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LONDON ELECTRIC WILL FIGHT IF THE CITY PUSHES ITS CLAIM

Decision Given in Ottawa in Regard to the Electric Companies Is Said to Have a Most Important Bearing Upon the Situation in London.

The London Electric Company have been notified by the city regarding the height of their poles, and the matter will be taken up with the board of directors at once.

Mr. C. B. Hunt, manager of the company, would give no idea of the line of action contemplated, but it is evident that there will be something definite done soon.

The company will probably wait until the city takes the first step, and then there will be a course mapped out to follow.

A gentleman in close touch with the London Electric made the statement this afternoon that they had a good case against the city on question of stringing wires. He pointed out that a decision was given by Mr. Justice McMahon, in the case of the Ottawa Electric Company and the Consumers' Electric Company, the city corporation on the same line.

Equal Right.

According to that judgment both companies had an equal right to the streets, but the first company doing business had the prior claim, and consequently the second company must string their wires three feet from each side of the poles. In other words the cross-arm carrying the wires would have to be more than seven feet across to carry the wires.

Applying this judgment to the local situation, it would mean that the city will have to string their wires three feet each side of the London Electric poles. This will mean considerable additional expense and will also mean great difficulty in handling and operation.

It will seriously interfere with many trees in certain sections of the city.

Important Judgment.

The judgment is considered of much importance to the company, and it is practically certain that they will take out an injunction.

As for the height of poles the company, it is stated, will wait until the city obtains an order from the hydro-electric commissioners regarding that matter. Now that this body has tagen over the inspection of the electric business of the province, they will have to give an order. Against that there is no appeal except a penalty is placed on the company.

Then an appeal can be made against the penalty, and the whole question, with its different aspects will in that manner become a question for the courts to settle.

The company claim that the city by-law is liable to two constructions, and hint that they are not afraid of the legal entanglements.

"We will refer the city's notice regarding the poles to our board of directors," said Mr. Hunt. "I have nothing whatever to say regarding it."

GROUNDS FOR FAIR AND CAMP WOULD GOVERNMENT ASSIST?

Matter Is Now Under Consideration and It Is Said Ottawa Authorities Will Be Communicated With—A Joint Site Is Now Being Talked of.

The question of new grounds for the Western Fair, and for militia purposes in London will be taken up shortly with the Dominion Government.

Already some move has been made in this direction.

A conference of those interested in the proposition will be held very soon.

The idea is to secure some 200 or 300 acres of land in close proximity to the city, and there erect suitable buildings for the Western Fair, and also provide grounds for the annual camp. It is thought that there is much property available for this purpose at a reasonable figure.

Government Would Assist.

"I am convinced that the Government would assist us in this," said a well-known businessman today. "There is need of settling this matter of the annual camp. The present grounds are inadequate, and while other places offer certain advantages, London is the proper place for it, and it will be necessary to obtain more room. If we went to the Government with a proposition to purchase this land, and erect the buildings, I am certain that they would do something for us, and help us along. It is well worth trying. We want more room for the fair, and we can finance the deal easily."

STOLEN WHITE LEAD WAS SOLD TO HARDWARE MAN'S BROTHER

Christopher Haggner Appeared to Have Had It in for the Young Family—Appeared in Court Today and Pleaded Guilty—Remanded for Sentence.

Christopher Haggner, the young German from Ohio, who was arrested by Detective Thomas Nickle on Wednesday night in connection with swindling Cowan & Co. and John E. Young, local hardware dealers, out of 400 pounds of white lead, was committed for trial by Acting Magistrate Beattie at the police court this morning.

Subsequently Haggner appeared before Judge Elliott at the court house, and pleaded guilty to both charges laid against him, and was remanded until March 30, when sentence will be imposed.

This Was Nervy.

A very peculiar coincidence in connection with the theft is that Haggner after obtaining the lead from John E. Young started to drive out the Hamilton road to Dorchester, and near the White bridge met a brother of Mr. Young and sold him the entire 100 pounds which he had received only a short time before.

The Evidence.

Thomas Jones, of Cowan's hardware, stated that on Wednesday last he received a 'phone message asking the price of white lead. A figure was quoted, and witness was told it was Lewis Bros. speaking. He was asked to send 300 pounds of lead to 498 King street.

The lead was sent up by Charles Tilton, one of the firm's teamsters.

It was valued at $19 50.

Mr. Tilton, in the box, said he delivered the lead at 498 King street, according to instructions. He found the house empty. Witness saw a man walking up and down, and later saw him sitting on the boulevard. Again he saw him go up and try the door.

Witness was almost certain Haggner was the man, although he was dressed differently. Haggner told them there was a big row because the paint wasn't there sooner. Witness left the paint at the back door in a shed.

Job For Paint.

Floyd Chapman stated that on Tuesday afternoon Haggner came around and said he would give witness and some other boys a nickel if they would carry some paint from 498 King street to where he would show them.

Witness went with Haggner and found a number of cans of paint there. Haggner went with Chapman and another boy named White, and they took the paint to a lane on King street, just west of Colborne.

Selling it at Dorchester.

John B. McNiven, undertaker at Dorchester, said he saw Haggner on Wednesday last when he drove to Dorchester with a horse and buggy and wanted to sell some white lead. Haggner said he had 400 pounds to sell. Haggner told witness that he and his brother had bought large quantities of lead early in the season. He said it was Robertson's brand.

Mr. Jones, recalled, stated that the lead sent up was Robertson's brand.

Mr. Young's Evidence.

Mr. John E. Young said on Tuesday last he was telephoned to send 400 pounds of lead to 498 King street for Lewis brothers. One hundred pounds was sent up to the house, as the wagon was too heavily loaded with other goods to carry more, and the lead was Tiger brand.

Samuel Essery, a teamster for Mr. Young, said he delivered 100 pounds of lead as he was directed, and arrived there at 6.30. There was no one there an witness thought maybe he had gone to the wrong place and drove away.

When he was about half a block away he heard someone calling, and on going back Haggner told him he had been waiting a pretty long time for the paint. Haggner told him to take it in behind and leave it there, and witness did so. Haggner at the time had on working clothes.

Haggner's Arrest.

Detective Thomas Nickle stated that he arrested Haggner on Wednesday evening. On Thursday morning the prisoner admitted that he had sent in the telephone orders, but had done so at the suggestion of another person unknown to him, but for whom he had bought a meal. He said he had sold it to a man out near the White bridge, on the Hamilton road.

Sold it to Brother.

Mr. Young, a brother of John E. Young, the hardware man, who bought the paint from Haggner, was unable to be present, but Acting Magistrate Beattie committed Haggner for trial at the next sessions on the evidence before him.

Fined for Assault.

William Black, a young man residing on Wellington street, was fined $2 and $2.85 costs by Magistrate Beattie this morning, for assaulting Andrew Hardy, a fellow workman. Mabel Thompson was charged by her roommate, Annie Lawler, with theft. It is alleged that some articles of clothing were taken. The case was adjourned for a week.

BOY INJURED IN FALL FROM WAGON

A Serious Accident to Walter Crundwell of May Street.

HAD VERY CLOSE CALL

Feared for a Time That He Would Not Recover—Suffers from Concussion.

Walter Crundwell, the 14-year-old son of Mr. W. W. Crundwell, 1063 Mary street, had a narrow escape from death this morning, when thrown from a delivery rig on Dundas street. He is suffering from a slight concussion of the brain, and his body is badly bruised, but he will recover.

The lad had been to the library changing a book. On his way back, he ran after a delivery rig, and climbed in. He sat beside the driver, and talked with him. When the other side of Waterloo street, the driver turned sharply to avoid a street car. The sudden jar threw the lad head-first from the rig. He alighted on his head and shoulders, falling between the wheels.

Run Over By Wagon.

Before the rig could be stopped, the boy was run over. He was picked up unconscious and carried into Dr. J. B. Campbell's office. The ambulance was called, and he was taken to Victoria Hospital.

On examination it was found that his head was bruised considerably, and that there was a slight concussion. One eye was completely closed and bruised, and his body was bruised in several places.

It was feared at first that he was suffering from internal injuries, but a complete examination showed that the wheels passed over his hips, bruising them badly.

A Peculiar Accident.

"It was a peculiar accident, and the boy was fortunate to come out of it so well," said Dr. Campbell. "At first I thought he was badly injured, but on a thorough examination, he was found to be not badly hurt."

STAFF PERSONNEL COMES UP NEXT

Victoria Hospital Is Now Closed to All Save Doctors of the Institution.

TALK OF SPECIAL WARD

Mayor Beattie Still Insists That the Change Is a Mistake — Trustees Will Soon Deal With Staff.

The public wards of Victoria Hospital have now been closed to all physicians save those on the hospital staff, and the next matter to be taken up by the trust is the personnel of the staff

Mayor Beattie mentioned the subject at the meeting of the hospital trust, and from what can be learned since the trustees will deal with this question in the very near future.

The appointments to the staff are made in April or May, and in the meantime, there will probably be some changes.

May Be Changes.

Some of the members of the staff have been on for many years, and there is apparently some desire among the medical men that these positions, now of considerable value from a practitioner's standpoint, be passed around to others of the physicians of London.

A number of medical men throughout the city are agitating at the present time for a change, and it is quite likely that it will be made.

Mistake, Says Mayor.

Mayor Beattie insists still that it was a mistake to close the wards without inserting a proviso that no patient will be subjected to a clinic without his or her consent.

The common law, to his mind, does not cover the case sufficiently, and there is a possibility of the privilege being abused.

Some arrangements will be made, no doubt, to take care of the patients who are able to pay, say 50 cents a day, twoards their keep, and it is likely that a special ward will be fitted up to handle these cases.

ARKANSAS MOB LYNCHES A NEGRO

Pine Bluff, Ark., March 25.—Resenting alleged improper conduct on the part of "Judge" Jones, a negro, and a young white woman, a mob of 40 men gathered at the county jail here late tonight, overpowered the jailer and his deputies, and secured and hanged the negro. The mob then dispersed.

A GOOD OUTLOOK SAYS DUN'S REVIEW

R. G. Dun & Co.'s trade report, of London, Ont., March 25, 1910, says: Wholesalers report satisfactory spring shipments, and the volume of business is likely to exceed that of last year. Retail trade is looking up, and the general outlook is satisfactory. Building prospects have improved during the past month, and dealers in hardware and builders' supplies report a good demand. Financial conditions are unchanged, one small assignment being the only failure reported, money being plentiful and payments well met.

BITTEN BY MUZZLED DOG.

Toronto, March 26.—Three-year-old Johnny Philips, 60 Prospect street, was bitten on the nose by an unknown muzzled dog yesterday afternoon while he was playing on the street in front of his home. He was taken to the General Hospital at once for Pasteur treatment.

A Precedent in Slander Cases

Decision has been given in the case of Mrs. Thomas Morley against J. H. Patrick, which was heard before Mr. Justice Sutherland at the weekly high court last Saturday. This is a sequel to the slander suit which will be tried at the assizes..

The action was one to compel the defendant to definitely state who was the person described as a "lady friend" in a letter written to the plaintiff's husband.

On his examination for discovery the defendant has refused to state to whom it was he referred.

The judgment in the case was that the defendant must answer the question at one day's notice and at his own cost.

The decision is of importance in that it is the first on the point given in this country. By this decision the precedent is set, that in a libel action where one of the parties uses such terms, that it may be uncertain to whom he refers, he must on state whom it is that the indefinite terms refer to.

WOMAN BRINGS SUIT AGAINST J. H. PATRICK FOR SLANDER ASKS FOR $1,000 DAMAGES

Charges That Certain Statements Derogatory to Her Character Were Made in a Letter Sent to Her Husband—Defendant Denies the Interpretation Placed Upon the Language Used.

Mr. H. B. Elliot, of this city, has been appointed crown prosecutor for the coming assizes, which open on March 29th.

There is so far only one criminal case entered for hearing, being that of William Henry, charged with criminal assault.

There are at present 14 jury cases awaiting settlement. One more case having been added today. This with one non-jury case make a total of 15 to be considered at the coming session.

Alleged Slander.

The case entered this morning is that of Emma Morley, the wife of Thomas Morley, a farmer of Biddulph township, who brings action against J. H. Patrick, of London township, claiming that on March 16th the defendant falsely and maliciously wrote and published certain statements concerning the plaintiff in a letter to the plaintiff's husband. She therefore makes claim for $1,000 damage.

The defendant, on the other hand, denies the interpretation of the statements, as made by the plaintiff, and claims also that such statements were made on a privileged occasion and without malice.

Mr. T. W. Scandrett, for the plaintiff; and Messrs. Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons, for the defendant.

M. C. R. YARD BRAKEMAN ROURKE FATALLY INJURED AT ST. THOMAS

Former Londoner Jolted From Ladder of Car and Wheels Pass Over Legs, Causing Death in Hospital a Few Hours Later.

St. Thomas, March 25.—M. C. R. Yard Brakeman John Rourke was fatally injured today in the M. C. R. yards and later died in the Amasa-Wood Hospital.

When descending from a freight a sudden jolt threw him off the ladder. He flung himself forward and kept his body clear of the tracks.

One of his legs, however, fell across the rails, and the wheels passed over it.

yards and later died in the Amasa-Wood Hospital and the wounded limb amputated. The shock was too much for him, and he passed away this evening at 7.15 o'clock.

Mr. Rourke was one of the oldest employees of the M. C. R., being a conductor for many years before his present appointment.

He was born in London, Ont., and has resided in St. Thomas for over a quarter century, and is survived by his wife and three children: Beatrice, Annie and William, and one sister, Mrs. Hagan, of London. Mr. Rourke was a member of the C. M. B. A. and B. of R. T.

BOWLING ON THE GREEN IN MONTH OF MARCH

Enthusiasts of London Bowling Club Have Begun to Trundle.

Bowling on the green in March is an unwonted luxury, but yesterday several enthusiasts of the London Bowling Club had a game, and if reports are to be relied on, it was a great success.

"The greens were excellent," said Inspector Edwards. "The game was thoroughly enjoyable, the weather being well-nigh perfect."

This is a record for early games.

The players were A. N. Udy, Joseph Weld, John Lochead, skip, and A. W. Fraser, C. B. Edwards and W. J. Snelgrove, skip. The latter won, 26 to 21.

BOARD WILL ASK COUNCIL TO PROVIDE DEBENTURES

New School on Colborne Street to Replace an Old Landmark.

The council at its next meeting will be asked by the board of education to issue debentures for a new school to replace the Colborne street school.

Plans have been prepared by City Architect Nutter, H. C. McBride and others, and will be considered at a meeting to be held this coming week.

"We have all the preliminary work done," said Dr. Wyckoff, chairman of No. 2 committee. "We have the plans ready, and we will submit them to the board. It is a goodsbit of business to erect a new school there as the present building is insanitary and totally unfitted for the needs of a city like London. We will have a modern building, up to date in every respect."

From what can be learned, there will be no opposition in the council to the request for debentures.

HAMMOND NOT GUILTY

Was Charged With Stealing $17,000 From a Detroit Concern.

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]

Detroit, March 26.—The jury in the case of Chauncey W. Hammond, formerly of Oakville, Ont., charged with the theft of $17,000 from the E. M. E. Automobile Company by "switching" satchels, today returned a verdict of "not guilty."

ANGAN EXECUTED.

Harbin, March 25.—Inchan Angan, the Corean, who assassinated Prince Ito, formerly Japanese resident in Korea, was executed today at Port Arthur.

COURT DISMISSES ASYLUM NURSE CASE

Suit Was for $25,000 for an Alleged False Arrest.

Detroit, March 26.—Judge Swan yesterday afternoon dismissed the suit for $25,000, brought by Jennie Alexander against Dr. Albert Thompson and former Sheriff Moore, of St. Clair, for false arrest and imprisonment. Dismissal was made on the grounds of the statute of limitations. Attorneys Walsh and Fitzgibbons, for the plaintiff, will appeal the case, and have asked until June 1 to file a bill of exceptions.

The statute of limitations provides that claims for damages for false imprisonment cannot be considered after the expiration of two years, unless the plaintiff be a minor, insane or confined in a state prison.

The suit was filed by Miss Alexander Nov. 22, 1907. The alleged arrest and imprisonment took place Oct. 20, 1905. The defence contended that the suit was not brought within the province of the law. Counsel for the plaintiff contended that it was, and that the intent of the law gave two years from the time of the liberation of their client, Dec. 22, 1905, in which to file a suit. They argued further that the term "state prison" in the text applied to the asylum in which the plaintiff was confined. It was conceded by the defence that Miss Alexander was arrested without the formality of a warrant, while out on probation after having been a patient at a hospital for the insane at London, Canada.

THE WEATHER

TOMORROW—MILD.

FORECASTS.

Toronto, Marhc 26—8 a.m.

Today—Light variable winds; fine.

Sunday—Easterly winds and fine.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Today. Min.	Yesterday. Low.	High.
London	55	34	44	69
Victoria	48	34	32	52
Calgary	48	24	26	48
Winnipeg	52	24	22	52
Port Arthur	50	28	30	50
Parry Sound	40	28	..	..
Toronto	54	34	42	51
Ottawa	48	36	42	52
Montreal	56	34	44	56
Quebec	30	28	..	..
Father Point	30	26	..	..
Atlin	..	..	24	50
Vancouver	..	..	50	48
Edmonton	..	..	28	60
Battleford	..	..	28	58
Moosejaw	..	..	34	57
Qu'Appelle	..	..	26	54
St. John	..	..	38	48
Halifax	..	..	32	58

WEATHER NOTES.

A pronounced area of high pressure covers the Great Lakes, while in the Western States there is an important low area, which is causing rain as far east as Illinois.

The weather is cloudy and showery in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces, and fine in Ontario.

The temperature has risen again in the Western Provinces.

WORKMAN TERRIBLY INJURED FELL 35 FEET FROM BUILDING

John Howard, a Painter, Residing at 229 Hamilton Road, Is the Victim—Accident Yesterday at New Transformer Station in East London.

John Howard, a painter residing at 229 Hamilton road, was terribly injured yesterday afternoon, as a result of falling 35 feet, at the new hydro electric transformer station, east of the city, and alighting on the cement bed of a dynamo.

He is in Victoria Hospital at the present time suffering from broken legs, a fractured thigh, both arms broken in many places and very severe internal injuries.

Had Howard, in his fall, gone six inches in any direction from the spot where he came down he would have struck two heavy steel pyramids, used in connection with the dynamo, and would have been killed.

Man Shot Downwards.

Just how the accident occurred is not known, but the men had all quit work at 12, and were descending from the platform on which they had been working, when suddenly they saw Howard shoot downwards.

It is supposed he missed his footing in his hurry to get down.

They rushed to his assistance and called Dr. Spence, who had Howard removed at once to Victoria Hospital.

It is not known yet whether or not he will recover, although he spent a very favorable night.

TARIFF WAR HAS BEEN AVERTED

Today's Conference at Washington Ended in Amicable Agreement.

U. S. GOVT. ANNOUNCES

Both Governments to Make a Statement as to Agreement on the Thirtieth of March.

[Associated Press.]

