

FOUR TO TEN SQUARE MILES LAND WANTED FOR THE CAMP BY MILITARY AUTHORITIES

City's Sails Punctured By the Modest Demands of
Hon. Sam Hughes for Ground Upon Which
to Drill the Soldiers.

CITY CANNOT GET SO MUCH LAND, BUT NEITHER CAN ANY OTHER TOWN

Not Acres, But Square Miles That the Government Is Looking
for, Mayor Graham Told The Advertiser Today—City Has
a Problem on Its Hands Now.

That the city will be asked to provide from four to ten square miles rather than a few hundred acres in order to secure the military camp for this city, is the probable consequence of an order issued by the militia department to Col. Hodgins this morning.

Col. Hodgins recently received notification that two regiments of cavalry would be attached to the camp this year. Incidentally several square miles of territory will be required for the proper manoueuvering of these forces. As it is impossible to grow crops on land ridden over by cavalry the city confronts an expensive proposition.

The one bright spot lies in the fact that there is no other city in Western Ontario which has the required amount of available territory, so that London at least stands an equal chance with other municipalities in the camp scramble.

Want to Come Here.

"All the military officials want the camp to come to London," said Mayor

Graham, who spent the morning in conference with Col. Hodgins, "but the trouble is that it is next to impossible to get enough land. I have already secured a camping ground of 200 acres which the officers admit is ideal, but the trouble is that the department wants square miles rather than acres. Col. Hodgins is as much in a quandary as we are, for there is no city in Ontario which can command that much land.

"Of course the land is rendered useless for anything except pasture, and it is not likely that enough adjacent pastures can be found to make up an area of ten square miles, or even one square mile. I don't see how we are going to furnish this much territory, and I don't see how it is to be got anywhere in the province without the expenditure of a large sum of money to purchase the land outright. The Government would hardly be justified in purchasing this amount of land for use only two weeks in the year, so there you are."

WOLF AT THE DOOR OF WELSH MINERS

Furniture Gone to Buy Food
for Families of the
Strikers.

FUNDS RUNNING SHORT

Millions Already Given Out by Miners' Federation and Other Labor Bodies.

[Canadian Press.] London, March 29.—The miners' organizations of North Wales, Warwickshire, Cumberland, Somerset and Bristol had exhausted their funds last week and what little they were able to pay out today was borrowed from the banks.

The total cost of the strike to the miners' unions to date has been \$5,216,250, and the balance left in the union treasuries now amounts to only \$4,750,000, most of which is invested in securities, which will not bring in their full value under enforced sale.

Besides the total spent by the miners' unions the organizations connected with other trades have distributed nearly \$2,500,000 in out-of-work benefits to their members.

While the majority of trade unionists and the miners can therefore look forward without much worry to another ten days of idleness this is not the case with hundreds of thousands of others who have been thrown out of work by the strike and who have no hope of being able to resume their occupations for some time after the miners have again been opened and have begun to produce further supplies of coal.

Wolf at the Door.
It will be months before the industries and trades of the United Kingdom assume their normal proportions, and as the men go back to work they will have what are to them immense losses to make up.

In the poorer districts of Cardiff and South Wales the houses of the workmen have been practically denuded of all their furniture in order to keep the wolf from the door, and conditions in other industrial centres are similar or very little better. The relief committees, however, are now well organized, and the suffering of the destitute will be gradually lessened until the men secure employment again.

The railways gave notice today that they will accept only food and fuel supplies as freight, and this will enable them to cut down their service to the minimum.

The gas supplies of Birmingham and some of the other big cities are now being reduced, as the stocks of coal held in reserve by the gas companies are fast diminishing, and there is some doubt when new supplies will be available.

The admiralty has learned a lesson from the strike, and has begun working out the plans for immense oil and coal storage docks at the new naval base at Rosyth, in Scotland.

The royal assent was given to the minimum wages bill at noon today.

Committed For Trial.

Arthur Sanham, the resident of Oxford Park, who was arrested on the charge of assaulting a young girl, appeared before Squire Chittick Thursday afternoon. Sanham pleaded not guilty, but after hearing the evidence submitted, Squire Chittick sent him up for trial before the next session of the high court. He again appeared before Judge Macbeth today, and was remanded until Thursday as he was not prepared to elect.

EDWIN PAULL DEAD AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Had Been Manager of R. G. Dun & Co.'s Office Here For
35 Years.

WELL-KNOWN CITIZEN

A Prominent Mason and a Consistent
Member of St. Paul's Cathedral—
Funeral on Saturday.

Mr. Edwin Paull, for thirty-five years manager of the London office of R. G. Dun & Co. and last night at his residence, 615 Wellington street, after a long illness.

Not only was he well known in the business and financial life of the city, but in religious work he always took a prominent part. He was an honored member of St. Paul's Cathedral, having filled the office of warden for many years. He was also delegate to the synod, and took much pleasure in teaching his class of boys in the Sunday school.

Mr. Paull had also been identified with and had filled high offices in the Masonic order. He was born in Cornwall, England, but spent most of his earlier life in Toronto. He had resided in London for about 25 years, and from the start was interested in all that made London a great and prosperous city. He has been the manager of the firm of R. G. Dun & Co. in London since they opened and was in their employ for some time before coming here.

His wife and three sons survive him—Herbert, of Morrisburg; Harold, and William at home.

The funeral service will be held at St. Paul's Cathedral on Saturday at 3 o'clock.

DEFIANT LETTER FROM CHRISTABEL

Miss Pankhurst, Still in Hiding,
Sends Word of Cheer
to Sisters.

SEES SIGN OF VICTORY

Says Enemy Will Tear Stars From
Sky Before Women's Spirit
Will Break.

[Canadian Press.] London, March 29.—The parliamentary correspondent of the Times, dealing with the rejection of the woman's suffrage bill, says this was due to the prearranged vote of the Irish Nationalists, forty-seven of whom voted against the bill and none in favor of it.

The correspondent adds: "The Nationalists do not want the time of the House filled with the home rule bill. The Nationalists have also been afraid that if the woman's suffrage measure were carried further grave complications might ensue in the cabinet, and that at least one stalwart home ruler might resign his office."

Although Miss Christabel Pankhurst is still baffling the efforts of the police to discover her whereabouts, she continues in close touch with her fellow members of the Women's Social and Political Union. At a big demonstration held in the Albert Hall last night, while parliament was debating the suffrage bill, a letter from Miss Pankhurst was read and was greeted with enthusiastic cheers.

The letter breathes defiance and urges the suffragettes to further efforts to discover her whereabouts. "We defy the Government and their stupid, brutal attempts to wear out the spirit of our resistance and stamp out by repression women's demands for political freedom. They will tear the stars from the sky before they will break the spirit of the women of this country."

"What are we fighting for? Not for sympathy, not for facilities and not for so-called principles. We are fighting for the vote, and nothing less than the vote. Therefore, until a measure giving equal voting rights to women is actually on the statute book, we, as self-respecting women, cannot and will not be at peace with the Government."

"My final word is: 'Be of good cheer. The fierceness of the enemies' attack is a sign of your victory, and quit you like women, and the day is ours.'"

At the meeting of the cabinet for the "war fund" of about £10,000 (\$50,000), was made. This included an anonymous donation of £1,000.

MINERS' BILL PASSES THE HOUSE OF LORDS

Only the Royal Assent Now Needed to
Make It Law.

[Canadian Press.] London, March 29.—The House of Lords this afternoon passed the Miners' Minimum Wage Bill without amendment. It has now only to receive the royal assent.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—COLDER.

Toronto, March 28—8 a.m. Forecast: Today—Northwesterly winds, clearing; cold; tonight and on Saturday.

Temperatures: Following are the high and low temperatures for the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock this morning:

Station	High	Low	Weather
London	39	26	Cloudy
Winnipeg	26	6	Snow
Port Arthur	44	8	Fair
Perry Sound	44	29	Fair
Toronto	40	24	Cloudy
Ottawa	40	28	Cloudy
Montreal	40	24	Rain
Quebec	28	24	Snow
Peter Point	24	20	Cloudy

The barometer at the observatory in South London took a drop this morning, indicating the approach of a storm.

A marked change has occurred since yesterday in the general outlook. The disturbance which was centered in Arkansas has moved to the Middle States, and an area of high pressure, with a cold wave, is now coming in over Lake Superior from the north.

The weather has turned cold again in the Western Provinces.

RADIAL RY. STATION BYLAW NOT FAVORED AT TORONTO

Mayor Graham Says That There
Is No Hope of Legislature
Passing Clause.

London's ambition to become a centre of interurban traffic got a knockdown blow when the result of Mayor Graham's conference with the Legislature in regard to the city of London bill became known this morning. In a word, the proposition to bond the city for \$25,000 for the purpose of constructing a union radial station is a dead one. And there seems no prospect of resurrection.

"The clause is certain to be defeated," said Mayor Graham to The Advertiser. "It was laid over in order to give the North Midland people a chance to be heard, merely as a matter of courtesy. I notified Mr. Luskcombe this morning that I thought any further conference would be useless. A similar proposition was turned down in the Ottawa bill, and the Legislature is not inclined to reverse its action in London's case."

The company, however, has not given up hope. One of those interested is inclined to lay the defeat of the measure at the door of the women ratepayers of London, and believes that if the facts were laid before the Legislature in the form of a resolution from the council, that body might look upon the clause in a more favorable light. As to the effect of the burial of the clause on the future of the company's operations, he is not prepared to make a definite statement.

Blames the Women.
"It is notorious," he said, "that money bylaws in this city have been largely defeated by the indifference of the women voters. Women want the vote, but will not go to the polls and exercise what powers they already have. If 1,000 more people would have come on the day of election, we could have carried the measure, even if every one of them had voted against it. One thousand people would have made up the required representation of one-third of the ratepayers, and our majority was big enough to have carried the bylaw even with the united opposition of this extra thousand."

LAST MINUTE EFFORT TO AVERT GREAT COAL STRIKE

Soft Coal Operators and Miners In Final Conference In Effort
to Patch Up Differences, But It Is Expected That Half
a Million Will Quit Work.

Cleveland, March 29.—As a means of preventing a strike in the bituminous coal fields, the miners proposed to the operators today to abandon all the original union demands, and to ask for an increase in pay of five cents a ton over the present scale, and for five hours on Saturdays instead of eight. The operators will argue on the proposition this afternoon, with a prospect of an acceptance or rejection being reached before night.

[Canadian Press.] Cleveland, March 29.—With what they said was nothing but disagreement facing them, the operators and miners of the bituminous coal fields, conferred again today in a final effort to fix a new two-year wage scale to take effect April 1, and thus to prevent a big coal suspension or possibly a strike.

Both sides declared they would make no concessions, and they are expected before night to be in a position similar to that of the anthracite miners and operators, with all negotiations broken off, and a suspension of work ordered to begin next Sunday at midnight.

John P. White, president of the United Mine Workers of America, said he had received no overtures for a renewal of the anthracite conference. If the bituminous conference ended today in failure to agree, he said the number of men who would quit Sunday midnight in both the anthracite and bituminous fields would approximate 500,000.

The suspension which automatically will follow when the present wage scales expire will not necessarily be a strike.

A formal notice of the union's policy committee and executive board will have to be issued before the suspension may be termed as strike. "If no wage agreements exist upon which to continue work, it will not require a referendum vote of the union to call a strike," Mr. White said.

It was said if negotiations were broken off, both sides could be brought together at any time, as the operators' committee of 32 members remains as a continuing body subject to call.

VOTES FOR WOMEN REJECTED BY THE BRITISH COMMONS

British Parliament, Which Formerly Was Willing to Concede
Franchise to Million Women, Reverses Attitude Because
of Window-Smashing Tactics of Militant Ones.

London, March 28.—By a vote of 222 to 208 the House of Commons tonight rejected the conciliation bill, which was before the House on its second reading. This measure aimed at conferring the right to vote upon every woman possessed of the household qualification and would enfranchise 1,000,000 women.

The announcement of the result was received with deafening cheers. Last year a similar bill, introduced by Sir George Kemp, passed the second reading stage by a vote of 253 to 88 on a non-party division, and was referred to a committee of the whole House, making no further progress. The astounding reversal in the views of the members which has since taken place is attributed to the strong resentment aroused by the window-smashing tactics of the militant suffragists.

The bill is a private measure, not backed by the Government, and in recording their votes the members were not restrained by party considerations.

Cabinet Divided.
The debate presented the novel spectacle of members of the cabinet taking opposite sides. The Prime Minister strongly opposed the bill on the

MAYOR GRAHAM DENIES HE PROMISED A VOTE

Never Committed Himself to a
Referendum on the City
Hall Site.

Mayor Graham this morning flatly denied that he had pledged himself to a referendum on the city hall site question, either in East London or elsewhere.

"I never made any such statement either before or after election," he said, in commenting on the opinion of the East London Progressive Association that he was asked to "carry out his pre-election promises." "The only thing I ever said about it was that it looked reasonable. Why, Eckert and Stevenson, speaking in West London, declared for it and said, 'You won't find my other opponent (Mayor Graham) telling you this.' There is absolutely no ground on which to make the statement that I ever at any time advocated the submission of this question to a vote of the people."

The last elections gave 33 Conservatives, 2 Liberals, and 2 Socialists, one of the Liberals later supporting the McBride Government.

Premier McBride went before the country on an elaborate railway policy, which offered large guarantees to the Canadian Northern Railway for additional lines on Vancouver Island. The Liberals criticised the policy as extravagant.

POLICE BELIEVE THEY HAVE MAN WHO BLEW UP SAFE AT ARVA

John Murphy Taken Into Custody By Detectives Nickle and
Down—Suspect Had Money in His Possession Which
Corresponds With That Taken From Safe.

Detectives Nickle, Egerton and Down, who yesterday afternoon arrested a man giving the name of John Murray, who was charged with vagrancy, and had in connection with the cracking of the safe at the Arva Roller Mills, after a search through their records have succeeded in identifying the prisoner positively as John Murphy, of Hamilton, a burglar and bank robber, who is only a short time out of Kingston Penitentiary, where he served eight years.

Murphy appeared in police court this morning, and refused to give any definite information concerning his movements during the past few weeks. He declared that he originally hailed from England, and that he came to London on Wednesday from the north country. He had been in the Cobalt, he said, and struck out for this city for the purpose of obtaining employment at McClary's plant.

The Information.
The information secured by the city and county police is that Murphy came down the London, Huron and Bruce on Wednesday, and in striking across country from Hyde Park, where the Grand Trunk, came into the village of Arva. In this manner he secured his bearings at the mill and prepared for the work of early Thursday morning.

A picture supplied to Detective Nickle for his collection by Provincial Detective Greer a couple of years ago makes the identification of the prisoner positive. The photo was taken in 1904 when the man was 28 years of age. The description furnished with the picture states that Murphy is 5 feet 7 1/2 inches, and that he has a small scar on the left cheekbone, about one inch below the eye.

This description tallies to a nicety, the officers state, but when he was examined this morning it was found that he has accumulated many additional marks, including what appears to be a scar from a stab wound on the back of the neck.

At the time of Murphy's arrest in Hamilton he had in his possession \$2,000, which he obtained by blowing open the vaults of a bank in the north. He was on that occasion with a man named Andrew Naughton, who was also sentenced for the same crime.

There is a suspicion in some quarters that if Murray, or Murphy, and Swift were implicated in the Arva burglary that they have worked together and later disposed the manner in which the spoils should be divided.

Another suspect was also taken into custody yesterday, and gave the name of Peter Fairbairn, he was passing through London to obtain employment in cement work at St. Marys. It was at first thought that "Murray" was a thug known as Baltimore Whitey, a well-known Arva crook, who has been wanted here since 1901 for the burglary of Depper's store on Hamilton road. It developed, however, the identification of the prisoner as this man was not complete, and further inquiry brought about his positive identification as John Murphy, of Hamilton.

May Have Worked Together.
The question of where the other fellow, who, when awakened, stated that he was John Murphy, of Batsburg, got the money aroused the suspicion of the officers, as it was discovered that, as well as the roll of bills, his pockets contained a considerable sum in silver.

WHO OWNS THE SAUNBY DAM?
Appears To Be a Difference of
Opinion at the City
Hall.

More Trouble Appears To Be Brewing
For the Water Commission—The
Situation to Date.

"If the Saunby dam is in bad condition, and if the property rights in it belong to our department, we will repair it. I don't think it should be removed as such action would spoil the beauty of the river, and create an accumulation of sewage and refuse water, which would be a nuisance to the city," said Supt. H. J. Glaubitz.

"The Saunby dam does not belong to the water commission, but to the first place, and we certainly do not propose to spend one cent in maintaining it. If it is removed, the work should be done by the parties who own it. We simply control the water rights," Chairman Phil Pocock.

"I think the public understood that the dam was secured for the city, and with the idea of doing away with it," Mayor Graham.

"Lives and property are being endangered, and people are prevented from building homes in West London through fear of a flood, resulting from the giving away of one of the dam's abutments, followed by an ice jam," West London delegation.

The Saunby dam question promises to plunge the city authorities into a controversy beside which public dumps, the city hall question, and other troubles will see insignificant. West Londoners object to it, the city council, the board of works has asked the council to recommend that it be removed or repaired, and advocates of the "city beautiful" idea see in its removal a menace to the scenic beauty of London. In the meantime no one seems to know who owns it. It is as masterless as an alley cat.

Mr. Pocock Inseparable.
"There was no kick about it," said Chairman Pocock this morning. "We only secured the water rights, and I understand the dam itself is owned by Sir George Gibbons. As to whether we have the right to remove it, I am not exactly certain, but we surely shall not waste money in keeping it up. A dam is a mighty expensive proposition to maintain."

"We had thought dredging a small channel up to the foot of the dam so that canoeists by making a short portage would have access to the upper river," said Supt. Glaubitz.

Meanwhile some of the exasperated West Londoners are threatening to use dynamite.

Miss Smith, daughter of Rev. Canon Smith, leaves New York for Naples on Saturday with a party of ladies, including Miss Emery and Miss Dillon, of London, the others being from Victoria, Saskatoon, Brantford, and Montreal. They will spend three months in Europe, touring Italy, France, Switzerland, Holland and England.

Pleaded Not Guilty.
Hoffman in the fourth pleaded not guilty, asserting that he had intended to pay for a watch which he was accused of stealing from C. R. Sumner. Mr. Sumner swore that the man slipped a silver watch worth \$7 into an inside pocket while examining some of the stock, but produced it when accused of the theft. Today he claimed that he did not have the money with him at the time he made the "purchase," and that he intended to pay for the timepiece later. As he had stated previously that he had taken to theft to secure the money that his mother refused to supply him with, the magistrate refused to accept the explanation and found him guilty.

He was also accused of having taken two gold cuff buttons and \$45 in money from A. Kaufman, of South London, with whom he resided for a time. The prisoner admitted taking the buttons, but denied that he had secured any money. Sufficient evidence for a conviction having been presented, Crown Attorney McKillop declined to press the Kaufman charge.

ONE YEAR FOR JEWELRY THIEF
Aaron Hoffman Sentenced By
Police Magistrate Judd This
Morning.

Aaron Hoffman, the young Russian Jew, who was arrested a couple of days ago, charged with thefts from a number of London Jewellery stores, was sentenced to one year in the Central Prison, and deportation at the conclusion of that term, by Police Magistrate Judd this morning.

Hoffman's position was considered by the magistrate to be a rather peculiar one, as he has only been out from Russia for four or five months. His mother, who is now Mrs. Slobasid, of Clarence street, did not appear to take any particular interest in him, and stated that she did not want him about the place.

Through an interpreter the prisoner declared that he had never been in trouble in Russia, and that he did not know how to get along in this country after his mother and stepfather had refused to care for him in a strange country.

GOVERNMENT IS NOT READY TO AMEND MARRIAGE ACT

Godfrey Bill Withdrawn at the Request of the Provincial Secretary.

Toronto, March 29.—Two physicians occupied the spotlight in the Legislature last night. Dr. F. B. Godfrey, West York, introduced two bills aimed at the prevention of the marriage of misfits, and procreation of idiots and insane persons, and he had a noble supporter in Dr. McQueen, Liberal member for North Wentworth, together with the proposed legislation. They fell.

