

MURDER IN MEXICO OF BENTON STIRRED UP TWO GREAT NATIONS

The United States is Charged with Making Complete Investigation-- Britain Hardly Likely to Intervene Although the Press Adopts War-like Tone Towards Mexico.

[By Special Wire to The Courier] WASHINGTON, Feb. 23.—The Mexican situation, especially the serious aspect of which it has assumed as a result of the execution by General Villa of William S. Benton, a British subject, continued uppermost in the public mind here to-day. Detailed reports containing General Villa's personal explanation of the affair to United States Consul Edwards at Juarez were due to reach here by mail to-day. Judgment is to be reserved by the American Government until other details sought by independent investigation are received. In the meantime the feeling of apprehension for the safety of Great Britain, Roger Lawrence and an Englishman named Curtis, as well as other missing foreigners, need to emphasize the extent to which the United States Government had become involved in securing protection for foreign residents in Mexico. Especially difficult is the task of the American Government in undertaking to care for foreigners in northern Mexico, where European powers have no consular representatives. A general disposition has existed among European natives for some months to leave the United States as Mexico's nearest neighbor free to handle the situation along the frontier. It is of this that although Benton was a British subject the United States feels called upon to render to Great Britain a full explanation of the circumstances under which he met his death. Such details have been received already have been communicated to the British Ambassador, Sir Cecil Spring Rice, who it is understood, has expressed appreciation of the prompt solicitude shown by the United States Government for the welfare of British subjects. Thus far the State department has learned only Villa's side of the case in brief sets forth that Benton, a high tempered individual, provoked a quarrel, was armed and threatened the

life of Villa. The right of the constitutionalist commander to subject Benton to a court martial and execute him if he did make an attempt on Villa's life, is not questioned by American officials and in the absence of satisfactory proof to the contrary it is known they will consider it difficult to reject Villa's version of the affair. The story of Benton's friends that he was unarmed, that he was killed by Villa in person and that the court martial was nothing but an inquest is being carefully taken into consideration by officials who are receptive to any evidence that would substantiate those claims. If Villa's story is accepted by the State department—and there is reason to believe that Britain will rely upon the judgment of the American Government in the case—there is no question in the minds of those observers that the confidence hitherto felt by the Washington Government in the disposition of General Villa to extend protection to foreigners will be somewhat shaken. Just as Villa had given satisfactory assurances that he would protect Spaniards at Torreón and as the United States Government was acquiring a feeling of relief that it would not be worried with perplexing problems in connection with the situation along the frontier, the Mexican incident has weakened discussion of the Mexican problem. Talk of armed intervention, possible speeches in the senate by those who favor a drastic policy, and a general agitation of the subject is again in the air. Administration officials realize that the situation is fraught with all sorts of possibilities in which the unexpected often plays a vital part. The disposition of most senators is to leave the question in the hands of President Wilson and Secretary Bryan, preferring to await word from Continued on Page Three

AERO CLUB RECEIVES THE APPLICATION FOR LONG RACE SANCTION.



TENTATIVE ROUTE FOR AEROPLANE RACE AROUND THE WORLD. PHOTO BY UNDERWOOD & UNDERWOOD. The application from Mr. C. C. Moore, president of the Panama Pacific Exposition, for the sanction for the aeroplane race around the world was received by the Aero Club of America recently. The application is signed by Mr. Moore, and was transmitted to the Aero Club of America by its affiliated club, the Pacific Aero Club, the governors of which signed a resolution recommending that the sanction be granted.

Grand Opera on Way Home

Denver People Raised Subscription for Canadian Singers

[By Special Wire to The Courier] DENVER, Col., Feb. 23.—Citizens of Denver donated \$1000 to the members of the defunct National Grand Opera Company of Canada so that they might be able to return to their homes in Montreal, Chicago, New York and Italy. Donations became necessary after the benefit performance in the Auditorium, for which the maximum admission price of 25 cents was charged, had proved a disastrous appointment. An hour after the appeal for donations had been made yesterday, the money was raised and the special eastbound, started from Denver. Grand jury investigation of the causes which brought about the failure of the opera company was continued here to-day.

BY-LAW IS READY TO-NIGHT

Provision Made For Immediate Purchase of New Cars

Road Will Be Operated by Commission of Three

The Street Railway Purchase By-law will be the biggest item on the programme at to-night's meeting of the City Council. As announced in The Courier Saturday over a quarter of a million is involved, in fact the by-law will call for the raising of \$270,000 by 30 year debentures. In this amount is included \$66,000 which the city will pay the bondholders, \$125,000 to the first mortgagees and the balance about \$80,000, due the city, this is merely a matter of bookkeeping and, of course, will have to be assumed by the city. It is expected that the by-law to-night will receive the necessary two readings for it to go to the people.

Under the special act of parliament, which the city will apply for, it is being asked that should the railway be purchased the city be given power to appoint three commissioners for the operation of the road. This sets aside any prospect of the railway being operated through the City Council, a matter which might form well-founded objections. It is not even assured that the city will operate the road. There is a possibility of it being turned over, but as Mayor Spence announced to-day, should the city decide on the latter course favorable terms will be secured. The feeling among the ratepayers is now that the city can secure back the franchise and inaugurate a new order of things is one almost of indifference as to the auspices under which the road might be operated providing a proper service is given. Local merchants are also strongly in favor of the continuance of the radial line to Paris for obvious reasons, as the traffic on this road particularly on Saturdays is tremendously heavy. City Treasurer Bunnell and Solicitor Henderson are in Toronto to-day in connection with the agreement in regard to the street railway purchase which will be submitted to the High Court for approval.

FOURTEEN LOST IN AN ATTEMPT AT RESCUE

Survivors of Crew At Last Taken Off Island Near Wexford

[By Special Wire to The Courier] WEXFORD, Ireland, Feb. 23.—The survivors of the crew of the wrecked Norwegian bark Mexico were to-day taken off the barren island on which they had landed on Saturday and where they had been since then without food. Altogether fourteen men were drowned in the various attempts to rescue them. The Mexico went ashore on Friday while on her way from Laguna, Mexico, to Falmouth. Her distress signals were answered by two life boats, one of which was stove in on reaching the vessel, but its crew managed to scramble on board. The other capsized and sank. The Mexico was dashed to pieces on the rocks and her crew and the remaining lifeboatmen were washed ashore where they had no shelter, except that formed of pieces of wreckage.

Business Men From Toronto

Paid a Visit to the Y.M.C.A. Here on Saturday Last

The first social event promoted by the Men's Club of the Y.M.C.A. was held Saturday and was essentially successful. The occasion was the visit of the Toronto Business men and they came to contest with the local valiants at basketball, volley ball and bowling. Unfortunately owing to some hitch the Torontonians did not arrive at the scheduled time and much disappointment was caused to the volley ball team who had practised hard with the intention of giving their opponents a good drubbing. When the visitors did show up a mere preliminary bout was indulged in and won by the Brantfordites. Two games of basketball were then put on and in each instance the visitors were too fast and strong for the locals who succumbed after a game and plucky but futile defensive display. The Brantford men took revenge in the bowling alleys, where they beat their opponents handsomely. T. L. Wood and A. M. Harley defeated H. Beale and Dr. Simple of Toronto. Meanwhile the "Ladies Aid," otherwise the wives of the business men, under the direction of Mrs. W. S. Brewster, had prepared a royal repast and when this had been done justice to by both hosts and visitors, speeches were in order. Mr. W. S. Brewster, M.P., called upon the president, Mr. T. L. Wood, who welcomed the visitors in cordial fashion. His welcome was fully endorsed in the speeches of Rev. K. D. Hamilton, and Mr. G. H. Roper, the physical director of the Y.M.C.A. In reply, Dr. Grant, president of the West End, spoke of the pleasure they had in accepting the invitation and thanked his hosts on behalf of his comrades from the West End. They extended a hearty invitation to all the Brantford Business Men to visit them at Toronto. He was sorry they did not arrive on time, but that was a misfortune, not a fault. After spending a splendid time and enjoying recitations by Mr. T. Harry Jones, the visitors left on the 8.19 train for home.

NEW MAUSOLEUM CONTRACT IS LET

Secord and Sons Will Put Up Building in Mt. Hope

It was announced this morning that the Mausoleum Company have received permission to build a mausoleum in Mt. Hope cemetery and have made application to the Ontario Government for a charter. The contract has already been let to the firm of P. H. Secord & Sons. Offices have been opened in the new annex of the Bank of Hamilton building, suite No. 6, where the office staff is now in charge, making preparations for the canvassing, which will be started early.

TO BOOM LACROSSE AMONG THE BOYS

Joe Lally and Frank Doyle Will Visit Brantford To-morrow

Joe Lally, Frank Doyle and other lacrosse notables will visit Brantford to-morrow in connection with province-wide plans for the revival of the national game of lacrosse, which has been national in name only for the past few years. The exponents of the game are starting on the ground floor by organizing school leagues in every town and city of importance. Permission has been secured to organize a similar league in Brantford and several school principals are taking an interest in the movement. The meeting will be held in the Y. M. C. A. to-morrow at 8.30 when Messrs Lally and Doyle will submit attractive inducements to the boys to complete an organization in this city. start, but are known as persistent

JOSEPH DOWNEY ON PAROLE SYSTEM

Prison Commission Had Nothing To Do With Recent Escape

Jim Foley Got Away and Criticism Was Made

[By Special Wire to The Courier] ORILLIA, Ont., Feb. 23.—Mr. J. P. Downey, member of the commission inquiring into the conduct of Kingston penitentiary, was interviewed this morning regarding a Sudbury despatch which appeared in a Toronto evening paper Saturday, having to do with the disappointing result of paroling a lad named Jim Foley from Kingston to a mining camp in the Sudbury district. This despatch says the prison commission consented to give Foley another chance that "the commission was considering the feasibility of sending fifty boys and young men in mining and railway construction camps" and that "although the first attempt was discouraging, the prison commission is not expected to abandon its novel scheme without further experiment." Mr. Downey said the prison commission had nothing to do with paroling Foley nor with the parole of one or fifty prisoners. "Rev. Mr. Fitzpatrick, who has charge of some reading camps," said Mr. Downey, "was anxious to try an experiment with some of the boys at Kingston, and Mr. McDonald, chairman of the commission, taking a kindly interest in the boy, assisted him in obtaining the parole of Foley. There is no more basis than that for connecting the commission with this particular case with parole or with any other. The commission has never discussed the question of paroling any particular prisoner, or any number of prisoners. That is entirely outside the duties that were assigned to it when it was appointed. It is of course to be expected that the commission may include in its report recommendations dealing with the question of parole, but to represent that body as making premature and practical application of that method of prison reform is altogether erroneous and misleading." Buffalo and other animals are thriving in Canada's National Park. An understanding between the C.N.R. and the Government for Federal aid is rumored to have been reached.

Close Church in New York

Last Service Held Yesterday—Rockefeller in Attendance

[By Special Wire to The Courier] NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—John D. Rockefeller, his son and other wealthy members of the Fifth Avenue Baptist church yesterday attended the final services in the famous old building, which is one of the last of the places of worship in the shopping district to give up the fight against the approach of business. The congregation voted to combine with that of Calvary Baptist church for one year, and if the experiment is successful, as it is expected to be, the arrangement will go on undisturbed. The Rev. Cornelius Wolkling, pastor of the Fifth Avenue church, will hereafter head the combined congregations. Mr. Rockefeller, Sr., has chosen a new pew in Calvary. The bible class headed by John D. Rockefeller, Jr., the Fifth Avenue church ushers, the Young Women's bible class and other distinct organizations of the two churches, will maintain their separate entity for a year.

HON. DEVLIN BETTER

OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—Hon. Chas. R. Devlin passed a restless night, and owing to loss of sleep his condition was not so favorable this morning. He is however, much better than during the early part of last week, the symptoms of paralysis which were in evidence then, having since disappeared.

KILLED IN DUNNVILLE

DUNNVILLE, Ont., Feb. 23.—Orlando H. Angle, 19 years of age, was instantly killed yesterday while working with a track cleaning gang near Attercliffe. Looking after a freight which passed, he failed to notice the Michigan Central flyer. His body was hurled a considerable distance. An inquest will be held.