Washington, March 26.—An amicable agreement of the Canadian tariff situation probably will be reached in the next few days. Following a conference between the Canadian representatives and President Taft at the White House today, a statement was given which has declared that the negotiations had taken a form which gave assurance that a friendly understanding would be reached immediately.

The conference lasted for more than an hour, and at its conclusion Secretary Knox issued the following formal statement:

"Negotiations between the President and the Canadian representatives, which were begun at Albany some days ago, were resumed at Washington and were concluded. They have taken a form which gives assurances that a friendly understanding will be made simultaneously at Washington and at Ottawa on Wednesday, the 30th inst."

Those participating in the conference with the President were: W. S. Fielding, the Canadian minister of finance; George P. Graham, the Canadian minister of railways; United States Secretary of State Knox, and Charles M. Pepper, of the United States bureau of trade relations at the state department. This afternoon the two Canadian cabinet officers, with the ladies of their party, were the guests of the President on a trip to Washington's monument at Mount Vernon, Va., on the President's yacht Mayflower. It is not known at this time when Messrs. Fielding and Graham will return to Ottawa.

BILLS FAIRLY BULGED OUT OF HIS POCKETS

Police Probably Saved Mr. John McMillan's Money for Him —Case in Court.

John McMillan has probably to thank the police that he has his roll of bills, amounting to several hundred dollars, with him today. McMillan, who resides in the city, yesterday started out with his trousers' pockets fairly bulging with bills of all sorts.

In the course of his ramble he accumulated a great variety of stimulants and, when discovered by the police, was in a somnolent condition in the vicinity of the market.

Magistrate Beattie intimated to McMillan that the market is no proper or safe place for an individual with any great quantity of loose cash to take a nap. In order to impress McMillan with the importance of this fact the court decided to fine him $5. This only made a slight impression in the roll, and the advice of the police to McMillan was to keep away from hotels and put his money in some safe place.

ORDERED A MEAL AND WOULD NOT PAY

Wardsville Man Found This Very Costly in London.

James McAlpine, a Wardsville resident, came to town yesterday to celebrate, and in the course of the evening got hungry, went into a local restaurant and ordered up 45 cents' worth of food.

After he had eaten the meal his memory went back on him, and he started out without paying. No amount of persuasion on the part of the restaurant keeper could induce McAlpine to part with the 45 cents, and he was finally turned over to the police. As he had lots of money in his pockets the court ordered him to pay a $2 fine and give 45 cents to the restaurant keeper.

John Bowlby, a Watford citizen, who came in yesterday, in the course of his celebration lost his collar and tie. He admitted being drunk and being a first-timer was let go.

Committed to Asylum.

George Liney, of 83 Wellington road, arrested several days ago on a charge of being insane, was committed to the asylum this morning. Liney, it is stated, threatened his wife recently, and she had him taken into custody.

CANADIAN OIL MEN OFF FOR CALIFORNIA

Mr. William Gray and Others Will Shortly Take Trip to Coalinga Fields.

The Directors of the Dominion Oil Company will visit their properties in California in the near future. The exact date of the trip has not been settled, but will be decided shortly.

Among those who will take the trip are Mr. Wm. Gray, the president, Geo. Forbes, Fred. Shirley (Galt), T. Bradburn, M. L. A. (Peterboro), Dr. Reid (Peterboro), W. Cavanaugh, D. W. Maclaren (Montreal), R. Lind (Toronto), and many others.

It is claimed that some big strikes have been made recently on the properties, and some splendid offers have been made for it.

TAFT TO DECORATE ANTARCTIC HERO

Shackleton to Have Medal Presented by President of the United States.

(By Associated Press.)

Washington, March 26.—Sir Ernest Shackleton, the Antarctic explorer, and Lady Shackleton, arrived here last night as the guests of the British ambassador and Mrs. Bryce. Today Ambassador and Mrs. Bryce will entertain at luncheon in their honor, and in the afternoon Sir Ernest will be presented to the President. Tonight he will speak before the National Geographical Society, and on that occasion President Taft will present him with a medal of honor in the name of the society.

SYMPATHETIC STRIKE HAS PETERED OUT

Various Philadelphia Union That Quit From Sympathy, Are Going Back.

[Associated Press.]

Philadelphia, March 26.—The general sympathetic strike in this city is a thing of the past. The various unions who quit work out of sympathy with the striking carmen are preparing to resume work on Monday. The meeting of the Central Labor Union will be held tomorrow, at which the sympathetic strike will be formally called off.

Many union workers have anticipated this action, and have already returned to work.

Leaders of the striking carmen declared today that the car strike will be continued all summer unless the Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company recedes from its position. The company, on the other hand, claims its car service is improving daily, and each day further removes the chances of all the strikers again obtaining employment with the company.

Six persons were arrested last night following attempts to wreck trolley cars in different parts of the city. During the night one man was shot and slightly injured, a policeman's arm was fractured by a thrown brick, and five cars were damaged.

EX-ALD. COOPER MAY HAVE SEAT IN COUNCIL

Ald. Rose May Resign—It is Said Mr. Cooper is Not Wanted There.

There is no likelihood of Ald. Rose being named ward foreman of ward No. 3.

It was intimated some time ago that certain changes would be made, and Ald. Rose, who is perfectly familiar with the ward, was mentioned as a likely man for the job. It was known that he would accept under certain conditions.

However, the ruling faction in the council have intimated rather forcibly that they will not allow Ald. Rose to resign and give ex-Ald. Cooper a chance to take a seat.

Ald. Rose would no doubt have been named had not Mr. Cooper been the thirteenth man.

However, Ald. Rose may resign in any event. He does not take kindly, it is whispered, to the suggestion of the "ruling seven" as to the reasons for his non-appointment, and will resign after a time just to allow the orator of many councils to parade his talents to the newcomers.

MAJOR C. CHEESMAN DEAD.

Washington, March 26.—Major Poland Curtin Cheesman, 71 years old, died at his residence here last night. He was a member of the board of review of the pension office and a union veteran.

AMUSEMENTS. LECTURES

GRAND---A. J. Small Sole Proprietor

MONDAY, MARCH 28
Henry W. Savage Offers
The Merry Widow

Same Original Complete Production—New Costumes—Brilliant Cast
SPECIAL GRAND OPERA ORCHESTRA
PRICES---50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50, $2.00
SEATS NOW SELLING

THURSDAY, MARCH 31, ONE NIGHT ONLY
FLORENCE GEAR
IN THE MERRY MUSICAL COMEDY
"FLUFFY RUFFLES"
A Riot of Fun and Music.
PRICES, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00; a few at $1.50. SEATS READY ON TUESDAY

Friday and Saturday **April 1 and 2**
Special Matinee Saturday at 2:30
"The most remarkable play in the English language."—Harper's Magazine.
HENRY MILLER'S ASSOCIATE PLAYERS IN
"The Servant in the House"
By Charles Rann Kennedy, with the New York cast headed by TYRONE POWER, and including George W. Wilson, Wilfrid Rodger, Edith Crane, David Glassford, Jessie Glendinning and Harold de Becker.
"The greatest drama of the generation."—New York Evening Post.
PRICES: NIGHTS, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50. MATINEE, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00. **Seats on Wednesday**

A Special Invitation Is Extended to All Citizens of London and Others

To Visit the CEMENT EXHIBITION, in Princess Rink, MONDAY EVENING

At 7:30 p.m. Mayor Beattie will give an address of welcome, which will be responded to by Mr. Peter Gillespie, of Toronto, President of the Association. Seventh Band will be in attendance. Colored views will be shown by Dr. H. Stevenson. Admission free. Everybody welcome.

A. M. HUNT, Manager.

AUDITORIUM
THURSDAY, MARCH 31.
Thomas Dempsey
in his "Travel Talks"—"RAMBLES THROUGH IRELAND." Prices, 25c and 50c. Seats at Mallagh's. 57-i

OCEAN SHIPS

Nineteen hundred and ten will be the greatest year for attractions in the Old Country. American Exposition at Berlin, June, July, August. Passion Play at Oberammergau, May 16 to Sept. 25. International Exposition at Brussels, April to November. Musical Festivals at Munich. For rates via the Allan, C. P. R., White Star, Dominion, Anchor, American, Cunard, Donaldson, Holland-America, Red Star and other lines, apply

F. B. CLARKE'S
416 RICHMOND STREET,
Next Bank of Commerce.

TONIGHT, AUDITORIUM—PICTURES of Africa, by Dr. MacQueen, of Boston. Reserved seats, 15 cents, at Mallagh's. General admission, 10 cents. Next week, beginning Monday afternoon and evening, great moving pictures of Canadian farming in the Northwest, paper manufacturing, railroad track laying, etc. b

KNOW YOUR OWN COUNTRY—GREAT moving pictures of construction of Canadian Northern Railroad, manufacturing paper, Nova Scotia, farming in the Northwest, etc. Pictures never before presented in Canada. Auditorium, every afternoon and evening next week. Prices, 5 cents and 10 cents. b

A CHEAP TRIP TO LONDON, ENGLAND—Rev. Walter Moffat will give his delightful and instructive lecture on "The Modern Babylon"; 150 beautiful hand-painted slides. Trip to Windsor Castle included. Talbot Street Baptist Church, Thursday evening, March 31. Collection at the door, 10c or over. 37c-txw

EASTER DANCE—PALACE ACADEMY, Monday evening, March 28. (Invited guests only). Special musical programme. Private dancing lessons any hour. Easy terms. Phone. Dayton & McCormick.

MR. F. LINFORTH WILLGOOSE WILL give a dramatic entertainment under auspices of the Women's Guild, in St. John's (Evangelist) schoolroom, Thursday, March 31, 8 p.m. Admission, 15c, or two for 25c. 37c-txw

MRS. ALICE HENDERSON, TEACHER of Scotch and fancy dancing. 571 Adelaide street. Concert talent furnished.

TONY CORTESE, ORIGINAL LONDON Harpers. Music furnished for all occasions. 161 Maple. Phone 1570.

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THREE OR FOUR FURNISHED OR partly furnished rooms for light housekeeping. Address 490 Piccadilly. 37c

WANTED BY MAY 1—SMALL MODERN house, three bedrooms, central. State rent expected. P. O. box 392. 31tf

WANTED—SETTING HENS. BOX 16, Advertiser. 36c

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ONTARIO LAND GRANTS, LOCATED and unlocated, purchased for cash. D. M. Robertson, Canada Life building, Toronto.

WANTED—ALL KINDS OF RAGS, iron, rubbers, etc. London Rag and Metal Company, 728 Simcoe street. Phone 1247.

WANTED—A RELIABLE PONY CART and harness. Address J. H. Trestain, Clachan. 14uk

W. LEFF & CO., 555 BATHURST, BUY iron, rags, rubbers, metals, bottles, paper. Phone 2792. 32n

FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED AT ONCE—A WOMAN TO wash paint; also assistant for bakeshop. Apply Tecumseh House. 37c

WANTED—GOOD PLAIN COOK; REFERENCES required. Mrs. F. P. Betts, 536 Queen's avenue. 37c

WANTED — MAID FOR GENERAL housework. Mrs. J. Parnell Morris, 445 Colborne street. 37c

EXPERIENCED MAID FOR GENERAL housework; small family. Apply Mrs. J. J. Callaghan, 613 Wellington street. 37c

WANTED — GENERAL SERVANT; three in family; no washing. Apply Mrs. Robert Hueston, 292 King street. 37c

WANTED, TO GO TO CALGARY—Experienced waist and skirt makers, for custom dressmaking department; must furnish references. Apply at Robinson, Little & Co.'s office, between 1 and 2 o'clock, Monday, March 28. b

WANTED—DINING-ROOM GIRL, ALSO second cook (woman), single. Dominion House, J. J. Cox, proprietor. 35c

ASSISTANT BOOKKEEPER BY wholesale firm; knowledge of double entry; speed and accuracy at figures essential; state qualifications and experience, if any; also if employed at present and wages wanted. Box 14, Advertiser. 35c

LADY FOR OFFICE WITH SOME knowledge of French preferred, no shorthand. Apply Box 15, Advertiser.

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WANTED — MAID FOR GENERAL housework. 300 Piccadilly. 35c

WANTED—EXPERIENCED STENOGRAPHER; steady employment. Apply in own hand-writing stating qualifications, to Box 12, Advertiser. 35c

WANTED — UNDER-HOUSEMAID BY April 11. Mrs. Adam Beck, "Headley." 33n

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BUSINESS CHANCES

GOOD OPENING FOR HARNESS-MAKER in village of Delaware; no opposition; successful business always done; great chance for live man. Write Secretary, Board of Trade, Delaware. b

GOOD GENERAL BUSINESS FOR SALE—Stock about $4,500. Apply McMahen, Granger & Co., city. 33c-ywt

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MODERN 9-ROOMED BRICK HOUSE, close to business section. Apply next door, 31 Becher street. 15tf-ywt

12-ROOM HOUSE, HALF BLOCK FROM G. T. R. shops, also furnished cottage with large lawn in London West. Apply 194 Hamilton road. Phone 1231. 31k tywt

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TO LET—$16 per month. New, 7-roomed house, in north end, furnace and bath. Possession at once; near cars.

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Births, Marriages, Deaths.

BIRTHS.

KING—At Walkerville, Ont., on Friday, March 25, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles S. King, a daughter.

MURRAY—On March 19, 1910, to Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Murray, Westminster, a son.

DEATHS.

O'NEIL—At Fort William, on Thursday, March 24, 1910, after a brief illness, Darius, beloved husband of Mary O'Neil, aged 62.
Funeral from his late residence, 472 Adelaide street, on Monday, March 28; service at 2:30. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. Kindly omit flowers.

CROPP—At the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Andrew Clarkson, 125 Dundas street, on Friday, March 25, 1910, Jane Barker, beloved wife of Rodger Cropp, aged 88 years and 7 months.
Funeral private, from the above address, on Monday, March 28, at 1:30 p.m., to Grand Trunk station, for 2:05 p.m. train, for interment at Woodstock, Ont.; service at 1 o'clock.
Woodstock papers please copy.

HENDERSON—In Delaware Township, on Thursday, March 24, 1910, William R., youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Henderson, aged 19 years and 11 months.
Funeral will leave his parents' residence, lot 19, con. 4, on Sunday, 2:30 p.m.; service, 2 p.m. Interment at Hunt's Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

THORNICROFT—On March 25, 1910, Matthew Thornicroft, of Arkona, formerly of Westminster Township, aged 80 years.
Funeral on Monday, March 28, on arrival in London of Sarnia train at 1:10, and thence direct to Scottsville Cemetery.

McQUILLAN—In this city, on March 26, 1910, Joseph S., dearly beloved and infant twin son of Thomas and Annie McQuillan, aged 4 months and 26 days.
Funeral from the grandparents' residence, Mr. M. Muckler, 654 York street, on Monday, March 28, at 2 p.m. Interment at St. Peter's Cemetery.

DOBBIN—On Saturday, March 26, 1910, at 700 Dundas street, James Dobbin, grocer, in his 87th year.
Funeral private, on Monday, at 4 p.m., from his late residence; service at 3:30.

STONEMAN—Frank H. Stoneman, vice-president and superintendent of the Wortman & Ward Manufacturing Company, Limited, aged 53 years and 4 months.
Funeral Monday, March 28, 1910, from his late residence, 585 Central avenue, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

MEETINGS

AN EMERGENT ASSEMBLY, RICHARD Coeur de Lion Preceptory, K. T., on Monday, March 28, at 2 p.m., to attend the funeral of the late Sir Knight Darius O'Neil, 472 Adelaide street, city. W. A. Wilson, presiding preceptor; S. Baker, registrar. b

MEN'S MASS MEETING IN THE Auditorium, 4 o'clock—Dr. Peter McQueen, of Boston. Finest illustrated lecture on the continent of "The Nile River and Its Peoples." Reserved seats may be secured free at Mallagh's Bookshop. J. W. Sherlock, Canada's greatest tenor, will sing. b

THE LONDON ROWING AND CANOE Club, Limited—Notice is hereby given that the general annual meeting of the shareholders of the above company will be held at the secretary's office, in the Court House, London, on Tuesday, the 5th April, 1910, at 4 o'clock p.m., for the election of directors, auditors and for general business. Dated this 26th March, 1910. Edmund Weld, honorary secretary. 37c-tyt

FRUIT INSTITUTE MEETING IN Union Hall, Lambeth, Tuesday afternoon, 2 p.m., and evening, 7:30 p.m., March 29. Practical addresses by D. Johnson, of Forest, and others. Demonstration will be given in mixing and applying spray mixtures, as well as in pruning and grafting. 29k-17,19,23,26

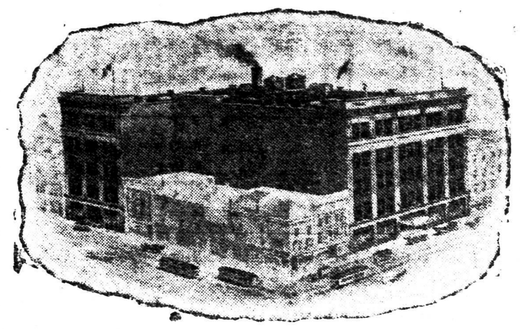
HEAR DR. GRIFFITH THOMAS NEXT Monday and Tuesday, 3:30 p.m., Cronyn Hall; 8 p.m., Congregational Church. 33i

SITUATIONS WANTED.

CAPABLE DOMESTICS ARRIVING from Old Country about March 23. Cooks, housemaids, nurses, generals, etc. For first choice apply now. The Guild, 71 Drummond street, Montreal. 32n

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TODAY (SATURDAY) SHOP EARLY. STORE CLOSES AT SIX.

Silk Marquisette
For Over-Dresses and Drapes

This is one of the new features this season; the Marquisette is being used over almost every kind of silk dress, and is particularly handsome and fashionable over the new foulards or check silks. We have a pure silk quality in the good standard shades that blend with almost any color, light gray, reseda, wood brown, olive, navy and cream. This quality of Marquisette is noncrushable, being pure silk, making an ideal drape or overskirt; soft and clinging and very sheer; 46 inches. At, per yard **$1.25**

DRESS GOODS—SECTION 20.

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Beautiful Silk-Finish Moire, one of the best materials for underskirts, very fine and durable, the nearest to moire silk obtainable; strong linen back and will retain its firmness and hold the moire. We have just received a new stock of this popular Underskirting; 22 to 24 inches wide; at, per yard.. **40¢, 50¢, 65¢** and **75¢**

Pretty Semi-Made Summer Dresses

AT SILK COUNTER.

One only of each color, in fine repp and linon, perfect washing goods, neatly embroidered in silk. We have only a few of these pretty and inexpensive dresses and would advise a look through while the colorings are all here, as there is only one each.
Amethyst and reseda, in repp, each..... **$10**
White, amethyst, linen and brown in linon, at, per dress **$6.50**

MAIN FLOOR—SECTION 17.

Great Activity in Wash Goods Section

New things have been arriving week after week and day after day until our stock of Wash Fabrics is at its highest point and would advise an early selection. Many of the novelties in Repps and Linen Suitings it will be impossible to repeat.