Hon. W. J. Hanna and Sir James Whitney were quite profuse in the presentation of bouquets to the physician members, but the provincial secretary explained that such legislation could not possibly be adopted this session. The Government was not in readiness to adopt measures provided in his bills. Dr. Godfrey, under these circumstances, withdrew both bills.

W. Proudfoot, Centre Huron, had great praise for the capacity of the Ontario railway board, and he unreservedly expressed his appreciation in the second reading of his bill to place the construction of bridges under the supervision of that body. But, on the request of Hon. Dr. Resumé, he withdrew his bill.

Didn't Go Through.
The bill to regulate the width of tires on wagons and other vehicles, introduced by A. M. Rankin, Frontenac, was sidetracked through the efforts of Provincial Secretary Hanna. In order to protect the highways, Mr. Rankin urged the Government to act immediately. There had been many complaints registered by those interested in good roads about the narrow widths of tires causing considerable damage. And the good roads convention had adopted resolutions to the effect that there should be a quick remedy to the present state of affairs.

Hon. W. J. Hanna declared that the bill should not be given its second reading, because it had been introduced too late in the session. And those affected by the proposed legislation wanted to state their case to the Government. Only four days ago it was presented to the House, and already manufacturers and dealers generally wished to have their say in the matter. He advised that the bill be withdrawn until next session. Mr. Rankin acquiesced.

Inspectors Get Raise.

That public school inspectors will receive an increase of remuneration from \$1,700 to \$2,000 per annum was the gist of an amendment to the public school act. The raise of salary will run over three years with an additional \$100 each year. The bill, which was introduced by Hon. Dr. Pyne, also

posed amendment is unnecessary and undesirable.

The latter amendment the Government objected to for the following reasons: "Because it contains a desirable provision for aiding the construction and improvement of highways; because it is expedient to make provision for the case of any province which may desire to have the minister undertake the construction of a new highway or the improvement of an existing highway; because the section provides a convenient method of co-operation between the Federal and Provincial Governments in the construction and improvement of highways; because there can be no action by the Federal Government under this section, except with the authority and approval of the Provincial Legislature and the Provincial Government; because it is desirable to provide every reasonable means of co-operation between the Federal Government and the Provincial Government for the construction and improvement of highways, consistently with the preservation of Provincial rights, which are thoroughly safeguarded in the said section."

Mr. Cochrane moved that a message be sent to the Senate notifying that body of the Government's position.

Premier Borden briefly supplemented the minister's resolution with his endorsement.

Premier Borden, with all respect, intimated that the Upper House was acting in an incomprehensible manner. "I have hopes, therefore," added Mr. Borden with considerable warmth, "that if my right hon. friend opposite will not visit the Senate too often it will not adhere to its amendments. I note that the amendment of the Senate is couched in precisely the same terms as he amendment he moved in this House. That may be a coincidence or it may not be a coincidence. The subsidy bill does the very thing the Senate has provided for in this amendment. It is true that the subsidy bill is only for one year, but every year Parliament will have the matter under its control. It is perfectly proper, in my opinion, to confer the power upon this Government, and the rights of the provinces are safeguarded. On the whole, I may say that the Government does not desire or expect to concur in these amendments. We gladly accept the five minor amendments, but we do not intend to accept the two in question, and believe this to be an entirely proper action on our part."

Sir Wilfrid Laurier.

"My right honorable friend seems to be unduly concerned over my visiting the Senate," observed Sir Wilfrid, smiling. "I read something about it in the newspapers myself. I must say," continued the Liberal chief, amid Opposition laughter, "that it is flatly wrong indeed to find how closely and carefully the right honorable gentleman opposite and his press watch my movements, and are concerned over them. However, I must assure him that my mission was not such as he seems somewhat fearfully to attribute to my visit to the Senate. I can assure him it was altogether another matter. I have not conferred with the Senate nor has the Senate conferred with me, but I may tell my right honorable friend that I can see a considerable difference between the bill respecting highways and the bill respecting agriculture. I could possibly point this difference out to him, and perhaps may have opportunity to do so later. In the meantime let me reassure him—(Liberal laughter)—let me reassure him that the purpose of my visit was quite different from that which seems to disturb him and his friends so seriously. And I can only add that I am very sorry that the Government has not seen fit to accept the amendments which have been submitted."

"I was not referring to the past," retorted Mr. Borden, of Sir Wilfrid's alleged visit to the Senate, while the Liberals laughed again. "I was expressing a hope for the future."

"Yes," responded Sir Wilfrid, "based on the past."

Hon. Mr. Cochrane's resolution was then adopted, and the deadlock of the two Houses emphasized.

DEADLOCK OVER HIGHWAYS BILL

Premier Borden Refuses to Accept Amendments of the Senate.

MAY BE A CONFERENCE

Laurier Turns Tables on Premier When Latter Accuses Him of Intriguing.

Ottawa, March 28.—It looks tonight as though the two branches of Parliament had locked horns. The Senate, having amended the Government bill to grant aid to highways by providing, in accordance with the promises of the Government, that the grants made to the provinces shall be made upon the basis of population, and by expunging the clause giving the Minister of Railways authority on his own initiative to build highways anywhere within the consent of the province in question, sent the amended measure back to the Commons for concurrence. When it was reached, shortly before 6 o'clock this afternoon, the Government through Mr. Cochrane and Premier Borden refused to accept the amendments in question.

May Be Conference.

Sir Wilfrid Laurier spoke briefly. He hoped that as a result of the conference, which must be pending, the Government would recognize the wisdom and right of modifying its previous course. Whereupon Premier Borden retorted that "a conference might take place or it might not," and intimated that the higher chamber was being influenced in its course by visits of the Liberal chief, an insinuation which Sir Wilfrid Laurier laughingly twitted the Premier with securing from the actions of the Conservative press.

The Liberals believe the Senate amendments to the highway bill and to the grain bill clearly in the interest of the country as a whole. On the first issue the Senate is vindicating the constitutional rights of the provinces, and on the second, time militating against any honest effort to encourage good roads. In the case of the grain bill, which was amended today, practically every interest of the West is represented in the amendments, and even the Government, through the Senate leader, Hon. Mr. Loughheed, tacitly admitted the wisdom of the demands of the Grain-Growers for the striking out of the car distribution clause and the bringing into effect of the clause regarding sample markets and mixing, only through proclamation of the governor-in-council.

The westerners are now satisfied, and it is safe to say that the Government itself feels that the Senate has done good work in preventing the bill in its original draft going through. The Senate has not "played politics," but has simply vindicated itself as a corrector of ill-advised or unconstitutional legislation in the Commons.

The Highways Bill.

When the Speaker called the consideration of amendments made by the Senate in the highways bill Hon. Mr. Cochrane stated briefly that the Government was prepared to accept five of the amendments made, but moved that the House refuse to accept the two amendments previously indicated, the former "for the following reasons: Because substantially the same amendment has been already considered and rejected by this House; because the supply bill will make provision for the apportionment of the proposed subsidies to the respective provinces for the ensuing fiscal year; because such apportionment can be more conveniently provided for in the annual supply bill, and the pro-

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If you have not already consulted Miss Hendrick, expert corsetiere, who has been with us during the past two weeks, do so tomorrow or today. Saturday will be the last day of the demonstration. Demonstrator is the direct representative of the makers of America's most popular corsets, "Royal Worcester" and "Bon Ton," \$2.00 to \$6.00 pair.



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CREAM MERINO VESTS (ZENITH BRAND).

High neck, short sleeves, each **75c**

Cream Merino Drawers, knee length, to match, pair **75c**

Cream Silk and Wool Vests, Swiss ribbed, low neck, sleeveless or short sleeves, **75c**; high neck, short sleeves, **85c**; long sleeves, **\$1**

Children's Knitted Cotton Waists, all sizes, Saturday, each, **25c**

Matchless Variety of Ladies' Easter Suits

Within the price range of \$10.00 to \$35.00, are Suits expressing the best in weaves, designers' and tailors' art, and affording a choice so wide that days would be required to see them all. Models here for every type and every taste, reflecting the influence of Paris, London and New York. Many who buy their Suits here Saturday will have models so correct in line and fit that they can be worn on Sunday without the least alteration. A few examples:

MISSIE'S SUIT OF WORSTED—Coat semi-fitted, silk serge lined, long revers, two-button cutaway front, inlaid collar of stripe worsted, plain tailored sleeve; coat four-gore, panel back, high waist line; made in fawn and gray, for misses 14, 16 and 18 years; bust 32, 34 and 36. Price **\$16.50**

LADIES' SUIT OF FAWN TWEED—Coat semi-fitted, silk serge lined, shawl collar, cuff sleeve, collar and cuffs faced with tan satin, 3-button closing; skirt 6-gore model, high waistline, panel back, pleat at sides and back. **\$19.00**

LADIES' SUIT OF SERGE—Coat semi-fitted, silk serge lining, notched collar and lapels, sleeve with cuff, collar and cuffs faced with satin; side sections of coat trimmed with soutache and fancy braid; skirt 6-gore model, panel back; colors, navy, brown and black. Price **\$19.00**

Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Garments—Second Floor.

200 Dozen Pure Irish Linen Hemstitched Handkerchiefs, 75c Dozen

Saturday will be Handkerchief Day. A fresh shipment direct from the manufacturer in Ireland. Pure Irish linen (guaranteed), ¼-inch hem, hemstitched. Most every woman can use a dozen at least of these at this price. **75c a dozen, or 4 for 25c**

TODAY OUR MEN'S STORE IS READY

With Spring Suits and Overcoats, and asks you to bear in mind that all of them have come from clothing manufacturers who are building upon the foundation of good quality, whose specifications meet the Smallman & Ingram standard and who are willing to accept our specifications at standard. It is true that some manufacturers did try to make clothing according to our specifications, but it seems it was not possible to sell them at retail for prices as low as Smallman & Ingram prices. **WE ARE READY to give a spring and Eastertide service, better than we have ever given, and what is more, we feel we are able to give it. Certainly we have the goods to serve you with. Men of character and brains know as well as we do that in every kind of business there are two kinds of people, one kind believes in the appeal of apparent cheapness, the other in the appeal of really good quality; this is the store of quality.**

Must Lay Aside the Winter Cap Now

Sale of Men's Hats, \$1 Saturday

Nowhere will you find such quality as will be found in this lot to be cleared at this price Saturday. A few Soft Hats amongst them, too, and all sizes for early comers Saturday morning. **IF YOUR BOY IS WORTHY OF GOOD CLOTHES**, bring him to the clothing store, where he will be dressed upon the assumption to be a gentleman. Bring him here where he is bound to get clothing sound in fabric, fashion and value.

New Tweeds and Navy Blue Suits, latest models, for ages 8 to 16 years, at **\$2.95, \$3.50, \$5.00 to \$10.00**

Men's Spring Overcoats

From April till November, during 8 months of the year, there is scarcely a week you do not find a need for one of these coats. For Eastertide selling we show 50 such Coats, specially priced, finely tailored garments, in black and gray vicuna and tweed. Best shades and patterns, all sizes, 34 to 44. See these. **\$8.50, \$10.00, \$12.75, \$15.00, \$18.00**

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For the little chaps, 3 to 10 years old, we have a very fine assortment in fawn, navy, red, also checks and tweed mixtures; very smart styles. A special showing Saturday, at. **\$3.50 and \$5.00**



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Still a few (most all sizes) of those good Shirts left which were on sale last Saturday. \$1.50 and \$1.75 quality, new blue and black stripes, each. **98c**

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CUP OF TEA OR COFFEE, 3:30
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AFTERNOON, MAIN FLOOR
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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

MARRIAGES.

GREENLEES—GRANT—On March 27, 1912, at the residence of the bride's parents, by the Rev. Canon Craig, assisted by the Rev. Thomas Mitchell, Alexander H. Greenlees, C. E., to Lucy Adeline, youngest daughter of Stephen Grant, of London.

DEATHS.

HEADFORD—At the residence of her son-in-law, George W. Axton, 499 King street west, Hamilton, Ont., on Thursday, March 28, 1912, Mary Ann, relict of the late Henry Headford, in her 73rd year.

Funeral from Smith, Son & Clark's funeral parlors on Monday, April 1, at 3 o'clock; service at 2:30 p.m. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

MORKIN—At her late residence, 24 Picton street, on March 28, 1912, Ellen, dearly beloved wife of Martin Morkin. Funeral from her late residence at 8:30 a.m. on Saturday, March 30, at 8:30 a.m. to St. Peter's Cathedral. Requiem high mass at 3 a.m. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

PAULL—At his late residence, 615 Wellington street, on evening of March 28, 1912, Edwin Paull. Funeral on Saturday afternoon, 2:30, at the house, private; 3 o'clock at St. Paul's Cathedral.

WALMSLEY—On March 27, 1912, John Walmsley, G. T. R. conductor. Funeral from Ferguson's undertaking parlors, Saturday afternoon, private.

MUNRO—In loving memory of Gladys Love Munro, who died March 29, 1910. Gone, but not forgotten.

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TONIGHT—Last Time
Famous All-Star English Company, in

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MEETINGS.

THE REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING of the Board of Trade will be held in the board room, Friday, March 29, at 8:15 p.m.

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST THURSDAY—POLY PICTURES on Ottawa car or on street. Kindly leave at this office.

LOST—PERSIAN LAMB RUFF, CORNER Ashkin and Cynthia, or Richmond to Majestic Theatre. Reward, 43 Ashkin street.

LOST—BUNCH OF KEYS, with chain, on Wednesday. Finder will be rewarded by leaving at Singer office, or 296 Grey street.

LOST, SUNDAY, MARCH 24—DARK brindle bulldog; tall and ears not cut, white chest. Reward at 62 Front street.

LOST—OVAL BELT PIN, with MINUTIE watch and gold rim. Reward, 232 Queen's avenue.

LOST IN KNOX'S STORE, M. HOAY—Brown muff. Please return, 1615 Queen's avenue. Reward.

AGENTS WANTED.

AGENTS WANTED EVERYWHERE for easy-selling 50 proposition; \$25 daily easily made. Particulars free. Box 451, Toronto.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—STRONG YOUNG MAN to learn stereotyping and do general work. Apply Advertiser Office. 66u

SMART, BRIGHT BOY FOR DELIVERY wagon. Apply Wilson's New Meat Market, 206 Dundas street.

WANTED—CAKE BAKER, AT ONCE—Fawkes & Sons, 660 Dundas street.

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WANTED—A GOOD PLAIN COOK—Apply 105 Weyford road.

WANTED—A GOOD GENERAL SERVANT, for washing and ironing. Apply Mrs. Young, 16 Craig street.

WANTED—SEWING GIRL FOR ALTERATION Department. R. H. & Dowler, Limited.

WANTED—MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Apply 605 Dundas street.

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FOR SALE—MILK ROUTE—OWNER can supply milk. Box 10, Advertiser.

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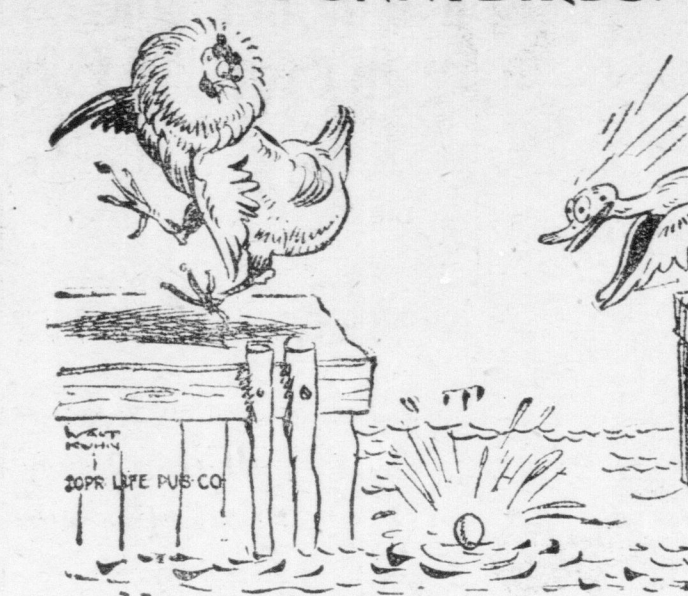
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LONDON, FRIDAY, MARCH 29.

MR. BECK'S SALARY.

The people of Ontario do not ask their servants to work for nothing, and no one will cavil at the grant of a salary to Hon. Adam Beck as chairman of the hydro-electric commission. The post has exacted a great deal of time and hard work. Mr. Beck has not been one of the Seven Sleepers, and is entitled at least to as much remuneration as his portfolioed but somnolent colleagues, who seem to regard a cabinet job as a berth, not a business.

Mr. Beck's salary of \$6,000 is to be charged to the municipalities, not to the Government. It is another reason why the Government ought to give the municipalities representation on the commission. The commissioners are three cabinet ministers—Messrs. Beck, Hendrie, and McNaught. The municipalities, which bear the whole financial responsibility of the hydro-electric scheme, have not a single voice in its management. This is taxation without representation with a vengeance. It is a rank injustice, against which the municipalities ought to have cried out long ago. The Government's object in keeping affairs in its own hands is to make the hydro-electric enterprise a huge engine of party patronage. All but the better positions requiring a high degree of technical skill, have been systematically filled by party workers. It is high time that this state of affairs should be ended, and that municipalities should have a hand in their own business.

MR. McBRIDE'S SWEEP.

The McBride Government has made apparently a clean sweep. A policy of liberal spending in a rich and undeveloped province is usually popular, and Mr. McBride is the greatest spender in provincial politics. People do not stop to think that they are lavishing their own money. The decision that public funds fall like manna from a special providence is only cured by direct taxation.

At this distance, it is impossible to judge accurately of Mr. McBride's plans and policies. They may be justified, and certainly in so naturally wealthy a province the mortgaging of the future may be carried pretty far with confidence and safety. The election is due in part, no doubt, to Mr. McBride's personal popularity. He had the railways with him, too, and it is said their vote and influence count for something in a general election.

THE ACQUITTAL OF THE PACKERS.

The acquittal of the great Chicago packers, accused of conspiring to restrain trade, is a heavy blow to the national executive, and to President Taft's candidature. The President has staked his faith and based his policy on the efficacy of the anti-trust laws already on the statute book. The packers had eluded a final trial for ten years by every shift known to legal chicanery, but it was the boast of the Taft Administration that it had rounded them up at last, and had enforced the law against such buccaners of Big Business as the Standard Oil and the American Tobacco Companies. The Supreme Court ordered the dissolution of the oil and tobacco trusts, but the action against the meat trust was against individuals, not an impersonal and disembodied entity like a corporation, and a jury were reluctant to convict men who had done what thousands of trust magnates were doing with impunity.

The Tobacco Trust and the Standard Oil Company are just as potent in the United States since their "dissolution" by the Supreme Court as they were before. Their component members are controlled by the same minds; the dividends go into the same pockets, and prices of oil and tobacco, if anything, have risen. The acquittal of the packers, on top of these developments, has added to public resentment, and strengthened the argument that the anti-trust laws are impotent to remedy trust abuses. The Sherman act, which embodies them, makes no distinction between good and bad combinations, but prohibits all alike. Admitting that the principle of combination is not necessarily evil, and that there is an irresistible tendency to do business in larger units, it would seem that the only practicable course is the control of trusts by the only power capable of controlling them—the state.

The President, who has fearlessly enforced the laws as they stand, is evidently fighting for a lost cause when he declares that business can be driven back into the conditions of free competition which prevailed 25 years ago. On this question Mr. Taft has apparently allowed the Republican Progressives to out-general him, and Roosevelt's keen political instinct has been quick to seize the vantage ground.

SETBACK FOR WOMAN SUFFRAGE

The conciliation bill, which would have enfranchised a million women, has been defeated in the British House of Commons by a vote of 222 to 208. Last year a similar bill passed its second reading by a vote of 255 to 88. Undoubtedly the recent window-smashing escapade of the militant suffragists alienated friends of the cause and spurred other members into active opposition who had been neutral a year ago. The renewal of physical force tactics was singularly ill-timed, as all indications a month ago pointed to the success of the conciliation bill, in the event of the failure of a measure of complete woman suffrage.