Mercury Again Hit Toboggan

The cold spell has again hit this city, and the temperature last night dropped to 9 degrees below zero, according to the Mohawk Institute thermometer. This is the official thermometer, but other thermometers throughout the city varied from 10 to 16 degrees below. With the cold is a biting east wind, which is very piercing. The cold wave hit this part of the country Saturday afternoon, and has been increasing in its intensity ever since. According to the weather man in Toronto, another cold wave centered last night on Manitoba and is spreading over the continent, with prospects for the coldest weather of this winter to follow.

BRANT FARMERS ARE ORGANIZED

W. C. Good, John Bowers, R. J. McCormick, Frederick Luck of Brantford county and W. T. McCormick of South Dumfries are directors of the United Farmers Co-operative company, with a capital stock of \$100,000. The company was gazetted on Saturday. The objects of the new company aim at co-operation production and sale in agriculture for the mutual advantage, accommodation and convenience of the members of the company. The Brant Theatre Company was also gazetted on Saturday. The directors are Chas. VanDusen, Scotland, J. P. Coulson, H. S. Young, Sudbury, and S. J. Kearns, Norfolk Bay. The capital stock is \$100,000, and the company has wide powers in promoting amusements.

BREAK IN MAIN

Low Pressure of Gas was Experienced Here To-day

Zero weather and a break in the gas main are not synonymous terms, by any means, but they seem to be synchronous. The gas pressure dropped to-day almost to the minimum of frigidity. It was explained by the officials of the Brantford Gas Company that a break had occurred in the big main near the Tibbary field, and the result was a decided lack of gas, not only in Brantford but in other places dependent upon the sulphur article. Repairs ought to be effected to-night, however.

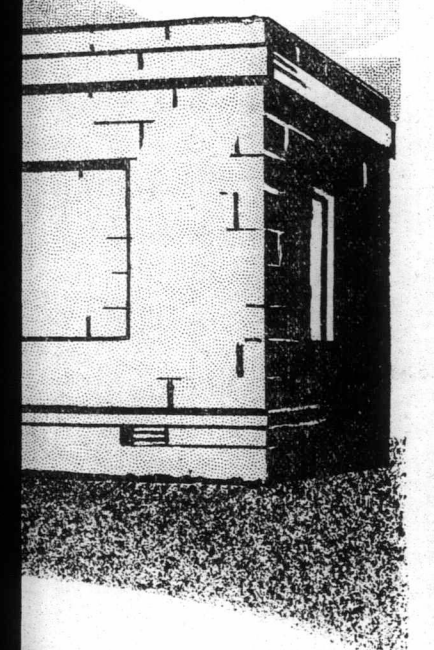
IS CONVICTED OF THEFT AND FINED

Dealer in Bikes Found Guilty by Magistrate To-day

Given the Option of Serving Three Months in Jail

The bicycle dealings of Braddick and Smick were further investigated before Magistrate Livingston this morning when Mark Smick was put in the box and cross-examined with special regard to that of a \$45 machine which was stolen from the shop of Jos. Gilham, on the 25th December. These two men, who were in partnerships in all their dealings, had a split just prior to the police proceedings, and they each tried to incriminate the other, when giving their sides of the story. On Friday, when Braddick was examined, he appeared to be a pawn in the hands of Smick, and to-day when the latter got a chance to give his side, Braddick appeared to be the principal offender. Contracting Braddick's statement, he said the \$45 bicycle was brought to the house where operations were conducted, by the other member, and he himself had suggested it might be stolen and suggested its turn-over to the authorities. Braddick had said he would soon alter the appearance of the wheel. He did not tell the police because he left that to Braddick seeing he had brought the wheel in. He had seen the police call at his place of employment, and had not thought of saying anything to the police although he knew they were looking for all stolen articles. They had quarrelled over some parts which he had purchased and which Braddick claimed. He had worked nine months at the bicycle business whilst Braddick had some experience here and more in the old country. He had not shown Braddick the tricks of the trade, and the numbers on the \$45 wheel had been filled in when he found it in the attic where it had been put by Braddick. His evidence in its completeness was a contradiction throughout of Braddick's evidence on Friday. Winding up, he said that Braddick had asked him to go into business with him, and he had refused. This was the beginning of the friction which ended in police court proceedings.

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**FIRST BAPTIST.**  
All the services at the first Baptist church were largely attended yesterday. In the morning the pastor preached from Matt. 7:21, upon the subject "The Lordship of Jesus and Stewardship of Life." Three hundred and eighty-eight were in attendance at the Sunday school. In the evening, despite the cold weather, the church was crowded to the doors. The pastor preached the closing sermon in the present series, upon "The Best Comfort in Death and How to Insure It." One young man was baptised at the close of the sermon. The music of the day was exceptionally good. In the morning the choir sang, "Come to my Heart Lord Jesus" (Ambrose), with Mr. W. Byers as soloist. Mr. V. O'Neill of Woodstock, sang, "Open the Gates of the Temple" in splendid voice and spirit. The music in the evening was greatly enjoyed by the large audience. The singing of the beautiful gospel hymns by such a large audience was uplifting, indeed. Mr. Byers sang "Abide With Me" in a clear ringing voice. Misses R. Hutchinson and E. Senn sang "He Wipes Away the Tear from Every Eye" in a way that will not soon be forgotten by those who heard it. The choir sang unaccompanied, "The Emerald" in splendid unison. Miss Hutchinson's solo, "No Shadows," which followed the sermon formed a fitting conclusion to the message of the pastor. Next Sunday evening the pastor will preach on "This Way In," a special sermon to seekers. Sunday evening, March 8th, will be observed as song service night.

**ALEXANDRA CHURCH.**  
A most impressive service was conducted by the Rev. D. T. McClintock of Alexandra Presbyterian church on Sunday morning when Messrs. A. McNally, McNees, A. Rose, T. Fulton, E. Brockie and G. Brown were ordained to the eldership, making the number eighteen. The pastor addressed the elders of the church from the text "Take heed unto yourselves; and all therefore, unto yourselves; and all the flock over the which the Holy Ghost hath made you overseers to feed the church of God, which he hath purchased with his own blood." In the anthem, "Happy Band of Pilgrims," the solo part was acceptably taken by Miss Margaret Patterson. In the evening the pastor resumed a series on the commandments, preaching on the seventh, "Thou shalt not commit adultery." This was one of God's commandments. The violation of this command proves disastrous to the individual, the home, to society and to the nation.

At the Sunday School the Rev. Mr. Horne of the Upper Canada Tract Society gave a splendid address, illustrated with views of the work done among the sailors on the great lakes. A large number were present for this most interesting and profitable service.

**SYDENHAM STREET.**  
Yesterday was Everybody at Church Sunday at Sydenham Street Methodist church, and the attendances were very large. Rev. M. Kelly of the Congregational church, spoke to the Brotherhood at 10 o'clock and gave a very helpful and comforting message. Mr. Snyder preached both morning and evening. The church was crowded at the evening service, when the pastor preached on "What About Father and Mother"—the fifth of a series on the Ten Commandments. The effort was a good one and was much appreciated by the large audience. Mrs. W. Kenney sang a solo at the morning service. There were 224 present at the Sunday School.

A very satisfying feature of the evening service was the turning on of the new lighting system. The church is now one of the best lighted in the city. They are artistic and the result of the work of the committee in charge is most gratifying.

**WELLINGTON STREET.**  
Rev. B. D. Hamilton, the pastor, preached at the morning service on the subject, "Thy Will be Done," being another sermon in the fine series on "The Lord's Prayer." A large audience was present and gave an appreciative hearing. The choir rendered excellent music. The assisting soloists were Mrs. A. T. Whitaker, Mrs. Robert Thompson and Mr. C. Darwin. At Sunday School Messrs. Ranton and Standing presided in their efficient manner. A male chorus assisted. Mr. J. R. Darwin of Hesper, rendered a cornet solo. The session closed with the baptism of an infant. Mr. Potter of the Sailors' Mission was the evening preacher. He made a very eloquent appeal on behalf of the society. A male choir was present and rendered fine service. The assisting singers were Messrs. G. Eaterbrook, J. Danfil, J. W. Stubbs, W. G. and C. Darwin.

**Twice in the Same Trap**  
When Pelham Burn, an undergraduate, was fined \$17.50 at Oxford on Tuesday for riding a motor cycle without a licence and at thirty-four miles an hour, it was stated that twenty minutes later the same motorcycle fell into the same police "trap" when it was driven at thirty miles an hour by Mr. W. J. Nicholas. He was fined \$33.

**Social and Personal**  
The Courier is always pleased to use items of personal interest. Phone 1781.

Mr. J. L. Howard is in Ottawa on a business trip.

Miss Pearl Secord is visiting in Toronto for a couple of months.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy E. Secord are leaving for Atlantic City on Wednesday.

Mrs. T. Burrows of Stayner, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Ross, Blossom Avenue.

The Misses Elsie, Graham, Bea Clarke and Mr. Karl Clarke are week end visitors with friends in Toronto.

Mrs. McKinnon and little daughter Jean, have returned to their home in Hamilton, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. George Hall.

The choir of Wellington Street church are to have a sleighing party to-night. After the ride all will be the guests of Mrs. Brown on Palmerston avenue.

A pleasant time was spent by the scholars of Miss Banham's Sunday School Class of Wesley Church when they met at her home Saturday afternoon. Games were in order, many of the girls bringing their dolls. Tea was served and an enjoyable time was brought to an end.

A most successful and largely attended talent tea for the benefit of St. John's church, was held Thursday afternoon and evening at the home of Mrs. George Wright, 77 Richardson street, when Mrs. Chas. Davis and Mrs. Wright were dual hostesses. A neat sum was realized.

Under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club of Vancouver it has been decided to erect a memorial there to the late E. Pauline Johnson. The estimated cost will be \$10,000, and a well known Italian sculptor, Mariega, has a design in hand. It is understood that women's clubs and Daughters of the Empire throughout Canada will be asked to subscribe.

A party will leave Toronto for Ottawa on Wednesday, including Mrs. Torrington, Mrs. Willoughby Cummings, Mrs. Dignam, Mrs. Plumtree, Mrs. L. A. Hamilton, Mrs. Auden, Mrs. Huestis, Mrs. Morrison, Mrs. Watt of Brantford, Mrs. Lyle of Hamilton, Miss Fitzgibbon, Miss Hill, Miss Constan, "A Pair of Lunatics," and others. They will attend a meeting of the Executive of the National Council of Women, and also the meeting of the Social Service Congress the week following.—Toronto Globe.

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Remember that only a few days remain, as the distribution closes as soon as the balance of the books are disposed of. Bring in your certificate as soon as possible.

London newspapers strongly denounced United States' policy in regard to Mexico.

**RESIDENCE ON FIRE**  
Mr. H. E. Craddock's House Tranquility Nearly Destroyed To-day

The storey and a half brick residence of Mr. H. E. Craddock, Tranquility, was damaged by fire this morning to the extent of \$600 and had it not been for the timely assistance rendered by the neighbors, Mr. Craddock says his entire house would have been destroyed. As far as can be learned, the fire originated from an overheated chimney and the blaze was first noticed by members of the family. Assistance was summoned, and a bucket brigade formed and after strenuous effort the flames were subdued. The front and main part of the house was saved.

**Sons of Scotland**  
Camp Scotia, S.O.S. held a most successful meeting on Thursday evening when a good attendance of the members was present. Organizer McAulay, cordially supported by officers and members alike, continues to do splendid work, and a large number of the most desirable class of members has recently been added to the strength of the Camp. As a result the meetings have now come to be of a most interesting and enjoyable nature. Arrangements are under way for a series of social evenings at the close of the business meetings for the purpose of bringing more prominently to the front the social and fraternal aims of the society and uniting more closely the bond of union and good fellowship which everywhere exists among Scotsmen.

**Church for a Public House**  
At Bedford Brewster Sessions on Tuesday brewers who applied for a full licence for a new house offered if the licence was granted to give a site for a church. The licensing committee did not accept the offer.

**At The Y. W. C. A.**

The executive of the Literary Club of the Y.W.C.A. met at that institution on Saturday and many matters of interest were discussed chief of which was the "Evening of Plays" which will probably be held on March 10th. The playlets to be submitted were decided upon and are to be "In the Apple Orchard," "String of Pearls," and "A Pair of Lunatics." Plans are under way for the immediate make up of the cast which will consist of prominent and well-known people of the city, under the supervision of Miss Cora Gould, who was responsible for the success of the stage effects of the last Evening of Plays. It will be remembered that the last effort of the Literary Club, when they staged, "The Flower of Yedda" and "The Teeth of a Girl Horse" was so successful that another "evening" was promised. The coming event will be the realization of that promise.