SHANTUNG LINENS—The new colorings, in pale blue, Alice blue, pink, mauve, champagne, mulberry, tan, brown, reseda, old rose, gray, wistaria and black; 27-inch. At, per yard..... **25¢**

COARSE LINEN SUITINGS, in old rose, Alice blue, wistaria and linen shades; these are very popular for coat suits; 36-inch. At, yard..... **35¢**
Also in 43-inch width. At, per yard..... **45¢**

DIAGONAL LINEN SUITINGS, plain colors of wistaria, brown and blue; a splendid weight for coat suits, highly mercerized and very new; 27 inches wide. At, per yard ..... **55¢**

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COTTON REPPS, in plain colors of pale blue, reseda, gray, wistaria, rose and champagne; 32 inches wide. Per yard ..... **20¢**

New Dress Muslins

IRISH DIMITIES, direct from the manufacturer in Belfast, Ireland, printed on fine cord and crossbar dimity, very sheer; among these are some very pretty floral designs, rosebuds, black and white, etc.; fast colors; 28 inches wide. At, per yard ..... **20¢** and **25¢**

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GALATEAS, for boys' blouses and suits, in navy and white, pale and white and butcher blue and white stripes, also plain navy and butcher blue; fast colors; 27 inches wide. At, per yard..... **17¢**

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MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—PAINTERS AND PAPERHANGERS; none but first-class need apply. G. A. Burdick & Sons, 634 Dundas street. b

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WANTED—100 MEN TO GET A FIRST-CLASS shoe shine at John Cambridge's, 244 Dundas street. 37c-txt

LONDON COLLEGE OF COMMERCE—Spring term commences Thursday, March 31. Day and evening classes. Regular commercial and shorthand courses. Thorough training, rapid progress, practical results. W. N. Yerex, principal. 37n

BOYS WANTED TO WORK IN GARDEN. Apply A. McGinnis, 80 Adelaide street. 37c-tyw

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AGENTS WANTED FOR FASTEST selling household specialty. Credit extended. No capital required. 100 per cent profit. Write "Berkay," Station B, Box 34, Montreal. 34n

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SPRING TERM COMMENCES APRIL 3—Six graduates placed in good positions during past month. Every student gets personal attention, and an immediate position assured if you graduate from this college. We have railroad trains, wires and forms, and if you want a $60 position we will guarantee it. Particulars free. College of Telegraphy London. 25tf-tx

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Tenders will not be considered unless made upon and in accordance with conditions contained in forms furnished by department.
Plans and specification to be seen on application to Mr. Jas. Phelan, clerk of works, Parkhill, Mr. T. A. Hasting, clerk of works, Postal Station "F," Toronto, and at the Department of Public Works, Ottawa.
Each tender must be accompanied by an accepted check on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, equal to ten per cent (10%) of the amount of the tender. By order,
NAPOLEON TESSIER, Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, March 23, 1910. 37u-ty

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PRINCESS AVENUE—Two-story brick, 5 bedrooms, all modern conveniences, lot 35x160 feet. Price, $4,000.

COLBORNE STREET—1¾-story brick-veneer, 4 bedrooms, modern conveniences, two verandahs, trees and bulbs, lot 36x251 feet. Price, $3,400.

PRINCESS AVENUE—Two-story brick, 4 bedrooms, all modern conveniences, lot 35x160 feet. Price, $3,000.

BRUCE STREET—Brick-veneer cottage, 3 bedrooms, barn, lot 40x120 feet. Price, $1,400.

YORK STREET—1½-story frame house. Price, $800.

CARROTHERS AVENUE — 1½-story brick, 4 bedrooms, lot 42x114 feet. $900.

WILSON AVENUE—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 3 bedrooms, barn, lot 30x114 feet. Call for particulars.

WILSON AVENUE—Cottage, 3 rooms, lot 33x160 feet. Price, $450.

TECUMSEH AVENUE—1½-story brick-veneer, cement block foundation, 4 bedrooms, modern conveniences, porch, lot 30x96 feet. Price, $2,000.

MARYBORO PLACE—Two-story brick-veneer, 4 bedrooms, bath and w.c., furnace, lot 40x140 feet to a lane. Price, $3,200.

DREANEY AVENUE—Brick cottage, 3 bedrooms, two verandahs, lot 33x132 feet. Price, $1,800.

KING STREET—Brick cottage, 3 bedrooms, gas, stable. Lot 33x165 feet. Price, $2,000.

HORTON STREET—1½-story brick, 4 bedrooms, gas. Price, $1,850.

LORNE AVENUE — 1½-story red-pressed brick, cement block foundation, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences, verandah. Lot 30x132 feet. Price, $2,700.

TWO FINE LOTS with 40-foot frontage each, on Wellington street, near St. James street. Last two lots in the locality.

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PROSPECT AVENUE—2-story brick, 5 bedrooms, bath and w.c., gas. Lot 46x140 feet. Price, $3,500.

HIGHLAND PARK—Brick cottage, 3 bedrooms. Lot 42x160 feet. Price, $1,550.

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TO LET—Large cottage, 11 rooms, modern conveniences, one acre of grounds, good stable, garden. Possession April 1.

WANTED—75 or 100 acres to rent near city.

EDWARD STREET—2-story frame, brick foundation, 4 bedrooms, modern conveniences. Lot 334x120 feet. Price, $2,400.

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PICCADILLY STREET—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 3 bedrooms, bath and w.c., hot water heating, verandah, lot 36 feet 8 inches by 138 feet, barn. Price, $2,000.

DUNDAS STREET—1½-story brick-veneer, cement foundation, 3 bedrooms, gas and fixtures, verandah, lot 32x163 feet. Call for particulars.

THREE LOTS, corner of Grosvenor and Colborne streets. Must be sold.

COLBORNE STREET—1½-story brick, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences, verandah, lot 66x137 feet. Will sell on easy terms. Call for particulars.

CENTRAL AVENUE—Two-story and attick brick-veneer, 4 bedrooms, all modern conveniences, verandah, lot 40x83 feet and right of way. Call for particulars.

ENGLISH STREET—1¾-story brick-veneer, cement block foundation, 3 bedrooms, bathroom complete, electric wired, lot 33.4x85.4 feet. Price, $2,100.

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$2,400 King street, 7 rooms, bath, stable.

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TENDERS FOR DREDGING.

Sealed tenders addressed to the undersigned, and indorsed "Tender for Dredging," will be received until Tuesday, April 12, 1910, at 5 p.m., for dredging required at the following places, in the Province of Ontario:

Byng Inlet, Cobourg, Goderich (Kincardine, Lion's Head and Port Elgin), Owen Sound, Picnic Island, Port Burwell (Port Hope and Whitby), Rainy River, River Thames, Rondeau, Sault Ste. Marie.

Tenders will not be considered unless made on the form supplied, and signed with the actual signatures of tenderers.

Combined specification and form of tender can be obtained on application to the secretary, Department of Public Works, Ottawa. Tenders must include the towing of the plant to and from the works. Only dredges can be employed which are registered in Canada at the time of the filing of tenders. Contractors must be ready to begin work within thirty days after the date they have been notified of the acceptance of their tender.

An accepted check on a chartered bank, payable to the order of the Honorable the Minister of Public Works, for six thousand dollars ($6,000), must accompany the tender. The check will be returned in case of non-acceptance of tender.

The department does not bind itself to accept the lowest or any tender. By order,

NAPOLEON TESSIER Secretary.
Department of Public Works,
Ottawa, March 21, 1910.

Newspapers will not be paid for this advertisement if they insert it without authority from the department. 37c-tyw

TENDERS FOR THE ERECTION OF A brick church to be built at Mossley, Ont., will be received by the undersigned until April 7, 1910. Plans and specifications can be seen at W. J. Coates' store, Mossley, or George Craik, Crampton. Morley Lane, Secretary. b

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LONDON, SATURDAY, MARCH 26.

THE RESURRECTION.

In the end of the Sabbath, as it began to dawn toward the first day of the week, came Mary Magdalene and the other Mary to see the sepulchre.

And, behold, there was a great earthquake: for the angel of the Lord descended from heaven, and came and rolled back the stone from the door, and sat upon it.

His countenance was like lightning, and his raiment white as snow:

And for fear of him the keepers did shake, and became as dead men.

And the angel answered and said unto the women, Fear not ye: for I know that ye seek Jesus, which was crucified.

He is not here: for he is risen, as he said. Come, see the place where the Lord lay.

And go quickly and tell his disciples that he is risen from the dead; and, behold, he goeth before you into Galilee; there shall ye see him; lo, I have told you.

And they departed quickly from the sepulchre with fear and great joy; and did run to bring his disciples word.

And as they went to tell his disciples, behold, Jesus met them, saying, All hail. And they came and held him by the feet, and worshiped him.

Then said Jesus unto them, Be not afraid: go tell my brethren that they go into Galilee, and there shall they see me.

Then the eleven disciples went away into Galilee, into a mountain where Jesus had appointed them.

And when they saw him, they worshiped him: but some doubted.

But Jesus came and spake unto them, saying, All power is given unto me in heaven and in earth.

Go ye therefore, and teach all nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Ghost:

Teaching them to observe all things whatsoever I have commanded you: and, lo, I am with you alway, even unto the end of the world. Amen.

—St. Matthew, xxviii., 1-10, 16-20.

WASHINGTON'S DILEMMA.

The Washington Government is between the horns of a dilemma. One horn is the certainty of losing a great and growing export trade if Canada strikes back in retaliation for the American maximum tariff. The other horn is the certainty of inflicting damage upon American interests dependent not upon exports to Canada, but upon imports from this country.

The President could not even rally national sentiment to his support in a tariff war. He is exposed to a rear fire. Nearly all the influential newspapers are on Canada's side. The Chicago Tribune recalls Germany's failure to bulldoze Canada, and says:

"It would be politic for the United States to waive the point of discrimination as regards the French treaty and the prohibition of the exportation of pulp wood rather than a costly commercial war. The first thought is that in such a war between a nation of 90,000,000 and one of 7,000,000, numbers would count for everything. In reality, they are not to be considered. If they had counted for anything, Canada would not have prevailed against Germany and its determined Kaiser.

"The condition may be stated thus: Canada buys of the United States $187,000,000 worth of goods, most of which it could procure, if necessary, in France, Germany, England and Belgium. Nothing would please the manufacturers of those countries more than the imposition of the surtax on American goods.

"The United States buys of Canada only $80,000,000 worth of goods. Some of those which are dutiable are goods the United States requires. There is unmanfactured wood, last year's imports being valued at $26,300,000. A higher duty would hurt American consumers as much as it would Canadian producers. A 25 per cent advance in the duty on Canadian fish, of which $4,200,000 worth was imported last year, would simply add a little to the cost of living here.

"If the United States could levy export duties it could make the cotton Canada buys of us more expensive. Canada can levy such duties. It can also prohibit exports. It could put a stop to the exportation of wood pulp, paper, nickel ore or any other Canadian product to the United States. Manifestly, Canada is, in some respects, better armed for war than the United States."

The greed of the American trusts has overleaped itself at last. They succeeded in fixing the minimum tariff so high that it would exclude effective foreign competition; and then by the device of a maximum tariff they hoped to bluff other countries into granting favors to the United States as a return for the precious minimum. Other countries have yielded to the threat, but Canada has proved an unexpected stumbling-block. Canada happens to be a fine market for American wares; but as the American minimum tariff bars out the Canadian commodities that Canadians most wish to sell, it has no attractions for this country. Uncle Sam is trying to take an ace with a two-spot, but Canada doesn't intend to throw away her trumps.

AUSTRALIA IN LONDON.

In appointing a high commissioner to Great Britain the Australian Government is following an example set by Canada many years ago. In the past each of the six states now forming the Commonwealth has had an agent-general at the capital of the Empire, but too many cooks spoiled the broth. It was impossible to initiate any movement of importance for the development of the colonies as a whole, and their relations to the mother country. The various state governments and the Federal Government have now got together and agreed that the work of the agencies-general can be much better performed under the direction of a high commissioner.

Australia's first high commissioner is Sir George Houston Reid, a former premier of New South Wales and of the Commonwealth itself. He takes up his task under favorable circumstances. The states have consented to the concentration of all the advertising work in the office of the Commonwealth, and Sir George's experience at the Australian treasury, which was his favorite portfolio, should prove invaluable to him in making the most of the financial and commercial possibilities of his post.

The Commonwealth has planned the erection of a group of central offices in London, where federal and state offices will be located, and in the centre of which will be a great hall for a permanent exposition of Australia's products. It would thus seem that Australia has at last awakened to the value of modern methods of advertising their country in the field where most is to be gained from publicity. Canada learned the lesson years ago.

THEY'RE MOSTLY WATER SPANIELS.

[Toronto Star.]

Dogs are now employed by the British admiralty to assist in the work of home defence. Their marvellous instinct enables them to immediately recognize a foreign bark.

THE REAL HEROES.

[Andrew Carnegie.]

On the field of carnage men lose all human instincts in the struggle to protect themselves. The true heroism inspired by courage prompts firemen, policemen, sailors, miners and others to volunteer to risk their lives to save the lives of their fellow men.

JOIN IN.

[St. Thomas Journal.]

London board of trade may work for the development of lake trade so as to boost London business. St. Thomas would gain, too. St. Thomas might well join with London in this matter.

ACCOUNTED FOR.

[Puck.]

The village cornetist, who made his living as a barber, was massaging a patron's face.

"That's a peculiar way of massaging the nose," remarked the man in the chair. "Some New York method?"

"That? Oh, no. I was just practicing the fingering of the 'Second Hungarian Rhapsody.'"

PEOPLE ARE DIFFERENT.

[Success Magazine.]

Chief Justice Taney, driving through the Tennessee mountains, once broke one of the shafts of his buggy. A small colored boy came riding by on a mule. The justice hailed him, "Here, my boy," he said, "can you help me fix my buggy?" "Sure, boss," answered the boy, and cutting a hickory withe, he soon fixed the shaft so that it was quite serviceable. "Well, well," said the learned judge, "now why couldn't I have done that?" "I dunno, boss," replied his "first aid," "unless some folks knows more than others."

HE LEARNED SOMETHING.

[Chicago News.]

Little Willie—"Say, pa, what is worldly wisdom?"

Pa—"Worldly wisdom, my son, is a perfect knowledge of the failings of our neighbors."

A ROBBERY THAT PAID.

[Boston Transcript.]

Scott—"I always thought it was rough on Adam to rob him of his rib."

Mott—"Yes; but on the other hand it was the making of Eve."

REAL SPRING.

[Life.]

Now gentle spring with balmy days,
Has burst cold winter's shackles;
The hens break forth in joyful lays,
Succeeded by loud cackles.

UNANSWERABLE.

[Boston Transcript.]

Griggs—"You talk a lot, Briggs; now what have you got against married life?" Briggs—"What have I got against it? Why, man, take this terrible divorce evil; it flourishes amongst married people exclusively!"

RATHER DISCONCERTING.

[Success Magazine.]

"Mamma," said little Ethel with a discouraged look on her face, "I ain't going to school any more."

"Why, my dearie, what's the matter?" the mother gently inquired.

"'Cause it ain't no use at all. I can never learn to spell. The teacher keeps changing the words on me all the time."

AT A LATE HOUR.

[Cleveland Leader.]

Her—Will you please shut the door?

Him—I've tried to, but it won't stay closed.

Her—It will if it is closed from the outside.

NO TROUBLE TO FIND HIM.

[Puck.]

"The paper says that De Tanque presided at the banquet, but I didn't see him."

"That's funny; he was right under the head of the table."

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DR. CHASE'S OINTMENT

EAST LONDON

WILLIAM POILE WAS COMMITTED FOR TRIAL

Charge With a Brutal Assault Upon a Man Named Wm. J. Rex.

William Poile, a young man residing in South London, was committed for trial at the next sessions this morning by Acting Magistrate Beattie on a charge of assault, occasioning actual bodily harm, laid against him by William John Rex, a young man residing on the Hamilton road, just east of the city.

Rex stated that on the evening of Saturday, Jan. 29, while in the Iroquois Hotel he was assaulted by Poile. Witness went into the lavatory, and Poile was there talking to a man. Witness was standing with his back to Poile.

Poile struck him behind the ear. Witness had not spoken to Poile. Witness was knocked down by the blow, and then Poile jumped all over him, and kicked him many times in the ribs, and above the right eye.

The eye was cut open and blackened, so that he could not see out of it for two weeks. In falling witness broke his left wrist.

Dr. Ernest Williams attended him for some time as a result of the injuries he received.

To Mr. McKillop witness said he knew Poile, and had worked with him, but had never had any trouble with him in any way before, and had given him no provocation.

The man who was with Poile said he did not see him hit Rex.

Mr. E. W. Scatcherd appeared for Rex.

CHELSEA GREEN EASTER STANDING

Result of the Term's Work in the School.

The following is the Easter standing in Chelsea Green School, names being in order of merit:

Senior IV. — Herbert Needham (honors), Maggie Fleming, Adelene Chambers, Allies Clayton.

Junior IV.—Percy Greenside, Violet Addison, Gladys Cornelius, Edna Clayton, Edna Tye, Addie Haynes, Ethel Gibling (absent).

Senior III.—Hannah Chambers, Bert Haynes, Harry Corby, Ernest Chittick.

Junior III.—Elsie Bonden, Daniel Fleming, Norman Greenside.

Senior II.—Wanda Weston, George Clayton, Lizzie Fleming, Mabel Clayton, Mary Burgess, Florence Corby, Daisy Needham, Gordon Haynes, Evelyn Clayton, Frances Gibling (absent).

Fourth Class—Junior Second—Carrie Pierson, Bertha Chittick, George Tye, May Needham, John Pierson, George Haynes, Rosie Bourne, Alfie Bourne, Herbert Long, Jack Millman.

Class III.—First Book — Bertha Greensides, Irene Steele, Percy Clayton, John Strain, George Bourne, Edna McBride.

Class II.—Primer—Frank Fletcher, Walter Gibling, Raymond Durdin, Maggie Chittick, Harold Chambers, Fred Corby, Clayton Storey, Graham Bruce, Velma Tye.

Class I.—Primer—Alex. Clayton, George Fleming, Eddie Weston, Ethel Clark, Richard Welsh, Winnie Cornelius, Forby Durdin, Alex. Strain, Teddy Tie, Jack Corby, Winnie Cummings.

ABERDEEN SCHOOL EASTER PROMOTIONS

Names of Pupils and Their Standing in Different Classes.

Promoted from Grade I. B to Grade II.—Muriel Taylor, Barbara McNeil, Harry Lewis, Yolah Porter, Muriel Long, Albert Figg, Mabel Moxley, Ruby Greason, Albert Howe.

From Grade I. B to Grade III. — Ethel Pecker.

Grade I. A to Grade II.—Gordon Magee, Edward Hill, Charlie Graham, Harry Gives, Velma Edwards, Jean Black, Ethel Patterson, Olive Break, Ila Mitchell, Norma Dickson, Jeanie Patterson.

Senior Kindergarten to Grade I. — Willie Allan, Gladys Bedford, James Bowyer, Susie Clark, Freddie Durdon, Maggie Kerr, Heman Logan, Norman McClarty, Helen Parry, Muriel Rose, Bella Rottenberg, Irene Slade, Sammie Silverstein, Walter Taylor, Harry Warshafsky, Mary Webb, Gladys Williams, Alfred Whitcombe.