The question has not yet been given its quietus for this session. It will be revived again in a few months when the Government's manhood suffrage bill is introduced. If the House of Commons carries an amendment to put women on a perfect electoral equality with men, the Government will incorporate it in the bill, and pass it over the head of the House of Lords. It is possible that such an amendment will carry, though not as probable as a month ago. It will have such influential champions as Mr. Lloyd George and Sir Edward Grey. Mr. Lloyd George was opposed to the conciliation bill last year on the ground that it was too narrow, and smacked of favoritism, but he promised to support it if the wider measure failed. But the friends of the conciliation bill insisted on pressing it to a vote before the adult suffrage bill was reached. The consequence is that it is destroyed as an alternative to complete woman suffrage. If the amendment to enfranchise all women fails, the woman suffrage cause will not have a parliamentary leg to stand on, during the present session at least.

The Welland Canal is to get only \$250,000 in the greatest year's expenditure in the history of Canada.

Some who accused Mr. Rowell of dodging the liquor question in December pretend to see a political dodge when he faces it.

The militant suffragettes did not know when to stop. It is the failing of many reformers, and quite a few after-dinner orators.

This much can be said for the British miners and the suffering masses. In no other country in Europe would there have been so little lawlessness in similar circumstances.

Sir Hilbert Tupper opposed the McBride Government, and not a Liberal survived. There may have been no direct relation between the two circumstances, but it is evident that Sir Hilbert is not a mascot.

Our local contemporary reproaches the Liberal party in Ontario for "seeking to clamber into power on the back of a moral issue." We have suspected for a long time that our local contemporary was opposed to moral issues in politics.

That staunch Conservative journal, the Ottawa Citizen, complains that "some recent legislation of the Whitney Government would seem to point to the conclusion that that body is constituted on the lines of the unwilling and persistent mule which prefers to do the opposite of what is expected of him." The analogy is perfect.

"The Ontario Opposition, limited as it is, is still unable to agree. Sam. Clarke, Liberal member for West Northumberland, openly opposed his leader's bill to change the assessment act."—Free Press.

What's the point? The other bill to change the assessment act came from a Conservative, who disagrees with his leader.

Mr. Gage, M. P. P., is to be given a salaried position as head of a Government surveying expedition to Hudson Bay, and is to retain his seat in the Legislature at the same time. It is a vicious principle and a violation of precedent. Mr. Gage has been pushing the Government hard, and demanded a salutation when he failed to get the portfolio that went to Mr. Hearst. In decency he should resign his seat, but the Government dares not force him out.

PRESS COMMENTS ON MR ROWELL'S POLICY

MR. ROWELL'S COURAGE.
[Bramford Expressor.]
Mr. Rowell certainly is to be congratulated on the courage he has displayed in this matter, and while his proclamation will not please all Liberals, and will certainly not please extremists in the ranks of the Dominion Alliance, it will, we believe, commend itself to the sober judgment of the majority of the right-thinking people of Ontario.

A DEADLY BLOW.

[Hamilton Times.]
It is not prohibition, but it strikes a deadly blow at the treating habit, and at the maintenance of hotel facilities by relying upon her profits. It is a step toward dissolving the partnership which has long existed between houses of public accommodation and the liquor men. The step forward is a great one. It is Ontario to take it. Are the temperance principles of the voters sturdy enough to take it? We shall see.

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[Hamilton Herald.]
If he means to banish the bar only, leaving hotel keepers the privilege of serving liquors to guests with their meals, his policy will obtain wide acceptance even in the cities and towns. If he means to prohibit the serving of liquor in hotels at any time and in any way, in the Herald's opinion he goes too far.

HOW LIKE THE MAIL!

[Toronto Mail and Empire.]
When he was before the people in his campaign last autumn he did not dare to ask them what was their will in the matter. More than that, when

they asked him what his policy was in reference to it, he took refuge within the favorite lines of his old chief, the lines, namely, of "Torres Vedras." Mr. Rowell made it a point not to know what the people wanted or what he himself wanted as leader of the Opposition, but he now professes to have suddenly got a political second sight that enables him to perceive what both want.

LOOKS FOR A SUBSTITUTE.

[Montreal Herald.]
If Mr. Rowell has any proposal which will substitute for the present bar with its treating habit, its constant incitement to drink, its undesirable surroundings and its high trade profit, a system whereby the ordinary man will be enabled to consume the one or two drinks which he might in comfort and without temptation to excess, he will probably find the Province of Ontario ripe for the reform.

KEEPING FAITH.

[Windsor Record.]
"Banish the bar" is a clear, clean-cut slogan, and it is better qualified to advocate the rational policy that Mr. Rowell. He is keeping faith with his principles, and neither the people decide that he is right or wrong his stance will appeal to those who appreciate the qualities of courage in men engaged in political life.

ARE THE TWO CASES ALIKE?

[Toronto Telegram.]
Ontario may soon be thrilled by N. W. Rowell, K. C., and followers with their protestations of a desire to BANISH THE BAR.

These protestations could not exceed the holy fervor of Sir Wilfrid Laurier and followers with their proclamations of a holy resolve to REFORM THE SENATE.

Where is the guarantee that N. W. Rowell, K. C., would BANISH THE BAR if Ontario gave him the toast like Sir Wilfrid Laurier REFORMED THE SENATE when Canada gave him the chance.

STILL RELIES ON WHITNEY.

[Hamilton Spectator.]
Sir James Whitney may be trusted to keep pace with the temperance sentiment of the province as it advances. He will not be stampeded into rash measures on the one hand; on the other, he will offer no obstacle to any reasonable reform.

SPRING POEM.

[Somerville Journal.]
Sweet gently comes the spring again,
We welcome her with joy;
For winter's pleasures, though intense,
In time begin to cloy.

We hail the advent of the birds,
The singing of the thrush and the dove;
Old winter's been here long enough,
We're glad to see him go.

Oh, spring is here! the earth awakes
From its long winter's sleep;
What though in consequence the mud
Is seven inches deep?

What though the wind is raw? It makes
No difference to me, will be banished;
For spring is here, and so our hearts
Are all chock full of glee.

The furnace fire is needed yet
To keep us snug and warm;
Your winter overcoat must still
Encase your manly form.

It may be several weeks before
You hear a robin sing,
But sound the timbrel, swing the lyre,
For, oh—oh, joy!—it's spring!

THE OLD CLOCK OF ST. GILES.

[Westminster Gazette.]
All loyal Scotsmen will learn with regret that the well-known clock on St. Giles' Tower in Edinburgh, which must have told the time to Scott and Burns, is doomed to disappear. Apparently a workman fell through the case and damaged the mechanism so badly that the civic authorities do not consider the worn-out works worth repairing. So the old clock will be banished to the City Museum and replaced by an invisible timepiece, without hands or face, which will merely strike the hours, and leave the aesthetic clock of St. Giles as a mere giddy youth compared with some of the mediaeval horologes on English cathedrals. The clock is dated from the fourteenth century at Exeter, Wells and Peterborough.

BURROWS—CASCADEN

Quiet Wedding of a London Girl at Stratford.

A quiet wedding was solemnized in St. Paul's Church at Stratford on Wednesday, when Mrs. Edith Burrows, of the city, was married to Mr. Edwin Burrows, of Stratford. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Hodgins. Several London friends were present. Mr. and Mrs. Burrows will reside at 75 Milton street, Stratford.

DOUBLE WEDDING

Daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clark Were Married Together.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Exeter, March 28.—A very pretty double wedding was performed at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Clark in Usborne Township. Miss Maggie Priscilla Clark was married to Mr. Wilson Hawkins, and Miss Laura May Clark became the bride of Mr. John Simpson. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. A. Steadman, and both brides entered on the arm of their father. Each wore beautiful wows of cream diagonal satin. Their only attendants were Master Hubert Hunter and Ernest Prout, as page boys. Following the ceremony a dainty wedding supper was served, at which a large number of guests were present from Avinston, Seaford, London, Kincardine, Rondeau, Berlin and Saskatchewan. Both Mr. Hawkins and Mr. Simpson have the farms in Usborne on which they will settle.

When the Food Ferments

Chronic dyspepsia is essentially a disease of the impostes rather than of the stomach. The trouble is caused by the food passing too slowly along the alimentary canal and fermenting instead of being digested. It will be found that the liver is sluggish and the bowels constipated. The fermenting food gives rise to gas which crowds the lungs and heart, gives rise to belching wind and to smothering sensations. The stomach gets sour, the food repeats and leaves no taste in the mouth, you feel out of sorts and are unfit for work or pleasure.

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A BANQUET FOR HOCKEY PLAYERS

Unique Spread Thursday Evening In New St. James' Church.

A SPLENDID TOAST LIST

Rev. Thos. Mitchell Welcomed the Guests and Congratulated the Hockey Team.

The different young people's organizations of New St. James' Presbyterian Church entertained the members of the St. James' Hockey team, winners of the Presbyterian Hockey League, at a banquet last evening. The guests, including representatives from all the Presbyterian League teams, numbered about fifty. After full justice had been done to the excellent repast provided by the ladies of the church, a programme of toasts and musical selections was given.

THE TOAST LIST.

Mr. Harry Greenlee, teacher of the young men's class in the Sunday school, presided as toastmaster, and after the toast to "The King," called upon Rev. Thos. Mitchell to respond to that to "Our Church." Mr. Mitchell welcomed the representatives to St. James' and congratulated the hockey team on its creditable showing. He stated that he had not taken as much interest in the hockey games this winter as last season, but he promised that next season he would make up for it. He liked to see the young men take a good healthy interest in clean sports and trusted that the boys would keep together and take as active an interest in the work of the church as they had in hockey.

Address to the Boys.

The toast "Our Dominion," was responded to by Mr. J. H. Cameron, B. A., who gave a splendid address to the boys.

Mr. A. J. Omond responded to "Our Sunday School," and Mr. Chester Parkinson gave a brief but excellent response to the toast to "Our Class." "The Presbyterian Hockey League" was upheld by Mr. Harold Gray, the secretary, and Mr. James Gray responded to the toast "Our Bible Class." The hockey team was represented by Mr. Allan McLean, who responded in a fitting manner to the toast to the winners of the Presbyterian League. The names of Austin McLeish, of Knox Church; Leonard McDonald, of St. George's; and Fern Perry, of King street, were called out with the toast to "The Visiting Clubs." Mr. George Winterbottom responded capably to the toast to "The Ladies," and Dr. Pearce said a few words in behalf of the choir. The evening's work was done by the male quartette, solos by Messrs. Irwin and Mountjoy, and a duet by Messrs. Guy and Mountjoy, were rendered.

It is likely that the St. James' Club will place a baseball team in one of the church leagues this summer.

AUXILIARY CLOSES ITS CONVENTION

Final Meeting Was Held Yesterday Afternoon in Cronyn Hall.

BISHOP MADE ADDRESS

Women Should Work to Spread Gospel in Heathen Lands, Said His Worship.

The final meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Diocese of Huron was held yesterday afternoon, when an address was given by Bishop Williams and a paper entitled, "Consecration," was read by Mrs. Gossage. The bishop made the closing remarks, and it was voted in Christian countries that women were respected and therefore that the women of those countries should do all they could to help the women in heathen countries.

Upon the close of the convention a meeting of the junior societies was held and was addressed by Bishop Williams, Miss Wade, and Rev. A. J. Vale.

Bishop Williams in his address told the juniors that the proceeds of the lecture had been donated to the Diocese of Athabasca for the erection of fountains.

Miss Wade told of the work among the Chinese women and children, and particularly that in connection with the school for foundlings.

Amongst Eskimos.

Mr. Vale, who is also connected with a school, gave an account of his work among the Eskimo and Indian children at Hay River, where there is a boarding school with 40 pupils, who come from places within a radius of 1,300 miles. The pupils are taught the same lessons as the pupils in Ontario, but the lessons are taught both in English and the different dialects. The boys and girls of the school do most of the work, the girls the household work and the boys working in the gardens.

Address On Japanese.

Mrs. Willoughby Cummings, of Toronto, who has recently returned from a trip to Japan, gave an interesting lecture last night in Cronyn Hall. Mrs. Cummings in the early part of the evening told of her trip through Japan. She stated that 30 or 40 years ago the nation sent experts to other countries to investigate the methods of managing the different branches of Government and now Japan has one of the best systems of Government in the world. What impressed Mrs. Cummings most was the number of temples and shrines throughout Japan.

The marriage customs in Japan are very severe on the women and as the customs of the Japanese women it will be necessary to have more workers before much can be done for the women of Japan. At the present time in the selection of their future husbands, and after marriage they are merely slaves of their mothers-in-law.

Lady of the Snows.

The scenery and climate of Japan, stated that that country had more claim to the titles of "The Land of the Snows" and "The Home of the Maple" than Canada.

In winter in some parts of Japan tunnels have to be dug through the snow from one side of the street to the other side to permit the people to go about. In Japan there are nearly 50 varieties of maple trees.

The twilight views were clear and interesting and showed the difference between the Japanese and Western customs.

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CHAPMAN'S

A shipment of Limoges China was received this week. The pattern is our favorite pink rose pattern in open stock pieces for dinner and tea sets.

Easter Suits

Before you buy your Easter Suit we ask that you look at our Special \$15.00 line. The value is special, and we are selling a great many every day. The styles are numerous and the materials include Serges, Venetians, Tweeds and Worsteds, in blues, blacks, grays and fancy mixtures. Perfectly tailored suits. Coats are lined with satin polonaise, and the skirts are panelled in high-girdled effects. Come and see them Saturday.

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ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTSCANADIAN LEAGUE SCHEDULE
WILL BE ISSUED NEXT WEEK

Berlin Club Will Open the Season on Road and Will Not Arrive Home Until June 6—Schedule Has Proven a Difficult One Owing to Eastern Cities.

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AMILTON Spectator: It is expected that the Canadian League schedule will be ready for publication early next week. It will be sent to the various clubs for approval this week and after the magazines have had a chance to find fault, it will be given out to the public. The schedule is a difficult one to handle owing to the peculiar location of the various towns, the eastern division, Peterboro and Ottawa, forming a loop that is at the best awkward to handle. However, this has been made up for by reason of the fact that an eight-club circuit allows for a better working arrangement than is possible with six clubs, and there is no doubt but that the various clubs will be well pleased.

The Berlin club will not have such a soft time of it this year as last. They will be on the road continually until June 6, when they will open at home. The Berlin grounds will not be ready until that date, and Pop Williams has no other recourse. He expects, however, that when he does get back on the home lot, he will have the best ball park in the circuit behind his team, and in the meantime the Berlin fans are showing more interest than ever in their club.

JO-JO'S RELEASE A MISTAKE.
Hamilton Spectator: Jo-Jo Keenan, last year manager of the London baseball team in the Canadian League, is a free agent. Joe was given his release yesterday by the London directors, thus ending all speculation as to what course would be followed with the peppery little fellow, who lost out in London simply because he sided in with the losing party in the recent franchise controversy. While yesterday's action was not unexpected, it is the opinion of many of the fans that a mistake was made, for Keenan deserved consideration for the manner in which he brought his team from last place into second position in the league race, climbing into second position in the last week of the race after the Cockneys had trailed the other five teams for the last month of the season. Keenan, while the oldest player in the league, is still one of the best, and it is a safe bet that he will not be allowed to get out of the league. In fact, he has already signified his intention of signing a contract with one of the clubs, so that he will still be on the job this year, affording amusement to the many fans with whom he is very popular.

A POST-SEASON SERIES.
Hamilton Spectator: There is a possibility that the Canadian League fans will be given a chance to see a post-season series of games next fall between

the champions of the Southern Michigan Association and the Canadian League pennant winners. The possibility of such a series was mentioned in a letter received today from A. S. Burkart, vice-president of the Southern Michigan Association, by Secretary Robinson, of the Canadian League.

SHARPE LOOKS GOOD.
Berlin Telegraph: Manager Deneau is expecting a great deal of young Al Sharpe, the hustling infielder whom he signed recently. The recruit is only a youngster, but is regarded as a corner by those who have seen him in action, being speedy on the pins and with the whip, as well as possessing a well-developed batting eye. Al is a brother of Bud Sharpe, who formerly played with Newark in the old Eastern League.

Hamilton Spectator: Bill Kenney, last year's first baseman with the local club, has been given his unconditional release. Kenney did not measure up to the required standard and this, combined with an inflated idea of his own ability, has resulted in his being given a chance to seek a job in new pastures.

Joe West Seriously Ill

Paterson, N. J., March 28.—Joe West, captain of the Toronto Bowling Team, was taken to St. Joseph's Hospital, where he lies in a critical condition. Martin E. Quinn, of Brooklyn, will roll with the Toronto team in the five-man competition this evening.

DOROTHY CAMPBELL
LOSES IN SEMI-FINALS

Was Defeated By Miss Kate Van Ostrand, of Watertown, 1 Up.

Pinehurst, N. C., March 28.—Miss Dorothy Campbell, of the Hamilton (Ont.) Golf Club, British and Canadian champion and former American titleholder, was defeated today by Miss Kate Van Ostrand, of the Jefferson County Club of Watertown, N. Y., in the semi-final round of the women's event of the United North and South amateur golf championship. Fully 500 people followed the play. In tomorrow's final Miss Van Ostrand meets Mrs. J. Raymond Price, of Oakmont, who won from her clubmate, Mrs. W. C. Fowles, jun., the wife of the 1910 national champion, 6 and 4.

The consolation competition was keen. Miss Mary Fowles, of Oakmont, made a brilliant play against Miss Myra B. Helmer, of Midlothian, only to lose the 18th and decisive hole by missing her second shot. Miss Helmer's opponent tomorrow is Mrs. Frank Hayes, of Englewood, who defeated Mrs. J. H. Horner, of Oakmont, 8 up and 6 to play.

Gripsack Si Has Started—He's
On His Way to London

This is Gripsack Si taking the mixed-local for London. He is going to take a leap into city life in search of adventure. Si is one of those helpful fellows, always glad to favor a friend or stranger. So there's no doubt he'll have plenty of adventure. His experiences will be shown on the sport page of The Daily Advertiser each day, beginning Monday, April 1.

WATCH FOR GRIPSACK SI.

BOSTON HOCKEY TEAM
BEATS THE VICTORIAS

Winnipeg Team Loses Out by Score of Eight to Six.

Boston, Mass., March 28.—The Boston Athletic Association hockey team defeated the Winnipeg Victorias, amateur champions of Canada, 8 to 6 at the Boston Arena tonight.

RUTT AND STOL WIN
Big Six-Day Race Goes to German-Dutch Team.

Berlin, March 28.—Walter Rutt and Johann Stöl, the German-Dutch team, finished first in the six-day bike race, which ended tonight. They covered 2,652 miles. The German team, Lorenz and Sattel, was second, with the American team, Root and Moran, third.

MORAN LOSES TO KENNEDY.
New York, March 28.—Although Frank Moran, of Pittsburgh, made a fierce rally in the last round, he was outpointed by a small margin by Tom Kennedy, of this city, at the National Sporting Club tonight. The men showed comparative little skill. Kennedy used his left hand practically all the time. He jabbed Moran's face until it was swollen and bleeding, but he could not put enough power into his blows to stop the Pittsburgh boxer. Kennedy also ducked so well that many of Moran's heavy right-hand swings were harmless. Whenever Moran landed one of these punches, however, he slowed Kennedy to a walk, but he could not follow up these advantages, and lost many valuable chances to win.

TORONTO BOWLERS
TAKE FOURTH PLAC

Eddie Sutherland Rolled the High Score of Seven Hundred and Two.

Paterson, N. J., March 28.—The Toronto team rolled into fourth place in the five-team competition here tonight, totalling 2,373 in the second game they gathered in 1,010. Eddie Sutherland rolled in great form, averaging 235 for his three games. The scores:

Gillis	179	168	177	524
Quinn	183	178	178	539
McMillan	148	219	189	556
Kearns	181	179	202	562
Sutherland	227	266	199	702
Totals	918	1010	945	2873

LEWIS GOT THE DECISION.

Liverpool, March 28.—Harry Lewis, the American welterweight, and Harry Mansfield, fought 20 rounds at the Stadium here tonight. Lewis won the decision on points.

ACTS QUICKLY ON CORNS,
SORE FOOT LUMPS, CALLUSES

It's a new wrinkle for Corns—a painless remedy that quickly removes the corn. Don't doubt it, this is a dead sure thing. Lifts 'em out quick—roots and branches. No pain, no scar, no more salves or pads. Just apply Putnam's Painless Corn Extractor, 25c a bottle. Substitutes pay the dealer best. "Putnam's" pays you best, because it cures your feet of corns. Take no other than Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor. Sold by druggists.