Many ladies met at the Y.W.C.A. on Saturday afternoon and held a sewing meet, which is the first of a number to be held for the purpose of making articles for sale at the annual bazaar which will be held some months hence. With such an earnest start, great success is promised for the bazaar.

The "I Will Trust Club" held a very pleasant meeting on Saturday afternoon at the Y.W.C.A. when they listened to a talk given in a splendid manner by Miss Elsie Wilmont on "Growing Ingrate."

Miss Wilmont, who is a member of the Club showed great depth of thought and a clear line of reasoning during her address. Miss Eric Markle contributed to the pleasure of the ladies with a very well rendered song.

**Echo Place Won.**  
The Echo Place Silk Sox met and defeated the Expositor team at the Echo Place rink on Saturday afternoon by the score of 6 to 4. The game was fast throughout and marked by good individual play by both teams. For the winners Knight played a good game on the defence, while Heatley and Shuert put up a good fight for the losers. The following is the line-up: Expositor: Goal, Heatley; r defence, Pitman; l defence, Kuntze; rover, Woodley; centre, Humble; right wing, McGowan; l wing, Shuert. Silk Sox: Goal, Waid; r defence, Hanley; l defence, Knight; rover, Acret; centre, Smith; r wing, R. Gillam; l wing, Pettit. Referee, N. Gillam.

Sunday cars were run for the first time in London.

**Grand View Women's Institute**

The Grandview and Terrace Hill Women's Institute held their meeting Feb. 18th at the pretty home of Mrs. Savage, 147 Terrace Hill St. It was the banner meeting there being nearly fifty present. Every member was pleased to see the secretary, Miss Dean, back in her place after her recent illness. After the calling of the roll, business was proceeded with. A motion was made by Mrs. J. Arnold, seconded by Mrs. Alderson, Sr., that \$100 be raised by the society to help build a Women's pavilion at the Sanitarium, which was carried unanimously. A vocal solo by Miss Hilda Hurley entitled "I Love You Truly" was splendidly rendered. An excellent paper on "The Prevention and Cure of Colds" was given by Mrs. G. T. Wood of Enmore Park. A piano solo by Miss Edna Hazelton was well received. The district president, Mrs. Kitchen, of St. George, being present, gave a paper on "The Work and Privileges of the Institute."

A solo by Mrs. Savage and the recitation of the motto brought the programme to a close. A dainty lunch was served by the charming hostess and a very social time was spent. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Jull, 242 Brant avenue, on March 18th.

**W. C. T. U. Meet**

The regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Temperance Union was held at the home of Mrs. Arthur Chrysler, 161 Marlboro St. St. with a large number present. Mrs. (Dr.) Barber gave an instructive Bible lesson. A solo by Miss Shultis, was very much appreciated. The president conducted an exercise on prison reform. A petition was signed by all members present, requesting our representative in the Provincial House to support the prison reform bill. A beautiful piano duet was given by Miss Rosie Cox and Miss Annie Crooker. A fine address was given by Mrs. Shultis on the Y. W. C. T. U. work. She reports forty-four active members and ten honorary members. Mrs. S. C. Read gave a short talk on Temperance and Local Option work. It was decided that our union affiliate with the Local Council of Women.

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A new sewer has been commenced on Grant street between Brant Avenue and the city limits.

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The Water Commissioners have no work for the unemployed and many applicants have been turned away.

**Water Turned Black.**  
Residents in the North Ward are complaining that the water in their homes was very dirty all day yesterday.

**Two Districts Left.**  
There are now only two districts without Hydro-Electric. They are Holmedale and West Brantford. The

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Monday, February 23, 1914

THE LATE MR. MANSELL

The sudden death of the late Rev. Mr. Mansell will be generally deplored in this city.

During his pastorate of the Brant Avenue Methodist Church he earned not alone the love and the regard of his congregation, but also of the members of the community generally.

Although he held very dear the tenets of the church to which he was attached, he always manifested a broad-minded attitude to other denominations.

A kindly man, a scholar, a true and fervent citizen, and a shining exemplar of the faith that was in him, he has been called to his reward.

A by-law contemplating the purchase and the operating of the above project by the municipality will be introduced at to-night's meeting of the City Council.

It is not necessary to point out that this is one of the most important matters upon which the ratepayers have ever been asked to pass their verdict.

Without any doubt Mayor Spence and the aldermen will see that all the facts and the responsibilities are clearly placed before the voters.

THE BORDEN GOVERNMENT ENTRENCHED

The following extract is taken from the Toronto Globe report of a speech which Laurier made in Montreal on Saturday night:

"Sir Wilfrid expressed the belief that many electors who had lost faith in the Liberals of 1911 would now mark their ballots for them if they had the chance."

"Lost faith," eh? This is the first time the ex-Premier has ever made that admission. Hitherto the excuse has been that the people were stampeded by false cries of loyalty in connection with the proposal of reciprocity.

And for what reasons should those who helped to put the present Government in power now seek to recant? Up to date they have done remarkably well, and the people are impressed with the fact that Borden, in the matter of honesty and straightforwardness, is the same type of man as Sir James Whitney.

Three other excellent and commendable measures inaugurated by them have been temporarily killed by the Senate—the securing of feeders for the Government road, the Intercolonial Railway; the proposed ex-

penditure of millions on improved highways, and the offer of the price of three dreadnoughts to the British navy.

Is Sir Wilfrid so blind as to actually believe that his orders to the Upper Chamber in these essentials have tended to restore any faith in him? Or maybe he thinks that the bad bungling of his Administration in connection with the Transcontinental Railway, with a waste of over \$40,000,000, has done the trick!

A little later on in his address he spoke in an easy way of leading the Grit forces back to victory at the first opportunity. If he takes any comfort out of this hope—and he does, apparently—he is entirely welcome to the same, but it is a vain delusion.

COMPULSORY VOTING The New York State Legislature has a bill under consideration which proposes a fine of from \$10 to \$50 on any man who fails to either register, or vote, in a State election.

This idea of a compulsory ballot is not at all new, but to many looks altogether impracticable and incapable of enforcement.

ATTACK HAS FAILED The Liberals in the House failed most lamentably when they sought to attack the Government and Mr. W. F. Cockshutt, M.P., upon the use of "Yankee stone" in the construction of Brantford's new public building, and the Expositor has met with a like fate in attempting to work up political capital out of the same thing at this end of the line.

British News Park Scheme Dejected. By 3,468 votes to 2,773 the corporation's proposal to purchase Devonshire Park for £110,000 less a gift of £10,000 by the Duke of Devonshire was defeated at a poll of the electors at Eastbourne on Tuesday.

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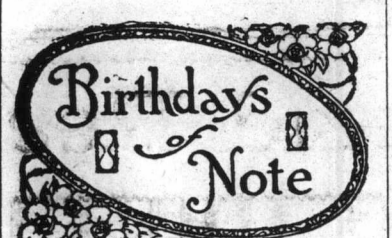
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BIRTHDAYS

Albert Edward Diment, one of Canada's best known horsemen and a one-time winner of the King's Plate, was born forty-five years ago today. He was for several years interested in the lumber business and when living in the north was elected to Parliament. He represented Algoma in the House of Commons for twelve years, being at the time one of the youngest members in the House.

Uncle Walt The Poet Philosopher

The suffragette dames who play their games just like the whiskered fellers, who bravely stand and make their demand for votes, are city dwellers. The squawky ones behind the guns have homes that need attention; they run outdoors, neglecting chores too numerous to mention.

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OPEN LETTER FROM REV. LLEWELLYN BROWN

In my ministry in the United States I was often impressed with the advantages in the Mausoleum form of burial. The grave at best can be made none too inviting, and this system of interment which is proposed to be introduced into our city by the Dominion Mausoleum Company, Limited, is, I believe, the ideal system for the interment of our loved dead.

My mind often reverts to the funerals I attended as a lad. There the custom was for the family to surround the grave while the grave-diggers threw in the earth, and I can hear yet the clods falling upon the rough-box, to the discomfort of all present, both mourners and friends.

For these, as well as many other reasons, I most heartily commend the system proposed by the Dominion Mausoleum Company, Limited, which will carry out in detail. I am sure, all that they have promised to do.

Police and "Receivers" At a meeting of the Nottingham Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday Mr. Frederick Acton, solicitor, said more vigilance was wanted on the part of the police to secure guilty receivers of stolen property.

Special Values This Week In Felt Slippers and Women's Lined Boots. Men's Felt Slippers, regular \$1.00, for 68c. Women's Felt Slippers, regular \$1.00 and 90c, for 58c. Women's Felt-Lace Boots, foxed with dongola, regular \$1.35, for 98c. Women's Dongola Blucher cut Lace Boots, warm lined, reg. \$2.50, for \$1.48. Neill Shoe Co.

An Early Showing of New Fabrics! 1914—FOR SPRING—1914. Women here, as everywhere, are keenly interested in the NEW FABRICS and colors for Spring, 1914, and now that important shipments have arrived from Paris and other important markets, they are thronging the Dress Goods and Silk departments, examining and comparing the novel weaves and lovely new and such daring colors that are shown in such astounding profusion. For beauty and daring you will agree, when you have seen them, that the new fabrics for spring stand out unique. A special showing of all the New Fabrics will be made during this week. Come and feast your eyes on the beautiful novelties in Dress Goods, Silks, Wash Materials, Laces and Trimmings. Such an Array of Beautiful Fabrics Will Bring Forth Words of Admiration we Know. Crepes and Crepe Weaves stand out with so much prominence that they undoubtedly command first place in the selection of materials for this spring. Checks, Rough and Smooth are particularly noticeable this season. Wash Fabrics Wash Fabrics this season are of such excellence and of such a variety. Lace and Trimming Section Lace this season will be an important factor. Ogilvie, Lochead & Co.

REV. T. J. MANSELL CALLED TO Sudden Death of Pastor of Brant Methodist Church. Brantfordites of all ages will be sorry to learn of the death of the late Rev. T. J. Mansell, pastor of the Brant Methodist Church, who died at his home in Brantford on Saturday afternoon, February 21, 1914, at the age of 52 years.

Carpet Borden No. 1 defeated Ward Beavers in one of the games seen on the Borden long time. The Beaver start, but are known nibblers, and on the 8th by two points, on the 20th the Bordenites won by walked off the Base with 200 witnesses the game.

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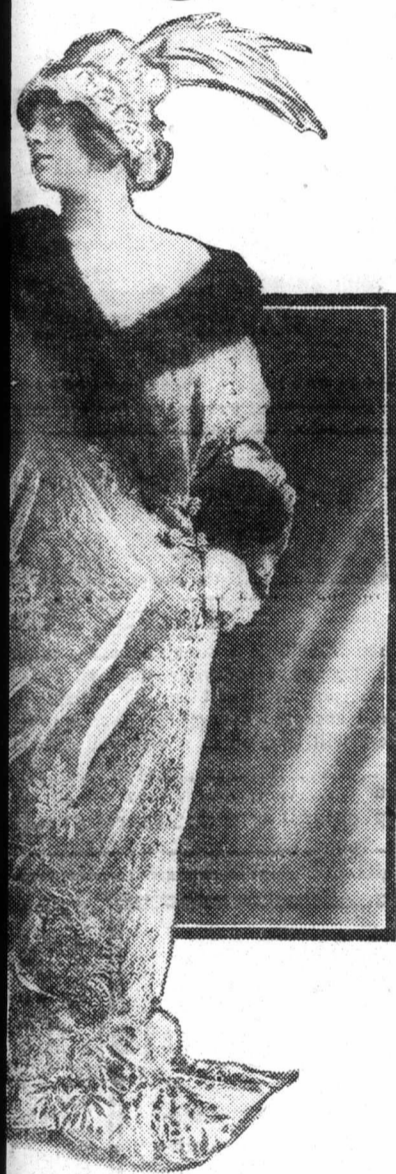
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## REV. T. J. MANSELL CALLED TO REST

### Sudden Death of Former Pastor of Brant Ave. Methodist Church

Brantfordites of all denominations will be sorry to learn of the death last night at Peterboro of Rev. T. J. Mansell, pastor of the Brant Avenue church until two years ago, when he left for Peterboro. Death came suddenly after the conclusion of the evening service, at which Mr. Mansell officiated. He had just reached the parsonage when he was overcome and expired in a few minutes.