Junior to Senior Kindergarten — Gertie Berman, Teddie Break, Donald Brown, Joe Beren, Marguerite Durdin, Chester Graham, Collins Harvey, Marjorie Lane, Verna Mowbray, Emma McAlpine, Willie Nicholls, Edith O'Dell, Florence Palmby, Abbott Sholdice, Grant Taylor, Letta Thompson, Marguerite Wichman, Georgina White.

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BOUQUET AND BANQUET FOR POPULAR PLAYER

Ingersoll Honors Mr. Gordon Hay, Businessman and Athlete.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, March 26. — Miss Ethel Dundass, of Toronto, spent the holiday at her home on King street east and returned to Toronto this morning.

Mr. C. E. Booth, of the Imperial Bank, London, spent the holiday with his friends on Ann street.

Mr. M. B. Sudworth, of Toronto University, arrived Thursday night to spend the holidays with his parents on Wonham street.

Mr. Eli Cook spent yesterday in London, at his son Lorne's.

Mr. and Mrs. Archie McGregor left Thursday night for Brantford. They will return Tuesday.

A very interesting game of football took place at Victoria Park yesterday afternoon betweeen Noxons and the Shamrocks, the former winning by 3 to 2. The first half was extra fast for the beginning of the season, the Noxon men puzzling their opponents with their combination. Johnson and Wade each tallied one in the first half, while the Shamrocks drew a blank. R. Wade again scored for the Noxons on a pretty shot from right wing. The Shamrocks then got busy and scored two goals in rapid succesison. There is no doubt if there had been more time the Shamrocks would have won out handily. The full time score was 3 to 3. J. G. Gibson acted as referee. The line-up: Noxons—Goal, D. Vance; backs, C. Pearson and T. Totten; halfbacks, Stringer, Munroe and D. Wade; forwards, Anderson, Bud Kelley, A. Johnson, S. Wade, R. Wade. Shamrocks—Goal, Holmes; backs, Gordon Hay, P. Gardiner; half-backs, Martin, Honseur and English; forwards, K. Daniels, W. Goodhand, R. Warden, L. Daniels and E. Murphy.

Before the game started Mr. J. Gibson, sen., presented Mr. Gordon Hay with a very pretty bouquet of flowers from the Shamrocks. He made a short speech, in which he spoke very highly of Mr. Hay in both business and outdoor life. The players all gave three cheers for Mr. Hay, and then the game started. Mr. Hay leaves for Montreal on Tuesday. It might be said Gordon Hay played with the W. F. A. here three years ago, and was counted the best full-back in the game. He will be missed here in every line of sport.

A banquet was given in honor of Mr. Hay at the Mansion House here last night. He was presented with a beautiful bath robe.

Mr. D. Winers, of Chicago, arrived home yesterday, where he will spend the summer. Mr. Winders is employed by Marshall Field & Co.

Mrs. Frank Kiborn is spending the holiday in Chatham.

Mr. Gordon Barlet is spending the holiday in town.

FRANK H. STONEMAN DIED OF PNEUMONIA

Superintendent of Wortman & Ward's Passed Away After Brief Illness.

The news of the death of Mr. Frank H. Stoneman, for the last 25 years superintendent at Wortman and Ward's foundry, will be heard with general regret by a wide circle of friends throughout the city and province. Mr. Stoneman died most unexpectedly after an illness of only three days with pneumonia. He was at his work until late in the evening on Tuesday, and when he came home complained of chills. He was unwell throughout the night and in the morning lapsed into an unconscious state, from which he never rallied. Death was due to pneumonia and heart trouble, which developed during his illness. Mr. Stoneman was 53 years old and came to this country from England with his parents when he was eight months old. He had resided here continually ever since. Besides his wife he is survived by one son, Percy, of the John Morrow Company, Ingersoll; four daughters, Misses Bella, Dilla, Dorothy and Muriel, of this city, and one sister, Miss Helen, of Buffalo. Mr. Stoneman was a member of Dundas Centre Church, and the funeral, which will be held on Tuesday afternoon to Mount Pleasant cemetery, will be conducted by Rev. Dr. Manning.

BILIOUS HEADACHE

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Mr. Fred Hinz, Bradhagen, Perth County, Ont., writes: "I don't like to have my name in the papers, but feel out of justice to suffering humanity I should tell others of the good I obtained from Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills and Ointment.

"For years I was troubled a great deal with sick headaches and was often so bad that I could not work. Being advised to try Dr. Chase's Kidney and Liver Pills I did so, and can say they have brought about a complete cure. From the first I found that one pill cured my headache quickly every time. I was also a victim of itching piles and found Dr. Chase's Ointment the most satisfactory treatment I ever used. It brought relief almost instantly."

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WILLIAM DICKSON OF PARKHILL IS DEAD

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Parkhill, Ont., March 26. — One of the oldest and best-known residents of Parkhill, in the person of Mr. William Dickson, died on Good Friday. Mr. Dickson, who was 84 years of age, had been a resident of this place since 1869. He was a merchant for a number of years, later conducting a large insurance business. He was also the secretary of the board of education, clerk of the division court, and an issuer of marriage licenses. He is survived by an aged widow and one son, Mr. E. A. Dickson, of Parkhill. The funeral will be held on Sunday to the Parkhill Cemetery.

WEDDING IN CLINTON

Interesting Event at the Home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland.

[Special to the Advertiser.]

Clinton, March 26.—Following are the officers of the newly-organized Clinton Athletic Association: Patrons, W. Doherty, D. E. Cluff, H. B. Chant and F. Hill; honorary president, J. H. Kerr; honorary first vice-president, B. J. Gibbings; honorary second vice-president, J. C. Armour; president, M. Graells; first vice-president, J. S. Morris; second vice-president, C. Draper; secretary-treasurer, A. C. Clarkson; manager, J. E. Doherty.

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J. J. Hill says "The high cost of living is largely due to the cost of high living." It is due largely to the ignorance of food values. If all knew that meat there would be a still greater demand for CLARK'S PORK AND BEANS, as "they are the best beans grown, cooked in the best-way known."

FIRE AT DELHI.

Delhi, Ont., March 26. — Fire about 1 o'cloc this morning totally destroyed a cottage owned by Mr. R. J. Pedlow, and occupied by E. B. Armor. Loss on building about $900. Insured in the Economical for $600. Most of the contents were saved.

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"Midget," a good wearing tan kid glove for the little tots, all sizes from 00 to 3 .....$1.00
Ladies' 2-Clasp Kid Gloves, in mode, tan and white .....75¢
Ladies' 2-Clasp Kid Glove, overseam, gussetted, Paris points, in tan, brown, white and black $1.00
2-Clasp "ASCOT," nice spring Gloves, suitable for tailored suits, fit to wear well, overseam, gussetted, Paris points, in new grey, tans, brown, navy, green, pearl, champagne, white and black, per pair $1.25
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Madam, and be healthier with the new Renaissance Corset, "La Diva," rather than discount it and injure your health with ill fitting and old fashioned Corsets.

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WOLF BOUNTY FAKIRS SENT TO KINGSTON

Collected From Ontario Government On Wolves Killed in Minnesota and Manitoba.

Fort Frances, March 26.—Nine men were sentenced yesterday to various terms of imprisonment by Judge Fitch for defrauding the Ontario Government out of wolf bounties. The men sentenced were George Westcott, two years in Kingston Penitentiary; M. C. Cathcart, two and one-half years.

Thomas Godin, Joseph Maxim, Thos. Kilpatrick and Robert Horrocks, three months each, with a fine of $170, or nine months additional. Three Indians were let off with three months.

The men collected the bounties on wolves killed in Minnesota and Manitoba.

On the stand Westcott declared that Abraham Finkelstein and Benjamin Levison, fur dealers, Winnipeg, inspired the scheme and these two were committed for trial for conspiracy to defraud and will stand trial at the assizes opening June 7.

RAISED HALF MILLION

American Bible Society Secures Fund According to Sage Gift.

New York, March 26.—The $500,000 fund which the American Bible Society has for more than a year past been seeking to raise to secure an equal amount, the gift of J. Russell Sage, has been completed. Announcement of the completion of this fund, the securing of which will place a round million dollars in the hands of the society for its uses, was made at the society offices today. The society officials expressed great satisfaction in being able to announce the gratifying result, in season, as one of them put it, to make the found "an offering to the world."

The $500,000 is in the hands of the society in the shape of good and reliable subscriptions, upon which more than $280,000 has already been paid in. Thousands of persons in all parts of the world and in every state of the United States have contributed to the fund in amounts ranging from cents to $25,000. There were two subscriptions of the latter amount, and upwards of 10,000 of $10 each.

FLOODS BLOCK SEEDING

Considerable Land Still Under Water Throughout East Essex.

Chatham, March 26.—A section of Raleigh Township, in which the city is located, and Tilbury East, Essex County, is still under about two feet of water in most places. The water as yet has found no outlet, and the farmers of the district have given up hope of being able to raise their usual big crops of corn and beets this year, as it is now too late to seed. The water has receded about ten inches in about a week's time, for the most part sinking into the soil. It is the opinion of the farmer experts in the flooded district that the loss of the beet crop this year there will be keenly felt.

Denver's municipal theatre, occupying a part of the great Auditorium, is making money, according to the Denver Municipal Facts.

MUCH-WANTED MAN CAPTURED IN NORTH

Tries to Escape Across the Ice But Is Cornered by U. S. Authorities.

Toronto, March 25.—After committing, it is alleged, a most revolting crime on an 11-year-old girl in a lumber camp near Blind River, Angus Wilson and Dalour Benito, two lumbermen, are now in jail at Blind River waiting their trial. The capture of Wilson was made after a most exciting chase by Provincial Constable Angus Taylor, of Blind River, and after orders had been issued by the Attorney-General to capture him dead or alive.

When the crime was reported to the Attorney-General's department a warrant was sent to Taylor, with instructions to get both men. He at once went to the lumber camp and caught Benito without any trouble. But the capture of Wilson was a more difficult matter. Wilson's friends got him away from the camp, and took him into the woods. Taylor went back to Thessalon, engaged a horse and cutter, and went back to watch the roads leading from the woods. For two nights and two days he waited and watched. At 3 o'clock in the morning of the second night Taylor saw a cutter drive from the woods and skirt along the ice near the bush. In the cutter was Wilson's brother and a friend. Taylor at once started in pursuit. The men drove at a terrific pace along the ice, and after travelling several miles slowed down, when Wilson ran from the woods and jumped into the cutter, after having received a signal from his brother.

Across the Ice.

The constable whipped his horse and followed as fast as possible. The three men, evidently determined to get to United States territory as quickly as possible, started out directly across the ice on Lake Huron. The chase continued for hours, in the dark, over the broken ice and snow of the lake. Finally Taylor realized that they had crossed the boundary and that his jurisdiction did not extend any farther. He, therefore, turned back.

The three fleeing men landed at Detour, Mich. But in the meantime Taylor had been busy. He telegraphed to the sheriff at Detour, notifying him that Wilson was wanted on a most serious charge. That officer, therefore, arrested Wilson as soon as he landed, and took him to Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., where he was handed over to the American immigration officers. As an undesirable citizen, Wilson was deported from the United States. When the ferry landed at the Canadian "Soo" Constable Taylor was on hand and took him into custody.

It is understood that the Attorney-General is considering the advisability of rewarding officers who do good work in connection with the apprehension of criminals.

GALEN CLARKE DEAD

Was For Forty Years the Guardian of Yosemite Valley.

San Francisco, March 25. — Galen Clarke, discoverer of the Mariposa group, and for forty years guardian of Yosemite Valley, died last night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Elvira Lee, in Oakland. Mr. Clarke was 96 years old, was born in New Hampshire and came to California in 1853. He discovered the giant Sequoias in 1857 while hunting. The aged guardian of Yosemite will be buried in the valley in a tomb which he cut out himself in a huge rock within a stone's throw of the Yosemite Falls.

MORE PEOPLE, LESS FOOD

One Explanation of the High Cost of Living in the U. S.

Washington, March 26.—An increase of 12,000,000 in the population of the United States in the past ten years, and a decrease of 5,000,000 in the number of available food animals, is the estimate made by the bureau of statistics from reports on these two subjects, made respectively by the census bureau and the department of agriculture. Another lesson in the law of supply and demand, deduced by the bureau of statistics, is that the supply of food animals has gone down 3 per cent, while the value has increased 22 per cent. In the meantime price of grains necessary for food for these animals has increased from 56 to 75 per cent. The value of cattle, sheep and hogs in this country in 1901 was estimated at $1,943,000,000; in 1910, $2,368,000,000. This is an increase of 22 per cent.

Cattle are the one class of food animals which has come anywhere near keeping pace with the growth in population.

THE PITTSBURG PROBE

The Grand Jury Orders Three More Important Indictments.

Pittsburg, March 25.—The graft investigating grand jury ordered the return of three important indictments today. The men named in the indictments are William Brand, Hugh Ferguson and Charles Stewart, all former members of the city councils. The indictments contain many counts. Accompanying the returned true bills, the grand jury handed down a twenty-page statement, covering the whole graft exposure. This statement, it is said, contains the names of everyone so far connected with the anti-graft crusade, and lays bare the entire councilmanic frouds of the past three years.

THE COTTON CENSUS.

Washington, March 23.—The census report shows total supply of cotton for the six months ending Feb. 28, to have been 11,552,361 running bales.

The distribution is 2,526,983 bales consumed, 4,599,682 exported, 1,374,331 held in mills, 1,932,521 held in independent warehouses, other stocks 818,844. Number of bales held on Sept. 1, 1909, 1,483,585. Ginned during the six months period, 9,974,998. Net imports, 93,778.

OFF THE BAR.

St. Pierre, Miquelon, March 25. — The Newfoundland sealing steamer Viking, which touched on a sandbar off here last night, came into port today. The steamer was floated at high water during the night. She sustained no damage.

A translation of the Scriptures into modern, idiomatic Spanish is being prepared for use in Puerto Rico, Cuba, Mexico and South America.

CANADIAN PACIFIC GETS LAND IN HAMILTON

Has Acquired Three Blocks On Which to Erect Depot and Hotel, It Is Said.

Toronto, March 25. — Concurrent with the rumor of large purchases of land by the Canadian Pacific Railway in Toronto, in the vicinity of Yonge and Carlton streets, comes a story from Hamilton that three blocks of land to the north of the present T., H. and B. station, from McNab to Catharine, have been acquired by the same company. These blocks have been transferred to the Mercantile Trust Company for a union station and hotel for the C. P. R., T., H. and B., and C. N. O.

It is undoubtedly apparent that the C. P. R. is beginning to enlarge on no small scale and considers the New York traffic as one of the most important sections of its Ontario business. It built the Sudbury branch in order to provide the quickest route from Vancouver and Winnipeg to New York via Toronto. The C. P. R., as is well known, is not altogether satisfied with the Union Station arrangements in Toronto, nor does it care to be forced to use so much Grand Trunk track, and has, therefore, in mind an Ontario service of its own from Toronto to New York via Hamilton and Buffalo, this involving an independent track to Hamilton.

The number of rapid changes in the railway situation just now are indications of a growing movement in the C. P. R. from the far west to New York and vice versa. A new and independent station will most likely be built in Toronto; enlarged facilities are to be provided at Hamilton. This brings these two cities on the main line of traffic. There need be no diversion of traffic via North Bay, but the bulk can come to Toronto, and here split—part to go direct to New York via Hamilton, the remainder to go eastward to Montreal.

It is significant that the sale of the Hamilton property has been conducted in the same quiet, mysterious way that the Carlton street block has been handled. Few questions were asked; price did not appear to be any object, and the transfer has been made to some unknown, or the sale papers have merely been held.

MORE MISSIONARIES FOR THE BAPTISTS

A New Scale of Salaries and Furlough Allowances Voted.

Toronto, March 26.—The Baptist foreign mission board, at its semi-annual meeting yesterday in McMaster University, appointed a number of missionaries. About 20 members were present. Miss Ruth Philpott, daughter of Rev. P. W. Philpott, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle of the Christian Workers, Hamilton, was appointed to India; Rev. A. G. Baker, B.A., pastor of the West End Baptist Church, Calgary, who has been home for three or four years' furlough on account of his health, was reappointed to his former work at La Paz, Bolivia, and Rev. Mr. Turnbull, of Australia, was appointed a missionary of the Canadian board at Oruro, Bolivia, being taken over from the Australian mission board.

It was unanimously voted to sanction the purchase of the station at Vizagapatam, India, belonging to the London Missionary Society, conjointly with the foreign mission board of the Maritime Provinces, at an estimated cost of 40,000 rupees, about $14,000.

A new scale of salaries and furlough allowance was voted, making substantial increases all along the line. The treasurer's statement showed a satisfactory state of the finances, with substantial advance during the six months over the corresponding period last year.

To the following missionaries a furlough during the coming summer was voted, and they will shortly return to Canada, accordingly: Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Smith, Rev. H. B. and Mrs. Cross, Miss Lida Pratt and Miss Anna Murray, of India, and Rev. C. N. and Mrs. Mitchell, of Bolivia. Dr. E. R. Hooper, Toronto, was appointed physician to the board.

Resolution of colence with the secretary, Rev. J. G. Brown, on the death of his wife, was adopted.

THREATENED CARUSO

"More Dangerous Than Accidents and Charge of Attempted Blackmail.

New York, March 25.—The two prosperous Italian businessmen, Antonio Cincotto and Antonio Misiano, who were arrested on March 4, charged with attempting to blackmail and extort $15,000 from Enrico Caruso, the operatic tenor, were indicted for that offence today in the county court at Brooklyn. Both pleaded not guilty.

Their bail was raised from $5,000 to $10,000 each, and Judge Fawcett, before whom they were arraigned, said he had been informed that the men were about to leave the jurisdiction of the court.

Cincotto and Misiano were traced and arrested through a decoy letter placed by Caruso's valet at a certain point in Brooklyn designated in threatening letters received by the tenor. No date has been set for the trial.

Deathly Cramps, Stomach Was Bloated

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Depart for the east—*12:14 a.m., *3:45 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., *11:40 a.m., 2:00 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m.

Depart for the west—*3:55 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:43 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 8:18 p.m.

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Arrive—*3:25 a.m., 11:15 a.m., 1:33 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

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Arrive from the west—4:45 a.m., †12:30 p.m., *5:35 p.m.

Depart for the east—*4:35 a.m., †7:45 a.m., †12:45 p.m., *5:42 p.m.

Depart for the west—*11:38 a.m., †7:10 p.m., *11:00 p.m.

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PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Depart—5:05 a.m., †7:10 a.m., 9:40 a.m. 2:30 p.m., †3:40 p.m., *7:15 p.m.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., †12:20 p.m., 1:50 p.m., 4:40 p.m., *9:20 p.m.

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LAYMENS' BANQUET

There were upwards of one hundred Congregational laymen at the laymen's missionary banquet, held in the Southern Congregational Church last night, which met to discuss the missionary problem facing the Congregational Church. At the conclusion of the gathering, it was moved and carried that the Congregational churches of London district increase their missionary givings to the average of $5 per member.