RAIN INTERFERED
WITH TIGERS' PLANS

Had Decided to Even Up With New Orleans for Shut-Out the Day Before.

PLAYERS WERE SOAKED

Moriarty and Bush Have Not Yet Put in an Appearance at Tiger Camp.

New Orleans, La., March 28.—Hughie Jennings gathered his troupe about him this afternoon, loaded the boys into a rubber-neck wagon and had them driven along the streets, lined with historic sights, to the ball lot. They got on the diamond, started to practice vigorously, five minutes later it drizzled and ten minutes later it was pouring, so it was impossible to get even for the night to nothing defeat the Pelicans, champions of the Southern League, pinned on the Tigers, young and old, at the ball lot Wednesday afternoon. The duel will be on again tomorrow afternoon.

Players Are Soaked.
Nothing of importance transpired in the meantime, save that some of our noted athletes were severely drenched. Hot baths and quinine looked like fair preventives to them, and the hospital list will probably go begging. Hughie was all set to hand the locals a beating. Di Gainer, who was in bed yesterday, while New Orleans whitesawed Detroit, was hopping around town again this morning. Gainer's stomach gave him trouble. He had it trained to the dirty, greasy food, that was served in Monroe, and the minute he partook of sanitary eatables there was a revolution and Gainer suffered the consequences of the sudden change from bad to good.

Bush Still Holding Out.
George Moriarty and Donnie Bush are the only members of the team who have not been seen in a Detroit uniform. Morrie was ready to hike out today. There is a strong conviction here that Bush will not head for the Jennings encampment until the Detroit club makes up the \$200 difference that exists between the figure Bush demands and what the club offers him.

Mike Maurer left for Detroit this morning and the second team left for Baton Rouge at the same time. They rejoin the regulars in Birmingham next Monday morning.

EAST LONDON ROYALS
HOLD A MEETING

Will Enter East End or Pottersburg League.

An enthusiastic meeting was held on Wednesday evening by the Royals Baseball Club of East London. It is their intention to enter either the East End League or the new Pottersburg League. The following officers were elected: President, J. W. Pike; secretary-treasurer, W. Martin; manager, T. Sherratt.

AUSTRALIANS HOPE TO
WIN SWIMMING RACES

Have Four Stars Who Have Duplicated World's Record.

New York, March 29.—According to mail advices received here from Sydney, the Australians hope to win the swimming honors at the Olympic games in the free-swimming events.

Longworth, Hardwick, Boardman and Healy will be the stars of the Australian aquatic squad and they have been making some marks recently which have duplicated world's records and should assure them of a good share of the honors.

The Australians, however, appear to have overlooked the possibility of George Hodgson, of Montreal, taking first places in the 400 and 1,500 meter swims, and they do not seem to credit the recent sensational performances of Duke Kahanamoku, of Honolulu, and Bretting, of Germany, in the sprints. It is conceded, however, that Canada, Australia, Germany and the United States will furnish a great fight for the international swimming laurels.

CURLING

SKIP RICHARDSON WINS.

The London Club had another of their weekly bonspiels last evening at the transportation building in Queen's Park. The ice was in splendid condition, considering the mildness of the weather, and the games were full of interest. Skip J. C. Richardson carried off the first prize for the second time this winter. The prizes were donated by Barney Vining, and the winning rink received four handsome ladies' hair brushes for their efforts in accumulating the highest score. Skip Richardson had the highest score of plus 12, but he was closely pursued by Skip F. N. Allen's rink, with a score of plus 11.

The booby prize was won by Skip Thomas Gillean, with a minus 19 score. This is the second time this season that Skip Gillean has qualified for this prize, and he does not feel at home until he wins it.

Another Next Week.
It is the intention of the club to hold another bonspiel next week, weather permitting.

Last night's results were as follows: Skip F. N. Allen, plus 12. Skip J. C. Richardson, plus 11. Skip J. McKay, plus 8. Skip W. T. Strong, plus 5. Skip F. Smith, even. Skip F. G. Rumball, minus 6. Skip J. C. Tremblay, minus 12. Skip Thomas Gillean, minus 19.

Joe Jackson has been helping work out the Nap pitchers in the Mobile training camp.

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TRAINING CAMP TIDINGS

TORONTO BEAT MACON.
Macon, Ga., March 28.—As a result of the exhibition game today in which Toronto beat Macon 12 to 3, the Leaf management gets first chance at a phenomenal young first baseman belonging to the locals. His name is "Marty" Calhoun, and he is some ballplayer.

The Leafs tried all sorts of plays on the bases by way of a workout. Several of the Kelley players were changed during the course of the game. Steele Mueller and Cather worked in the box, and had the locals shut out 12 to 0 until Macon went to bat in the ninth, when three runs came across the pan. Fischer caught the entire game, and wore his heavy sweater coat in the last round, making no effort to throw to bases.

The Leafs worked off three double steals, and stole a total of nine bases. Fischer pegged out all would-be base pilferers until the ninth, when, with two down, he and Cather played for the batter and allowed Matthews, of the locals, to steal unmolested. McConnell, Shaw and Cather were the leading hitters.

George Winter had a peculiar day at the bat. He went up five times, getting two walks, two sacrifice bunts and a dead ball. Thus he appears in the box score as not going to bat at all.

YANK COLTS GO NORTH.
Atlanta, Ga., March 28.—With Osborn in charge the Yankee colts leave Atlanta tomorrow on their way north. Petersburg, Va., is the first stopping place where a single game is carded. Richmond is visited the following day, and then Capt. Osborn takes his charges back to Petersburg for two games. On April 4, 5 and 6 the colts perform in Norfolk, while on April 8 and 9 they hit Newport News.

It rained all day and no work was done. If the games in Toledo, Indianapolis, Columbus and Dayton are called off Wolverton has arranged to play exhibition battles with the local club and Albany team of the Southeastern League next week.

RAIN AT LOUISVILLE, KY.
Louisville, Ky., March 28.—Rain prevented a game between the Cubs and the Louisville American Association team this afternoon. The Cubs, however, managed to put in 45 minutes at practice.

The Athletics are in good condition and hope to profit by the six-day stand here if the weather improves. Catcher Chasman was sent back to Topeka today and Infielder Orr was returned to Salt Lake, whence he came. This reduces the Cub squad to 19.

WHITE SOX PRACTICE.
Waco, Texas, March 28.—The White Sox regulars and the third team practiced an hour and a half at Katy Park this afternoon. McElridge and Peters pitched to the batters. The rehearsal

was held near the centre field fence, as the infield was in wretched shape.

Second Baseman Berghammer was sold to the Birmingham Southern League Club.

TEDDY PREVENTS PRACTICE.
St. Louis, Mo., March 28.—The First Regiment Armory, where the Cardinals have been doing indoor work, was appropriated by Col. Roosevelt this evening and Bresnahan's men had to remain idle. The continued deluge of water prevented practice at Robinson field.

The Browns returned home from the south today and were unable to get in any work.

GIANTS PRACTICE.
Mobile, Ala., March 28.—Although the weather did not permit a game between the New York Giants and the Mobile club today, Manager McGraw lined up two mixed teams and played a few innings with Mathewson and Crandall the opposing pitchers. No serious damage was done by either side.

HOHENHORST ON FIRST.
New Orleans, March 28.—A terrific wind and a brief shower interrupted, but could not prevent the daily rehearsal of the Naps this morning. Manager Davis was not feeling well and did not visit the park. The presence of Ed. Hohenhorst at first base was the only thing out of the ordinary.

DOGGERS WORK BETWEEN SHOWERS.
Louisville, Ky., March 28.—Although a hard rain interfered with the game between the Cubs and the Louisville team of the American Association, Manager Dahlen, of the Brooklyn's, managed to get a two-hour workout between showers for his team during the morning. The Brooklins leave for Indianapolis tomorrow.

ATHLETICS WIN, 2 TO 1.
Spartanburg, N. C., March 28.—The Philadelphia Athletics, champions of the baseball world, today defeated the local team here by a score of 2 to 1. Reese, the local pitcher, was very effective, the visitors scoring but six scattered hits. Pike, a recruit, did the twirling for the Athletics and was hit for six bases.

YOUNG TIGERS HELD UP.
Baton Rouge, La., March 28.—Today's game between the Louisiana State University and the Detroit second team was postponed because of rain. The Tigers' train ran into a storm coming into Baton Rouge and it rained throughout the entire afternoon. The team left for Vicksburg and games will be played in the latter city Saturday and Sunday.

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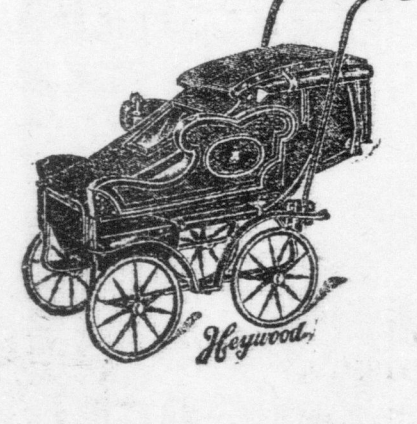
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BY JINX.

Art Reske, who was one of the catchers of the London Canadian League team last season, has written the local management, and will likely accept the terms offered him a few months ago. Reske is a good catcher, although a trifle weak at the bat. However, he expects to overcome this weakness this season, and is looking forward to the best year of his career. Last summer he was out of the game for several weeks with injuries, and this affected his playing to a certain extent. His batting average was in the .200 class, however, in this year he is out of the game this summer as he was last season he should be one of the best catchers in the league.

He is in splendid condition and is anxious to get back into the game, and will report here with the rest of the London players. Reske has not yet signed the contract, but there will be no difficulty about this. The club is just about complete now, and with a couple more catchers will be ready soon to begin the spring training. The players will report here about the last week in April and work will be commenced at Tecumseh Park. The snow has nearly all disappeared from the park, and as soon as the frost is out of the ground the improvements to the diamond will be made.

CHAMPIONSHIP GAME TONIGHT

The Toronto Central basketball team will play the London "Y" M. C. A. team tonight in the first game of the finals for the Ontario Basketball League championship. The protest issued by the Hamilton liders against the Centrals is being held until after the London game is decided, and although it was thought that the London game would be put off until the protest was settled, it has been decided to play the match. The game tonight should be one of the best exhibitions of basketball ever witnessed in this city. It is up to the London team to prevent the Centrals from winning the championship, as the Toronto Y. M. C. A. has won the junior and senior championships of the league, and are confident of taking the intermediate. The local team has been practicing hard for the game. They will be their best tonight, and as points will count on the round, they expect to win the championship with tonight's game. The Toronto Centrals are about the fastest intermediate aggregation in Ontario, but the London team has been playing a remarkable game this season, and in very few of their matches have they had to extend themselves. They play with a fast, snappy, and minute, and if the Toronto team wins, it will be the toughest proposition that they ever ran up against. The locals will likely play the return game in Toronto on Good Friday.

Eugene Elliott, third baseman, will try again with the Yankees. Elliott looked fine in the spring last year, but developed a lame shoulder, went home and stayed there. He wrote to Wolverton that his shoulder was as bad as ever, but Wolverton thinks the club trainer could fix it up, and told him to report.

Canadian League News Notes

SOME EXCITING NEWS.

Ottawa Free Press: Manager Cook sent some exciting news from Chicago this morning. He has an option on a young outfielder who hit .336 in a Class C league last season, and who is bound to go up in his estimation with another year's experience. Cook writes as follows: "I have seen him play the past two seasons, and in all my experience never looked a recruit over that classed so close to a major-league outfielder. His record in the guides speaks for itself. I have till Thursday noon to sign him, and if we don't get him then he's lost to us for good. He is sure of being drafted or purchased by a Class AA or major league at the end of this season. Wire at once."

Shaughnessy wired Cook this morning to hook up with the youngster. Cook also has a lien on a first baseman who hit .373 in a Class C league last season, and the leading shortstop of a fast western league in 1911. He awaits only a bunch of blank contracts to land them. These were also rushed to Chicago this morning.

Pitcher Munson, the big Burlington six-footer, balks at the salary the

"GOLDIE" MAY PLAY IN BENEFIT GAME

An effort is being made to get a permit for "Goldie" Proctor so that he will be able to play with the local intermediates in the game with the City League all-stars on Monday evening, for the benefit of the Byron Sanatorium. "Goldie" would be a big attraction, and it is not unlikely that a permit will be given him to take part in this one game. He is in fine condition just at present and would give the local fans an idea of how they play hockey in the N. H. A.



Arrangements have been made for shipping the Billings champions and lesser lights on April 16.

S. R. Dubois, of Vassar, reports the loss of a colt by Barongale, out of Mada V., by Arma Prince, 2:10 1/4.

Fred Jamison will have Mattie Alerton, 2:12 1/4, this year, that trotter having changed hands recently.

To date 27,711 trotters with records of 2:30 or better have been reported, while the number of 2:25 pacers is 19,813.

The McKennan farm at Washington, Pa., is assembling a lot of good blood. The latest addition is High Admiral, 2:07 1/4.

W. W. Collier is thinking of sending a number of his training stable to the covered track at East Aurora if he can secure stall room.

The son of Justice Brooks and Native Belle is doing splendidly at Dromore farm. People from all over the state and Canada have been there to see him.

Adion, that took a yearling record of 2:29 1/4 as Dandy G., is in all of the futurities and "Doc" Tanner thinks he will be there when the money is divided.

The latest thing at Dromore farm was the arrival yesterday of four splendid Irish terrier puppies, that are bred like the trotters—by a champion and out of a champion.

Wilmering, 2:12 1/4, may be sold to the Government, as he is stylish and gets a lot of good foals. St. Louis parties also want him for show purposes. Wilmering would do better anywhere than on a race track.

P. W. Hodges thinks that Rapallo will be faster than San Francisco. This colt is by Greco B., out of Oniska, dam of San Francisco, and is a compactly made little fellow with pure action. Quarters in 32 seconds are easy enough for him.

C. W. Lasell has bought the trotter, Miss Davis, 2:20 1/4, by a son of Electra. She started in seven races on the half-mile track of Indiana and Illinois last year and won six of them, then showed a mile in 2:12 1/4 on a small track.

local club offers. He forwards this morning strong credentials from Ray Collins, the famous American trotter, and Ray Fisher, the New York American heaver, both of whom are pals of Munson and recommend him highly. He probably will be brought on and given a trial at his own terms, and if he comes across will stick. He has the goods in physical measurements.

Everybody's talking ball in town just now, and with the advent of spring weather and that warm sun it almost makes one hear the smack of the bat against the horse-hide and the thud in the fielder's mitt. Even the kids are starting to dig up the diamond paraphernalia, and vacant lots are taking on a baseball appearance, despite the sloppy nature of the turf and preponderance of snow.

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BASEBALL BULLETINS

"Stuffy" McInnis is again on the injured list of the Athletics because of a sprained ankle, which he sustained in sliding to second.

Walter Mattick, White Sox recruit, left a nine-pound boy at home when he joined the team at Waco. The youngster had just "reported," too.

Of seven backstops who are with the Naps at Mobile, Manager Davis declares that "Paddy" Livingston is the only one who is sure of a berth.

Jack Stahl played his first game in two years at Hot Springs and came through with three hits in as many times up, one of the drives being a homer.

Critics at Hot Springs agree with Billy Evans that Hunkison is going to make these hurries to keep him out of the Red Sox outfield as a regular this year.

Harry Krause, who weighed but 154 pounds last year, reported to Connie Mack this spring tipping the scales at 150 and expects to keep much of the added weight.

Jimmy Callahan, of the White Sox, talks of using Fournier, the Canadian, at first base. That makes six candidates for the position, the others being Collins, Borton, Mullin, Zelder and Jones.

After Rebel Oakes announced that he was set for a big season somebody voiced the hope that he'd hit it.

Mrs. Mabel Hite Donlin has bought a cottage at Hot Springs and plans that Husband Mike shall have all the comforts of home.

According to reports from New Orleans, President Murphy has picked Sarasota, Fla., as a permanent training camp for the Cubs after this year.

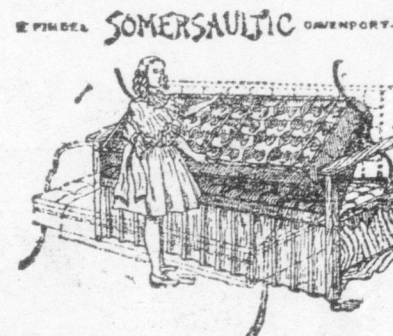
Catcher Billy Berger says he is glad to leave Brooklyn for Newark. He did not get along well with Manager Dahlen last year and thinks he can do better under a new manager.

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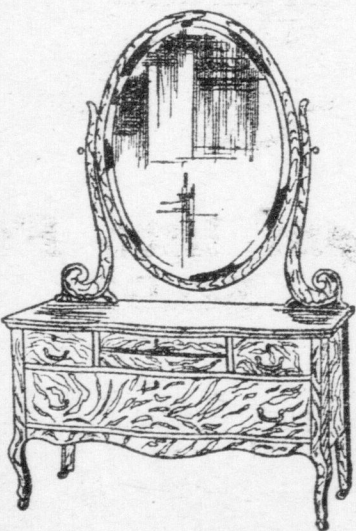
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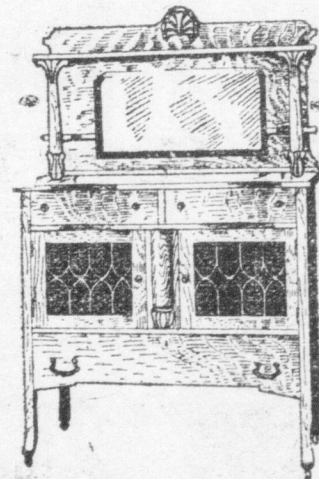
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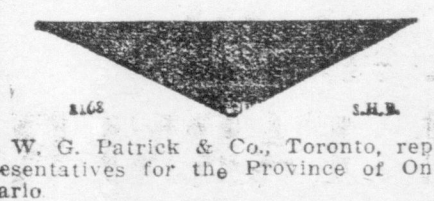
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Toronto, March 29.—Hon Adam Beck will henceforth be placed upon the same footing as his colleagues in the Government, so far as salary is concerned. The bill to provide for remuneration for the chairman of the hydro-electric commission was introduced in the Legislature by Sir James Whitney yesterday afternoon.

The Prime Minister stated that Hon. Mr. Beck would receive a salary of \$6,000, and that it would be a charge on the hydro-electric system.

ROOSEVELT WON'T BOLT IF NOT NOMINATED

Issues a Denial of Story That He Will Head a Third Party.

St. Louis, Mo., March 29.—Heated denial was made by Col. Roosevelt today to published stories that he had indicated his intention to bolt the ticket in case he failed in landing the presidential nomination before the Chicago convention. President Taft was named. Through his secretary he issued the following statement:

"Any statement like that is a fake. Any time I have anything to say on such a subject I will say it myself, and anything purporting to come from me unless I say it myself is a fake."

HAYS INSISTS THAT HIS BILL GO THROUGH

Conferences With Government Have Failed To Bring About Settlement.

Ottawa, March 29.—The Government will either have to back down from the position taken with regard to making the financial powers of the Grand Trunk Company conditional upon the reinstatement of the men alleged to be still penalized on account of the strike of 1910, and also conditional upon the recalling of the order for reduction on branch lines, or else it will have to shoulder the onus of preventing the company from going ahead with its projected branch line improvements in Ontario, and otherwise thwarting the company's plans for important extensions this year.

President Hays has declined to be coerced, and is insisting that the bill, when it comes up in the Commons tomorrow night, shall, like all other bills, be considered on its merits. Vice-President Vainwright, of the G. T. R., had another conference with Hon. Messrs. Crothers and Cochrane tonight in regard to the Government's attitude on the bill. No compromise was reached.

GAMEY SELECTED TO SPY OUT THE NORTH

Whitney Makes Him Head of Expedition Into Wilds of Keewatin.

Toronto, March 29.—Mr. R. R. Gamey, member for Manitoulin, is to lead an expedition into the wilds of Keewatin to spy out the five-mile strip of territory which Ontario will secure from the Dominion Government for a right-of-way to Port Nelson. The announcement was made in the Legislature yesterday afternoon by Sir James Whitney in explaining a bill he was introducing "respecting the appointment of a commissioner to report on certain territory."