The late Rev. Mansell will be remembered in Brantford for his splendid work at Brant Avenue church. He was of a lovable character, and his friends were legion. A splendid preacher in every way, earnest, eloquent and forceful, a pastor who not only won the hearts of his people, but who truly moulded their lives in the service of the Master, whom he served himself faithfully and well to the very last has been called home.

Indeed, heartfelt sympathy will be extended to Mrs. Mansell and family in their great loss.

The despatch from Peterboro, referring to Mr. Mansell's death is as follows:

"Rev. T. J. Mansell, pastor of Charlotte Street Methodist church, and well-known throughout Ontario, died suddenly at his home last evening. Mr. Mansell had taken the evening service and walked to his home a short distance from the church. "Shortly after entering the parsonage he was taken with a weak spell and died in half an hour, Dr. F. C. Neal was in attendance, but was unable to save the life of the minister. Heart trouble was the cause of death. "Rev. Mr. Mansell was about fifty-five years of age and came this city about two years ago from Brantford, where he was pastor of the Brant Avenue Methodist church. The church in which he was stationed was the late Senator Cox's church. Mr. Mansell had been pastor for several large Ontario churches. A wife and two sons survive. Funeral arrangements have not been completed."

## Carpet Ball

Borden No. 1 defeated the East Ward Beavers in one of the best games seen on the Borden floor in a long time. The Beavers got a poor start, but are known as consistent nibblers, and on the 8th end they led by two points, on the 10th end the game was a tie, the 20th end against the Bordenites won by 4 to 3 and walked off the floor winners. About 200 witnessed the game. The score:—

Borden—L. Money, J. Winegardner, L. Winegardner, skip, 54.  
J. Cook, G. Brayshaw, M. MacBride, skip, 46. Total 100.  
Beavers—L. Meas, A. Stuart, R. Lyle, skip, 50.  
E. B. Rowe, G. Brown, A. Dowling, skip, 40. Total 99.  
Referee, F. Brett.

### Standing

	Won.	Loss.	Play
Borden No. 1	10	1	2
Liberal No. 1	8	1	3
Beavers	8	3	3
Borden No. 2	5	5	4
Liberal No. 2	4	6	4
I. O. F.	3	7	4
K. O. T. M.	1	9	4
W. O. W.	0	9	5

## City News Items

### Play To-night

F Company and the buglers play indoor ball at the armories to-night.

### Will Install Hydro

Very Rev. Dean Brady announced to-day that Hydro Electric would be installed in St. Basil's church and the other buildings in the parish

### Sergeants Echure.

The Sergeants of the 38th. Dufferin Rifles are holding their weekly echure party to-night. The winners last week were H. McIntyre, 1st, and J. Dockray 2nd. The Secretary desires a good attendance.

### Cayuga Lawyer Dead.

Thomas Snider, K.C., of Cayuga, died in Victoria Memorial Hospital, Saturday morning, after a short illness. Mr. Snider, who was in his fifty-eighth year, was operated on a week ago. He was born in Norfolk county, and had practised law in Cayuga for many years, and was well known through that portion of the Province. He leaves a wife and three sons. Judge Snider of Hamilton and Sheriff Snider of Simcoe are brothers.

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Extra salespeople are ready to give quick and courteous service.

Every year the Store insists that the White Sale shall reach a higher standard. Materials of the whitest and freshest; buttons of the first quality; stitches so many to the inch; inside finish perfect. Meeting these requirements is a matter of course. But above and beyond these are the styles and the new ideas.

This 1914 Sale is full of the exquisitely refined and simple garments, which appeal to women of the best taste. There are garments of strong muslin, of sheer hainsook and cambric; there are crinkly crepe garments and flat trimmings, and extra sizes. Prices average from a fourth to a third less than at other times of the year.



### People Used to Measure Time By a Candle Nowadays They Measure a Store by Its WHITE SALE

If the materials in the White Sale are immaculate and new—

If the finish of each garment is perfect from button-holes to plackets—

If the buttons are of the first quality—

If the trimmings are such as appeal to the woman of good taste—

If the styles are of the latest—

If the variety of garments and prices is very great—

And if the saving in buying such undermuslins and allied garments is from a fourth to a third, or even, in some instances, more—

Then they have reason to feel that the Store measures up to a pretty high standard.

This is the kind of White Sale that is now going on at Crompton's.

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### See Window Display

## Fine White Materials

In all their sheer, soft beauty. Are you your own seamstress or do you want to save enough to pay the charges of making? Then there is but one positive chance in the year to do it, and this is that time—and that chance. The White Fashion Exhibit will furnish you with up-to-the-minute ideas—if you haven't ideas of your own.

We are showing Piques, Bedford Cords and Repps in the soft, pliable yet firm finish, with flat or pronounced cords, cambric or whip cord weaves, 36 in. wide, for Skirts and Dresses. 50c 30 in. wide, in all sizes of cords. 25c

## Butterick Patterns

- Spring Style Book 42 in. wide, looks like wool .....65c
- and Delineator 45 in. wide, Ratine cords. 85c
- For Sale Here and a good article for...20c

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- Night Gowns, kimona sleeves, round neck, trimmed with embroidery. Regular 65c and 75c. For .....50c
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### Eloping Preacher Cannot be Deported to United States

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Feb. 23.—An international question has arisen over the deportation of Rev. J. E. T. Williams, former pastor of the Congregational Church at Newcastle, Pennsylvania. Williams, who deserted a wife and family in Newcastle, was arrested in Toronto last week in company with the wife of Mr. George Thomas, a well-to-do grocer of Newcastle, with whom he had eloped. The husband of the woman, who had traced the couple from Harrisburg, New York City and finally to Toronto, consented to take her back, and the Canadian immigration

officials decided to deport the preacher, and he was brought here for that purpose. But the United States immigration officials refused to allow the deportation of Williams on the ground that he is not and never was a citizen of the United States, having arrived in Newcastle a year and a half ago, presumably from Australia, and never having taken out naturalization papers. The accused now claims, however, that he is a native of Wales. The Ottawa authorities have been notified, and meantime the eloper is being held here in charge of the immigration officers.

OTTAWA, Feb. 23.—That the United States immigration authorities at Niagara Falls are quite within rights in refusing to allow the deportation of Rev. J. E. Williams, arrested in Toronto after eloping with one of his parishioners, is the statement made to your correspondent last night by F. C. Blair, chief clerk of the Immigration branch. "The United States recognizes only its own citizens in this matter," he said; "it doesn't matter how long a man may have lived in the United States. If he was not born there or has not been naturalized, if he leaves the

country and gets into trouble they have the right to shut him out. They are quite within their rights in such a case, though of this particular deportation I do not know the facts. If this man entered our country contrary to our regulations we have the right to deport him, and maintain that right for three years after he enters, but we would have to deport him to his own country, in this case Wales, I suppose."

The question will be before the department to-day for action.

Rev. Potts at Clinton  
A Clinton despatch says: The new rector of St. Paul's Church, Rev. J. C. Potts, M.A., who succeeded Rev. C. E. Jenkins, preached his first sermon in Clinton Sunday. The rector came here from Brantford, where he was curate of Grace Church. In the morning he gave a splendid inaugural address, and last evening's subject was "Charity never faileth." Good congregations greeted the rector on both occasions. The congregation will tender him acceptance to-morrow night in the parish hall, the best officers in the Canadian Militia. Col. E. C. Ashton gave a very interesting talk of the early days of the 38th Regiment, which was very much appreciated. He also

## "A" CO. SMOKER AT THE ARMOURIES Popular Company of Dufferin Entertain Their Friends

"A" Co. Dufferin Rifles held a "smoker" in the Men's Institute at the Armouries on Saturday evening, last. The event proved a great success. Among those present were Col. E. C. Ashton, 32nd Field Artillery; Major Brooks of the Dragoons and Capt. Hicks, Capt. M. A. Colquhoun, president in his usual masterly way. Capt. Colquhoun in his speech congratulated the men on the way they had stuck to their work during the past year, and there was no doubt they would continue to do so. Col. Howard, the popular commander of the 38th Regiment, spoke in the highest terms of praise of "A" Co.'s commander, saying that in Capt. Colquhoun "A" Co. had one of the best officers in the Canadian Militia. Col. E. C. Ashton gave a very interesting talk of the early days of the 38th Regiment, which was very much appreciated. He also

thanked Col. Howard and officers of the Dufferin Rifles for the very kind treatment he had received in connection with the formation of the new field battery in Brantford. Col. Serg. W. Bolt made a few remarks, thanking the men of "A" Co. for the determined manner in which they had carried out their duties, which was not only a credit to "A" Co. but also to the Regiment and Canadian militia. Sergt. G. Bissett and Pte. E. Mercer deserved great credit for the way they handled the refreshments, which were served during the evening. The following program was rendered with great success: Selection "A" Co. band; song, Pte. R. Wakeling; solo, Pte. A. Ferrell; song, Pte. D. McIntee; selection "A" Co. band; song, Master Ferrell; solo, Pte. D. McIntee; recitation, Sergt. C. Bissett; sketch, "Moonlight, shooter," Pte. D. McIntee and E. Luscombe; solo, Pte. B. Taylor; song, J. Linn; song, Pte. A. Ferrell; selection "A" Co. band; sword swinging, Pte. W. Pawson; song, J. Linn.

Three prizes of £10 10s. each have been given by the King for shire wares or fillies for the summer show of the Royal Norfolk Agricultural Association.

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Smith's Falls has organized a Municipal League.

Officials at Washington are awaiting official action from Great Britain on the Benton case.

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WANTED—Kitchen girl. Apply Prince Edward Hotel. f39

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WANTED—A lady boarder as companion. Apply Mr. Robinson, 3 South St. f45

WANTED—Apprentices and improvers for the millinery. J. G. Hunter & Co. f39

WANTED—Stenographer for supply, one or two weeks, manufacturing concern. Apply Box 19, Courier. f45

WANTED—Millinery apprentices at once. Apply The Enterprise, 77 Colborne St. f33t

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WANTED—A few good weavers. Apply Slingsby Manufacturing Co., Ltd., Holmedale. f33

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A MAN with \$5,000.00, thoroughly experienced in manufacturing boxes, to act as foreman for an old-established firm. Apply Box 592, Vancouver, B.C. bc33

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LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Dogskin mitt, left hand. Reward at Courier office. f37

LOST—Brown goatskin robe; finder return same to Anguish's Livery Barn, Colborne St. Reward at Dr. Frank's. f41

LOST—Dark red sweater coat, on Wednesday night, centre of city. Reward 101 Colborne. f37

LOST—An overcoat, between New American Hotel and Market St. Finder leave at Commercial barns. f39

FOUND—Sum of money in E. B. Crompton & Co. store; owner may have same by calling at office. f37

LOST—Purse containing money, ticket and locket. Finder return to Noble's store, 84 Colborne St. f35

LOST—On Friday, gold snake ring; reward by returning to Good, Shapley & Muir's office. f39

LOST—On Sunday night, lady's belt with jet buckles, on Colborne or Brock. Reward, 131 Brock St. f19

LOST—Bar Pin with 5-fringe gold piece on it, last Friday. Reward 37 Victoria. f25

LOST—Near Bank of Commerce, pair of eyeglasses. Finder please return to the Bank. f13

LOST—Silver watch with gold chain and metal purse attached, containing coins. Return to S. W. Seago, 12 Lorne Crescent. \$10.00 reward. f49

LOST—Saturday night, in Knox's, Crompton's, or between these stores, small purse containing twenty-six dollars and two cents. Reward, 42 Victoria St. f37

ARTICLES FOR SALE

GRAPHOPHONE and a number of records. 136 Albion. a47

\$6 BUYS a good cutter. Apply Box 18, Courier. a39

FOR SALE—Private sale household furniture, nearly new. 36 Ontario St. a49

FOR SALE—Furniture, private sale; afternoons; house to rent. f119 Nelson St.

FOR SALE—Very fine tone English piano, \$125. 32 Elgin. a23

FOR SALE—Baby sleigh in good condition. Apply 16 1/2 Terrace Hill St. a17

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DR. CHRISTINE IRWIN—Graduate of American School of Osteopathy is now at 46 Nelson St. Office hours, 5 to 12 a.m. and 2 to 5 p.m. Bell Telephone 1380.