The principal speaker of the evening was Mr. V. E. Ashdown, of Toronto, the president of the Congregational layman's movement of Canada. Mr. Ashdown spoke with great emphasis of the opportunities that faced the church at the present time for the Christianizing of the world. The eastern nations were open now to outside influences; they were putting away their old customs, and looking to the west for the newer civilization to supersede their own. The national religions, too, were losing their hold upon pagan lands, and the same opportunity confronted the church of supplying something to meet this need.

The Great Problem.

Mr. Ashdown also spoke at some length on the problem that was confronting Canada in the immense tide of immigration that was coming to her shores. Canada had to face today, with her seven and a half millions of population, an immigration greater than had come to the United States, when she had 20,000,000. The number of immigrants coming to Canada was three times that going to the United States, and Canada is imperatively faced with the problem of assimilating these people. These people are given votes almost as soon as they reached the country, and he considered it imperative for the safety of the country that they should be placed under Christian influences and created into useful citizens.

Mr. Bates, who delivered the first address of the evening, outlined the report of the layman's missionary movement of the world, illustrating his remarks with a series of charts. Mr. Bates pointed out that of the world's contributions to missions, 85 per cent came from the Anglo-Saxon nations.

In the past year Canada had devoted some four and a half millions to the work of missions, $3,200,000 of which had been devoted to the work of the foreign fields, and $1,300,000 to the work of home missions.

Among the delegates from outside points were Rev. Matthew Kelly, of Watford, and five lay delegates from his church; Mr. John Collins, of Watford; Rev. Byron Simmons, of Forest, and Rev. R. Armstrong, Frome.

Mr. Anundson, of the First Congregational Church, was the chairman of the meeting.

BABY SMOTHERED.

Toronto, March 25.—Presumably as a result of suffocation the seven-weeks-old child of Mabel Smith a Barnardo girl, 18 years of age, was found dead this morning in bed with its mother and several other children, at 506 Queen's street east.

The body was removed to the morgue, and, after investigation of the circumstances, Coroner L. Pickering decided that an inquest was unnecessary.

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QUEEN'S ALUMNI HELD BANQUET

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FUNCTION OF QUEEN'S

Public Men Must Come From the Colleges, Said One Speaker, and Kingston University Must Do Its Share.

"Oil thigh na Banrighinn gu broth."

To the sound of the old Queen's yell, and amid long festoons of the yellow, blue and red, the Queen's Alumni Association of Western Ontario held their tenth annual banquet in the parlor of the Y. M. C. A. last night.

The gathering was not a large one, but there was plenty of enthusiasm, and staid graduates of ten and fifteen years' standing forgot their dignity in trolling out the old college songs.

The toast to the Alma Mater was proposed and responded to by the two representatives of Queen's University, Professor Laird and Professor Morison.

Question of Expansion.

"The greatest problem before Queen's today," said Professor Laird, "is the question of expansion. In the past ten years a new university has grown up. At the beginning of that time there was a reserve of $75,000, now it is $200,000. Now her endowment has grown from $200,000 to $700,000. But the students must have more opportunity of meeting with the personalities of their instructors, as they cannot now with the immense classes that have to be taught by such a small staff, and thus, the imperative need is of further expansion. And in this period of expansion is found the great danger period that is facing the university today.

Must Do Things.

"The place of Queen's in the future of Canada is the question of which I desire to speak," said Professor Morison. "Canada has to do things, and the question is what place in that advance does the university take? As I look back I see that the universities have always played a great part in the development of the nation. And Queen's, it seems to me, is going to count first by being a university—universities grow with the growth of the nation, with the realization that knowledge is power. Queen's advanced just as the nation did, gathering traditions and ideals and memories. So we are a university, not merely a brick and mortar thing. We have lacked in material things, but we have been creating thought.

"But you cannot solve political problems by ideals; we must train our leaders. The men whom Canada must have to guide her must not only be idealists, but idealists made practical; and the university has much to do in bringing on these conditions. You question how a professor in a college can affect public life. Adam Smith, a single Scotch professor, in his book, has perhaps had as much affect upon the world as did the declaration of independence. Captain Mahan, a theorist and a professor, as men say, wrote a book on sea power, that set the United States and Germany building a navy, and when the great Armageddon is fought out, as it may be in the near future, it will be because of the book by Captain Mahan.

Serving Canada.

"There is another way in which Queen's may serve Canada—by its religious life. Religion has to renew its forms and bind itself in new ways to the national life, and the university is the force that welds the religion and the nation.

Neither religion nor education is of any use apart. They must join hands. And Queen's is singularly placed to serve the interests of true religion.

Assuming that a separation takes place between church and college, you have a definite dangerous crisis. I cannot consider the thought that Queen's should lose her hold on the church without the gravest sorrow. We have made our mistakes in the past, but let us put these behind us, and remember the great need of Canada. If Queen's is not in contact not only with the church, but with concrete churches, I cannot see any comfort for us. There is no perpetuity to anything on earth that is not based on a foundation of religion."

Rev. Mr. Cameron proposed the toast to the graduates and undergraduates, which was responded to by Dr. Neville and Mr. Smith, Mr. Lockhead and Rev. Mr. Graham.

The Ladies.

The toast to "The Ladies" was proposed by Mr. George Malcolm, of Strat ford, and responded to by Mrs. Jas. Rollins, of this city.

At the conclusion of the banquet a business meeting was held, at which the officers for the ensuing year were elected as follows:

Hon. president—Principal Gordon.
President—George Malcolm, M. A.
Secretary-treasurer—Rev. Jas. Rollins, B. A.
Vice-presidents—Revs. A. Graham, B. A., Rev. Wm. Kannawin, B. A., J. H. Smith, B.A., Arthur Voaden, M. A., W. J. Chisholm, B. A.
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Forming an Association.

Prof. Laird suggested the advisability of forming an alumni association for the northwest part of the province, with its meeting place probably at Palmerston or Harriston, and it was moved by Rev. James Rollins and Mr. J. K. Smith that "we sanction very heartily the formation of such an association if thought advisable by the university authorities." The matter of providing a fund for the granting of county scholarships was also considered, and left to a committee from the different counties for consideration.

Those Present.

Those present at the banquet were: W. M. Kannawin, Strathroy; W. M. Lochead, 51 King W., Berlin; K. P. R. Neville, Western University; D. N. Morden, London; James H. Smith, I. P. S., Stratford; Robert Laird, Kingston; W. J. Patterson, London; George Malcolm, Stratford; J. L. Morrison, Kingston; James Ross, London; Mrs. James Rollins, London; Rev. James Rollins, London; Rev. T. J. Thompson, Stratford; Rev. A. Graham, Parkhill; Thomas Alexander, London; J. G. Stuart, London; C. B. Edwards, London; Miss Maybelle Stuart, London, Mrs. Jas. Ross, London; Mrs. W. J. Patterson, London; Mrs. George Malcolm, Stratford.

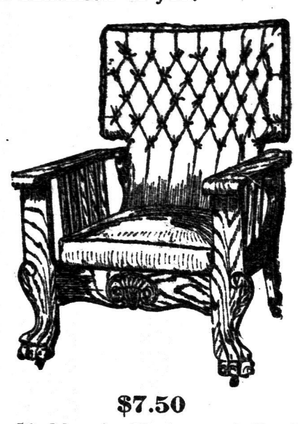
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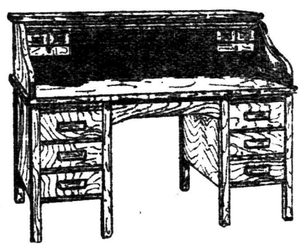
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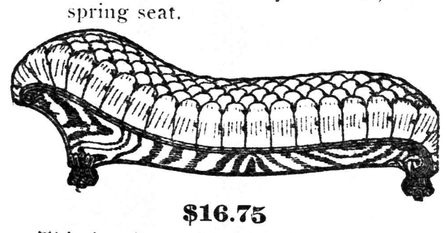
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Such is the expression of opinion of the board of license commissioners, as voiced by Chairman Coatsworth. The matter was brought to the notice of the board by License Inspector Johnston, who had been asked by a number of hotelkeepers what the commissioners thought of the free lunches.

"I entirely disapprove of the custom," said the chairman. "Free lunches are only an encouragement to drink. That's the reason they give the stuff away. If I had my way about it I wouldn't have lunches of any sort available in the bars."

Inspector Johnston was instructed to take the matter up with the license department to see if the board has authority to deal with the problem, and if it has it will be all off with the free lunches.

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Chatham, N. S., March 25. — Two fishermen, Hugh Allen, aged 40, and John A. Cartwright, aged 16, were drowned at Mitchell's Bay, a short distance from this city on Wednesday night.

The two men went out with a launch and a small boat to set some nets. They anchored the launch and took the small boat with grappling hooks and tackle, and were evidently trying to recover a lost net when the boat, which was a frail affair, capsized. Yesterday the small boat drifted to the shore upside down. Other fishermen found the launch, but the two men have not been heard from.

Allen leaves a wife and a family of three daughters and a son. Cartwright was his nephew.

They had been following the fishing business for a year.

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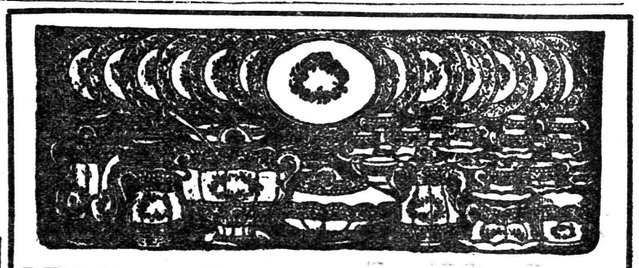


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SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

POSTPONE THE KLING DECISION

Members of National Commission Will File Written Reports Next Monday.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Cincinnati, O., March 25.—The national baseball commission adjourned this afternoon without reaching a decision in the now famous Kling case.

The members of the commission, however, have agreed to have written individual opinions ready Monday.

These will be compared and a general opinion arrived at. This final opinion, it was announced, would be given out Thursday.

The Punishment.

Just what punishment should be meted out to Kling, is believed to be the question upon which the three members of the commission cannot agree.

Chairman Herrmann stated today that the commission had all the evidence it desired but refused to tell why a final decision in the matter was not forthcoming.

Before touching the Kling matter, the commission decided upon rules covering the awarding of prizes to the two champion batsmen of the National and American leagues.

That Batters' Auto.

No infielder or outfielder can compete for the two automobiles offered by the Detroit firm unless they have been at the bat at least 350 times, while a catcher must go to bat 250 times and a pitcher 100 times.

An offer of $2,000 has been refused for the Maine trotter Clorinda, 2:13¼, by Colombo.

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JACK JOHNSON IS IN TROUBLE AGAIN

Must Now Answer Charge of Fast Auto Driving.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Chicago, March 25.—Upon his arrival from New York today, Jack Johnson, the pugilist, was served with a summons to appear before Municipal Judge Scovel, March 31, and answer the charge of having violated the automobile speed ordinance.

GOODALL WHIST TROPHY WON BY TORONTO PLAYERS

Montreal Beaten at Congress in Queen City Yesterday, by 436 to 425 —Sevens of London.

Toronto, March 26.—The Canadian Whist Tourney on Good Friday at the King Edward Hotel saw some very close games played, with Toronto winning the big event of the tournament, the Goodall trophy, by one point from Montreal.

Toronto was represented by Beharriell and Connolly, Kidd and Ledger, while O'Grady and Gallagher, Eves and Wyman represented Montreal.

The election of officers was the only business of importance at the annual meeting of the Canadian Whist Club last night, Dr. J. H. Irwin, of Collingwood, being elected president. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered the many American visitors. Officers elected:

Honorary president, A. Gallagher, Montreal; president, Dr. J. H. Irwin, Collingwood; first vice-president, F. Beharriell, Toronto; second vice-president, H. Frost, Hamilton; third vice-president, J. Connolly, Toronto; secretary, H. Kidd, Toronto; treasurer, J. J. Higgins, Toronto; executive, P. Kennedy, Lindsay; W. H. Wyman, Montreal; J. Connor, London; C. A. Powis, Hamilton; W. Ledger, Toronto, F. Verrall, Toronto.

The following were the scores yesterday:

Amsden Trophy.

Collingwood—Wescott and Allan, Irwin and Bruce, plus 3½. Lindsay—Kennedy and Brown, Goodwin and Burgess, plus 2. Montreal also played.

Goodall Trophy.

Toronto (A), north and south—Beharriell and Connolly, Kidd and Ledger. Total tricks, 438.

Montreal—O'Grady and Gallagher, Eves and Wyman. Total tricks 425.

Hamilton—Crawford and Burt, Frost and Powis. Total tricks, 417.

Toronto (B)—Hanrahan and Costello, Verrall and Landerkin. Total tricks, 414.

East and West.

Collingwood—Wescott and Allen, Irwin and Bruce. Total tricks, 412.

Toronto (C)—Hall and Beeton, Amsden and Biggar. Total tricks, 412.

London—Connor and Ashplant, Wilcox and Ryder. Total tricks, 408.

Lindsay—Brown and Kennedy, Burgess and Goodwin. Total tricks, 402.

London Scores.

In the pairs, Wilcox and Ryder scored 155, plus 55½, the highest score being made by Beharriell and Connolly, 241, plus 11.

Ryder and Wilcox were second in the Mitchell game with 223, plus 6, while Ashplant and Connor had 203, plus 4.

Ryder and Wilcox, with plus 74½ topped section A of the progressive pairs, while Connor and Ashplant had the same score in second place of section B.

The ladies' championship and the match for the Hay trophy are among the events to be decided today.

FINAL STANDING OF TEAMS IN C.O.F. LEAGUE

Following is the final standing of the Canadian Order of Foresters' Carpet-ball League, each team having played the full twenty games:

Court.	Played.	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Eclipse	20	15	5	.750
Victory	20	12	8	.600
London City ...	20	10	10	.500
Middlesex	20	9	11	.450
Orient	20	8	12	.400
Robin Hood ...	20	6	14	.300

The pacing gelding, Spill, 2:08½, is now owned by J. C. Haley, of Madison, Wis.

Silko, 2:12¼, will have to race in the 2:09 class because of his mile in 2:08¾ in Austria.

The Chicago trainer, Dick McMahan, has booked Mona Wilkes, 2:03¼, by Demonio, to Major C., 2:04.

GLOVER AND DAY TIED AT SPRINGWOOD SHOOT

Each Made Score of 346 on the Holiday—Mr. A. Blackburn Was Third, and J. Bissett Fourth.

The Springwood Gun Club held a shoot yesterday morning at their grounds in the north end.

The light wind made the shooting very hard, and the targets dodged around in a very erratic manner.

Notwithstanding the conditions some good scores were made.

The programme consisted of four events of fifteen targets each, a total of sixty birds.

Tied for High.

R. Day and B. W. Glover tied for high average, with 52 each.

A. S. Blackburn was third, and Bissett fourth.

The prize winners were as follows:

1st Event—1st, E. G. Simcox; 2nd, R. Day.

2nd Event.—1st, A. S. Blackburn; 2nd, B. W. Glover.

3rd Event.—1st, J. Bissett; 2nd, W. A. Brock.

4th Event.—1st, Parker; 2nd, R. Waide. High average.—Glover and Day, tied for first; 3rd, A. S. Blackburn; 4th, J. Bissett.

The Scores.

The scores were as follows:

Event	1	2	3	4	Points
Targets	15	15	15	15—60	
Glover	12	13	15	12—52	346
Day	14	12	14	12—52	346
Blackburn	10	12	11	11—44	343
Bissett	10	11	13	11—45	339
Simcox	13	10	8	11—42	229
Bryce	10	11	9	11—41	315
Waide	8	9	11	12—40	307
Parker	10	9	7	13—39	291
Brock	8	8	10	7—33	300
Hilliker	6	1	7	5—19	247

NEAR-RIOTS IN GAME AT BIRMINGHAM, ALA.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Birmingham, Ala., March 25.—In a battle marked by scant hitting and a dozen near-riots, the Cub Zeepos today overcame the Birmingham Barons, winning 1 to 1 after the regular umpire had surrendered his job to a local pitcher. All four pitchers introduced during the game displayed bunches of wildness. The score:

	R.	H.	E.
Chicago ... 0 0 0 0 0 3 0 1 0 0—	4	5	1
Birmingham ..1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—	1	3	3

Batteries—Cole, Weaver and Needham; Lauer, Williams, Elliott and O'Brien.

HIGHLAND "YANS." LOSE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Athens, Ga., March 25.—The remnant of regulars defeated the Highland Yanigans in a five-inning game this afternoon by the score of 2 to 1. Chase left tonight for his Jersey home. He expects an addition to his family in the near future. Chase is still troubled with "Charley horse" in the left leg. Earl Gardner's left thumb was dislocated in the morning practice. Roach will take his place if second till Gardner recovers. Knight will be called upon to fill Chase's shoes until the captain again joins his team.

TROPHY PRESENTED

Court Stella, No. 7047, A. O. F., had a very interesting meeting in their rooms, Society Hall, East London, on Thursday evening, when Bro. Frank Ball, the district chief ranger, attended, and presented to the court the district trophy, awarded by the executive council, for having procured the largest number of new members upon the percentage basis of membership during 1909.

Bro. Ball also presented on behalf of the court a past chief ranger's jewel and framed certificate to Bro. John Walters, the junior P. C. R. of the court. It was decided to hold an open session for members and friends next Thursday evening, the 31st inst. Any wishing information concerning the order cordially invited. Music and games provided.

Medium Line, 2:10, now in Austria, is the property of Mr. Albert Moser, who once owned Que Allen, 2:08 4-10.

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DR. LEDERMAN IS W. F. A. PRESIDENT

Milverton Man Elected at Annual Meeting Held in Galt Yesterday.

(Special to The Advertiser.)

Galt, March 25.—Dr. R. Lederman, of Milverton, was made president of the Western Football Association at the thirty-first annual meeting held here to-day.

A large number of new clubs were admitted and general business attended to.

The new officers are:

Honorary president—D. A. McLachlan, Stratford.

President — Dr. R. Lederman, Milverton.

Honorary secretary—D. Forsyth, Berlin.

Secretary-treasurer — T. G. Elliott, Galt.

Vice-presidents—Southern, G. C. Wilson, Dundas; Oxford, E. A. Rae; Woodstock; Central, R. S. Hamilton, B. A., Galt; Perth, J. McCutcheon, M. A., Stratford; Huron, F. Sills, Seaforth; Middlesex, W. A. Govenlock, B. A., London; Bruce, D. L. Doering, Mildmay; Grey, A. S. McNab, Walkerton; Niagara, G. S. Premister, Niagara Falls; Peel, S. D. Robinson, Caledon.

Hough cup—H. W. Brown, Berlin; R. S. Hamilton, B. A., Galt.

Registration and amateur standing committee—J. J. Gunn, Woodstock, chairman; J. H. Bennett, Galt; L. B. Duff, Welland; M. Jackson, Seaforth.

Audit committee—L. B. Duff, Welland; Geo. Ducker, Galt.

New Clubs Let In.

Many applications were received for admittance by outside clubs, and April 23 was set as the time limit for receiving additional requests.

