both sides resting at 10 o'clock. After having been on the witness stand for a week the defendant was excused from the stand after a half-hour's quizzing by his own and the opposing counsel. The defence then read the testimony of Sheriff Donald MacAulay at the doctor's preliminary examination into the record, for the purpose of impeaching the sheriff's version of the "looking glass" conversation, as related at the trial. Attorney Joseph Walsh, for the respondent, then announced that the defence rested.

Both Cases Rest.  
The prosecution placed two witnesses on the stand, Mrs. Edith O. Richardson and Mrs. Edwin Herford, both of whom testified to the details of the applications for insurance in the Gleasons. Their testimony was presented for the purpose of impeaching the doctor's statement on that point. The prosecution endeavored to show that Mrs. Gleason was in good health last June when the doctor states that he was making daily visits to her home to treat her. The court excluded the testimony upon the ground that the evidence sought to be introduced was part of the people's original case. After Mrs. Herford had testified, Prosecutor Boomhower announced that the people rested, and the defence made the same announcement.

A recess was taken until this afternoon, when Mr. Boomhower began the opening argument for the state. The importance of the case caused Judge Peach to decline to limit the arguments of the counsel, and the attorneys thereupon agreed that each would take four hours to present its side of the affair. Mr. Boomhower and Mr. Woodworth are to argue this afternoon, and Mr. Walsh and Mr. Snow will argue Saturday. The judge's charge will probably occupy about three-quarters of an hour, and it seems probable now that the case will go to the jury about 3 p.m. Saturday afternoon. The court will keep the jury over Sunday unless a verdict is secured before that time.

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