The member for Manitoulin will have charge of a party containing experts and engineers to report upon the character of the country, its agricultural and mineral resources, but more particularly to determine the best route for the Government railway in the event of its being projected to Port Nelson, and the harbor facilities at the river mouth. The terms of the Federal measure by which the land is set aside give the province five years in which to locate its five-mile strip to the Nelson and ten-mile frontage on the river and Hudson Bay.

In introducing the bill Sir James explained that it was intended to render it possible for Mr. Gamey to receive remuneration without losing his seat in the House.

The expedition will probably start this summer, and to that end the further supplementary estimates tabled yesterday set aside \$10,000.

LA MOTTE IS OFF ON A LONG VISIT

Strathroy Man Will Serve Seven Years in Kingston.

Deputy Sheriff Waterworth, of this city, and Chief Wilson, of Strathroy, last night took Gordon LaMotte to the Kingston penitentiary to serve a term of seven years for robbery. LaMotte met a Strathroy merchant on the street, held him up at the point of a revolver, took his money and keys and then went back to the store and robbed the cash register. While awaiting trial in London jail he attempted, with Pat Doyle, alias O'Brien, alias Maloney, to escape, but was frustrated.

ISSUES INJUNCTION

Stratford Ratepayer Would Stop Industrial Agreement Being Entered Into.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Stratford, March 28.—Mayor Brown today served writs of injunction to restrain the city from entering into the agreement with the Macdonald Thresher Company, Limited, as passed by the city council. The agreement is in brief that the city take over the present Macdonald factory at \$20,000 and provide the company with a free site in the old Athletic Park in return for the company erecting a \$30,000 plant. The writ was served on behalf of James Pringle, Sr., a ratepayer of Stratford.

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The name "SALADA" on the sealed lead packages is your strongest guarantee of all that is best and most fragrant in tea

"SALADA"

IS THE CHOICEST TEA GROWN ON THE ISLAND OF CEYLON—clean, whole leaves—with the delightful flavor of the fresh leaves brought to your table by the sealed lead packages.

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HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS

APRIL 2, 16 and 30, And Every Second Tuesday Until SEPT. 17, inclusive. WINNIPEG AND RETURN, \$34.00. EDMONTON AND RETURN, \$42.00. Proportionate Rates to Other Points. Return Limit Sixty Days. THROUGH TOURIST SLEEPING CARS To Edmonton, Via Saskatoon, Also Winnipeg and Calgary Via Main Line. Ask Nearest C. P. R. Agent for Home-seekers' Pamphlet. Low Colonist Rates to any C. P. R. Agent. Full Particulars from any C. P. R. Agent. W. FULTON, C. P. and T. A., LONDON.

EASTER SINGLE FARE

Between All Stations in Canada, Port Arthur and East.

GOOD GOING, APRIL 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, Return Limit APRIL 10. (Minimum Rate of 25c.)

Settlers' Trains

Western Canada Will Leave TORONTO 10:20 p.m., EACH TUESDAY, MARCH AND APRIL.

TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY. SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the East—3:27 a.m. 10:56 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:28 a.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m., 10:20 p.m. Arrive from the West—12:30 a.m., 3:45 a.m., 8:50 a.m., 11:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m., 12:14 a.m. Depart for the East—12:14 a.m., 3:45 a.m., 7:50 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:05 p.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:15 p.m., 6:53 p.m. Depart for the West—3:22 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:18 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 4:10 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR. Arrive—10:25 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 11:05 p.m. Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:10 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH. Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:33 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m. Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:26 a.m., 12:35 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m., 10:50 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE. Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m. Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m. Trains marked * run daily. Those marked ** run daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY. Arrive from the East—11:28 a.m., 6:10 p.m., 7:40 p.m., 10:52 p.m. Arrive from the West—4:30 a.m., 12:38 p.m., 5:22 p.m., 8:25 p.m., 7:45 a.m., 12:45 p.m., 5:30 p.m.

Depart for the West—3:00 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 7:45 p.m., 11:00 p.m. Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday. MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY. Arrive—7:04 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 6:10 p.m., 9:55 p.m. Depart—7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 6:35 p.m., 10:11 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY. Arrive—8:45 a.m., 12:00 noon, 1:50, 4:35, 9:15 p.m. Depart—8:50, 7:10, 9:45 a.m., 2:30, 4:15, 17:00 p.m.

* To and from Walkerville. * To St. Thomas only. ** To and from Port Stanley, except trains marked with star and dagger.

Canada's Double Track Line

EASTER HOLIDAY RATES

Single Fare for round trip. (Minimum charge 25 cents, between all stations in Canada. Good going April 4, 5, 6, 7, 8. Return limit April 10, 1912.)

HOMESEEKERS' EXCURSIONS TO WESTERN CANADA, VIA CHICAGO. April 2, 16, and 30, and every Tuesday thereafter until Sept. 17, inclusive. Winnipeg and Return, \$34.00. Edmonton and Return, \$42.00. Tickets good for sixty days. Proportionate rates to other points in Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta. Tickets will also be on sale on certain dates via Sarnia and Northern Navigation Company.

LOW RATES TO PACIFIC COAST. Tickets on Sale Daily Until April 15th. SETTLE'S ONE-WAY TICKETS TO Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, on sale every Tuesday in March and April. When going to Buffalo, New York, Philadelphia, Montreal, travel via Grand Trunk Railway System, the only double-track route.

Steamship Tickets on Sale by All Lines. Make your reservations early. Full particulars from any Grand Trunk agent, or address E. RUSE, C. P. and T. A., "Clock" Corner, London.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL

"The Niagara Falls Route."

Easter Rates

Single Fare for The Round Trip

Good going April 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8. Final return limit, April 10, 1912. Between all stations in Canada and to Detroit and St. Clair, Mich., Black Rock, Buffalo, Suspension Bridge and Niagara Falls, N. Y.

Thos. Evans, C. T. A.; S. H. Palmer, D. P. A.; St. Thomas; L. W. Landman, G. P. A., Chicago.

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the holder of a speed record that no liner afloat has ever equalled, first cabin throughout with gorgeous rooms and private baths, the finest promenade deck in the world, the best cuisine on the Atlantic and carrying no cattle or freight, is far the greatest liner to

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PERE MARQUETTE

Easter Holiday Rates

Single fare (minimum, 25c) for round trip between all stations in Canada. Good going April 4, 5, 6, 8. Return limit April 10, 1912. W. E. Wolfenden, G. P. A., Detroit; W. M. Hood, T. P. A., London.



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"More bread and better bread"

IMAGINE, if you can, how much whiter, and more toothsome, and more nutritious, the bread made from such a HIGH-GRADE flour must be.

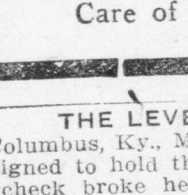
And can you imagine yourself enjoying the flaky pie-crust and the light, delicate cake?—your reward for using PURITY flour

When making pastry, please remember to add more shortening than required with ordinary flour—for on account of its extra strength, PURITY FLOUR requires more shortening for best pastry-results

Yes, PURITY FLOUR costs slightly more than ordinary flour. But use it once and you'll say it's worth more—much more—than the difference.

Add PURITY FLOUR to your grocery list right now.

Western Canada Flour Mills Company, Limited, Phone 795, Care of Central Storage and Exchange Company, 334-336 Clarence Street.



THE LEVEE BROKE

Columbus, Ky., March 29.—The levee designed to hold the Mississippi River in check broke here last night, and every able-bodied man in town is at work trying to stop the rush of water until household effects can be moved to higher ground. Much damage already has been done. An appeal was sent to the governor to provide assistance to those who will be made destitute.

Cheese Balls for Salad—Roll cream cheese into small balls. Press half an English walnut in centre and cover with grated green cheese or a chopped pimiento.

Traction Company Hourly Service

Between London and St. Thomas from 7 a.m. to 11 p.m. on week days; from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. on Sunday. Two-hourly service between St. Thomas and Port Stanley. Cars leaving London on the even hours go through to Port Stanley. The last car waits for the theatre.

GALEN HALL

ATLANTIC CITY HOTEL AND SANATORIUM With its elegant comforts, its tonic and curative baths, and superior table and service, is an ideal place for winter and spring. Always open. Always ready. Always busy. 1617 F. L. YOUNG, General Manager.

WILTSHIRE Virginia Av. and Beach. 350. Private baths, running water in rooms, elevator, sun parlor, etc. Music. Special, \$12.50 up weekly; \$2.50 up daily. Open all year. Booklet, Samuel Ellis, 1714

JACK BINNS' LESSONS IN WIRELESS....

LESSON NO. 3.

Materials Needed for Making the Detector

One of your mother's ordinary sewing needles.
One piece of carbon, six inches long, which the arc light cleaners throw away.
One block of wood seven-eighths of an inch thick and two inches square.
Two pieces of bare wire two inches long.
Two binding posts.

Read This, Boys!

Florence, March 27, 1912.
Mr. Jack Binns, care of The Advertiser.

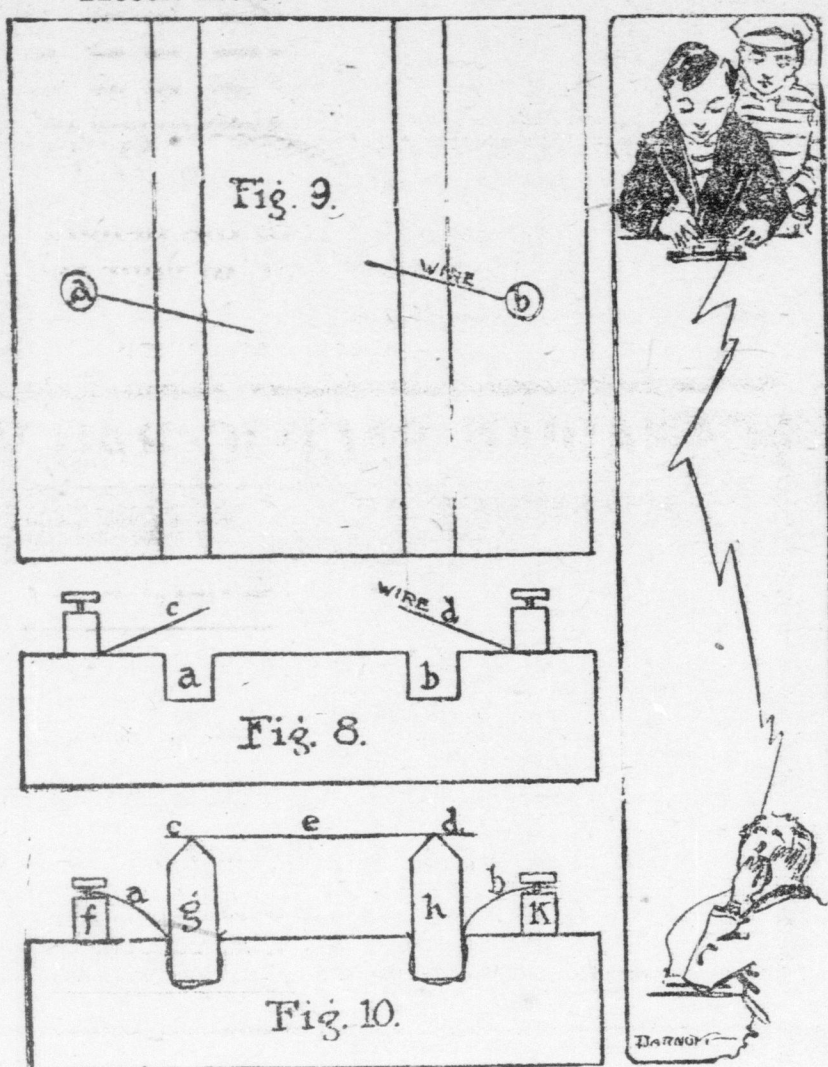
Dear Sir—I have read your letter to the boys of London and district in The Advertiser. Of course we are all interested in "Wireless." I have often wished I could operate an instrument of my own, and now it seems as though I might be able to do so. I am looking out for today's paper, which is to have the first instructions in it, and I expect I am not the only boy who is wishing for it to come.

One thing worries me. Our village is not very large, and it may be that no other boy round here intends to take it up. Bothwell, Thamesville, and Newbury are only nine or ten miles away, however, and Alveston, Inwood and Oil Springs are about fourteen. Perhaps some boy in one of those towns will be following your instructions. If any boy within a few miles of here intends to make his instrument and set up a station, I should like to know. Perhaps he might put a note in The Advertiser, and so we could start working together. It's no use doing it alone, but if anyone else is going to do it, I will, too.

Yours very truly,

BY JACK BINNS.

Cut two grooves, side by side, in one face of the block, three-quarters of an inch apart. These grooves are



one-quarter of an inch deep and one-quarter of an inch wide, as shown by A and B in Figure 8. Beside each groove fasten a binding post, as shown by A and B in figure 9, and place your pieces of wire in the binding posts, laying the loose ends across the grooves, as in letters C and D in figure 8.

Now take your piece of carbon and cut two pieces two inches long. You've got some neat work to do with a file on the carbon. File out two flat pieces, a quarter of an inch thick; they will be about half an inch high and, of course, two inches long, and they will fit into the grooves in the block, crushing the loose ends of the wires which we have laid across the grooves, down into the grooves, like A and B in figure 10, in such a way that they will be in close contact with the pieces of carbon. Cut off the loose

ends of the wire that stick out of the groove, because you must not let the ends of the wires meet each other. Now file a sharp ridge along the top of each carbon so that they will look like C and D in figure 10.

Now lay the needle across the tops of the carbons, as shown by E in figure 10 and you have your detector completed. If you have made it well the current will enter the detector at one binding post, shown by F, will pass through the wire A in the groove to the carbon, G, through the carbon to the needle, E, through the needle to the other carbon, H, through this carbon to the wire B in the groove and out through the binding post, marked K.

Jack Binns

BRITISH COLUMBIA ELECTION GOES TO THE CONSERVATIVES

McBride Government Apparently Has Made a Clean Sweep.

Vancouver, March 28.—With final returns from Columbia, Esquimaux and Newcastle yet to come, McBride Conservatives are elected in all the other ridings. Pooley (Conservative) is leading in Esquimaux. No Liberal

has apparently been elected anywhere.

Early returns in Vancouver show that five Conservatives have been elected. In Victoria, Premier McBride is heading the poll. Fraser and Callaghan are elected in Cariboo, Columbia, Comox, Cowichan and Delta, where the former Liberal leader, Mr. John Oliver, ran against Mr. Frank MacKenzie, are all Conservative wins. Other ridings where early returns indicate Conservative victories are Dewdney, Fernie, Greenwood Islands, Kamloops, Lillooet, Westminster, Okanagan, Saanich, Slokan and Ymir.

The detailed returns so far received are as follows:

New Westminster (complete) — Gifford (Con.), 1,010; Kennedy (Lib.), 385.
Conservatives leading Liberals in Vancouver by 1,000. Fernie—Ross, 356; Davidson, 252.
Nelson — McLean (Con.), 528; Wright (Ind.), 196; Harrod (Socialist), 177.
Rossland—Campbell (Con.), 338; Taylor (Lib.), 168; Casey (Socialist), 55.

BANISH BAR POLICY INDORSED BY WOMEN

Opposition Leader Complimented by the W. C. T. U. of Toronto.

Toronto, March 28.—Great enthusiasm over Mr. Rowell's "banish the bar" policy was expressed at the Toronto District W. C. T. U. meeting yesterday. The following resolution was adopted unanimously:

"The Toronto District W. C. T. U. strongly commends the courageous stand taken by Mr. N. W. Rowell in bringing forward a policy which, in our opinion, means an advance step in the temperance cause. This organization has always stood for the total prohibition of the liquor traffic, but no argument can be advanced as a plea for the open bar. It is an evil, ever and always, and any legislation that will abolish it will be indorsed by all white-ribboners."

"Especially do we commend the removal of the matter of law enforcement from political influence, as the laxity of local officials is considered to be one of the greatest existing weaknesses."

"The regulation and inspection of all houses of entertainment is in our opinion a necessity to safeguard not only the comfort, but also the moral welfare of the general public."

"We ever stand ready to give not only our indorsement, but our pledged support to any party that will further our aims. We know neither sex, creed, nor political party in the furtherance of the foregoing ends."

WEST INDIAN PARTY REACHES CAPITAL

Conferences on Reciprocity With the Dominion To Be Held.

[Canadian Press.]

Ottawa, March 28.—The West Indian delegates to the reciprocity conference were welcomed to the capital today on behalf of the Government by the Premier and Hon. Geo. E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce. The first formal assembly will take place on Friday for organization purposes, when the basis of procedure will be arranged. The conference proper will open on Monday. After the reception today the visitors watched the proceedings of Parliament from seats in the speaker's gallery.

It is known to be the Government's desire to see a goodly measure of reciprocity effected with the neighboring British possessions, especially as one country does not produce the same line of goods as the other. It will probably permit free entry of such commodities as sugar, molasses and other staple lines, and will ask for free admission to the West Indies of wheat, timber, flour, meat, fish and some manufactured articles.

Faster steamers and better cable connection will be a big feature in the negotiations.

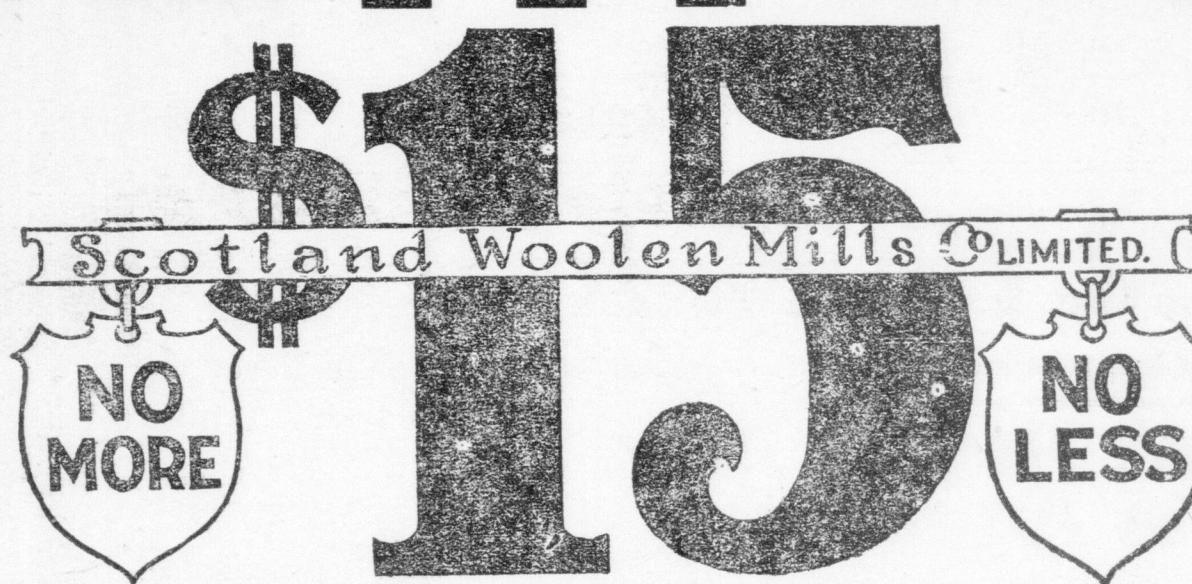
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It is bringing the finished article to the lowest possible cost and including in the "Bargain" the best of quality and workmanship that has made the suits and overcoats of the Scotland Woolen Mills Company the most inviting item in the clothing world to-day.

When we say the "Clothing World" we embrace Scotland, Canada and the United States. We have branches in these countries. Everywhere our proposition is being accepted with enthusiasm. Every branch is growing from day to day.

For Easter of Nineteen Hundred and Twelve this business of ours should attract the man who requires a good suit made from particular material—made by artist tailors and superbly finished and lined.

Choice of Any Material Made to Order Suit or Overcoat



If you haven't tried our Suits made to order at Fifteen Dollars, it is apparent you have neglected one of the big demands of modern living—economy. We contend that you cannot duplicate the goods we sell for from thirty to fifty dollars in any other store in this city. Ask your friend about it if you desire to be convinced.