The new clubs granted berths are as follows:

Senior—Berlin Rangers, Stratford.

Intermediates—Milverton, Strathroy, Galt Athletics, Preston, Brucefield, Mildmay, Walkerton and Hanover.

Juniors—Stratford, Attwood.

Hough Cup—Stratford C. I., Berlin C. I. and Galt C. I.

Clubs undecided as to what series to enter—Paris, Seaforth, Woodstock and Tavistock.

Dr. Murray's Case.

Secretary-Treasurer Thompson Elliott presented his report, and called attention to the case of Dr. Murray, of Owen Sound, who issued writs in the high court against the members of the executive as a result of the expulsion of the doctor from the W. F. A.

The hearing was set for next week in Owen Sound, but Justice Teetzel declined to act, and referred the matter to the association, as he considered that body the proper tribunal.

Finances Are Good.

The financial report for the year showed the receipts to be $560 66, and the expenditures $490 07, balance of $70 59 remaining in the bank. Secretary Elliott was granted an honorarium of $50 for his services.

The report of the executive, which expelled John D. Campbell, of Owen Sound, on a charge of sending in false affidavits, relating to membership, was read.

Some Suspensions.

Gifford King was suspended until Oct. 25 for playing with Tavistock under an assumed name in 1908. Robert Allan, of Galt, played in a junior game knowing that he was over age, and was expelled. James Bailey was suspended until Oct. 25 on a similar charge.

C. Stanley Campbell, Fred Shaw and George W. Cantley, of the Owen Sound Juniors, were charged with taking false affidavits, and were expelled.

Honorary President Louis Blake Duff, of Welland, read the report of the Murray case, and the following resolution was adopted unanimously:

"In view of the circumstances disclosed, your executive recommend that Dr. H. B. Murray be no longer eligible after this date as a member of the Western Football Association."

ONTARIO SOCCER CHAMPION-SHIP.

[G. N. W. Service.]

Toronto, March 25.—The Thistles of Toronto, and the Westinghouse team of Hamilton played to a draw of one goal apiece today in the first of the home-and-home games for the Ontario senior soccer championship. A big crowd watched the game.

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WATERLOO COUNTY LEAGUE NOW "WESTERN ONTARIO"

Waterloo, Berlin, Preston, Galt and Guelph May Be in the New Organization.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Waterloo, March 25.—The Waterloo County Baseball League was changed to the Western Ontario Amateur League at a meeting held here today, clubs in Waterloo, Berlin, Preston, Galt and Guelph being represented. Each team will appoint one delegate to the meeting in Galt April 4, when a code of rules will be drawn up. Last year's officers were re-elected. They are:

Honorary President — George A. Clare, M. P., Preston.

President—A. Hergott, Waterloo.

Vice-President — Mayor McLellan, Galt.

Secretary-Treasurer—A. A. Eby, Berlin.

BIG BATCH OF PLAYERS REINSTATED BY C.L.A.

Annual Meeting Held at Toronto Yesterday Was Well Attended—The Officers Elected.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, March 25.—The annual meeting of the Canadian Lacrosse Association was held here today, the officers being elected for the coming year and much business of minor importance attended to.

The new officers are:

President—O. S. Eby, Hespeler.

Vice-President—J. K. Forsyth, Toronto.

Council.

Dr. C. P. McGibbon, Bracebridge 79
Joseph A. Hewitt, Guelph 72
T. E. Bell, Bradford 60
Dr. W. A. Groves, Fergus 55
J. Ed. Hinds, Orillia 55
C. L. Wallace, Woodbridge 55
Arthur E. Rankin, Owen Sound 52
Thomas J. Mackie, Brampton 50
Ernie Knott, Toronto 46
D. McMillan, Beaverton 45

Amendment Thrown Out.

An amendment to allow smaller towns to unite to enter a team was lost when put to a vote.

J. Auburn and J. Sullivan, of St. Catharines, who played lacrosse on Sunday, and who were suspended, were given certificates again. H. Stewart and H. Jones, of St. Marys, who were expelled for playing under assumed names, were reinstated. H. Woodley hit a player in the eye at Brantford and lost his certificate. He was replaced in good standing. C. Barbour was expelled for life for hitting referee Waghorne, but was allowed back after a battle.

P. Forester, of Brampton, had his certificate cancelled for giving a wrong declaration as to his age.

Reinstated Players.

The following were reinstated for professionalism: R. Bond, A. Roach, J. Kearns, Toronto; Hawthorne, Hay, Slattery, Collins, Howell and Slattery, of Brantford; Regan, Rattell, Hoskins and McFarland, of Hamilton; Herbert Pifer, St. Catharines; W. J. McMullins, Woodbridge.

G. T. R. TEAM BEAT STRATFORD Y. M. C. A.

Great Football Match in Classic City Yesterday—Score, 3 to 0.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Stratford, March 26.—The first football game of the season was played Good Friday morning between the G. T. R. and the Y. M. C. A. on the collegiate flats.

The flats were dry and the exhibition was good for an opener. The game was won by the G. T. R. 3-0, half-time score being 1 to 0.

WILDNESS COSTLY

San Francisco Pitchers' Lack of Control Gives Sox Yans Victory.

[Special to the Advertiser.]

San Francisco, March 25.—The forcing in of two runs by wild San Francisco pitchers enabled the White Sox Yannigans to defeat the Frisco team this afternoon, 2 to 1. But for the period of wildness, the Seals would have won out, 1 to 0. Their run was the result of two solid wallops off the Sox flinger. The score:

Innings ..... 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 R H E
Chicago ..... 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0 0—2 6 1
S. Francisco ..0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 0—1 5 0

Batteries—Schmierker, Lange and Owens; Easterly, Stewart, Henley and Williams.

SAM LANGFORD WILL KEEP TO CONTEST

Los Angeles, March 26.—Sam Langford denied today that he would break his Philadelphia engagement to fight Stanley Ketchel in San Francisco next month.

"I am going to fight Ketchel six rounds in Philadelphia on April 27," was Langford's statement. "I have signed no articles calling for a fight in San Francisco."

At Atlanta, Ga.— R. H. E.
Philadelphia Am. regulars 6 8 2
Atlanta, Southern League 5 6 0

Batteries—Dygert, Krause, Livingstone and Thomas; Rogers, Johns, McLain and Smith.

At New Orleans — R. H. E.
Cleveland Americans 8 5 3
New Orleans, Southern League 8 9 3

Batteries—Linke, Doane, Koestner and Easterly; Hoss, Ostrumb, Maxwell and Mitchell.

At Little Rock, Ark.— R. H. E.
Cleveland American seconds .. 8 6 2
St. Louis Nationals 0 8 5

Batteries—Berger and Higgins; Salee, Meiter, Johnson, Laudermilk and Phelps.

At Chattanooga, Tenn.— R. H. E.
Chattanooga, Southern League 5 9 1
Brooklyn Nationals 5 6 2

Batteries—Miller, Fullenwider and Carson; Scheinberg, Rucker and Miller.

At Nashville, Tenn.— R. H. E.
Philadelphia American seconds 6 9 4
Nashville, Southern League ... 5 6 4

Batteries — Kellogg, Krummer and Lapp; Lambert, Anderson, Seaban and Earloff.

Hot Springs, Ark.— R. H. E.
Cincinnati Nationals 5 11 1
Boston Americans 3 11 2

Batteries—Hosp, Beebe, Cantwell and McLean; Arrelanes, Wood and Carrigan and Madden.

ZBYSZKO MATCHED WITH ROGERS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wilkesbarre, Pa., March 25.—Zbyszko, the Polish wrestler, has been matched with "Yankee" Rogers, of Buffalo, for a finish match to take place in this city on April 21.

Are You Nervous, Weak?

If So, Read Carefully the Following Story Told by an Interested Mother.

"All her life my daughter showed signs of physical weakness; she was very ambitious, and before we left Rochester, two years ago, she had passed the State Regents' Examination for matriculation. But when she got through the exams she was in very poor shape—in fact, she was positively weak—very thin—her skin was pale, and the slightest exertion put her out of breath and made her heart beat terribly. So very miserable did she feel with weakness and other numerous troubles that I will not mention, she would not have been sorry if the end had come. This made me try everything to make her strong. After so many failures you can imagine my delight to find that Ferrozone, after only two boxes had been taken, added greatly to her strength and color. It will always be a wonder to me how that medicine Ferrozone brought Lucy back to health. She used in all eight boxes. Today she is strong and just full of life. She has no more weakness, no more troubles, nothing wrong with her that would pull her down again. Ferrozone dil it all."

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CATCHER SMITH RELEASED BY HEDGES.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Battle Creek, Mich., March 25.—Catcher Wilbur Smith, of this city, was released today by President Hedges, of the St. Louis Americans, to the Minneapolis Club, of the American Association.

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A resolution was adopted at the evening meeting, heartily indorsing the attitude of the Toronto license commissioners in opposition to free lunches in barrooms, and expressing the hope that the Premier and the Legislature would enact a law prohibiting any lunches, free or paid, being dispensed with in connection with licensed bars.

The following officers were elected for this year: President, Rev. H. H. Bingham, Paris; vice-presidents, Mr. Frank Rowe, Brockville; Mr. Ben Schulte, Berlin; Rev. C. J. McLean, Blenheim; recording secretary, Mr. H. G. Ratcliffe, Toronto.

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

ALL SAINTS—EASTER DAY. HOLY Communion, 7, 8:30, 11 a.m. Children's service, 3 p.m. Choral Evensong and sermon. Morning preacher, Rev. T. B. Clarke, M.A.; evening preacher, Rev. R J. Bowen, M.A.

ADELAIDE STREET BAPTIST Church—Rev. T. T. Shields will preach. Morning subject, "An Easter Message to Mourners"; evening, "The Resurrection in Redemption." All welcome.

ASKIN STREET METHODIST CHURCH —Rev. A. K. Birks, pastor. Morning, Women's Missionary Society; address by Mrs. J. H. McMechan. Evening, the pastor; subject, "Life Inherited." Special Easter music by the choir; "Hallelujah" chorus, "Worthy is the Lamb" (Handel)'s "Messiah"), will be among the selections.

BIBLE CLASS, 2:45, SUNDAY AFTERNOON—"Class Welcome," First Methodist Sunday School. Visitors always welcome. W. J. Underwood, leader.

BISHOP CRONYN MEMORIAL Church—Easter services and special Easter music. Preachers: 11 a.m., the Rector; 7, the Bishop. Communion at 7:45, 9, 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Baptisms at 4 p.m. Easter offerings.

CATHEDRAL ST. PAUL'S — EASTER Day—Holy Communion, 6:30 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 8:30 a.m. and noon. Matins, 11; anthems, "The Strife is O'er" (Bruce Steane), "Christ is Risen" (Wagner); solo, "Thou Didn't Not Leave His Soul in Hell" (Handel's "Messiah"); preacher, the Bishop. Children's service, 3:15 p.m. Evensong, 7; morning anthem repeated; preacher, the Precentor. Collections for Sunday School.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. G. N. Hazen, pastor, will preach at both services tomorrow. Easter messages and Easter music.

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH —Rev. Walter Moffat, minister. Morning, "The Uplifted Christ"; 3 p.m., service for young, Mrs. Wright; evening, "The Resurrection of Christ," sermon illustrated with beautiful colored lantern views. Special Easter music by choir.

CHRIST CHURCH — REV. ROGER Howard, M.A., rector. Holy Communion, 8:30 and at noon; children's service, 3 o'clock; evening prayer at 7. Special Easter music.

CHURCH OF ST. JOHN THE EVANGELIST—Rev. W. T. Hill, rector. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Pastor will preach. Splendid programme, Easter music, morning and evening. At 3 o'clock, Easter cantata, by chorus of 100 voices.

DUNDAS CENTRE Methodist Church

Rev. Thomas Manning, D.D., pastor. The pastor will preach at both services. Sermons appropriate to the day.

EASTER MUSIC

Mr. J. Parnell Morris, organist and choirmaster.

Morning—Organ, "Vision" (Bibl); anthem, "The Magdalene" (Warren); anthem, "As It Began to Dawn" (Martin); duet (tenor and soprano), "Love Divine" (Stainer); anthem, "Awake Up My Glory" (Barnby); organ, "Silver Trumpets" (Vivlani). Evening—Organ, "Spring Song" (Brewer); anthem, "Hallelujah" chorus, ("Messiah"); solo (contralto), "Every Flower That Blossoms" (Shelley); anthem, "Unfold, Ye Portals" (Gounod); quartette, "When Morning Gilds the Skies" (Rompini); solo (soprano), "Day of Days" (Vandewater); anthem (with tenor solo), "Sing, O Heavens" (Sullivan); organ, "Hosanna" (Dubois). Miss Annie Reid, soprano; Miss Lillian M. Gilmore, contralto; Mr. H. S. Walker, tenor, and Mr. W. H. Skinner, bass, will be the soloists.

EGERTON STREET BAPTIST CHURCH —Pastor, Arthur J. Bowen. 11 a.m. and 6:45 p.m. Easter sermon. Appropriate music under Mr. Charles Maynard's leadership. Baptism in the evening.

EMPRESS AVENUE METHODIST Church—Rev. J. W. Dewey, pastor. Special Easter services. Morning subject, "Death Conquered"; anthems, "Christ Our Passover" (Towns), "The Lord Is Risen" (Lowland). Evening subject, "The Name That is Above Every Name"; anthems, "I Will Mention Thy Loving Kindness" (Sullivan), "They Have Taken Away My Lord" (Stainer), "By Babylon's Waves" (Gounod).

FIRST CHRISTIAN WORKERS' Church—Pastor will preach morning and evening; subject, morning, "Some Points of Difference and Some Points of Resemblance in Christ's Appearances Before and After the Resurrection"; evening subject, "Three Resurrection Doubters."

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH, Dundas street—Rev. E. H. Peatfield, D.D., pastor. Pastor will preach. Evening subject, thirteenth in series on Revelation, "The Measuring of the Temple."

FIRST CHURCH OF CHRIST—SCIENTIST, corner Richmond street, Princess and Park avenues—Sunday service at 11 a.m. Subject, "Reality." Sunday School at 12:15. Wednesday, testimonial meeting, 8 p.m. Free reading rooms, open every weekday from 2 to 4:30. Everybody welcome. Literature for sale and free distribution.

EASTER SERVICES.

FIRST METRODIST CHURCH.

Rev. Richard Whiting, B.A., pastor. Morning—Sermon, "Resurrection Then"; anthem, "The Wilderness" (Wesley); solo, "The Resurrection Morn" (Rodney); hymn-anthem, "Low in the Grave."

Evening—Sermon, "Resurrection Now"; "The Redemption," Part II., Gounod: 1, "Prophetic Choir"; 2, "The Holy Women at the Sepulchre"; 3, "Jesus Appearing to the Holy Women"; 4, "The Sanhedrim"; 5, "The Holy Women Before the Apostles"; 6, "Jesus Appearing to the Apostles"—"The Ascension"; solo, "Hosanna" (Granier); "Hallelujah" chorus, (Handel); soloists, the Double Quartette of the choir, and Mr. J. M. Sherlock, tenor, of Toronto.

A. D. Jordan, organist.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. John Gibson Inkster, B.A., minister. Special Easter service, with appropriate music. Rev. J. A. Carmichael, D.D., will preach in the morning and the pastor in the evening.

GOSPEL HALL, CORNER HAMILTON road and Grey street. Sunday School and Bible Class, 2:30. Gospel meeting, 7 p.m. A welcome to all.

HYATT AVENUE METHODIST Church—Pastor, Rev J. W. Baird. Morning, "Some Reasons for Our Belief in Immortality"; evening, "Some Results for Our Belief in Immortality." Special Easter music by the choir.

KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. James Rollins, B.A., will preach, both services. Evening subject, "Does Repentance Remove All the Consequences of Sin?" Easter music. Strangers welcome.

KNOLLWOOD PARK PRESBYTERIAN Church, corner Quebec and Oxford—Special reopening services tomorrow. 11 a.m., Rev. P. E. Nichol; 7 p.m., the Y. M. C. A. Workers.

MAITLAND STREET BAPTIST Church—Rev. C. M. Carew, pastor. Rev. Mr. Hamilton will preach morning and evening. Special Easter music. Everybody welcome.

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH—REV. JAS. Ross, D.D. minister. Morning, "The Resurrection Body"; anthems, "Since by Man Came Death," "We Declare Unto You Glad Tidings." Evening, Rev. Dr. Carmichael; anthems, "The Dawn of Hope," "Sing, My Soul, the Saviour's Battle"; solo, "Resurrexit." Mass meeting of Sunday School and an address by Dr. Ross, "The Meaning of Easter."

SUNDAY SERVICES.

ST. DAVID'S—SUNDAY SCHOOL, 3 p.m. Evening service and sermon, preacher, Mr. A. D. Currie. b

ST. JAMES' CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON—Services at 11 and 7. Rector, Very Rev. E. Davis, D.D.

ST. MARK'S, POTTERSBURG—EASTER Sunday. Holy Communion at 11 a.m. Preacher, Rev. W. M. Seaborn. Evening service at 7 o'clock. b

TALBOT STREET BAPTIST CHURCH—Rev. A. J Vining, pastor. Morning subject, "The Greatest Victory"; evening subject, "My Burden." Baptism at close of evening service. Seats free. All welcome.

SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH—Pastor, W. M. Walker. Morning, "Risen With Christ"; evening, "Life in Christ." Sunday School and Bible Class, 3 p.m. All welcome.

NEW ST. JAMES' PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. Thos. H. Mitchell, B.D., pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m.

WELLINGTON STREET METHODIST Church—Rev. H. A. Graham, pastor. 10 a.m., regular classes. The pastor will preach at both services. In the morning, special music by a chorus of children. Evening, the choir will render special music. Solos by Misses Taylor and Wonacott. Sabbath School clases at 2:45.

YORK STREET MISSION HALL—Morning, "Easter Thoughts"; evening subject, "Consolation to Those Who Have Lost Dear Friends and Relatives." Preacher, Evangelist Belcher. Mr. Arthur Clarke and others will sing.