DR. C. H. SAUDER—Graduate American School of Osteopathy, Kirksville, Mo., Office, Suite 1, Criterion Chambers, 80 Colborne Street. Office hours: 9-12 a.m., 2-5 p.m. Evenings by appointment. Bell phone 1544, Residence, Room 61, Y.M.C.A.

BORN.

HUTCHINSON—To Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hutchinson, 59 Stratheona Ave., Sunday, February 22nd, a daughter.

COMING EVENTS

SACRED CANTATA—The Pillar of Fire, rendered by Cainsville Baptist Choir, and soloists. Thursday, March 5th, in Orange Hall, Cainsville. Admission 25 cents.

FEB. 24. ORGAN RECITAL and Choir Concert by H. K. Jordan and Brant Avenue Choir of fifty voices in Alexandra Presbyterian Church. Admission 25c.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES will be held at the Colborne St. Methodist Church every evening this week, except Saturday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock. All invited.

THE PROBS

TORONTO, Feb. 23.—Another severe cold wave covers the greater portion of Canada, while a marked depression is situated in the lower Mississippi Valley. Fine, very cold weather prevails generally.

Fresh northerly winds, fair and continued very cold to-day and on Tuesday.

EMPLOYMENT WANTED

WANTED—To fire stationary boiler. Apply W. E. Moorcroft, 77 Jubilee Ave., Holmedale. cw13

WANTED—Young man wants work; setting up steel ranges preferred; malleable iron. Apply F. D. Clark, 3 Brighton Row. cw13

SITUATION desired by Scotsman, as canvasser, collector, book-keeper, salesman or general warehouseman, or first aid man in factory. Apply 6 Chatham St., George V. E. Poel McLean. e13

TO LET

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms. 242 Clarence. mw33

TO LET—Warm furnished bedroom. Apply 61 Colborne St. t17

TO LET—Two unfurnished rooms; gas connection. 70 Pearl St. t39

TO LET—House 15 Jubilee Avenue, gas and water; rent \$10.00 per month. Apply 8 Balfour St. t43

TO LET—Red brick cottage, East Ward; gas in house; \$9.00. Apply 30 Market St. t35

COTTAGE to let, 74 Palace St. (no children). Apply 85 Waterloo St. t33

TO LET—Furnished front bedroom with stove. Apply 65 Colborne St. t37

TO RENT—1 1/2 storey brick house, 41 Peel; \$14 per month. Apply 23 Peel St. t35

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PERSONAL

HARRISON, John William; worked at Oakwood, later in Toronto; write sister, Jane Ann Harrison, care Wilmut Connor, Little Britain R.M.D. p25

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MONUMENTS

THE JOHN HILL GRANITE & MARBLE CO.—Importers of all foreign granites and marble; lettering a specialty; building work, etc. Alex. Markle, representative, 59 Colborne St., Brantford. Phone 1553 or 1554.

Even New York Felt Sensation

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

NEW YORK, Feb. 23.—Colored wigs to match the gowns they wore were introduced in New York yesterday by two actresses. The appearance of the latest fad from Paris created a sensation in two fashionable uptown hotels, and there was some comment and some remarks. Under the latter heading Dr. Anna Howard Shaw, the suffrage leader, expressed a philosophical view.

"To say the least, they are frank," Mrs. Shaw said. "They do not pretend to be what they are not."

One of the young women wore a green wig to match a Nile gown, and the other a purple one that blended with her pearl-colored suit.

AN OLD DOCUMENT

Prospectus of Brantford Building Society in Year 1847

City Treasurer Bunnell on Saturday last had a very old book of the prospectus of the Brantford Building Society dating back to 1847, handed to him by Mr. George Ryerson.

The book contains a complete history of the building operations of this city at that time together with a list of the directors of the society.

The prospectus is of interest to Brantford people at this time, as it is current of forming another society, the same as the old one, for the furthering of building operations in this city.

Mr. Bunnell's uncle, Mr. Alex. Bunnell, was one of the directors of the society, and Mr. James Wilkes former city treasurer, was president. All the other members of the board of directors were men who had helped to put Brantford on the map and included P. C. VanBroeklin, vice-president; Dr. Peter Martin, the first doctor of Brantford; John Heaton, Geo. Abcock, D. M. Gillison, Henry Vandenberg, Wm. Mellich, Wm. Buchanan, secretary-treasurer.

It is interesting to note that the printing of the prospectus was done in the Courier office in the year 1847.

Paris News

PARIS, Feb. 23.—The three Paris young men who were served with a summons each to appear to-day to answer the charge of illegally securing rabbits during the closed season, went before Magistrate Paterson on Saturday and pleaded guilty. They were fined \$5 for each rabbit and \$2.35 costs in each case. Two of the parties had one rabbit each and one of them, four.

A novelty in the line of hockey will be staged here on Wednesday night, when the Ingersoll young ladies team will play the ladies team of the Paris Congregational church. J. W. Westbrook, M.P., will face the puck. As the Ingersoll girls were victorious in Ingersoll by a score of 2 goals to 1, a good game is expected here.

The first match to be played in Paris in the All-Star group will take place to-morrow night when Hamilton Centennials meet the locals.

Grand River Lodge No. 91, I. O. O. F. will hold their annual "at home" to-night in their lodge rooms, dancing in the council chamber.

The Ladies' Guild of St. James' church will entertain all those who took part in "Alice in Wonderland," to-morrow afternoon and evening. The younger children in the afternoon.

Mr. Richard Bosworth is seriously ill from blood poisoning.

ANOTHER FLYING FATALITY

CHICHESTER, Eng., Feb. 21.—Another fatal flying accident occurred at Whittinger near here, when an army biplane was wrecked and caused the death of a passenger. F. T. Haynes, Haynes was accompanying the pilot, Ronald C. Kemp, a civilian attached to the royal flying corps, who suffered very serious injuries in the crash. The biplane had been in the air only a few minutes when a part of it broke away and the machine was hurled to the ground.

Dean Abbott Issues Warning

[By Special Wire to The Courier]

HAMILTON, Feb. 23.—In a Lenten letter to his congregation Dean Abbott, rector of Christ Church Cathedral, in his usual vigorous style assailed the fashionable "one-ups." He also commented on the fact that while the church had a membership of 1,000, the number who attended the communion service was only about 30. Of these only four or five were from the south end. He strongly advised his people to keep away from society functions during the season, and declared that "a fashionably city congregation" generally meant parochial death by dry rot.

Local News

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Preston, have arrived home from New York.

Miss Kilbourn of Toronto sang a solo in a very pleasing manner at Zion Presbyterian Church last night.

Messrs. Robert and William Dowling, who were called here to attend the funeral of their father, Mr. Thos. Dowling, leave for Brandon to-night.

Mr. Harold Hendee, who so cleverly took the part of the leading comedy role, Alaric, in "Peg o' My Heart" at the Grand, Saturday evening, was the guest on Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Raymond, and left to-day for St. Catharines to rejoin his company.

Mr. Hendee proved an accomplished and finished actor. The popular play was well presented, and the house was most appreciative.

Echo Place Night

Tuesday night will be Echo Place night at the Echo Place rink, as on the 14th and it is expected a large crowd will be out to enjoy an evening of coasting and skating.

Arrangements Not Made

The arrangements for the funeral of the late Andrew McMeans had not been made up until noon to-day, pending the arrival of the sons, one from Winnipeg and one possibly from Mexico.

Started Work

The Water Commissioners have started a gang of men at work on the new pumping station in one of the galleries. Work on the new station will be rushed so as to be completed early this spring.

Improvements Made

New carpets have been laid on the floor of the Council Chamber and also in the ante chamber, while new oil cloth has been laid at the top of the stairs leading into the council chamber, which greatly improves all three places. New chairs are to be bought for the ante-chamber and the place will present a very neat appearance.

Ask for Particulars

Bevan Bros., of London, E. C., have written to the city for details of public finance in this city. They also want to act as bond brokers for the city, and suggest a short term loan to the city until the money market improves. McNeil and Young of Toronto also write for the same information.

To Erect Poles

The Bell Telephone company have written the city asking permission to erect poles on Huron Street from Port to Cayuga Sts., on Fair avenue, Cayuga Street and Brighton Row, and to reconstruct a lead on Dufferin in Avenue and Palmerston Avenue.

They also ask permission to erect an anchor to a pole at the corner of James and Albion streets.

Held a Social

The Ladies Aid of Balfour street Presbyterian church held a very enjoyable social at the home of Mr. W. H. Raymond at 28 Mt Pleasant road last Friday evening. A short programme of songs and instrumental music was given after which games were played and refreshments were served. A vote of thanks was passed to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond, and the gathering broke up at an early hour.

Draft Officers Work

The officers of the 38th Dufferin Rifles proved victorious at Hamilton on Saturday night when they defeated the 91st Battalion in a fast game of baseball by the score of 7 to 9. This is the last game in the league and the result caused the 38th to tie with the 91st for the leadership of the league. In order to settle the champions definitely, home and home games with the 91st of Hamilton will be arranged.

Some Ball Player

President Nelson of the Red Sox this morning received a communication from a fast outfielder who wants a berth with the locals for the coming season. He states that he batted .400 last year and .450 the year previous with a semi-pro team; can do a hundred yards in 10 seconds flat, and can whip a ball to the plate from any part of the field. President Nelson is going to recommend him to John McGraw of the Giants.

Laid at Rest

The late Thomas Dowling. The funeral of the late Thomas Dowling took place on Saturday afternoon from the residence of Mr. R. E. Ryerson, son-in-law, 31 William street to Greenwood cemetery and was largely attended by friends and sympathizers. Impressive services were conducted by Rev. A. E. Lavell, pastor of Brant Avenue Methodist Church. The pallbearers were three sons, Robert and William of Brandon and Thomas of this city and William Haslem, St. Thomas, R. Middlemiss and R. E. Ryerson.

ERNST M. SHILDRICK VOICE PRODUCTION

H. J. Smith's Music Store, Tuesdays. Special arrangements made for coaching vocal teachers and advanced singers.

Unreserved Auction Sale

Of Household Furniture—S. P. Pitcher and Son, auctioneers, will sell by public auction at No. 10 Duke street on TUESDAY, FEB. 24TH, at 1.30 o'clock the following: 4-piece parlor suite, upholstered in silk; Davenport as good as new; mahogany pedestal centre table; leather rocker, upholstered rocker; rug 3-1-2 x 4. parlor lamp; small table; pictures, curtains and blinds, hall rack, carpet; 6 oak dining room chairs, oak extension table, oak sideboard, centre table, couche; gas heater, clock (8 day), wardrobe, arch curtains dishes, carpet, iron and brass bed, iron bed, two springs, 2 mattresses, oak dresser and commode, dresser, commode, hat rack, toilet set bedding Happy Thought range (high shelf and reservoir); kitchen table; refrigerator, chairs, gas range, gas oven, screen, doors, hammock gas plate chest of drawers, writing desk, 2 rockers, dishes and kitchen utensils.

This furniture is all new and good. Remember the day and date, Tuesday, Feb. 24th, at 1.30 o'clock.

Terms: Cash. S. P. Pitcher & Son, Auctioneers.

Unreserved Auction Sale

Of Farm Stock at: L. J. Almas, Welby Almas has received instruction from Mr. A. D. GIDNEY, to sell by public auction at his farm situated on the first Concession of Amcaster, one-quarter mile East of West P. O., three-quarters of a mile east of the Methodist Church, Colborne's road, better known as the I. W. Kelley farm, on Wednesday, Feb. 25, commencing at one o'clock sharp, the following:

Horses: One bay horse, 6 years old; 1 bay mare 5 years old; 1 bay horse, 8 years old; 1 bay mare 9 years old; 1 sorrel colt, 3 years old, Punch; 1 Clydesdale mare, 9 years old, well-bred about 1450; 1 Clydesdale gelding, 7ish 4 years old, weight about 1350.

Cattle: One Holstein heifer, 4 years, old, milking four months; 1 Holstein heifer, 3 years old with calf by side; 1 Grade cow, due to calf March 23; 1 Grade cow, due to calf April 23rd; 1 farrow cow; 1 fat cow; 1 heifer, coming two years old, supposed to be in calve; 2 heifers, 10 months old; 2 two-year-old heifers, supposed to be in calve.

Sheep: Nine ewes, supposed to be in lamb.