Rare good value in all patterns of serge, worsteds, tweed and Homespuns. They are all advance London, England, and New York patterns, such as you will recognise as being exclusive.

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Special Easter Bargains

All HIGH-CLASS goods, but LOW PRICE. A vast array of styles in goods of dependable quality at prices that you can pay.

Ladies' Tailored Suits

Black and navy panamas; also all-wool tweeds. Coats are short and very jaunty, lined with an excellent grade of silk and satin; collars silk and braid trimmed to match. Skirts panel back with the new straight lines and side effects. These are special values, worth \$15.00, for \$10.85

Attractive showing of Ladies' Spring Coats. The coat sensation of the season of unusual style and quality, shown in all the newest colorings and materials. Don't buy elsewhere before inspecting our stock, as you'll be more than pleased with our line of coats, ranging in price from \$6.95 up

NATTY MAN-TAILORED SUITS
At \$13.40 and \$15.75
Our reputation for offering the most fashionable ready-to-wear Suits at popular prices is well sustained in the garments we offer here.

Suits of excellent quality serge, whipcords and fancy worsteds in the season's styles and shades, specially priced for Easter at \$17.95

Just received a beautiful line of Short Silk Underskirts in all shades. These were bought at a bargain, and we will offer them while they last at much less than usual. Only \$3.45, worth \$5.00.

An attractive showing of Ladies' Waists, in Marquissette, Lawn, Silk and Net, at reduced prices.

The Bargain Store

222 DUNDAS STREET.

TOM MANN MUST BE GOOD

Gives Written Guarantee That He Will Not Incite Mutiny.

[Canadian Press.]

Salford, England, March 28.—Tom Mann, the well-known labor leader, was today released on bail in \$2,000 after giving a written guarantee that he would not repeat his incitement to the troops to mutiny pending his trial.

He is charged with "feloniously, maliciously and advisedly publishing certain printed matter endeavoring to persuade persons serving in the forces of the King on land and sea from their duty and allegiance to his majesty, and in inducing the said persons to commit traitorous and mutinous practices."

WHY TRAVEL FOR THIS?

Many people travel to far distant points for a "change of climate" to build up their strength.

Now what does this change of climate do for them? Usually if it does any good at all, its effect is to make them eat more.

But if you need more strength and can't afford the time and expense of travel you need not be discouraged. A. M. Sturz, of Bronx Borough, N. Y., suffered from weak, tender lungs and almost continual headaches for over two months. In a letter she says: "Since I have been taking Vinol, the symptoms of lung trouble have disappeared and I have no more headaches. Vinol has built me up and made me feel even much better than I did before this trouble came on."

Vinol, our delicious cod liver and iron remedy without oil, builds you up by making you eat more and digest better. It enriches the blood with tonic iron at the same time. Try Vinol. If it does not benefit you we will give back your money.

W. T. Strong, Druggist; also Anderson & Nelles, Druggists, London, Ontario.

This Food-Tonic Quickly Restores Strength

After a siege of Pneumonia, Diphtheria, Typhoid or any other prostrating disease, there is usually a need for some other source of strength besides ordinary food.

NA-DRU-CO Tasteless Cod Liver Oil Compound

meets this need perfectly. While decidedly pleasant to the taste, without a trace of the nauseating properties of plain cod liver oil, it embodies the well-known nutritive and curative elements that have made cod liver oil famous. To these have been added Hypophosphites to build up the nerves—Extract of Wild Cherry to act on the lungs and bronchial tubes—and Extract of Malt, which, besides containing valuable nutriment itself, helps the weakened digestive organs to assimilate other foods.

For run-down children there is no better "builder-up". Get a 50c. or \$1.00 bottle from your druggist.

National Drug and Chemical Co.
OF CANADA, LIMITED. 104

100 NA-DRU-CO
Specifics—one
for every ill

DESTROYED BY FIRE

Fine Oil Pumping Rig at Petrolia Was Burned.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Petrolia, March 28.—About 4:30 yesterday morning the fine pumping rig belonging to J. E. Armstrong, M. P., was destroyed by fire. The rig was situated about half a mile south of

Farr's Hotel at the east end of the town. The cause of the fire is unknown. The loss is partly covered by insurance.

The rig was fitted up with a gas engine, and no fire was used in the building. These rigs require very little attention except to oil them, and will run for hours without an attendant. It is customary to fix things up in the evening, and leave them running all night. One of the work-

men on the property paid a visit to the rig about 9 o'clock in the evening, and left everything in good shape. At 9 o'clock next morning the rig was ashes.

**ROYAL YEAST
MAKES PERFECT BREAD**

Ladies' and Misses' Easter Suits

SPECIALLY PRICED AT \$15

New Spring Suits, made of all-wool imported tweeds, in brown and gray mixed effects, in ladies' and misses' sizes; skirts are made with side drop, panel front and back, with high waistband. On sale Saturday morning at..... **\$15.00**

1,000 YARDS OF ALL-WOOL TWEEDS AND FINE WORSTED SUITINGS, values up to 85c. Saturday Special..... **49c**

LITTLE DARLING STOCKINGS

Sizes 4½ to 7, in black and tan colors. Saturday only, pair..... **25c**

50c EMBROIDERY FLOUNCING AT 39c.

Fine Swiss Embroidery Flouncing, 27 inches wide, neat patterns, firm edge, regular 50c value. Saturday special..... **39c**

45-inch EMBROIDERY FLOUNCING, 1 VALUE, AT 69c.

1 carton of fine Swiss Embroidery Flouncing, 45 inches wide, \$1 value, Saturday special..... **69c**

NEW LONG HIP SUIT CORSETS FOR \$1.00.

The latest style, long hip, soft skirt suit Corset, with straight line effects, well boned with rust-proof boning, sizes 18 to 27. Saturday only, per pair..... **\$1.00**

65c ALL-WOOL SERGE FOR 39c

All-wool French Serge, nice crisp weave, 42 inches wide, in navy and black only, 65c value. Saturday only, yard..... **39c**

TABLE NAPKINS.

All pure linen, assorted patterns, 5½ size, regular \$1.50 value. Special at, per dozen..... **\$1.19**

CAMBRIC NIGHT GOWNS

Trimmed with lace and insertion, slip-over style, sizes 58 and 60 only, \$1.00 value. Saturday special..... **69c**

NEW GLOVES FOR EASTER.

R. J. YOUNG & CO.

A Reasonable Plea For the Stomach

If Your Stomach Is Lacking in Digestive Power, Why Not Help the Stomach Do Its Work?

Especially When It Costs Nothing to Try. No doubt with the aid of the stomach, the body is naturally at work in the stomach. Scientific analysis shows that digestion requires peptic, litigious, ferments, and the secretion of hydrochloric acid. When your food fails to digest it is proof positive that some of these agents are lacking in your digestive apparatus.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets contain nothing but these natural elements necessary to digestion, and when placed at work in the stomach and small intestines, supply what these organs need. They stimulate the gastric glands and gradually combine the digestive organs back to their normal condition.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets have been subjected to critical chemical tests at home and abroad and are found to contain nothing but natural digestives. Chemical Laboratory, Telegraphic address, "Diffendo," London. Telephone No. 11029. Central, 20 Cullum street, Finchbury street, C. C.

I have analyzed most carefully a bottle of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets (which I bought myself at a city chemist's shop for the purpose), and found it to contain a small amount of 85 Clerkenwell road, London, E. C. and have to report that I cannot find any trace of vegetable or mineral poisons. Knowing the ingredients of the tablets, I am of opinion that they are admirably adaptable for the purpose for which they are intended.

(Signed) John R. Brooke, F. I. C., F. C. S. There is no secret in the preparation of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. Their composition is commonly known among the medical profession. The recommendations of 40,000 licensed physicians in the United States and Canada. They are the most popular of all remedies for indigestion, dyspepsia, water-brash, insomnia, loss of appetite, melancholia, depression, and kindred diseases originating from improper digestion and assimilation of food, because they are thoroughly reliable and harmless to man or child.

Ask your druggist for a fifty-cent bottle or send for direct for a free trial sample package, and you will be surprised at the result. J. P. Stuart Company, 120 Stuart Building, Marshall, Mich.

hold monthly exhibitions, the first to be held near the end of April. The selection of the place and judges has been left with the committee to be announced later.

The officers elected were as follows: President, Captain Walter Smith; honorary president, Col. M. McKen; honorary vice-president, Dr. S. J. Allen; vice-president, Mr. F. M. Turville; secretary, Mr. E. S. Little; secretary-treasurer, Dr. E. P. Smith; executive committee, A. Zimmerman, E. Banks, H. M. Graydon, W. J. Roberts, F. Westbury, Wood Leonard, Robert Hurle, Richard Oke, S. A. Roberts, William McNeil, William Scott and R. B. Heighway.

West Londoners Waited on the Board of Works Last Night.

AN ICE JAM IS FEARED

It Is Said That the Water Commissioners Want Old Structure as a Possible Power Plant.

The Saunby dam is hanging heavy over the heads of West Londoners these spring days, and last night they sent a delegation to the board of works asking that body to use its best efforts with the water commissioners to have the dam removed.

Messrs. Pococke and Dexter acted as spokesmen for the West Enders. They told the board that the abutments on each side of the old dam were rapidly becoming undermined, and might be washed out any day. They feared that in such a case the central portion of the dam would still stand, blocking up the ice and forming a jam which might back up the river over the breakwater and cause considerable damage to life and property.

"Once an ice jam started to form the water would be over the embankment in five minutes," said Mr. Dexter. "The dam is serving no good use, and I cannot see why it should be allowed to jeopardize property."

A Possibility.

Mayor Graham stated that the water commissioners wished to hold the dam as a possible source of power, and that they feared its removal would result in the formation of a pool of stagnant water, full of refuse from the city's streets. Moreover, the commissioners thought the dam materially added to the beauty of the river above it.

Mr. Pococke thought that the place was anything but a beauty spot. "The summer is covered in ice," he said. "I fall to see how it could be any worse. Besides, your committee has a vital interest in this thing. In the event of an ice jam, and the resultant flood you would have to provide funds to repair the damages to roadways and sidewalks."

City Engineer Wright agreed that the abutments were in bad shape, but was opposed to the removal of the dam.

The board finally decided to recommend that the council request the commissioners to remove the obstruction.

The Dumps.

The vexed dump question was temporarily settled by the decision of the board to appoint men to supervise the dumps after the removal of the deposit of objectionable matter.

Ward Foreman Mulhall, Lovelace and Howle were recommended for an increase in salary by the board. The other foremen are given an increase of 10 per cent, after which time the question of increasing their salaries will be considered. Street Cleaning Inspector Walker was reappointed, and given the added duties of watering inspector. He will receive \$15 per week.

A petition for a macadam pavement on Ridout street between Horton street and Elmwood avenue was recommended to the board.

After reviewing the estimates for the year as presented by Engineer Wright until 11:30, the question was sent over and the board adjourned.

CYCLONE IN SOUTH.

Birmingham, Ala., March 25.—Twelve houses are reported to have been blown down during a cyclone which struck Riverside, Ala., last night. It is said two women were injured, but no lives were lost. Telegraphic communication with Riverside was cut off by the storm.

Cattle and Produce Markets

For Other Markets See Page Eleven

PRODUCE.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 28.—Close: Wheat—No. 1, 1½¢; No. 2, 1½¢; No. 3, 1½¢; No. 4, 1½¢; No. 5, 1½¢; No. 6, 1½¢; No. 7, 1½¢; No. 8, 1½¢; No. 9, 1½¢; No. 10, 1½¢; No. 11, 1½¢; No. 12, 1½¢; No. 13, 1½¢; No. 14, 1½¢; No. 15, 1½¢; No. 16, 1½¢; No. 17, 1½¢; No. 18, 1½¢; No. 19, 1½¢; No. 20, 1½¢; No. 21, 1½¢; No. 22, 1½¢; No. 23, 1½¢; No. 24, 1½¢; No. 25, 1½¢; No. 26, 1½¢; No. 27, 1½¢; No. 28, 1½¢; No. 29, 1½¢; No. 30, 1½¢; No. 31, 1½¢; No. 32, 1½¢; No. 33, 1½¢; No. 34, 1½¢; No. 35, 1½¢; No. 36, 1½¢; No. 37, 1½¢; No. 38, 1½¢; No. 39, 1½¢; No. 40, 1½¢; No. 41, 1½¢; No. 42, 1½¢; No. 43, 1½¢; No. 44, 1½¢; No. 45, 1½¢; No. 46, 1½¢; No. 47, 1½¢; No. 48, 1½¢; No. 49, 1½¢; No. 50, 1½¢; No. 51, 1½¢; No. 52, 1½¢; No. 53, 1½¢; No. 54, 1½¢; No. 55, 1½¢; No. 56, 1½¢; No. 57, 1½¢; No. 58, 1½¢; No. 59, 1½¢; No. 60, 1½¢; No. 61, 1½¢; No. 62, 1½¢; No. 63, 1½¢; No. 64, 1½¢; No. 65, 1½¢; No. 66, 1½¢; No. 67, 1½¢; No. 68, 1½¢; No. 69, 1½¢; No. 70, 1½¢; No. 71, 1½¢; No. 72, 1½¢; No. 73, 1½¢; No. 74, 1½¢; No. 75, 1½¢; 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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

IRISH POTATOES MAY BRING DOWN THE PRICE

A Big Importation Is Expected Here Next Week.

The local market this morning was again very small, only one load of hay being offered. There has been no oats on the market since last Saturday. Pork is selling at 10¢ per cwt. It is expected that the price of potatoes will go down upon the arrival of a big importation of Irish potatoes, which will be in a few days. There was a load of seed oats sold on the market this morning at 15¢ per bushel. Several loads of hay brought prices ranging from \$20 to \$21 per ton. The prices of poultry remain the same.

For Other Markets See Page Ten

LIVE STOCK.

EAST BUFFALO, March 29.—Cattle—Receipts, 150 head; steady. Veals—Receipts, 1,800; slow and 1¢ lower; \$5 to \$10 50. Hogs—Receipts, 4,800; steady and 5¢ to 10¢ higher; heavy and 10¢ to 15¢ to \$20; Yorkers, \$7 75 to \$8 20; pigs, \$7 40 to \$7 50; roughs, \$7 15 to \$7 25; stage, \$5 to \$6; dairies, \$8 to \$9 50. Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 10,000 head; sheep active; yearlings, 15¢ lower; lambs slow and 20¢ lower; \$6 50 to \$7 35; wethers, \$6 25 to \$6 40; ewes, \$5 60 to \$6; sheep, mixed, \$2 50 to \$3 15.

PRODUCE.

LIVERPOOL, March 29.—Close: Wheat, spot steady; futures firm; May 78 9/16, July 75 1/2, October 75 1/2. Corn, spot firm; American mixed, new 63 3/4, old 63 1/2, new kilm dried 63 3/4; futures firm; May 63 3/4, September 63 3/4. Flour, winter patents, 28s. Hops, in London, Pacific coast, 23 1/2 to 24 1/2; best, extra India mess, 107s 6d; Pork, prime mess western, 85s. Hams, short cut, 14 to 15 lbs, 56s; Bacon, Cumberland cut, 26 to 28 lbs, 51s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, 52s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 51s 6d; clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, 54s; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 55s; short clear backs, 16 to 23 lbs, 50s 6d; shoulders, square, 12 to 13 lbs, 46s 6d; Land, prime western in tins, 47s 9d; American refined, 48s 6d. Cheese, Canadian finest white, 75s; yellow, 76s; colored, 75s 6d; Tallow, prime city, 30s 2d; Turpentine spirits, 35s 9d; Rosin, common, 15s 6d; Petroleum, refined, 9s 6d. Lard, cut, 33s 6d.

WHEAT.

MINNEAPOLIS, March 29.—Wheat today closed at \$1 06 1/2.

CHICAGO OF TRADE.

CHICAGO, March 29.—Wheat—Open, High, Low, Close.

CHICAGO, March 29.				
	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	103 3/4	103 3/4	102 1/4	102 3/4
July	98 3/4	98 3/4	97 3/4	98
Corn—				
May	73 3/4	74 3/4	73 3/4	74
July	73 3/4	74 3/4	73 1/2	74
Oats—				
May	54 1/4	54 3/4	54 1/4	54 1/4
July	50 1/2	50 3/4	50 1/4	50 3/4
Pork—				
May	17 25			17 00
Sept.	17 13	17 97	17 67	17 70
Lard				
May	9 80			9 77
Rib—				
May	9 60	9 60	9 47	9 47



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Mysterious Murderer in Toronto's Slums



Rebecca Berger, the victim, and scene in "the Ward," where she was shot down on the doorway, lying immediately. The assailant ran down an adjoining lane, and so far has not been arrested. The woman came from Montreal recently. Two neighbors are being held by police.

BYLAWS CARRY.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Windsor, March 28.—Windsor ratepayers voted today on two industrial bylaws granting the usual exemptions to Frederick Starnes & Co., wholesale chemists, and the Sirocco Manufacturing Company, a ventilating apparatus concern. The voting was light, but both bylaws carried safely.

REV. R. G. WATT RESIGNS.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Guelph, March 28.—At a meeting of the congregation of the Church of the Resurrection, Rev. R. G. Watt was unanimously and regretfully accepted.

"Caffeine"—the Drug in Tea and Coffee Hits Some Folks Hard

A few can stand it for a time, but sooner or later, most regular tea or coffee drinkers suffer from its effects.

It shows in a variety of forms, such as indigestion, nervousness, sleepless nights and dull brain.

Why trifle with drug beverages when you can have a pure, wholesome, hot food-drink, such as

POSTUM

If you value sturdy health and a clear brain, the sensible thing is to quit tea and coffee and use well-made POSTUM.

"There's a Reason"

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CANTON CENTRE OF LIBERALISM

Progressive Reforms Have Been Originated in Eastern City for Years.

ASSEMBLY HALL BURNED

Ten Women Members of Legislative Body—Recruits Being Drilled There for Republican Army.

Canton, China, March 29.—It has been said that Canton is the pulse of China, but it is still truer to say that Canton is the brain of China, not of the old, hidebound, superstitious, unprogressive China, only to mention the names of the great leaders of the times proves the statement: Wu Tingfang, Tang Shao-yi, Sun Yat-sen and others. It has been in Canton where the revolution has been nourished and the revolution for many years. The actual overthrowing of the city, however, like the precipitation of the revolution, was unexpected, and some ways unprepared for. From what seems to be the most trustworthy account of all the many theories, the false report of the fall of Peking, conceived by the revolutionists in Hong Kong and by the threats of these same men to blow up the city, completed the panic in official circles, which peaceable transfer of the important districts of Wuchow and Sunning to the revolutionists had started.

Accepts Consul's Offer.
The viceroy after some hesitation accepted the offer of the British consul to give him an escort to Hong Kong and quietly disappeared from view. The other officials either made their escape or welcomed the new Government.

Two hundred men came up from Hong Kong Nov. 8, and on the 9th took charge of the different Government offices from which the officials had fled. Since that date there have been several presidents or co-presidents, the most successful of whom has been Wu Hon Man, who is reputed to be a Christian. He was taken to Shanghai, with Dr. Sun, to act as his private secretary. The present incumbent is Chan Kwing Ming, who seems to be able to work his own will in the councils of the province.

The Government is a dictatorship, as revolutionary governments generally are, until a settled confusion in the public mind, even in this country, concerning the meaning of the term "hard labor," which has recently figured in the sentences passed upon some of the suffragette widow smashers.

In the first place, hard labor for a woman is different from hard labor for a man. A man sentenced to hard labor must for 25 days, or for the whole of his sentence if it is less than 25 days, be employed in strict separation on hard bodily or manual labor for not more than ten or less than six hours a day, exclusive of the time allowed for meals.

After the 28 days, if he is industrious and of good behavior, he is employed on labor of a less hard description, in association with others if practicable, and is eligible for all the privileges of the progressive system.

Men between 16 and 60 under sentence of hard labor are required to sleep on a plank bed without mattress or pillow for the first fourteen days of their sentence, unless the medical officer shall order otherwise.

The provision as to separation above referred to does not apply to women sentenced to hard labor; nor are women at any time of their incarceration required to sleep without a mattress. The rule lays down that:

Every female prisoner sentenced to hard labor shall be kept at labor during such number of hours, not exceeding ten or less than six (exclusive of meals), in each day as may be prescribed, unless the medical officer certifies that she is unfit for such labor.