Auction Sale

The undersigned will sell for Mr. R. F. Matthews, at his residence, 403 Central avenue, on Tuesday, March 29, at 10:30 a.m., the contents of house, comprising parlor suite, imperial Axminster rugs, Wilton, hall and stair carpets, large mirror, quarter oak bedroom suites, coal range, gas range, bric-a-brac, pictures, brass easel, book case and secretary, leather-seated oak dining chairs, Encyclopaedia Britannica, books, linoleums, portieres, drapes, curtains, kitchen utensils, etc. Also at 4 p.m. on premises, the valuable residence, thoroughly modern, combination fixtures, hot and cold and soft water, etc., large commodious rooms. Inspection invited. Chance for a choice home. Owner leaving city at once. Neil Cooper, auctioneer. 36c

AUCTION SALE

By George A. Hatch—5 acres, 1½-story new house, 5 minutes' walk from Pottersburg car, on Dundas street, Tuesday, March 29th, at 10 a. m. Owned by Mr. Nelles. 34uxt

AUCTION SALE—JOS. BROWN WILL sell for Mr. H. J. Glanville, 153 Wharncliffe road, South London, Tuesday, March 29, at 2 p.m., Happy Thought range, heater, tables, sideboard, butter boxes, refrigerator, dressers, beds, mattreses, secretaire, dishes, wagon, sleighs, harness, pen of Partridge Wyandottes. Terms, cash. b

IMPORTANT AUCTION SALE OF valuable residence in heart of London, also furniture. Jos. Brown will sell for Mr E. Parker, **234 Central ave., Thursday, March 31, 10 a.m.,** brick house, all modern conveniences, gas and electric combination, hot water heating, new plumbing, etc.; parlor, dining-room, bedroom and kitchen furniture, Happy Thought range, gas stove, organ, brass candelsticks, jardinieres, extension table, chairs, iron beds, centre table, kitchen cabinet, book cases, lounges, dresser, child's carriage, etc. Terms cash. House sold at 10 sharp. JOS. BROWN, auctioneer, 97 Carling street. 35c-wty

Auction Sale

by George A. Hatch, on Chelsea Green, on Friday, April 1, at 3 p.m. 1½-story brick house, 6 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, basement, bathroom, furnace, hot water, lot 40x230. Proprietress, MRS. DOUGLASS. b

Auction Sale

by George A. Hatch, April 1, at 1 p.m., at No. 99 Maitland street. Brick dwelling, containing parlor, dining-room, kitchen, three bedroms, cellar, gas for lighting and cooking. Proprietor, MR. CALHOUN. b

Auction Sale

by George A. Hatch, April 4, at 1 p.m. Brick cottage, containing parlor, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen, three bedrooms, hard and soft water, lot 45x184. On Hyland Park. Proprietor, ROBERT STEWART. b

Auction Sale

of farm stock, implements, household furniture, Wednesday, March 30. MR. W. MILNE, lot 10, con. 3, Delaware.

b J. TURNBULL Auctioneer.

Auction Sale

of household furniture, piano, etc., at 321 Queen's avenue, on Tuesday, March 29, at 10:30 a.m. J. W. Jones has been instructed by Mrs. Furness to sell her household effects, comprising: Grand upright piano, easy chairs, centre tables, capets and rug, pictures, secretaire-bookcase, steel engravings, hallstand, sofas, couch, antique sideboard and dining-table, dining-chairs, York card table, oilcloth, contents of four bedrooms, antique bureaus, wardrobe, Happy Thought range, refrigerator, kitchen utensils, garden tools etc. J. W. JONES auctioneer 68 Bank of Toronto. b

Judicial Sale

Of city property by auction, April 14, at 3 p.m. at the office of the Master of the High Court of Justice, County Buildings, London.

No. 26 Hope Street—Frame cottage, 28 feet frontage by 90 feet.

No. 28 Hope Street—Frame cottage, 26 feet frontage by 90 feet deep.

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No. 816 Maitland Street—1½-story brick house, part of lot 21 east Maitland street. 58 feet frontage by 330 feet deep.

Nos. 99 and 101 West Cartwright Street—Part of lots 19 and 20 West Cartwright street; 49 feet 6 inches frontage.

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Dated the 17th day of March, 1910.

FRASER & MOORE, Plaintiff's Solicitors. R. K. COWAN, Local Master, Middlesex. 38c-t

AUCTION SALE, ON WEDNESDAY, March 30, at No. 10 Emery street—Furniture, cabinet sewing machine and stoves. Sale at 2 o'clock. Neil Cooper, auctioneer. 37u-ty

Warehouse, Factory Buildings and Premises By Auction.

Thursday, April 7, at 2:30 p.m., on premises, 305 Richmond street, London. 104 feet frontage on Richmond street by 100 in depth, Two-story brick building 50x70, with wing 20x28, two-story frame building 18x40, open shed 18x75. Office on Richmond street. Excellent property for manufacturing purposes. Central location near G. T. R. Terms, 10 per cent on day of sale and balance easy. All information on application to KERNOHAN & WILSON, proprietors. A. M. HUNT, auctioneer. 37c-txt

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Clinton, March 26.—A pleasing event took place at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holland on Wednesday evening, when his eldest daughter, Miss Clara May, was united in marriage to Mr. J. Percy Cole, of Goderich Township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. T. Wesley Cosens in the presence of the immediate relatives and friends. The bridesmaid was Miss Olive Holland, while the groom was assisted by Mr. Randal Cole, of Collingwood. Hearty congratulations and good wishes were extended, after which all sat down to a sumptuous wedding breakfast. The wedding present were costly and numerous.

At the annual meeting of the Boys' Association, the following officers were elected: President, Thomas Jackson; vice-president, Dr. Shaw; secretary, Russell Harland; treasurer, Fred Rumball; executive committee, Clarence Kilty, W. Hall, Fred Ford and E. Graham; advisory committee, Dr. Thompson, Frank Hall, J. B. Hoover and W. Hartley.

Miss Chambers is on the sick list.

An organ recital will be given in St. Paul's Church next Thursday evening.

Mr. James Flynn has disposed of his blacksmith shop to Mr. John Saunders, of Hamilton.

Mr. Will McTaggart has been called home from Toronto, owing to the serious illness of his mother.

Mr. John Brickenden is ill with pneumonia.

To Our Readers.

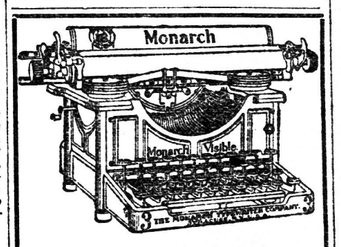
A letter recently received from the California Fruit Growers' Exchange, 34 Clark street, Chicago, states that several thousand letters, which have been sent in asking for Sunkist Orange Spoons, cannot be answered, because the address is so poorly written that it cannot be deciphered, or there is no address at all, or the name of the city has been left out. The exchange is very desirous of filling all orders promptly, and will thank those who have sent for Sunkist Spoons and have not received same, to write them at 34 Clark street, Chicago, giving detailed information.

AUCTION SALE—HIGH-CLASS FURNITURE and real estate—The undesigned will sell on Monday, March 28, for Mr. George R. Matthews, at 125 John street, contents of house, comprising in part, upright piano, mahogany suite, Brussels, Wilton and velvet carpets, quarter-cut oak book case, secretary, sideboard and dining chairs, solid leather; extension table, large rockers, couch, hall mirror, portieres, linoleum, stoves, contents of 4 bedrooms, in solid oak, brass and enamel beds, also a beautiful collection of oil and water-color paintings by celebrated Scottish artist Hollyer, and Eugenie Field. All above goods are new and in perfect condition. Also 1½-story brick house, 4 bedrooms, bath, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen, splendid cellar, furnace, electric light and gas. Inspection invited. Furniture sale at 10:30. Real estate sale at 4 o'clock. Easy terms. Neil Cooper, auctioneer. 35u-wt

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VEAL WAS CHEAPER PORK TOOK DROP

Dressed Pork Sold at $12 Per Cwt On the Local Square This Morning.

BUTTER VERY SCARCE

Eggs Plentiful and Sold at From 18 to 20 Cents a Dozen — Potatoes Offered in Large Supply.

There was a record turnout on the local market this morning, practically every available inch of space being occupied by those who had come in to take advantage of the market following the holiday. The buyers, too, were very much in evidence, and sales were brisk.

Naturally, in an Easter market, eggs were a feature, but considering the season, the supply this morning was hardly what was expected. Still, there was a very fair supply, and the demand was certainly brisk enough to satisfy those who had eggs to sell. The prices prevailing were 18c by the crate, 19c for the basket, and 20c by the dozen.

Butter Was Scarce.

Butter remained exceedingly scarce, and very many buyers were of necessity disappointed.

Crocks sold at 26c and rolls at from 27c to 28c, but even at these prices there was only a moderate quantity to be obtained.

Maple syrup was again offered in very large quantities, and sold remarkably well at $1.15 to $1.25 per gallon.

Poultry was very scarce, but showed no change in price whatever, remaining uniformly high.

Potatoes Plentiful.

In the vegetable department there was a very large supply of potatoes, mostly of a very fine quality, yet they sold at from 50c to 60c a bag.

Celery, lettuce and onions were all rather scarce, and showed no change in price.

Cabbages, turnips and other vegetables were inclined to be plentiful.

The Meat Market.

In the meat market there was quite a decided tendency toward easier prices.

Beef sold from 8c to 9c.

Mutton, 8c to 10c.

Veal showed quite a pronounced drop 8c to 9c being the prices offered.

Dressed hogs, too, were somewhat easier, $12 per cwt being the highest figure offered.

Hay went mostly for $13 to $13.50, only one or two loads reaching $14.

Oats remained at $1.25 to $1.25, and wheat at $1.08 to $1.09 per bu.

Other prices remained as follows:

Grain by Hundredweight.			
Oats, per cwt	$1 25	to	$1 25
Buckwheat, per cwt.	1 25	to	1 35
Barley, per cwt.	1 15	to	1 18
Peas, per cwt.	1 15	to	1 15
Beans, per bu.	1 90	to	2 00
Rye, per cwt.	1 05	to	1 10
Grain per Bushel.			
Oats, new	42	to	44
Barley	62 2-5	to	64 2-5
Wheat	1 08	to	1 09
Peas	36	to	36
Beans	1 90	to	2 00
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	11 00	to	14 00
Straw, per ton	7 00	to	7 50
Dairy Produce.			
Butter, creamery, lb.	28	to	30
Butter, rolls, per lb.	27	to	28
Butter, crocks, lb.	23	to	26
Eggs, cacte, dozen	18	to	19
Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen	20	to	20
Honey, strained, lb.	10	to	12
Honey, in comb	12	to	15
Maple syrup, per gallon	1 15	to	1 25
Poultry, Dressed.			
Turkeys, per lb.	18	to	20
Ducks, spring, per lb.	14	to	15
Old ducks, per lb.	10	to	11
Old fowl, per lb.	12	to	12
Chickens, per lb.	14	to	16
Geese, per lb.	12	to	14
Poultry, Alive.			
Old fowl, per lb.	8	to	9
Turkeys, per lb.	15	to	15
Ducks, per lb.	10	to	12
Young fowl, per lb.	10	to	11
Butchers' Meats.			
Beef, by the carcase	8 00	to	9 00
Mutton, per cwt.	8 00	to	10 00
Veal, per cwt.	8 00	to	9 00
Spring lamb, per lb.	12	to	14
Dressed hogs, per cwt.	12 00	to	12 50
Live Stock.			
Small pigs, per pair	8 00	to	14 00
Select hogs, per cwt.	9 25	to	9 75
Fat sows, per cwt.	5 00	to	6 00
Export cattle, cwt.	5 00	to	5 50
Milch cows, each	40 00	to	60 00
Hides and Wool.			
Lambskins, each	75	to	1 10
Wool, washed, per lb.	20	to	22
Wool, unwashed, per lb.	12	to	12
Hides, No. 1, per lb.	9	to	9
Hides, No. 2, per lb.	8	to	8
Hides, No. 3, per lb.	7	to	7
Calfskins, per lb.	11½	to	13
Vegetables.			
Potatoes, per bag	50	to	60
Turnips, per bu.	25	to	30
Celery, per dozen	30	to	40
Lettuce, per doz.	30	to	50
Sage, per dozen	20	to	20
Savory, per dozen	20	to	20
Cabbage, dozen (to size)	30	to	40
Red cabbage, dozen	40	to	40
Onions, per bu.	1 10	to	1 25
Beets, per bu.	50	to	50
Parsnips, per bu.	50	to	50
Beans, per bu.	1 20	to	1 50
Mangels, bu. by the load	20	to	20
Carrots, bu. by the load	30	to	40
Green onions, dozen	40	to	40
Rhubarb, doz.	1 00	to	1 00
Fruits.			
Apples, per bbls.	1 50	to	2 00
Apples, per bu.	30	to	50
Apples, per bag	50	to	90

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, March 26.—Cattle—Receipts estimated at 300; market steady; beeves, $7.75 to $8.70; Texas steers, $5.70 to $6.50; western steers, $5 to $7; stockers and feeders, $3.80 to $6.80; cows and heifers, $2.90 to $7.25; calves, $8.25 to $9.75. Hogs—Receipts estimated at 5000; market strong to 5c higher; light, $10.55 to $10.90; mixed, $10.65 to $11; heavy, $10.70 to $11.05; roughs, $10.70 to $10.80; good to choice heavy, $10.80 to $11.15; pigs, $9.80 to $10.75; bulk of sales, $10.85 to $10.95. Sheep—Receipts estimated at 1500; market steady; native, $5.60 to $9.10; western, $5.80 to $9.15; yearlings, $8 to $9.50; lambs, native, $8.75 to $10.50; western, $7.50 to $10.60.

EAST BUFFALO, March 26.—Cattle—Receipts 100 head; steady; prices unchanged. Veals—Receipts 100 head; active and 25 cents lower, $6 to $10.75. Hogs—Receipts 500 head; active and 5c to 10c higher; heavy and mixed, $11.25 to $11.30; yorkers, $11 to $11.30; pigs, $10.90 to $11; roughs, $10.25 to $10.50; stags, $8 to $9; dairies, $11 to $11.25. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 3000 head; sheep active and steady; lambs slow and 10c lower; lambs, $7.25 to $10.40; yearlings, $9.25 to $9.75; sheep, mixed, $4 to $8.50.

Canadian and American Stock and Produce Exchanges are closed today.

SHEEP AFFECTED WITH DEADLY RABIES

One of Parkhill Farmer's Flock Acted Strangely—Had Been Bitten by Dog.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Parkhill, March 26.—Some time ago Mr. John Smith, of Cameron's Siding, West Williams, sent to Toronto the head of a sheep which had been acting peculiarly and had died under suspicious circumstances. Yesterday Mr. Smith was notified that negris germs had been discovered, showing that the animal had contracted rabies. Mr. Smith says that in the latter part of February he noticed large spots of blood on the snow around his barns, and he ascertained that his dog had had a fight with another dog. The latter was afterwards seen acting in a suspicious manner around the G. T. R. crossing, but before anything could be done it was killed by a train. He thinks that this dog bit one of his sheep. Dr. McLeish, the local veterinary, is working on the case.

NEW ROUNDHOUSE FOR CANADIAN PACIFIC

One Is To Be Erected Near Elizabeth Street.

There are repeated rumors about the city to the effect that the C. P. R. are to begin work shortly on a large new roundhouse on their property near Elizabeth street. It has been known for some time that a new roundhouse is to be built here, but its location was a matter of doubt, as the company contemplated making extensive changes to the yards at the same time, to relieve the congestion that has been the cause of great delay. Local officials state that they have received no definite word from headquarters in Montreal yet as to what will be done.

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LATE LOCAL NEWS

Dog Catcher in Court.

"Ben" Blackstock appeared in court this morning on two charges, one of theft and the other of being drunk and disorderly. The cases were left over until April 9. A number of first-time drunks were allowed to go.

A St. Thomas Wedding.

A large number of Londoners attended the wedding, in St. Thomas last night, of Miss Maud Roach, daughter of ex-Alderman Gilbert Roach, and Mr. John Percy Page, of the Collegiate Institute staff there. The ceremony was performed by Rev. E. Leslie Pidgeon.

To Quash Local Option.

A motion to quash the Strathroy local option bylaw, which was entered for hearing before Mr. Justice Clute this morning, was adjourned for a week to permit the examination of parties who were making affidavit regarding the matter.

Good Friday's Court.

There were only three cases on the police court blotter on Good Friday. James McIntyre, a drunk, was fined $2. Robert Blazard, the 80-year-old tramp, who made himself such a nuisance at the Aged People's Home that he had to be taken to the jail, was again remanded. It is expected that he will be told to "beat it" out of London shortly.

Resolution of Sympathy.

At a meeting of the Western University Alumnae Association held recently, a resolution of condolence was sent to Mr. and Mrs. Gavin Rowat on the death of their daughter, Miss Jessie Reed Rowat. During the afternoon a programme, consisting of solos by Miss Fitzgerald and Miss Austin, and a recitation by Miss Torrey, were rendered most acceptably. It was decided to hold a reception following the convocation. The date has not yet been arranged.

Plumbe—Bradshaw.

A very quiet wedding was celebrated on Thursday evening at the Wellington Street Methodist parsonage, when Miss Margaret Bradshaw, the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Bradshaw, of 59 High street, was united in marriage to Mr. J. Cecil Plumbe. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. A. Graham. The young couple left on a short honeymoon, and after their return will take up their residence on High street.

Death of D. S. O'Neil.

Mr. Darius S. O'Neil, of 472 Adelaide street, passed away on Thursday, at Fort William, after a brief illness, from heart trouble. Deceased, who was 62 years of age, was born in London Township, and resided for a number of years in Glencoe, later coming to live in London. Besides his widow, Mr. O'Neil is survived by three children: Mrs. R. T. Armstrong, of Flint, Mich.; Miss Ida O'Neil, at home, and Russell, at Fort William. Deceased was an adherent of the Anglican Church. He was a member of Henderson Lodge, A. F. and A. M., of Ilderton, and also of Richard Coeur de de Lion Preceptory, Knights Templar. The latter body will have charge of the funeral, which takes place at 2:30 p. m. Monday from the family residence, 472 Adelaide street. Interment at Woodland.

EAST LONDON

JAMES DOBBIN DEAD IN 87TH YEAR

Mr. James Dobbin, who for the past twenty-six years has conducted a grocery business on Dundas street east, died at his home, 700 Dundas street, shortly after noon today, in his 87th year. He had been ill since Monday. Mr. Dobbin was born in Ireland, and came to this country over sixty-five years ago. The funeral will be held Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

INCREASE IN WAGES.

The street railway conductors and motormen have been notified that they will be given an increase in wages, commencing the first of April.

The men are now being paid 16c, 17c, and 18c an hour, for the first, second and third years of service respectively.

Under the new schedule they will receive 16c an hour while on the spare list. When they become relief men, that is those who run regularly at noon and at night, their wages will be increased to 18c, until the end of the second year's service, when the price goes up to 19c. The maximum of 20c is reached after the third year of service.

The increase was unsolicited and the men are greatly pleased with the company's treatment.

CHURCH REOPENING.

The Knollwood Park Presbyterian Church will have reopening services tomorrow. The interior of the church has recently been repainted and decorated and now presents a very pleasing appearance. The pastor, Rev. P. E. Nichol, is to preach at the morning service, and in the evening Mr. E. R. Wilson, Y. M. C. A. secretary, assisted by a number of young men, will conduct the services. Special collections to help pay for the improvements are being asked for at both services.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mrs. Lewis Teeple wishes to extend her thanks to the members of the local union, 1946, of the United Brotherhood of Carpenters and Joiners, for their kindness extended to her in her recent bereavement.

MAD DOG WAS SHOT NEAR BYRON

Wesley Merion, of Byron, tells of a mad dog that was shot near his place yesterday afternoon. The dog was evidently mad, and was seen to bite a heifer, the property of Mr. Merion, as well as a number of other dogs. Before the dog could be destroyed it had escaped, but Mr. Merion's son followed it on horseback and finally ran it down and shot it, and also a couple of other dogs that were known to have been bitten. It is not known, however, how many dogs and other animals had been bitten in the flight of the dog.