Hogs: One registered Berkshire hog; 1 Tam and York sow, supposed to be in pig; 6 shoats, 4 months old; 2 oung pure-bred Yorkshire sows, supposed to be in pig; 1 young, pure-bred Yorkshire boar.

Also a full line of implements. See small bills for particulars.

Terms: All sums of \$10.00 and under, cash; over that amount eight months credit will be given on furnishing approved security or 6 p.c. per annum off for cash on credit amounts. Except Fat cow and calf which will be cash.

A. D. Gidney, W. Almas, Proprietor, Auctioneer. I. W. Kelley, Clerk.

Auction Sale

Of Real Estate. W. Almas and Son, have been instructed to sell at their auction rooms, No. 27 George street, at Brantford, on THURSDAY, FEB. 26, 1914, at 3 o'clock p.m., part of Lot No. 7, on the South Side of Marlboro Street, having a frontage on Market street of 27 feet and 66 feet on Marlboro Street, in the city of Brantford. This is a desirable corner property, consisting of 2 brick stores, Nos. 183 and 185 Market street, and dwelling apartments.

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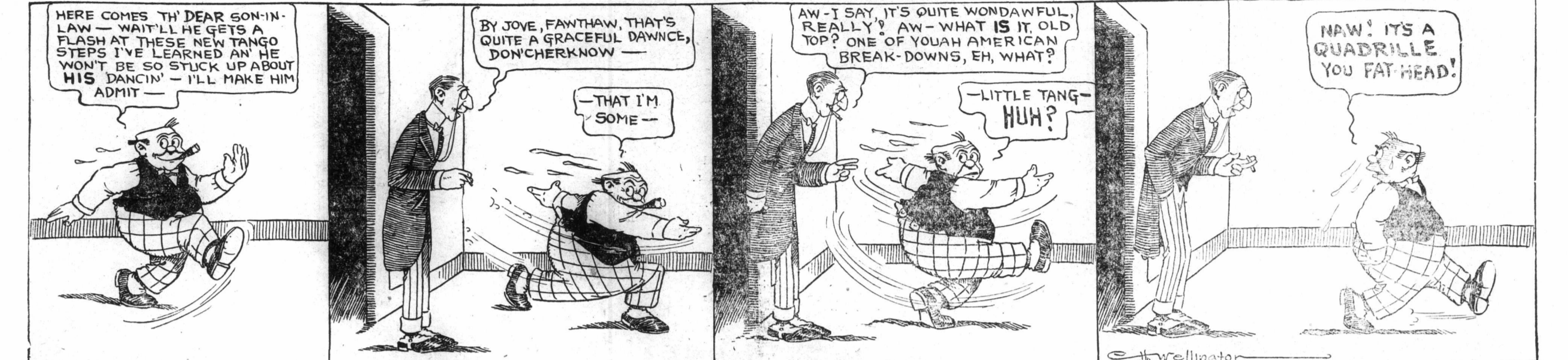
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That Son-In-Law of Pa's---By Wellington



CHARLES MURPHY OUSTED FROM CUBS

Charles P. Taft, of Cincinnati, Buys Former President of Chicago Club's Interest

CINCINNATI, Feb. 23—As a result of conferences held Saturday between Governor John K. Tener president of the National League of Professional Baseball Clubs and Mr. Charles P. Taft, Mr. Harry Ackerman and other stockholders of the Chicago National League Baseball Club an agreement has been reached by which Mr. Taft has purchased the stock of the Chicago National League Baseball Club, which has been heretofore held by Charles W. Murphy.

TIED WORLD'S RECORD.

HONOLULU, Feb. 23—Robt. Small of the Olympic Club, San Francisco, defeated the world's champion short distance swimmer, A. Duke Kahanamoku, here Saturday at 50 yards, tying the champion's world record of 23.5 seconds.

Canadian League Notes

A schedule meeting will be held shortly. Frank Shaughnessy expects that Toronto and Erie will have first division teams this season. With the training season less than two months away, Ottawa is burning up the telegraph wires to keep their champions in line.

Indoor Baseball

Friday night will see two fast indoor baseball teams clash at the Armories when the Galt London Battery team will engage with the Duffs in the first of home and home games for the inter-city championship.

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Canadian League Notes

The old time rivalry which has always existed between the pen pushers of both concerns was again in the limelight on Saturday afternoon last when both teams clashed for supremacy which ended in a victory for the play seven. The Cockshutt line up was as follows: Kew, goal; Woolman, point; McGraw, cover; Veckett, centre; Ceator, rover; Berry, right wing; Ashbury, left wing; Ed. Slattery, referee.

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CANADIAN LEAGUE DISPUTES DECIDED

National Board of Arbitration Hands Out Judgment in Several Baseball Cases.

AUBURN, N. Y., Feb. 23.—John Farrell, chairman of the National board of arbitration, gave out the following decisions, among others, relating to minor baseball: Services awarded: Robert Sterling to Peterboro, Ont., A. J. Tesch to Ottawa.

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TORONTOS ABOUT LAND STANLEY CUP

Victory Over the Montreal Canadians on Saturday, by 3-2 Means Championship

TORONTO, Feb. 23—Torontos defeated Canadians in Toronto on Saturday night by 3 to 2 and by this victory made themselves almost certain N. H. A. champions. The game was not as brilliant as some seen in this city during the present season, but was witnessed by an immense crowd.

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"WILD BILL" DONOVAN NOW GRAYS' PRESIDENT

DETROIT, Feb. 23—Wm. Donovan, manager of the Providence baseball club of the International League Saturday made its president. The announcement was made by Frank J. Navin, president of the Tigers, who has been the majority stockholder in the Providence organization.

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KIRKPATRICK SATISFIED

BALTIMORE, Feb. 23—In an open letter given out Saturday night, Enos Kirkpatrick who signed a contract with the Baltimore Federal League club announced that he would be influenced by the claim that he was the property of the Brooklyn National League Club under the reserve clause.

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NO. 23 THE PROSPERITY BUILDING

Dancing of Tango Forbidden to Canadian Roman Catholics

Archbishop Bruchesi Declares that "Unquestionably Its Author is the Spirit of Evil."

MONTREAL, Feb. 23.—In a circular letter to the faithful Roman Catholics to-day Archbishop Bruchesi describes as "bad and scandalous," and absolutely forbids the dancing of the tango.

absolutely as bad and scandalous, and I likewise forbid the other new dances which resemble it. I appeal to all truly Christian women, and I beg of them to band together against these licentious dances and the indecent fashions of the day.

Lodge Notes

Royal Templars. At the meeting of Royal Templars last week, Bro. J. T. Ham and Bro. Richmond were appointed as delegates to the Dominion Alliance conference which is being held at Toronto on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, Feb. 24-26.

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SIR WILFRID AVOIDS THE N.T.R. SCANDAL

Leaves This Question Alone in an Address to Liberals at Montreal

MONTREAL, Feb. 23.—The opening of the new quarters of the Montreal Reform Association on Saturday night was the occasion of speeches by Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir Lomer Gouin, premier of Quebec.

Sporting News

Old Country Soccer Results

LONDON, Feb. 23.—The following are the results of the football games played in Britain Saturday: English Cup—Third Round. Aston Villa 2, W. Bromwich 1.

WITHIN THE LAW

By MARVIN DANA From The Play of BAYARD VEILLER

CHAPTER XVII. The Trap That Failed. As the scornful maiden went out of the door under the escort of Cassidy, Burke bowed gallantly to her lithe back and blew a kiss from his thick finger tips in mocking reverence for her as an artist in her way.

Carson Denies Story That He is to Wed

Story of His Engagement Had Created Somewhat of a Sensation. LONDON, Feb. 23.—Sir Edward Carson, the leader of the Ulster Unionists, says the story that he is engaged to marry Miss Frewen, a niece of Moreton Frewen, the writer on economic subjects, is utterly untrue.

TO ASSIST HEALTH OFFICERS

The assistance of the agents of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company has been offered to the health officers of many cities this year in improving the sanitary conditions of their respective localities.

English League

Blackburn R. 27 15 5 7 37 Sunderland 27 12 8 6 32 Bolton Wanderers 26 11 7 8 30 Oldham A. 27 12 9 6 30

Scottish League

Dumbarton 1, Clyde 3. Morton 3, Hearts 0. Hamilton A. 1, Dundee 1.

Second Division

Notts County 29 17 6 6 30 Woolwich A. 27 15 7 5 35 Hull City 26 14 5 7 35

Scottish League

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There was no reply, and, after a little interval, the lawyer resumed his questioning.

"Did this burglar come into the room?" Dick nodded in assent. "And he attacked you?" There came another nod of affirmation.

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## Very Latest Fancies of Fashion

### "Dress up" Designs for Kiddies' Spring Clothes

By MADGE MARVEL



KIDDIE frocks are always of interest. Nowadays the small men and women have as much attention paid to the details of their dress as do their elders.

The suit shown for the little boy is intended for "dress up" wear, when he goes to parties, or to his dancing class. It is of soft velveteen in black with a deep pointed collar of lace.

The blouse is belted and loose, and the little trousers are quite short and slightly full. There are cuffs of the lace that match the collar.

His small sister wears a frock which would be serviceable for school and dresy enough for Sunday school. It is of white cashmere. The skirt is killed but not full, and the long over blouse is quite plain and fitted so as to fall a little loose over the dull red silk belt. Where it extends below the belt it is cut in deep points and outlined with heavy silk braid with a scalloped edge. There is a trim little frill of lace where the blouse fastens at the neck and a collar of Dresden design on white linen.

For more practical use this dress would be equally attractive developed in blue or rose pink.

## Advice to Girls

By Annie Laurie

Dear Annie Laurie—I'm a business girl, or at least I'm trying to be, but I don't seem to have much success somehow. I have a friend in the same line of business as I am, and every one says I am much cleverer than she is—yet she will walk right into an office when I've just gone out and put a deal through when I have failed.

All the men are very nice to me, but they always seem to want to flirt, and when I get through I find that I'm just where I started. I wonder what is the matter?

Y'OU'RE the matter my little girl—just y-o-u—that's all.

You may be pretty and attractive, but ten chances to one you are not so perfectly irresistible that no man on earth can keep from making love to you—if you want him to keep from it.

You don't want him to keep from it—you think you do, but you don't. Every time you meet a man you wonder whether he would like you or not if you'd let him; and he knows that before you have opened your mouth to speak a word.

How does he know it? Why, just the same way you know it when a man is thinking what a pretty hand you have instead of looking at the figures you are trying to write.

Which are you really interested in—tell me truly now, little girl—those figures, or the man who won't pay any attention to them?

Thoughts are things, you know. You don't have to speak them to make them the most powerful things that there are.

You can push a man away from you with your mind just as much as you can with your hand, but all the gesticulating on earth won't push him away if your mind is calling to him—at the same time.

Your friend who takes the contracts from you right under your very eyes is thinking about those contracts so hard that she makes every one else think about them, too.

A flirtatious girl never makes a success of business until she has learned to do her flirting outside of business hours.

Talk about the armor of self-respect, I never knew a woman to make a dollar of honest money in the business world till she had found out how to make her manner protect her from all sorts of little fool annoyances.

The most temperamental woman I know is a business woman. She's feminine from the crown of her head to the soles of her feet, and she has a string of beaux and admirers a quarter of a mile long—out of business hours.

The men who know her simply in her business relations think she doesn't know a thing in the world but business.

There'd a son dream of making love to the male book-keeper as to think of making eyes at her.

I call that woman a success—both in business and out of it.

She puts on an armor of a sort of common sense—how are you this morning, well, now let's get to work manner that carries her right over all the little difficulties a woman who doesn't know how is sure to meet when she has to deal with strange men day after day.

Learn how, little girl, learn how—it's worth while. But you must begin by teaching your own mind to behave.

Annie Laurie

Miss Laurie will welcome letters of inquiry on subjects of feminine interest from young women readers of this paper and will reply to them in these columns. They should be addressed to her care this office.

## Daddy's Good Night Story

By GEORGE HENRY SMITH

PETER POSSUM gave the Woodland school bell a final jerk which almost upset it. Then he took his seat.

"Now, my dears," began Miss Rabbit. "You remember Billy Bunny and Willie Squirrel were quarrelling the other day. Billy couldn't see through Willie's tail and Willie couldn't see through Billy's ears. I have asked Billy to write an essay about Willie's tail and he will read it. Attention, now. Billy, you may stand up and read."