A woman prisoner, in short, is spared the solitary confinement so dreaded by many prisoners, and never sleeps on a bare plank. An ordinary prisoner, if a woman, goes with the rest on the first day to work in the sewing-room, kitchen or laundry. Hard labor for a woman means washing or scrubbing.

Oakum picking, which still lingers to a limited extent in male prisons, has been abolished from female houses of detention. The hair of a woman prisoner is not cut without her consent, except where it is necessary in the interests of cleanliness.

The ugly prison drab of the men is not seen on the female side of the jail. The women wear a dark brown dress, with a rather dainty white cap as headgear.

FEW UNIFORMS IN BERLIN STREETS
Military Aspects in the German Capital Gradually Being Lost.

Berlin, March 28.—Old-time Berliners are lamenting the gradual disappearance of the military uniform from the streets. A quarter of a century ago more officers and soldiers in uniform were to be met with in the principal thoroughfares than civilians, while now, though the Berlin garrison is far larger, the presence of the uniform is hardly noticeable. Formerly, moreover, practically all military uniforms were over and done with by noon; nowadays, in consequence of the ever-increasing demands made on the soldier by modern requirements, there is hardly an hour in the daytime when officers and soldiers are unoccupied.

NOT ONE WOMAN IN TWENTY HAS A STRONG BACK.

THE KIDNEYS ARE TO BLAME NINE TIMES OUT OF TEN.

Women are coming to understand that weak, lame and aching backs from which they suffer are due to wrong action of the kidneys.

The poisons that ought to be carried off are sent back into the blood, taking with them a multitude of aches and pains. There is no use of expecting relief until the kidneys are restored to health.

Doan's Kidney Pills are the quickest and most reliable remedy. Mrs. T. D. Baxter, Upham, N.B., writes: "I take a good deal of pleasure in telling you what Doan's Kidney Pills have done for me. I was troubled with my kidneys for a number of years, and my back was so lame I could not sweep the floor. A friend of mine advised me to try a box of Doan's Kidney Pills, which I did, and after using three boxes I am as well as ever. I highly recommend them to anyone suffering from lame back or kidney trouble."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box, or three boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct at price by The T. M. M. Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.

When ordering direct specify "Doan's."

THE SUFFRAGETTES FARE VERY WELL

Much Better Treated in Jail Than Are the Men Prisoners.

HER HAIR IS NOT CUT

Not Compelled To Perform Rigorous Work, or Sleep on Plank.

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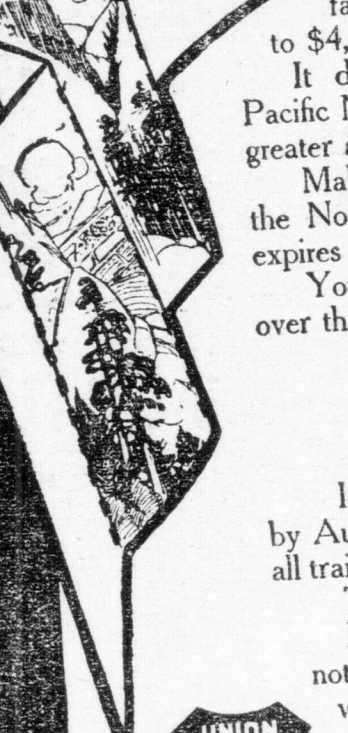
DEAD IN HIS OFFICE
Dr. E. Pearson Passed Suddenly From Heart Failure.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Galt, March 28.—Dr. E. Pearson, aged 33, was found dead in his office on Water street north. It was noticed that the usual light was not in

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from London, Ont

This is the Cut Rate Ticket Pacific Northwest



October 5, 1911—
"Mrs. W. T. Simmons, of Lane County, Oregon, P. O. address Eugene, devotes 18 acres to raising garden truck and shows 123 varieties of products at the fair. Off a total of 40 acres, her family makes from \$3,500 to \$4,000 per year."
It doesn't require any more experience to raise wheat in the Pacific Northwest than it does in the East. It is evident the yield is greater and land is cheaper.
Make up your mind to go—don't hesitate. The cut-rate tickets to the Northwest will be on sale for a few days only. When this offer expires it will cost you twice as much for the same accommodations. You can save money by starting to the Northwest today—and go over the

Union Pacific
STANDARD ROAD OF THE WEST

It's the best road to the Pacific Northwest. Protected all the way by Automatic Electric Block Safety Signals. Excellent dining cars on all trains.
These cut-rate tickets will not be on sale after April 15th. Remember that the fortunes that have been made out there have not all been made by expert farmers. If you want to learn how, write to

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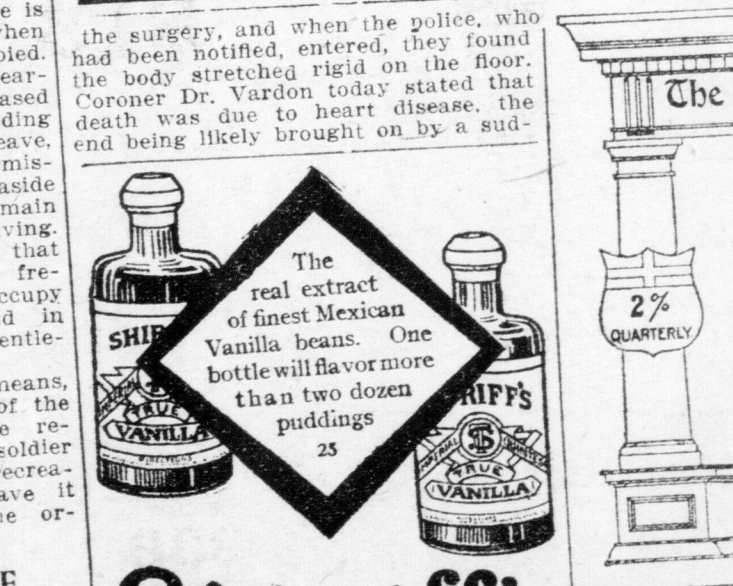


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IN MEN'S SUITS
FOR SPRING

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No question of fit or style need trouble you. We do not wish, for our own credit, as well as for your sake, to sell anything that is not perfectly satisfactory :: :: :: ::

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The Ontario Loan and Debenture Co.
DIVIDEND NO. 99
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent for the three months ending 31st March, 1912 (being at the rate of 8 per cent per annum), has been declared upon the paid-up capital stock of this Company, and will be payable at the Company's offices in this city on and after the 1st April next, to Shareholders of record of the 15th March. By order of the Board
A. M. SMART, Manager.
London, Canada, March 4th, 1912.
Capital Paid-Up \$1,750,000.
Reserve \$1,350,000

Fry's Cocoa
Purest and Best Value

FRIDAY, MARCH 29, 1912.

TO LULLABY TOWN.
Ready for bed in her long, white nightgown, Betty is starting for Lullaby Town. Sweet is the music she hears on the way.
Ready for lullabies, tired of play, Soft is her carriage, on rockers it goes.
As Grandmother counts all the pink little toes.

Each little toe in a vision she'll see, Safe on her journey on Grandmother's knee.
"This is a robin asleep in a tree, This is a butterfly, this is a bee, This is a pig, with a lovely, pink nose, And this last little one is a tiny white rose."

Ready for bed in her long, white nightgown, Betty to Lullaby Town. Soft is her carriage, on rockers it goes. As Grandmother counts all the dear little toes.
Each one as soft and as pink as a rose.
—St. Nicholas.

Mrs. Frank J. Gould, of New York, is said to have jewels worth \$1,500,000, most of which have been presents from her husband, both before and since their marriage. She possesses numerous necklaces, rings and handbags. One necklace is valued at \$500,000. Mr. Gould encourages her while, one which is to have a different banding for every gown. She has several in gold and silver, set with diamonds, opals and amethysts.

A \$200,000 fund is being raised in New York to construct a new fire-proof building for the Young Women's Hebrew Association. The contemplated building will accommodate 150 girls, and will provide facilities for the expansion of educational, religious and social work. The aim is to raise this large amount within two weeks' time.

Madame Marie Krapidinski, a special agent of the Russian Government, has arrived in America, for the purpose of investigating conditions under which the immigrant girls of Russia are cared for. It is stated that some 1,800 Russian girls disappear each year while on their way from their homes to various points on this continent.

AN AID TO BEAUTY.

With the coming of summer, of course, every girl will want to wear the comfortable Dutch collar on her muslin and gingham dresses. Many a girl will sigh hopelessly as she views the hollows and bones of her neck. A beauty specialist says that with persistent care and treatment it is possible for any girl, and every girl, to become quite presentable in this respect, and without undue expense. Here's how, according to him. First, treat your neck to a Turkish bath, put a pinch of borax and a handful of oatmeal in some hot water, then using a new piece of flannel for a washcloth, scrub the skin thoroughly with a good toilet soap. Rub hard, until the neck is red as a beet, then rinse gently with cold cream or lanoline, rubbing round and round, kneading the flesh softly. The skin will now be feeling tired and flabby, and to brace it and close the pores, it needs a cold application. Dip a small Turkish towel in a basin of very cold water containing a handful of dissolved salt; wring the towel just enough to keep it from dripping, and fold it around your neck several times, then dry the skin thoroughly, and this finishes the first part of the treatment.

Chapter number two consists of exercise. This must be taken every morning if satisfactory results are to be obtained before warm weather frocks are necessary. Stand erect before an open window, brace the shoulders back, throw the chin up well, and the head as far back as possible. Then without moving the shoulders slowly bring the head forward until the chin rests on the chest. Repeat this six times, taking deep breaths all the time. Next, practice the side-to-side movements of the head, letting it drop as far as possible, first to the right, and then to the left. Also raise and lower the shoulders some twenty times, twice a day; this will help to fill up the hollows.

Wisconsin is a progressive state. Amongst other good things it has a colored women's branch of the Political Equality League. The members of this branch are working for suffrage for the colored women of the state, and they are entering upon an active campaign which is to be extended to all parts of Wisconsin.

RAPHAEL & CO.**Announce an Easter Showing of Popular Priced Apparel**

We have determined that no store in London shall excel us in the style, variety or value of our goods this spring or any other time. Selections from our large stock have been made and grouped under three popular prices, namely:—**\$14.75, \$19.95, \$24.75.** We firmly believe that no better value has ever been offered in this city than this collection of suits. Every one of these garments is this spring's model. Very stylish and materials are of the best.

**Spring Coats**

Light weight Coat of diagonal weave novelty tweed. Collar, cuffs and revers trimmed with green cloth and fancy bone buttons. Big value.

\$12.75

Coat of excellent quality worsted serge in navy and black. Trimmed at sides with self material straps. Collar and cuffs inlaid with satin.

\$15.00

Fine coat of worsted serge in navy and tan. Collar trimmed with basket weave braid and inlaid with fancy cloth. Large fancy buttons.

\$20.00**Easter Suits at****\$14.75 \$19.95 \$24.75****French Worsted Suit**

Stylish Suit of all wool, French Botany worsted, in navy and black. Coat plain tailored style, finished at the back with side effect. Lining of good quality silk serge. Skirt made plain with panel back and side-trimmed effect.

\$14.75**Whipcord Suit Fine Serge Suit**

Handsome Suit of finest imported whipcord, in gray and tan. Coat semi-fitting and cutaway. Has long revers and fastens with two large buttons. Side effect at back of coat. Skirt is Princess style with high waistline. Cut perfectly plain with side effect. All sizes for women and misses.

\$19.95

Beautiful Suit of very best quality of Botany worsted serge in navy, black and brown. Coat semi-fitting and cutaway. Trimmed at sides and back with basket weave braid and silk buttons. Silk serge lining. Collar of fine peau de soie. Skirt has high waistline and side pleats, front and back. Excellent value.

\$24.75**Spring Suits**

Suit of fine quality worsted serge in golden brown. Coat cutaway and lined with silk serge. Trimmed side and front with pearl buttons. Skirt made with panel effect in back.

\$21.50

Beautiful Tailored Suit of novelty tweed in grayish brown shade. Coat has bias-cut side pockets. Lined with best shot silk. Skirt of medium width with tunic effect.

\$27.50

Norfolk Suit of novelty checked tweed. Coat lined with superfine quality messaline. Has wide patent leather belt. Skirt of medium width with buttons from top to bottom on side-front. American-made Novelty.

\$35.00**Spring and Summer Dresses**

Our line of dresses is most complete and includes all the newest models in serge, silk, velvet, wool voile, cotton voile, and marquisette. Every color of the rainbow is here. A full assortment of lingerie dresses is to be had at this store.

Handsome Dress of fine serge in black, navy or tan. Neck and sleeves trimmed with peau de soie, also girdle of same. Trimmed with beautiful gilt and enamelled buttons. Skirt trimmed with buttons and silk loops.

\$18.75

Beautiful Dress of all wool, hard-twisted French voile, champagne color, trimmed with very fine Val lace and richly embroidered. Skirt has tunic effect.

\$21.50**Charge Accounts Solicited****236-238 Dundas Street****READY FOR EMERGENCIES.**

About 4,000 New York girls are learning something new in school. They are the pupils of the Washington Irving High School. It consists mainly in meeting crises of various kinds without being "floored." It is not the regular course of study, but it is the policy of the school. For example, two girls from the business classes are on duty every day in the office of the principal, where they are required to meet various problems that arise without a moment's notice. In the actual administration of the business of the school, it is the most practical kind of business training.

In every room visitors notice the quick-wittedness and self-reliance of the girls, and ingenious means are used by the teachers to draw this out. For instance, a girl in the German class may be called on unexpectedly to recite a "memory test" selection, or sing a German song.
Or the teacher may say, "You please!" The fourth girl in the second row! Come out to the front of the room and lead the class.
This the fourth girl does, without showing any of the embarrassed hesitation most girls would show under similar circumstances. The most surprising part of it is, there seems to be no discipline attending it. No girl is forced by threat of penalties, to do anything. The spirit of the school influences each girl to do unhesitatingly and as competently as possible, what she is called on to do.

CAUGHT BY WOMAN.

Mrs. Belle Lowe, matron at the City Prison, San Francisco, accomplished the arrest of a man on a charge of smuggling "dope" into the women's section of the prison. The "dope" was in the form of cocaine tablets concealed in the centre of a bag of cream puffs.

A VOTER.

Mrs. O. H. P. Belmont, at a tea at the Colony Club in New York, said with a smile:

"I have no vote, but my groom has." She snarled bitterly and added: "I admire my groom for his proficiency, but I'm sure that if I went to him next November and said, 'Well, James, are you going to exercise the franchise?' he would touch his forehead with his finger and respectfully reply: 'Please, madam, which horse is that?'"

HELPED TO FIND THEMSELVES.

Public spirited women in Boston have started a free agency for the purpose of providing suitable employment, other than teaching, for the graduates of the girls' colleges. The agency is managed by college women who are alert and businesslike; with the best trained applicants possible. After college life closes the average girl graduate is bewildered. She has little practical knowledge as to where to start to make use of her knowledge and training, even if she has some particular occupation in view. While she is waiting to test out opportunities in her own small experience, she is wasting her strength and hopes.

The aim of the agency is to discover what she is best fitted for, show her how to go about applying her abilities, and introduce her to such employers as she is best suited to.

SOME RECIPES.

As the meat is roasted in the oven it is always an economy to have as much of the meal prepared also in the oven as possible.

Southern Oyster Stew—Put a teaspoon of butter in a frying pan with one-half of a small onion cut very fine. Cook these together, but do not brown; add a handful of cracker crumbs rolled fine and one-half a pint of water. Boil for a few minutes and then add a tablespoonful parsley cut fine. Boil a few moments longer and now add one pint of oysters and their liquor and let come to a boil. Season with a little more butter, one teaspoon of salt and one-eighth of a teaspoon of paprika.

Sweet Potato Glace Pudding—Cook six medium sized potatoes in boiling salted water about ten minutes. Drain them, pare and quarter lengthwise and put in a greased pan. Make a syrup by boiling for three minutes one-half a cup sugar, one tablespoon of butter and four or five tablespoons of water. Dip each piece of potato into the syrup and pour the remainder over all, baking them about fifteen minutes.

Baked Oyster Plant—Grate two bunches of oyster plant. Into a well-beaten egg stir one tablespoon of butter, one tablespoon flour, one cup of milk and salt and pepper as required. Add milk to the oyster plant and bake about twenty minutes.

THE MOUTH.

A beautiful mouth is perhaps the most important feature of the face. The lips express sorrow, joy, and a good or bad disposition.

Thin, tightly-drawn lips indicate a greedy and pernicious nature. There is little danger of those lips getting into trouble. But the women and girls who have attractive, kissable lips are the ones who must guard them and protect them.

Mothers should forbid their children to kiss, and grown people should not kiss children just because they are beautiful unless they kiss them on their pretty, chubby cheeks. There may be no danger in the kiss, but we cannot know where danger lurks. And who would mar the beauty of an innocent child by loving caresses? No one would intentionally do so.

Women should carefully bathe their lips upon returning from a shopping expedition. The germs that float around in the air of the stores may carry disease, and one can never know where they will settle. As a preventive, before going shopping, a wash of boric acid and water, with a few drops of camphor, is an excellent disinfectant to use—the same formula that is used as an eye wash. Also a little greasy lip stick when gently rubbed upon the lips before going out of doors will protect them.

MILLINERY HINTS.

A pretty little shape is of soft Milan with its turned-up brim faced with velvet and run up at the sides into wing-shaped pieces. This old brim is outlined with a row of the tiniest pink rosebuds and at one side is a distinctive bow of velvet ribbon in mauve. This model combines originality, novelty and attractiveness.

Chiffon and crepe de chine are much used to veil large models in velvet or silk, especially those in white. Sometimes white chiffon is used over a color in this way. The veiling is stretched smoothly and the effect is odd and very pretty.

Star of Bethlehem in a generous cluster makes an unusual trimming on one model. It is combined with three or four of the small round orchids in tiger lily coloring.

A hat which, though large, is quaint and attractive, is of leghorn faced with changeable pinkish taffeta. The same taffeta is formed into two double box-plaited ruffles with plaited edges, one going around the brim and the other around the crown near the top. The brim is slightly raised in front to reveal the facing and a cluster of very small flowers underneath.

A hat which is more remarkable for novelty than for its good colors is in a rough dark blue straw. Flat on the crown are laid two huge "wings" made of silk shirred in closely for a depth of about five inches to make the pointed cone and spreading out toward the ends. One is in green and one in purple.

THE MODERN PIE.

The modern pumpkin pies don't meet my gastronomic need; They make 'em in a little pan around in the air of the stores may That grows a puny bread, In olden day our mother made A pie that was a pie; She had to make it out of doors Because it rose so high. The modern pie that makes one bite Annoys me, I declare; Oh, bake it in a bath tub, please An let me wallow there.
—Cleveland Press.

LIFE.

Every day is a little life; and our whole life is but a day repeated.—Bishop Hall.

The true measure of life is not length, but honesty.—John Lynch.

Life is a mirror; if you frown at it, it frowns back; if you smile, it returns the greeting.—Thackeray.

We sleep, but the loom of life never stops, and the pattern which was weaving when the sun went down is weaving when it comes up tomorrow.—H. W. Beecher.

If house plants droop from no apparent cause, try giving them a good dose of castor oil or sweet oil, and set the pots in pans of warm water.

GRAFTON & CO. LIMITED

SPRING OPENING



Select Your New Easter SUIT and OVERCOAT Now

Our Spring Assortment of New Suits and Overcoats Now on Display

☐ We'll show you the best when you ask to see the new Spring Suits and Overcoats. We have everything that's correct in material, style, fit and workmanship. With our large variety we have a Suit or Overcoat for everyone.

☐ For the young man wanting something smart, we have made provision. Most men are young nowadays, even after the frost touches their hair. We have suits in almost endless variety.

At \$24, \$22, \$20, \$18, \$16, \$15, \$14, \$13, \$12, \$10, \$8.50, \$7.95, \$7.50, \$6.95, \$6.50, \$5.95, \$4.95, \$4.50

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Spring Overcoats

See our new Spring Overcoats to please all kinds of men, to suit every individual taste and inclination at \$22, \$20, \$18, \$16, \$15, \$14, \$12, \$10. They are special offerings which will help to make your investigation especially profitable.