Billy Bunny stood up and began:

"Willie Squirrel's Tail.

"Once upon a time there was a very beautiful Squirrel who lived in the woods. He was very beautiful except for his tail. It was behind him where he couldn't see it, so he never knew how ugly it was.

"This little Squirrel was always up to mischief and his tail was always in the way.

"He was sitting on a fence one day when a man drove by in a wagon. The man looked at the fence, but he couldn't see the scenery for four miles because of the Squirrel's tail.

"At school the school-boys couldn't see the blackboard for this Squirrel's tail.

"This Squirrel's name, including his tail, was Willie. If he hadn't had such a big tail, he might have been called Will.

"Some people say that Squirrels long ago had large, beautiful ears like Rabbits, but that they became too proud and their big ears became a tail. That is why they have such small ears now."

With that Billy Bunny sat down.

Willie Squirrel jumped up in his place and said:

"Teacher, I want to change my essay about Billy Bunny's ears. I'll read it tomorrow. I want to make it stronger."

"Very well," said Miss Roberta Rabbit with a smile.

## HER VALENTINE :: By Michelson



ALL the dainty paper, all the splashes of golden and azure and violet color in the world wouldn't make the valentine she is thinking of.

There is only one bit of magic that ever happened from which you could weave that valentine of her thought. That is the magic of the HEART.

It does happen. That REAL one man could come to whisper the one word that is older than valentines, though different men in different lands and different ages have spelled it differently.

MY valentine, mind you! Not anybody's piffle on paper, but MY best guess, MY best wish and hope, MY life devotion, MY dreams come true.

## She Who Is Too Good to Work

By WINIFRED BLACK



SHE'S engaged to a man who thinks women are too good to work, and she's so pleased about it that she makes you stand on windy corners and listen to the whole story.

I met her this morning, the pretty thing, as rosy as a May apple, and with eyes as blue as the summer skies, when they are the way they ought to be.

Poor little thing—she did look so happy—she's walking in a kind of dream, and thinks that she's never going to wake up.

"He says that it makes him fairly ill to think of a woman struggling in this great big world—all alone."

"He says a woman ought never to lift her finger; she just ought to look pretty and be happy and have everything she wants all the time. He won't even let me button my own glove or tie my own veil—says he doesn't believe in it, and when I'm married I'm to have my own maid to do every single little thing for me; and he's going to think for me and take care of me, and I'm never to go out of the house if it rains, or is too cold, or anything—oh, it's just like a beautiful dream."

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**The Real Need.**  
"What do you regard as the greatest need of the times?"  
"An automobile worth \$2000 that can be sold for \$200."

**Where Trouble Lies**  
"Do you think eating cheap cuts of meat will solve the food problem?"  
"It might if durability instead of quality were the requisite of a steak."

**Matter of Economy.**  
"New automobile factories are springing up every day."  
"Yes, men are finding it is cheaper to build cars than to buy them."

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**Anatomical Evidence.**  
"First Boarder—I believe our landlady has experienced a change of heart."  
"Nuttin'," said his companion. "I didn't find my way into de house."

**The Proper Term.**  
"He—Some of these days I shall have a brain storm and ask you to marry me. She—That will not be a brain storm, that will be a case of exaggerated ego."

**A Real Confession**  
"I wonder why she says that he 'confesses' his love?"  
"I guess he must have been married at the time."

**No Find.**  
"Wot did ye find in her pocket?" asked one pickpocket.  
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## Secrets of Health and Happiness

### Is Mind More Potent Than Physical Senses?

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DISCUSS mind and matter as you may, the cat will mew, the dog will have his day. These are the pithy sayings, when every third man and every other woman you meet tell you exactly "the power of the mind over matter." Yet, were you to pause in your amused ramble long enough to ask these "suggesters," "mental influencers" and "absent treaters" exactly to define "matter" and "mind," they would begin to wobble and go groggy. Then, in the season of their discomfiture they would fall back upon the mouldy, reeking, world-old platitude, which some black-faced minstrel sprang upon the tolerant Thales some thousands of years ago:

"Quoth he, 'What is mind?'"

Scapegoat—"No matter."  
Babylonian wag—"What is matter?"

Goal—"Never mind."

Perhaps Prof. Sir J. J. Thomson, Sir William Ramsay and Prof. Soddy, Rutherford, Wood and the others in their newest researches upon the structure of the atom, will admit that Aristotle and Thomas Aquinas were right in ages ago. These once discredited philosophers practically said that prime matter was mortal and lay beneath the configuration of atoms.

Nature is Active.  
Very good. Let the ultra-ancients and the radical moderns agree. Now then can "mind" affect matter? The answer rests with the truth that everything in nature is active. As Erasmus insisted, "de sun sho do move," and so does everything. All the forces of life and non-life interlock and interact. The destruction of the Titanic and the slides of the Colera, cut, however, prove that man is more like God and Magog, Hercules and Pantagruel than like the clay and airy "matter" of the over-matter' emotionalists would have you believe.

Let us see. Fear is an emotion. Not even the most militant anti-vitalist or sentimentalist will deny that. Envy, jealousy, malice, hatred, fright and anger are all emotions. If the united researches of experimental psychology, physiology and chemistry is worth anything, the results of these investigations all show that bunches of matter cause all of these manifestations of mind.

In other words, the very instruments of these tantalizing, hypnotizing, scandalizing sentimentalists, their worries, fears, angers and exaltations are all due to an output of definite, tangible, concrete fluids.

Have you ever noted the look of fright? The eyes stare and almost pop from the head, nervous tremors, quakings and beads of perspiration stand out on the forehead.

Matter Influences Mind.  
It is caused by an extra outpouring of the thyroid fluids from the little bunch of this thyroid tissue when it overworks causes a "goitre" or tumor which surges the neck, this same mass is removed from calves and swine and sold as medicine. Fine. Taken to excess it produces the emotion of fright, with palpitating pulse, tremblings, popping eyes and cold sweats.

This is called a "hormone." There are several of these hormones, each a source of some emotion, such as fear, anger, excitement, tenseness, anxiety and the like.

Now, where is that universal delusion about mind over matter? As a matter of fact it's the other way around. Matter actually changes your mind.

DAUGHTER—My mother always tells me to "stand up straight," but she never tells me how. Kindly tell me what to do.

Throw your chest forward and your shoulders backward. Even a bit of a swayback is better than stooping shoulders. Hold the hips back and always breathe in thoroughly long draws breaths.

C. S.—Are shoes run down at the heels bad for the health?

To speak precisely, no. Since, however, a man is judged by his associations and a girl by her feet, it is better to sacrifice one meal and have even balanced, good looking, symmetrical heels to your shoes.

B. J.—My complexion is in very good condition, but I wish you would tell me just what I should do to keep it so.

Plenty of water, inside and out. Life in the fresh air, the following of a sensible diet, a great deal of exercise and sufficient sleep are necessary if you would keep your complexion perfect.

Dr. Hirshberg will answer questions of readers of the paper on medical, hygienic and sanitation subjects that are of general interest. He will not undertake to prescribe or offer advice for individual cases. Where the subject is not of general interest letters will be answered personally if a stamped and addressed envelope is enclosed. Address all inquiries to Dr. L. K. Hirshberg, care this office.

## Said by Wise Men

Fear nothing so much as sin and your moral heroism is complete.—C. Simmons.  
A crowd always thinks with its sympathies, never with its reason.—W. R. Alger.  
There are two freedoms: the false, where the man is free to do what he likes; the true, where a man is free to do what he ought.—Kingsley.  
He who has health has hope; and he who has hope has everything.—Arabian.  
Educate men without religion and you make them but clever devils.—Wellington.  
Ovid finely compares a man of broken fortune to a falling column; the lower it sinks the greater weight it is obliged to sustain.—Goldsmith.

## The Kind of Girl a Man Likes

BY NORVELL ELLIOTT

THE theatre was beginning to buzz with the laughter and chatter of the early comers who realized they had 15 minutes to wait before the curtain rose. It was the first night of Grand Opera and "Lohengrin" was the offering. My bachelor friend had secured our favorite seats—lith row front—and we, together with the early comers, were passing the time discussing the people about us.

"Ethel Tucker is positively beautiful this evening!" I exclaimed, as a young girl, followed by an elderly woman and two young men, entered one of the lower boxes.

"Ethel is a pretty girl, very pretty; but Eleanor Russell is radiant. Take a look at her, lass. Did you ever see a beauty which Ethel does not have, answered my bachelor friend, seriously.

"Ethel and Eleanor are both typical society girls, representing as they do the two types existing in every group of social life. Some men enjoy Ethel's kind, others follow Eleanor. As a rule, I have noticed the men who marry an Ethel are young men of new money, who are chiefly young in their lives and never did a serious piece of work. Generally they are dissipated to boot. More serious minded men like Eleanor, but in the end her kind of a girl marries a pretty decent fellow. He may not be deliriously wealthy, but he will have convictions of his own—convictions and the strength to live up to them. Yet, on the surface, Ethel and Eleanor apparently attract the men who visit them for the self-same reason. They are both vivacious, carefree, fond of flowers and chocolates—in fact, are what is generally meant by the term 'society girl.' Men like society girls because their very frivolity is a change from the business or professional life followed by the men. They accept her society as a pastime—she is a toy, delightful and refreshing, with which to pass the evening.

"Naturally these girls marry in time—the Ethel girl to her kind of man, the Eleanor girl to hers. And between them there is all the difference in the world. Eleanor has a depth of her own, a certain firmness of purpose, a vision, an ideal. She may laugh with you and dance with you, and even go so far as to flirt with the man who is caught in her meshes; but in the end she comes up true blue. Her ideas are not warped, as are Ethel's. She believes in the sacredness of marriage and true romance.

"The society girl has her place in the great scheme of life, and it's all with the individual, how great a place it shall be. She may be satisfied at being an Ethel, but I, from a more man's view point, thank God for the Eleanor scattered about here and there in the collection.

"I glanced at Ethel, Gaiety she continued to chat with the somewhat shallow youth behind her, now and then according to her friends, a perfectly conscious of the attention she was attracting. Then my eyes wandered to Eleanor, leaning slightly forward, her hands idly folded in her lap, a dreamy expression in her big eyes. She was totally unconscious of her surroundings. Truly she was the girl who could see visions and dream dreams.

ENGLISH LADIES ARE FORCED TO WORK FOR SMALL PAY

Benevolent Institutions Are Perverted Into Sweating Schemes.

LONDON, Feb. 23 Recent revelations of sweating among the poor of London have failed to direct public attention to the exploitation of women by men who run businesses or industries where "only gentle-women are employed."

One of the largest and most important employers of gentewomen's labor is a syndicate which runs an "agricultural guild for ladies."

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as large profit as they can out of the sweated labor of the women they employ. It is a rule of the guild that each lady employed must have at private income of \$150 per annum, and give a year's service free; subsequently their wages average from \$1.25 to \$2.00 a week.

Among the employed at the guild are a cousin of the Duchess of Portland and a relative of the Marquis of Waterford. In the early days of the guild the women employed by it were mainly engaged in branches of agriculture particularly suitable for gentewomen, such as buttermaking, and making up the butter for market, tending fowl, etc.

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It was not then run on commercial lines; that is to say it was not run with a view to making a profit. The managers of the guild were satisfied if they made their expenses. But the control of the institution has since passed into other hands who run it evidently with a view to making a

market in steadily increasing numbers are mainly the daughters or widows of impoverished landed aristocrats. They are of all classes the least well equipped for the struggle of existence. They come of a class which the course of economic evolution in England is surely sweeping out of existence. In another hundred years or less the gentewomen in the labor market will have forgotten all about their ancient birth and traditions; they will have passed into the ranks of the propertyless workers and will be selling their labor at the highest market rates they can obtain for it and in their last state they are now.

Berlin and Waterloo authorities have decided to form a joint high school district.

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BRITISH NEWS VIA THE MAIL BAG

Drowned in a Barrel. An aged woman Margaret Murphy of Glasgow, Castlebridge, co. Wexford in lifting a pair of water out of a barrel was discovered half an hour afterwards dead. There were only six inches of water in the barrel.

Marriage Hint. In his annual report to the congregation of Dungeness Presbyterian Church the secretary said that no "marriage had been solemnized during the year and he hoped the young men would see that the ceremony did not become obsolete.