Youths' Suits in tweeds and worsteds. Boys' two and three piece Suits in the very latest designs and patterns.

Thousands of Men's Trousers in special values at \$5.95, \$5.50, \$4.95, \$4.50, \$3.95, \$3.50, \$2.95, \$2.50, \$2.00, \$1.95, \$1.75, \$1.50, \$1.25.

Early Showing of Hats

It is now, in this early spring weather, that a man first notices that his overcoat is a bit shiny in spots. The bright, warm days cause him to give a little more thought to that suit which is becoming a trifle shabby. He feels the need of a little **toning up**. A new **Hat** is a **sure** tonic for a run-down outfit. And among our varied assortment of 84 shapes, embracing all the 1912 models in Black Derbies, Colored Scratch Felts in both fedora and telescope shapes, light weight French felt and the new Alpine Hats in variegated mixtures, he will surely find something suitable. We have a special Derby Hat in four new shapes, made expressly for us---The Karlton \$2.00

Men's Shirts. We are enthusiastic over our spring Shirts. They look good to us. Come in and look them over. You will be surprised at the range. All colors, but mostly neat black and white effects, very dressy, from \$1 to \$1.50

Men's Neckties. We have an unusually pretty assortment of Derby Ties in cross stripes and plain colors, all new spring goods. On sale Saturday 25c

GRAFTON & CO. LIMITED.

FOR THE PRINCIPLE BUT OPPOSE BASIS

Returns From Montreal Presbyterian Churches on Church Union.

[Canadian Press.]
Montreal, March 28.—The returns from the Montreal Presbyterian churches on the union vote have now been compiled, and show a majority against the basis under consideration, though a strong vote in favor of the principle of union.
Out of 514 members of the session, consisting of ministers and elders, 256 have voted in favor of the general principle of union, but only 215 in favor of union on the basis under consideration. On the other hand, 134 have voted against union on any terms, and 107 against union on the terms proposed.
Out of the 14,901 communicants in the presbytery at last report, 4,297 have voted for the principle of union, but only 3,718 for the basis as it stands; 1,917 have voted against the principle of union, and 1,525 against union on the basis named.
Out of 835 adherents voting, 655 are in favor of the principle of union, but only 590 in favor of the terms now before the churches.

ELOPING WIFE CAUSE OF SUICIDE

Millionaire Hichborn Shoots Himself Following Wife's Disappearance.

Washington, March 28.—Phillip Hichborn, a millionaire in his own right, and a member of one of the oldest and wealthiest families in Washington, was found dead in his bath room at 6:30 last night, having shot himself with a 32-calibre revolver. Despondency caused by his wife running off with Horace Wylie, a prominent clubman and social favorite, is presumed to have been the cause. Mrs. Hichborn is a beautiful woman, about 35 years of age. Both Hichborn and Wylie were over 40 years old. The eloping couple are supposed to be in Europe. In December last Hichborn filed a suit for absolute divorce. Mrs. Hichborn was the daughter of the late Henry M. Hoyt, former solicitor-general of the United States.

BLACK HAND BOMB

Rochester, March 28.—Black Hand agents shook up Oak street at midnight by exploding a bomb in the doorway of a meat market on that thoroughfare, partially wrecking it. The building is owned by Pasquale De Florio, who lives with his family in the rear. They were thrown from their beds, but not seriously injured.

PARISIAN WOMEN ARE ALWAYS PRETTY

Only Ugly Women In France Are Fools, Says Author-ess of That Country.

Paris, March 28.—Mme. Marcelle Tinayre, the charming French authoress, gave a brilliant "conference" on "La Parisienne" a few days ago at the Grand Theatre Gras of Nantes. Here is the delicate portrait she traced of her subject: "The true Parisienne is not the dangerous siren of the novels. If I told you she is an angel or a saint you would not believe it; she is a woman—the most womanly of women—and that tells you everything; her qualities, her defects, her character and her physical type."
"She is not particularly beautiful. The regular features so common in the provinces of the Midi and the robust figures of the women of the north are rare in Paris. The majority of Parisiennes are of mixed origin. Nearly all of them are the offspring of provincial families. It is the climate, the mode of living, the

atmosphere of Paris that fashion the Parisienne.
"Beautiful? No. Pretty? Nearly always, and without beauty never ugly. The only ugly women in France are the fools. The Frenchwoman—and especially the Frenchwoman of Paris—is made of a matter more supple, more malleable than other women. Is she dark or fair? Who knows? She is that which it pleases her to be, and most often she keeps that discreet, chestnut shade, so convenient, which is dark in the shadow, fair in the light and goes well with any hat. She is not very tall. That would be awkward for the years when the fashion suits little women. Her body, elastic and resisting, is clay which she molds at her fancy, and her pretty eyes neither blue nor gray, nor black, nor green, have the color of her emotions and caprices, the color of the changing Seine under the variable sky of Paris."

GRAIN MEN PEEVED.

Montreal, March 28.—The local grain men are highly indignant over the announcement that was made this morning by the local harbor commissioners that the rates for the use of the grain elevators under their control would be raised next month. The new price is 1 6-10c per bushel, as against 9-10 of a cent per bushel in Boston. New York's rate is 1 1-2c per bushel, and New York. The old price here was 9-10 of a cent per bushel.

ITALIAN MINERS ARE SAILING FOR HOME

Expect Long Suspension, and Living in Italy Is Much Cheaper.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, March 28.—More than one thousand miners from the anthracite and bituminous fields have sailed from New York to Italy and other European countries within the last week. They have left their work in anticipation of a suspension of mining, believing that even though an agreement is reached, it will be fully a month before all the collieries start up. The men know that in event of a strike following the automatic suspension now certain to come, they will be called upon to give financial aid to the union, and the prospect does not please the frugal ones, who have saved their money, and are able to take vacations. Furthermore they prefer to be idle in Italy, where it costs less to live.

MAX FREEMAN SUICIDED.

New York, March 28.—Max Freeman, an actor, 50 years old, committed suicide during the night by hanging himself in the room of a Seventh avenue hotel.

LAST OF ALLEN GANG CORNERED IN HILLS

Detectives Expect To Round Them Up Within Few Hours.

[Canadian Press.]
Hillsville, Va., March 28.—"We will get them today," was the promise again this morning of the detectives on the trail of what is left of the Allen gang. Fifty-four men, making their way afoot through thickets or over rough trails, early today began closing in on the spot high up in the Blue Ridge in which Sidney and Friel Allen and Wesley Edwards are now supposed to have found their last hiding place. The leaders thought within a few hours they would either run down the outlaws, or make certain that they had escaped from this section of the country.
Across the North Carolina line at Mount Airy, Sheriff Haynes, of Surry County, has a posse of 50 men awaiting word to join the Virginia searchers. What use, if any, shall be made of this force will be decided by today's developments.
Judge Staples held court a few minutes this morning to enter a special order, adjourning until April 23, the special term of the Carroll County court. At that time details for the trial of Victor Allen, Sidney Edwards and Bird Marion will be set. Judge Staples will sit at Roanoke Saturday

to hear arguments on the motion for a change of venue in the case of Floy Allen.

AUTO DRIVER RUNS AMUCK AT TORONTO

Hits a Woman and Then Rushes Her to the Hospital.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, March 28.—A man giving the name of James Radnor, No. 3 Cumberland avenue, was arrested this morning on a charge of running amuck with his automobile, as a result of being intoxicated. Mrs. Mary Hayden, 15 Denison avenue, is in St. Michael's Hospital with a broken arm and internal injuries, received when the automobile struck her as it was swaying from side to side of the driveway on University avenue, as it came down several notches ahead of the speed limit.
There were four others in the car with Radnor when it struck Mrs. Hayden. They jumped out, so the police claim, and placed the injured woman in the rear seat and then got away. Radnor drove the car to the hospital, and the screams of the woman attracted the attention of the policemen and Bird Marion will be set. Judge Staples will sit at Roanoke Saturday

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MISSION WORK ON PACIFIC COAST

Stirring Appeal in Behalf of the Loggers and Miners.

WINDSOR CONVENTION

Officers Elected and Toronto Selected as the Next Gathering Place.

Windsor, March 28.—At a public meeting held last evening in St. Andrew's Church, in connection with the Women's Home Missionary Society, Dr. Grant, superintendent of home missions, gave a stirring address making an appeal on behalf of the loggers, miners and the men engaged in the various industries along the coast of British Columbia. "There is now no lone Pacific shore of which we sing in our Canadian hymn, 'The Pacific Coast,' said Dr. Grant, 'is a hive of industrial activity, and we cannot afford to neglect this thronging multitude. The call to this work is insistent. Will the women of the Presbyterian Church respond?'"

Dr. Grant's appeal met with an enthusiastic and practical response. The Women's Home Missionary Society will undertake this work at an estimated expenditure of \$5,000 for the first year, and Dr. Grant's mission to the deep-sea fishers on the Labrador shore will be duplicated by one similar on the western coast.

The work of the women's board of home missions in the United States was briefly outlined by Mrs. Gilder, of New York, who said that she believed Canadian women their opportunity for work along the missionary lines. There were many things waiting for the American women to undertake, but the support of the schools and districts where the Government had not yet an adequate system is so costly that they were unable to advance along other lines.

Illustrating by maps of the various provinces, Mrs. J. M. West, of Toronto, gave a talk which showed the extent of the work of the home mission committee in Canada, and emphasized the need for an intelligent study of present conditions and future possibilities.

An invitation for the next annual meeting was presented by St. Andrew's Church, Toronto, and by St. Andrew's Church, Ottawa. The meeting will be held in Toronto.

Officers of the board of management for 1912-13 are as follows: Honorary president, Lady Mortimer Clark; honorary vice-presidents, Mrs. H. M. Parsons and Lady Taylor; president, Mrs. John Somerville; vice-presidents, Mrs. Wm. Cochrane, Mrs. McClelland, Mrs. J. H. Thom, Mrs. J. D. Walker and Mrs. D. Strachan; corresponding secretary, Mrs. H. M. Kipp; associate, Miss Clare McCall; recording secretary, Mrs. Donald Macdonald; treasurer, Miss Helen Macdonald; assistant, Miss Russell; secretary of deaconess' work, Mrs. McBride; secretary of organization, Mrs. J. A. Macdonald; associate, Miss M. G. Gall; secretary of educational work, Mrs. Edward Cockburn; secretary of supplies, Mrs. F. Somerville; home helpers' secretary, Mrs. James Loggie; lecture secretary, Miss Hopkirk; press secretary, Mrs. Blanche Johnstone; editor of Pioneer, Miss Jessie D. Houston; associate, Miss Mamie C. G. Fraser; secretary of library work, Mrs. Steele; secretary of mission band work, Mrs. D. T. L. McKerrill; stranger secretary, Mrs. J. M. West; secretary-treasurer of publication, pioneer and life memberships, Miss B. L. Parker, 14 Bloor street, west, Toronto.

HELD AS A SUSPECT IN MURDER INVESTIGATION

Detectives Arrest Brown in Connection With Major Death at Port Huron.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Huron, March 28.—A young man who gives his name as Keough, but is also known under the aliases of Clare Brown and Clare Davis, was arrested in Saginaw today by Detectives Shannon and Fisher on a John Doe warrant charging him with knowing something of the death of Thomas Major in Port Huron recently. Shannon and Fisher are members of the Shannon Detective Agency of this city. Chief of Police Marks scouts the idea that Keough is in any way implicated in the Major case.

"We have known where to find Keough at any time," said the chief, "we might want him. He left the city a day or so after Major's death, and at that time we investigated and found nothing that connected him in any way with the affair. He is a fairly solid here, and nothing serious was ever charged against him. He is a man who likes notoriety, that's all."

The fact that George Esson, the Detroit young man in jail here, charged with the murder of Major, declares that Keough is not the man, appears to substantiate the chief's statement. Esson's first words on seeing him were: "That isn't him; he is too big."

Denies It Absolutely

Keough, or Clare Brown, as he is best known here, positively denies that he is in any way concerned in the case. This evening he wrote a short note to be made public, in which he said among other things that he does not know anything about Major's death, and that what reputation he has left will be taken from him because of this arrest. Keough was under arrest in Saginaw on a charge of embezzlement when apprehended by the detectives. The serious charge against him here takes precedence over the Saginaw indictment, but if nothing can be proved against him he will be returned to that city.

It is alleged that the detectives have something more tangible against him than has been given out yet.

The police have learned, it is alleged, that Keough and Esson were together in a disreputable place in Port Huron for an hour before Major's death. It is stated that a number of women will be summoned in connection with the investigation.

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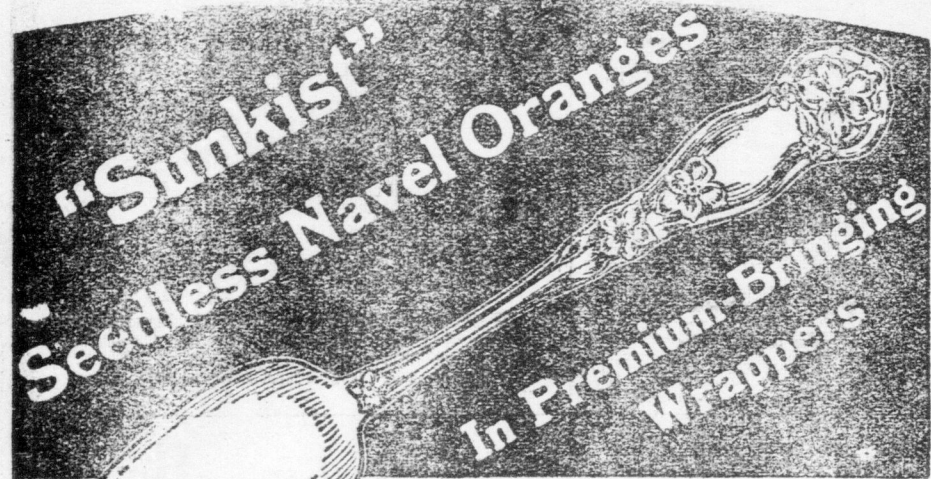
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RAILWAYMEN'S BILL ADVANCED A STAGE

Measure Says Men Should Not Work Over Ten Hours Daily.

Toronto, March 29.—The Legislature put in the afternoon yesterday considering Government bills in committee and advancing public bills a stage with a few third readings to finish off with. The most important measure considered was Sir James Whitney's bill to amend the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board act, by giving that tribunal authority to regulate the

hours of employment for street railway employees. The bill is the result of representations made to the Government by the Toronto street railway men. The Prime Minister in moving the second reading explained his views that in no case should a motorman or conductor be required to work more than six days a week and ten hours a day, and that, as far as possible, their time should be put in with a consecutive ten hours. That, however, was a matter for the board to determine.

Hon. W. J. Hanna moved the second reading of the hospital and charities bill. He explained that it incorporated the Donovan measure requiring municipalities to pay for indigent patients cared for in hospitals in other municipalities.

Hon. J. S. Duff had his bill respecting aid from the Dominion for agricultural purposes, advanced a stage, as well as the act providing for the enrollment of stallions, a measure designed to greatly advance the horse breeding industry.

SCHIFF EXONERATED BY THE COURT

Grand Jury's Finding in the Brandt Case Was Not Acceptable.

New York, March 28.—The grand jury investigating the case of Folke E. Brandt, the former valet of Mortimer L. Schiff, handed up this afternoon a presentment in which it said that Brandt should have been indicted for grand larceny, and not for burglary in the first degree.

The court refused to accept such a finding and ordered the jury to retire to reconsider.

It was the unanimous vote of the jury in the case of conspiracy had not been brought out against Mr. Schiff nor against Hon. Ed. Gans, his personal counsel at the time Brandt was sentenced to thirty years' imprisonment.

ANOTHER ALLEN CAUGHT.

Hillsville, Va., March 28.—Claude Swanson Allen, one of the outlaws charged with the court house assassination on March 14, was captured today by a posse, headed by Detective Payne. He was armed, but made no resistance, and had been living on bread and water. He will be brought here tonight.

WAS ALL RUN DOWN.

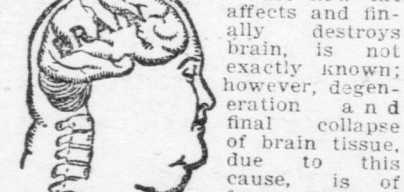
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Lecture on China.

Last night at the regular meeting of St. John the Evangelist A. Y. P. A. the physical characteristics and natural resources of China, together with the social and religious environment of her people, formed the subject of an interesting discourse, ably delivered to an appreciative audience by Rev. R. H. Bayne.

Transferred West.

Mr. Fred Parsons, of the Bank of Toronto staff of this city, has received word that he is to be transferred to the Canadian West with a short time. It is not known as yet to which branch he will be removed, but the change will entail an advancement. Mr. Parsons came to London four years ago from his home town, Sarnia.

Latin Contest.

The last of the inter-class series of Latin contests took place at the Collegiate Institute Wednesday night after four, when Lower III boys succeeded in defeating Lower VII, girls, in a closely-contested match. Those obtaining highest marks were Silas McCullough, 24 out of a total of 24, and Viola Taylor, 22.

Story Confirmed.

As announced in The Advertiser a week ago, Mr. John H. Chapman, the well-known drygoods merchant, has purchased the three stores on Dundas street, between Clarence and Wellington, Nos. 239, 241 and 243, from the Baker estate of Hamilton, and will as soon as possible, occupy them as one big drygoods store. The price is in the neighborhood of \$50,000. Plans are now being prepared by Mr. H. C. McBride for a store, which will have a frontage of 55 feet and a depth of 128 feet. The present buildings are three story, and they will be remodelled and brought up to date in every respect.

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A very pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Learn, on the Pipe Line Road, in Westminster, recently, when a number of their neighbors gathered and presented Mr. Learn with a very handsome mantle clock, his wife with a lady's companion set and their son, Master Grant Learn, with a silver ring. The presentation was made by Messrs. Alfred Thompson and J. A. Lawson, and an address was read by Mr. J. Deacon, expressing the general regret of all at the removal of the family to Belmont, where they are going immediately. Mr. and Mrs. Learn were completely taken by surprise, but on behalf of himself and family, Mr. Learn thanked everyone for their kind remembrance. The remainder of the evening was spent in a social manner and before the party dispersed refreshments were served.

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Mayor Graham's gold medal was awarded last evening at the Western University oratorical contest to Miss Pauline Stanley, who discussed "Higher Education for Women." Mr. R. J. Kahn, whose subject was "Canadian Defence," was pronounced the winner of the silver medal donated for competition by the Western Literary Society.

Ald. T. J. Murphy, Rev. J. G. Inkster and Professor Stevenson, of the Normal School, who officiated as judges, selected Miss Stanley and Mr. Kahn from six contestants. President James and Dr. Tamblin made the presentations.

A musical programme was provided during the evening, at which Miss McLaughlin, Mr. Percy Harding and Mr. O'Neil contributed vocal numbers. Miss McPherson acted as accompanist.

Colds Most Fatal At This Season

This is the time of year when colds seem to turn into pneumonia or quick consumption and to prove more generally fatal than at any other season.

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chasing outright. As no other witnesses appeared, an adjournment was taken to Montreal, where the next, in all probability the final session of the commission, will be held.

RAMSAY'S THEORY TO BE PUT TO THE TEST

Experiment Will Be Made of Burning Coal Underground.

[Canadian Press.]

London, March 28.—Sir William Ramsay, in a speech last night, announced that an experiment was likely to be made in the way of carrying out the suggestion made by him, that an ideal state of things would be to have retorts in the bowels of the earth to produce gas for power.

"I firmly believe," he said, "that something will be done in the way of not raising coal, but letting it remain underground, burning it there, and taking off the gases. I have been in communication with a large colliery proprietor, and he is going to give me a chance of making an experiment on a very small scale."

"If this succeeds, a candle may be lighted in England, which will not be extinguished in our time."

STOLE THE WRAPS

Pleasant Gathering at Byron Was Marred by Thieves.

About 150 people from Byron and vicinity were guests of the owners of the Byron Town Hall at a big ball given in the hall last evening. The dance and supper were greatly enjoyed. During the evening some parties at present unknown broke into the cloakroom and stole a large number of coats and wraps. The police are working on the case, and expect to make arrests shortly.

STEAMERS ARRIVED.

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