An Expensive Ass. "I have a sled, your honor, but the old ass gets out in spite of me. He has cost me more in fines than would buy a pony," said Jane Emmett, Finglas, amid laughter, when she was fined 1s. at Drumconra Sessions for allowing an ass, her property, to stray on the public road.

Election Wedding Present. At the recent urban election in Ballymena Mr. H. Lancashire, returned for the Town Hall Ward, promised a handsome wedding present to the first couple to be married in the ward. The gift was claimed by, and awarded to Mr. J. Brown, Clarence Place, and Miss Harland, Mill-row.

Gael's Death at Sea. When the body of a popular Gael named Doyle, who died on the voyage from America, reached Ballywilliam, co. Wexford, it was met by a large concourse of people, including a body of Gaels, who marched in procession to the cemetery. He wrote home prior to starting from America, but on nearing the Irish coast he died.

Vicero as Tea-Maker. The Lord Lieutenant (the Earl of Aberdeen) delivered a lecture on "The Art of Making Good Tea" at an entertainment held in the Banba Hall, Rutland-square, Dublin. He gave a practical demonstration of his views on the subject, which was followed with a good deal of interest by a large audience.

Aged Lady Burned to Death. Miss Homan, a lady stated to have reached her ninety-ninth year, has died as the result of a fire which occurred in her house in Drumcooley. Smoke was seen issuing from the house, and, when an entrance was effected Miss Homan—who lived with a sister, also an elderly lady—was found to have been almost suffocated.

New County Court Judge. The County Court judgeship of King's County, Longford, Meath, and West Meath, vacant owing to the resignation of Judge Curran, K. C., from the County Court judgeship of counties Cavan and Leitrim, and the vacancy thereby created will be filled by the appointment of Mr. W. H. Brown, K. C.

Nurse Takes Baby Away. A fifteen-year-old nurse girl named Lily Simm, in service at Darwen, became so infatuated with the baby of the house that she decided to take the child to her own home at Burnley. She got into the wrong train however, and was found in a waiting room at Victoria Station, Manchester, with the sleeping infant in her arms. The parents of the child were communicated with by the police and the infant restored to its home.

Son-in-Law's Tragic Confession. A shocking discovery was made in a house at Armaugh, Balhousie, occupied by a widower of about thirty-five named Michael Greally and his father-in-law, an old man named Ruane. The older man was found lying on the floor of his bedroom, his head so dreadfully battered as to make his features almost unrecognizable, and beside him lay a heavy pounder besmeared with blood. In the kitchen the younger man was found with his throat cut and a blood-stained razor beside him.

There is little hope of Ruane recovering but Greally has rallied somewhat, and though he can't speak is stated to have written the words: "I have done the deed," on a paper given him by a constable. Greally's wife died some time ago, and it is understood that there was a disagreement between the two men in regard to a proposed second marriage.

Stock-taking Reveals a surplus in certain lines of China and Crochery. Watch our windows for prices that should lead to very quick sales. VANSTONE'S CHINA HALL. THE TEA POT INN. "TEA AS YOU LIKE IT" 134 Dalhousie Street

Boxer Robbed. At Graveside on Monday Frederick Miller, who was charged with stealing a diamond pin belonging to Sid Burns, the boxer, on the liner Orsava was bound over. The defunct was that Miller took the pin to liquidate a supposed debt.

Garden City's Police Court. Leitchworth Garden City is now considered large enough to possess its own police-court, and the Herts County Council on Monday sanctioned the erection of a court-house. Four Leitchworth residents have been made J. P.'s.

V. C. as a Striker. Included in Blackburn's 400 municipal strikers are over 100 Army recruits. One of the number, James Pitts, was awarded the Victoria Cross for his gallantry in an exposed position at Caesar's Camp during the siege of Ladysmith.

Lognmoor Camp Closed. Owing to the decision to abolish mounted infantry in the British Army, the mounted infantry camp at Lognmoor practically closed on Monday. It will be converted into a cavalry camp for regiments coming home from South Africa.

New Vice Chancellor. At a meeting of the senate of Durham University the Rev. Henry Ged D. D., master of University College and Chaplain-in-Ordinary to his Majesty, was appointed vice-chancellor, in succession to Sir George Harcourt Phillipson, whose term of office has expired.

Clamouring for Lard. Eleven head of cattle were driven from the Bloomfield farm, near Ballyntogher, co. Sligo, belonging to Colonel Wood-Martin. Notices were posted on the gates stating that the drive would be continued until the land was divided among the small tenants.

£92,000 for Coinc Trams. Mr. A. J. Ram, K. C., arbitrator of the purchase of the local tramways by the Colne Corporation, on Monday night gave his award. The tramway company had asked £170,000, the corporation offered £27,000. The arbitrator's award was for £92,000.

Assizes Without Judges. The Devon Assizes opened at Exeter on Monday without judges. Mr. English Harrison, K. C., acted as Commissioner in place of Mr. Justice Buckley, and Mr. J. A. Hawke, K. C., recorder of Plymouth, sat instead of Mr. Justice Lawrence, who contracted a heavy cold.

Rush for £60 a Year. Bowland District Council have received thirty-three applications for the position of assistant surveyor at a salary of £60 a year. The successful candidate will be required to provide his own bicycle, and supervise 150 miles of road. The area of the district is over 80,000 acres.

Four-legged Chicken. A Plymouth Rock cockerel with four fully developed legs, bred by Mr. S. H. Wilson, of Highfield Mill, was sold by auction in Salisbury Market for 3s. At Mr. R. Moore's farm at Great Wilbraham, Cambs, a duck has been hatched with four legs and is still living.

Officer Reprimanded. At a Devonport court-martial on Tuesday Acting Lieut. Douglas Geo. Jeffrey, of the light cruiser Bellona, was ordered to be severely reprimanded for hazing the crew of the King Alfred last July when a collision occurred between the warship and the Spanish steamer Umbe.

Death in Signal Box. A signalman named Allen died immediately after arriving for duty at the signalbox at Worthing, near Basingstoke, on the London and South-Western Railway, on Sunday afternoon. The man whom he had relieved had not left the box, so that the danger of a disaster was averted.

Fox Leaps Forty Feet. An unusual incident marked a run with the Cheshire Hounds on Monday. A fox found at Eccleston, when pressed, got on to the railway and jumped from the viaduct, a distance of forty feet. He was unhurt, but only escaped suicide to die when the hounds got up to him at the Elworth Boneworks.

Tramcar Wrecked. An alarming tram accident occurred in Dublin on Saturday night. A large double-decked car proceeding from Dublin to Oakley left the rails at the corner of Marionsquare, and overturned. Fifteen passengers received injuries sufficiently serious to necessitate their removal to hospital. On arrival several were found to be unconscious. Six others were also hurt. The passengers on the top deck were the most seriously injured. The car left the rails at the points. It was completely wrecked.

Returning From a Wake. Mary McGoan, aged seventy, of Dreenan, co. Donegal, was returning at a late hour with her daughter from the wake of a relative in the district. The night being very dark the daughter carried a lamp, which was blown out by the wind, and the pair became separated. The old woman in the darkness lost her way and fell into a drain. She succeeded in extricating herself, but, not knowing her whereabouts, crossed a field and stumbled over a stone into another drain, where she perished.

AERONAUTS IN THE BRITISH ARMY ARE MAKING STRIDES

Faster, Safer and Better Aircraft will be Built This Year.

LONDON, Feb. 23—The early days of last year, which gave indications of remarkable progress in British aeronautics, were occupied with the almost universal discussion of a series of monoplane accidents which led to the whole of the monoplanes of the Royal Flying Corps being withdrawn from active use and held up as a war reserve pending their replacement.

Unduly influenced by the truly wonderful performances of French "recoiled men" without, perhaps, differentiating sufficiently between "recoiled" breaking and practical flying, or contrasting the facilities of the plans of France with the difficulties of the hedgebound fields of England, our manufacturers, with few exceptions, had concentrated upon monoplane construction.

Big Advances in One Year. As a training this was useful, since the problem is even more difficult than that of the biplane, the doubling, construction of which could be carried out on the well known principles of the girder bridge.

According to the advisory committee for aeronautics proposed that the strength of all wing construction should thenceforth be made adequate independently of wires referred to the landing chassis—an almost universal disposition in monoplanes—everything conducted so strongly to a revival of the biplane that the sentimental objection to its less birdlike form was thrown over, though not without protest.

Last January there could have been found no biplane anywhere (except the British army's own design) which could achieve seventy-four miles an hour and forty miles an hour alighting speed—the standard performance of to-day—and no monoplane made in England which could achieve either the upper or the lower limit. Now, a year later, no fewer than seven constructors are making their biplanes successfully to army design, and two others are obtaining analogous results with designs of their own.

Study of the Weather. The study of clouds and weather—as important to a general in the future as a knowledge of map reading—has so far made no progress whatever. It is a vast science, strenuously worked upon by an inadequately financed meteorological office, an organization which yields reports and prophecies that are remarkable enough under the adverse conditions, but is useless for war purposes.

Ruses and devices for misleading aircraft reconnaissance have been, so far as known, strangely disregarded. It should not be impossible to make sham guns of inflated cloth, dummy tents, and painted baggage wagons; such matters should not be regarded as unworthy of attention or as useless hamper to a small expeditionary force like ours. Whether that very smallness is not a reason for simulating a larger store of weapons or for using guile where force does not exist should be seriously considered.

If we have stored ammunition which requires to be protected from aerial attack, one of the best forms of protection is the institution of imitation stores in such quantities that the real store could not be identified except with secret knowledge. It is to be hoped that this year will produce something of the kind, while people in general remain unaware that it has been done.

Value in Scout Service. Perhaps the most significant of all aeronautical facts brought to light

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During the last year is the enormous distances over which ships, men of war, or merchantmen can be seen, counted and even identified by scouts in the air on clear days. Over the North Sea, with its almost permanent fog and cloudbank, this does not hold but elsewhere on a fine, clear day a seaplane at a few thousand feet can count battleships and locate them 40 miles off—that is to say, where no artillery can or is ever likely to be able to strike them.

The moral is that war in the air must precede any attempt at surprise—a nation ill equipped with fast cruisers can replace their scouting value by air craft without risk and at one-hundredth part of the expense and that long range air craft may have an enormous value.

Progress in Engine Making. If in the evolution of British engines the story of the last year is far less rosy, there is no doubt of the prospects of advance in 1914. Of significant aeronautical engines there were at the beginning of 1913 but two whereas no fewer than 35 British engines have been entered for the aeroplane engine competition to be held this year.

Great motor car firms, builders of engines for motor boats, engineering concerns of the first magnitude, have all taken up the light engine. A conscientious attempt to embody British engines in airships, where weight was not so finely cut, has led in the past to much delay in our Beta, Gamma and Delta, while side by side with them aeroplanes and airships equipped with foreign engines were making very remarkable trips.

It was not till the Beta and Gamma were re-equipped with French engines that they could achieve their eight hours' acceptance trials, and the Delta alone of the trio effected its acceptance trials with an engine of home manufacture.

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By-Laws Necessary at Last Night It is Now U People of T to Decisions Prov

At the meeting of the last night the Street chase by-law went through its colors and the vote on the proposition "It is now up to the Mayor Spence, "This is its part in the litigation and in the place before the people in I believe the people with the issue." The two by-laws the same polling places as in January.

Assumes the Mo Thus far no mention of the \$125,000 gift held by the Canadian Electric Company against Street Railway proper, assumes the road, if it plan of the civic authority this mortgage and carry HAS 18 YEARS TO mortgagees are content assume such mortgage, the value of the property increased greatly and the be secure. The Courier this with authority, all not discussed in any Council proceedings last

What It Me The ordinary rates ask what the purchase Railway means in the wed taxation. If the purchase by-law is carried, it will mean it and sinking fund every years the city will be out \$16,000. The figure in the by-law last made up as follows: \$12,150; sinking fund \$4,850. Total amount 1914. THIS AMOUNT IS A MILL ON PAR IN THE TAX R A Big Ques The Street Railway looms up at once as the ical question Brantf in many years. It is whether a mill on the tax rate would more the interests of the c for good service to populated districts, s View, Eagle Place an 40rd, which have been communication quick the heart of the city. There are open ques an to Brantford's future, street railway problem chance for all. To the Brantford is going to the village state, the dea' might look like ju iron and a lot of mon To those who believe ting the franchise bac