ALLEGED MAD DOG.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Blyth, March 26.—A dog belonging to Mr. W. Perdue is believed to be mad and has bitten a number of other dogs and cattle. The animal has been killed, and the department at Ottawa has been notified.

ATTENDED CHURCH AN EVEN CENTURY

[G. N. W. Dispatch.]

Detroit, March 26. — Mrs. Marie Esther Sturgeon, of Muskegon, celebrated her 103rd birthday yesterday. She has been an attendant at church for an even century. Mrs. Sturgeon was born at St. Joseph's Pointe, near Quebec, March 25, 1807. Since she was taken as a baby of 3 years to the little church in the old Canadian village she has not missed services, except when sick, and even at her advanced age is one of the church's most faithful attendants.

SOME LESSONS FOR CANADIANS

In Social Conditions That Exis in Old Country Cities.

THE CURSE OF POVERTY

Professor Morrison, of Queen's University, Addresses The Canadian Club.

Professor J. L. Morison, the newly-appointed professor of history at Queen's University, was the guest of honor at the Canadian Club luncheon at the Tecumseh House today.

"The future will develop necessarily from the facts of the present," said Professor Morison, "and if we are unduly optimistic at this time, Canada will pay for that optimism. Men are dreaming of a New Jerusalem, when they ought to be thinking of their own cities. And so I would speak to you today of the lessons and warnings that the social, I might almost say, pathological conditions, as they exist in Great Britain, have for Canada today.

Old Country Poverty.

"There is in every British city a population immersed in poverty. There are those who can just maintain themselves; and then there is primary poverty, where they are always below the surface of the daily need. One-third of the population of Great Britain's cities are of this class. They are everywhere. Men who might be called God's failures; men who are born useless; men unfit for manhood. They are wasteage of our British population."

Professor Morison spoke of his own experience in Glasgow, where in the compass of a few yards, 3,000 people lived, 36 families to each entrance, three or four people in every room. "Think of what this means to health and morality," continued the speaker. "Yet in every city in Britain these conditions exist. And the children born in these conditions are dsqualified almost from birth. We are turning out failures, not citizens—children liable to disease. Thousands of children are being brought up under conditions that are destructive to their moral and physical being."

The speaker went on to show the causes that led up to these conditions. "Agriculture," he said, "is decreasing in Britain. Germany has ten times as many agricultural laborers, and the land worker is a better man than the city man. We have followed a mistaken policy in Britain. There is too overwhelming a supremacy for the landlord. The laborer is too much a prey to chance. The British land system made it too easy for men to graduate from the farm to the town. Men are too eager to grow rich, and these men failed to realize the responsibility of wealth.

The Lesson For Canada.

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"Whenever I am in London I turn to the cenotaph of General Gordon with its splendid words:

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Personal Mention

Miss Alberta Freeland, of Toronto, formerly of London, is visiting her parents, Queen's avenue.

Miss Viola Eacrett, of Toronto, is visiting her cousin, Miss Pearl Maynard, 718 Elias Street, city.

Mrs Isaac Downing, of Morpeth, formerly of this city, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Kingsnorth, 887 Central Avenue.

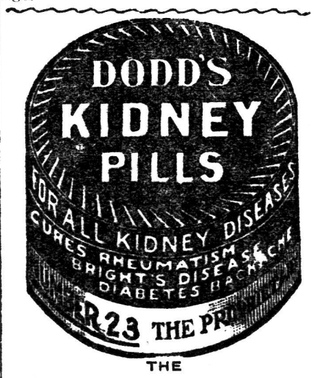
Toronto Mail: Mrs. George Cassels has returned to town after a visit to Mrs. Adam Beck in London, Ont.

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Miss Jean McCrimmon, of Stratford, is spending the Easter holidays at her home on Oxford street.

LATE GEORGE WILSON.

After a lingering illness lasting over two years, Mr. George Wilson, of Guelph, passed away Wednesday, March 23 at the residence of his sister, Mrs. A. D. MacDonald, Tiverton. For some weeks past Mr. Wilson has suffered a great deal and his ultimate recovery was not looked for. The deceased's immediate relatives beside the widow and two small children, are: His mother, Mrs. George Wilson, of London, and three brothers, and seven sisters; James, of North Bay; William and John, of Outlook, Sask.; Mrs. B. M. Louter, of California; Mrs. McDonald, Tiverton; Mrs. Culbert and Mrs. Watson, of London, and the Misses Jessie Isabell and Margaret, at home. Funeral at Guelph Saturday, March 26th, to Union Cemetery. The deceased lived in London about ten years ago.



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LATE LOCAL NEWS

A Grass Fire.

A grass fire gave the firemen a run yesterday noon to 27 Ridgeway. In burning some rubbish, the grass caught fire, and was spreading rapidly, so the brigade was called. There was no damage.

A General Practice.

A general practice is called for Monday at Hyman Hall, at 8 p.m., of the Young Liberal Minstrels, and a sketch practice will be held on Tuesday at the same hour. Tickets will be offered for sale by the Young Liberals the first of the week.

Gilpin-Meecham.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the parsonage of Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church, this morning at 10:30, when Miss Elzena Martha Meecham of 592 Hamilton road, was married to Mr. Martin Alonzo Gilpin, of Oshawa, Ont. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. W. Baird, and the happy couple were unattended. Mr. and Mrs. Gilpin will reside in Oshawa.

Death of W. R. Henderson.

William R. Henderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. James W. Henderson, died at the home of his parents, lot 19, con, 4, of Delaware Township, on Thursday evening, after an illness of some time. Deceased was in his 20th year. Besides his parents, he is survived by three sisters and two brothers, Mrs. Kate Bell and Misses Flossie and Elizabeth, and Archie A. and James D. The funeral will be held from the family residence on Sunday afternoon to Scottsville cemetery, and the funeral services will be conducted by Rev. W. Cranston, of Tempo.

Clement-Walburg.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Methodist parsonage, Merritton, by Rev. J. Culp, on Wednesday, the 23rd inst. The contracting parties were Mr. F. Clement, of Lynden, and Miss Rosette Walburg, of London, Ont., formerly of Lobo township. After the ceremony and a dainty lunch the happy couple left for Niagara Falls and New York City. After touring some of the principal cities they will take up their residence in Lynden, Ont. Mr. Clement has just retired from a successful mercantile life. He and his bride are held in high esteem in church and social circles.

McFarlane—Marr.

A very quiet and pretty wedding took place on Wednesday evening, March 23, 1910, at the residence of Mr. John Marr, Wilton Grove, Westminster, when his youngest daughter, Lulu E., was united in marriage to Mr. R. Ernest McFarlane, Dorchester. The bride, who was unattended, looked very pretty in a gown of wistaria raw silk. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. D. L. McCrae. After a dainty wedding breakfast, the young couple left on a trip to New York. On their return they will reside in Dorchester. The bride received many beautiful and useful gifts, testifying to the esteem in which she is held in the community. The newly-married pair have the best wishes of a host of friends for their future happiness and prosperity.

Late Mrs. Harris.

The funeral of Mrs. William Harris, of 27 Victor street, was held to Avondale Cemetery, Stratford, on Wednesday. The services were conducted by Rev. J. G. Stuart, of Knox Church, South London. Mrs. Harris took an active interest in many branches of the church work, and among the beautiful floral offerings received were wreaths from the W. F. M. S., of which she was secretary; from the W. H. M. S., of which she was literary secretary; from the Gleaners and the choir.

Dorchester Wedding.

A quiet wedding was solemnized on March 23 at the Presbyterian manse, Dorchester, when Louise Amelia Nichol, youngest daughter of James Nichol, Dorchester, was united in marriage to Wm. H. Crockett, son of James Crockett, Dorchester. Rev. Mr. Burnett officiated.

Easter Services at Broughdale.

There will be special Easter festival services tomorrow at St. Luke's Church. At 8:30 a.m. early communion will be celebrated. In the evening the choir will sing an Easter anthem, "Awake Up My Glory," and the Lord's Supper will be administered toward the close of the service. The church will be decked with flowers.

Dr. McGrady Home.

Dr. J. M. McGrady, of Port Arthur, was a visitor in the city yesterday. The doctor is an old London boy, and a graduate of the Western Medical School. He has charge of the hospital end of a portion of the construction work of the G. T. P., as well as a large private practice, and if possible will endeavor to secure the services of a couple of the graduates of the Medical School here to assist him in the hospital work. The doctor speaks most enthusiastically of Port Arthur, which has now a population of close on to 20,000. Several large manufacturing concerns have recently located there, and the Tudhope carriage works of Barrie contemplate building a factory there this spring, to employ several hundred men.

Personal Mention

The engagement is announced of Mr. Allan A. Magee, of Montreal, son of Mr. Justice and Mrs. Magee, Toronto, to Leslie, youngest daughter of the late Mr. George F. Smith and Mrs. Smith, St. John, N. B.

Mr. George Hemsworth, of Toronto, is spending the Easter holidays in London, with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Hemsworth, Van street.

Miss Hazel Taylor, of Chatham, is spending the Easter vacation in this city.

Mrs. John Moore, of South London, is spending a month with friends in Brampton.

Mr. James H. Moore, of the Woodstock Baptist College, is visiting his father, Mr. John Moore, of South London.

Miss Rosadda Noor Taylor, Kansas City, Mobile, who has been spending the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Taylor, "Chaworth," left today for New York to continue her vocal studies under Louis Arthur Russell.

MRS STEVENSON ILL.

Mexico City, March 25. — Mrs. Robert Louis Stevenson, widow of the novelist, is ill at her parents' home here, due, it is believed, to the high altitude. She arrived Monday from Santa Barbara, Cal. It is not believed her illness is dangerous.

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SCANDALOUS STATE OF CITY STREETS

Clouds of Dust on the Holiday—Gives Visitors Bad Impression.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Kindly allow me a portion of your space to call the attention of the city authorities to a way they can make London inviting to citizens. Every holiday, when street watering is wanted most, it is discontinued. On Good Friday, as is usually the case, the downtown business section was smothered with great clouds of dust, swept into the eyes of people by street cars and automobiles, not to speak of dollars' loss to merchants by injury to stocks; and also grocers, who had hard work to keep their eatables free from injury. It is up to the proper authorities to remedy this in future.

RATEPAYER.

London, March 26, 1910.

PIONEER MILLINER HAS PASSED AWAY

Death of Miss Elizabeth B. Alley, of Wellington Street.

Miss Elizabeth B. Alley, one of London's oldest residents, and one of the pioneer milliners of the city, died at her home, 253 Wellington street, last night, after an illness of about six weeks. Miss Alley was in her 72nd year, and for nearly 50 years had been in business in London. For some time she conducted a store on a portion of the present site of The Advertiser building. Later she removed to 253 Wellington street, where she had since conducted her business. Her brother, H. B. B. Alley, was for some years in business on Dundas street, west of Richmond street, but he removed to Petrolea some years ago, and lived there until his death. His son Clive arrived in the city last night from New York, and is looking after the funeral arrangements. The funeral was held this afternoon to Mount Pleasant Cemetery, and the services were conducted by Rev. Richard Whiting.

KHAKI UNIFORMS FOR FIRST HUSSARS

Troopers Will Appear in New Dress at the Annual Camp in June Here.

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Report Read at Council Meeting Was Satisfactory—A Pleasing Presentation.

The annual meeting of the First Hussars took place last night at the London Club, and was largely attended.

Officers were present from Sarnia, Courtright and Leamington.

The meeting was called to order by Lieut.-Col. Morrison, who occupied the chair, and Major E. I. Leonard, London, acting secretary.

The business of the corps was put through in a hurry.

The financial report was read and adopted, showing a balance of $10 40 to the credit of the regiment.

It was decided to adopt a new service uniform of khaki for drill purposes, and Captain Abell was appointed to make arrangements, so as to have them ready for the June camp.

A Presentation.

One of the features of the evening was a presentation of a handsome travelling bag to Lieut. J. L. McDougal, who is leaving the city and taking up his residence in the west.

The presentation was made by Lieut.-Col. Morrison, of Sarnia, who in a few words expressed the sentiments of the officers at parting with such a true friend and smart officer.

Lieut. McDougal, who was taken by surprise, replied briefly, and thanked the officers, not alone for the intrinsic value of the gift, but the feelings which prompted the action.

After partaking of a lunch, followed by a hearty handshake, the members of the gathering separated until the meeting at the June camp.

MASONIC FIELD DAY PROVES BIG SUCCESS

Richard Coeur de Lion Preceptory Held a Big Reunion.

The annual field day of Richard Coeur de Lion Preceptory, Knights Templar, was held yesterday in the lodgerooms, and was one of the most successful yet held by the preceptory.

A large number of visitors from other preceptories were present, particularly from Sarnia, St. Thomas, Chatham, Stratford and Woodstock.

The work was supervised by Right Eminent Sir Knight E. Macdonald, of Sarnia, provincial prior.

The Order of the Red Cross was conferred by the Chatham Preceptory under the leadership of Right Eminent Sir Knight G. Sulman. The work was well done, and the visiting brethren were congratulated on the excellence of the work.

The other degrees were conferred by Richard Couer de Lion Preceptory, Eminent Sir Knight W. A. Wilson, presiding preceptor; Right Eminent Sir Knight C. W. McGuire, and Very Eminent Sir Knight Thomas Rowe taking very prominent parts in the exemplication.

There were about 30 candidates all told, and nearly 70 other members present.

REV. DAVID HICKS CLEARED OFCHARGES

Result of Trial of Former Methodist Minister of Gesto.

Windsor, March 25.—The trial of Rev. David Hicks, formerly Methodist minister at Gesto, near Essex, who left that place under a cloud, was held before a court of inquiry at Essex on Thursday. After a lengthy session, behind closed doors, Rev. A. K. Birks, president of the London Conference, who acted as presiding officer, announced that the court had decided to acquit the defendant clergyman of all the charges. The verdict was greeted with general satisfaction by the large crowd who had gathered in expectation of being admitted to listen to the case.

Charges of obtaining money under false pretences, falsehood and leaving a charge in an irregular manner were formally preferred against Rev. Mr. Hicks by Rev. T. W. Blachford, of Cottam. Defendant was represented by Rev. W. E. Millson, of Kingsville, who entered a plea of not guilty on each charges. Several former parishioners of Mr. Hicks testified both for and against him, after which all the evidence was carefully considered by the clerical judiciary.

It was nearly 6 o'clock before the decision was reached.

Rev. Mr. Hicks will return to Corunna, Mich., at once, where it had previously been decided by the Michigan General Conference to retain him in the event of his clearing himself of the charges.

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Calgary Eye-Opener Man Charged With Printing Obscene Literature.

Winnipeg, March 26.—Edwards, the publisher of the Calgary Eye-Opener, which has been issued here for some time, was arrested, charged with printing and circulating obscene literature.

Edwards' paper has been put under the ban in nearly every city in Ontario, and is not allowed to be sold on the streets. In many places anyone found with a copy is arrested. The use of the mails has long been forbidden.

Edwards will come up for trial today, when it is likely a remand will be made for a week. His press and plant are in charge of the police.

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THE INFLUENCE OF "SOCIETY" UPON BRITISH PEOPLE

From the Nation, London, England.

How is it that while a working-class audience becomes wild with indignation when one of its chosen leaders dares to dwell upon its foibles or its vices, society smiles complacently at every exposure of its folly, every reproduction of its wickedness? It has always done so. "Vanity Fair" and "The Newcomes" aroused no resentment, they were the favorite reading of the very people whom their satire was designed to flay. The more vehement denunciation of a recreant aristocracy and a vulgar new plutocracy by Carlyle and Ruskin, Matthew Arnold's taunts at the "barbarian" class, were treated by the objects of attack with the same amused interest as the present-day tirades of a Father Vaughan, or the mock revolutionism of Mr. Bernard Shaw. None of these things move them. Nay, one may go further, and say that society thrives on such abuse. Denounce the idleness, frivolity, vice, luxury, display of "high life," its denizens, if they condescended to reply, would say, "Yes, this is the way we live; we can afford to do it. Don't you wish you could? In your secret souls you all admire us for it." It is the half-conscious recognition of the validity of this retort that makes all these linguistic assaults upon the fortress of society so utterly innocuous. Those inside know very well how amenable are their fiercest critics to well-chosen social influences. It could hardly be otherwise. For, though "society" forms but a minute fraction of our national life, its moral influence is pervasive, a very atmosphere in which we all live, move and have our being. For though we may be born and reside in a distinctly inferior grade, we look for our rules of respectability in most matters of behavior, dress, bearing, habits and interests, to the grade next above us, and they, in turn, look up, and so it comes to pass that the "form," "style," "fashions" of the glorious beings at the top percolate through the social fabric and are imposed upon us in due course at our lower level.

Nowhere does authority achieve such absolute finality as in the unanswerable phrase, "Madam, it is not worn." Society rules by this moral prestige. To ask how it has acquired the sway is to ask for a complete history of modern England. No doubt the breakdown of fixed status, especially in the aristocracy, had much to do with its extension. A too exclusive aristocracy cannot radiate such power, for where there is no hope of entrance the prestige is one of impotent admiration not of imitation. But the chief cause of the operation of the power is the full evolution of a great and highly stratified middle class, moving upward by hardly sensible gradation into aristocracy, and stooping in its lower reaches to meet the upper grades of the skilled and well-paid workers. Given this elaborate social-economic structure, the product of the industrial changes of the last century and a half, we have the prime condition of a moral control of society, far more powerful, various, and pervasive than has been exercised in any other nation at any other age. This theme is handled ably and with profound insight by Mr. H. E. M. Stutfield, in a work of realistic sociology, "The Sovranty of Society" (Fisher Unwin).

His treatment is the more effective because the writer is a Conservative in politics, and his diagnosis, though keen and even ruthless, is highly discriminative. He dwells little on the graver scandals and vices which stand in the limelight. He does not find "society" particularly wicked. Indeed, our "society," as compared with that of Imperial Rome, or medieval Florence, or eighteenth century Paris, or even London under the Georges, is a cradle of innocence. There are not nearly so many black sheep, nor are they so black. Even the coarse brutalities and the mad recklessness which marked English "society" in the eighteenth century, the drunkenness, the gaming, and brawling, are no longer the accepted attributes of an English gentleman. The extravagances which mark our society are less audacious, milder, and more consistently foolish. The life, though equally destitute of principle or purpose, is less full-blooded and virile. The words which best express that life are sport, dissipation, frivolity, insipidity, triviality. It is, indeed, this last word which Mr. Stutfield rightly chooses to summarize the characteristic features of "society." Wherever society lays hands on any occupation or practice, it trivializes it. And society does directly, and not by subservient imitation only, interfere with so many of our institutions. It must do so, for it has to mold the character of the "society" man or woman, to furnish them scope for "social" activities, and to secure supports for "the existing order of things," of which society is the decorative frieze. So the hand of frivolity is laid upon our public schools to teach boys to be little "sportsmen" and little "gentlemen," in the first place, scholars afterwards, if at all. In all save an indomitable few, the seeds of free curiosity and love of knowledge are destroyed, or their young shoots carefully grafted on to some older stock of reputable learning. As Prof. Veblen has shown in his "Theory of the Leisure Class," all intellectual or cultural valuations are vitiated and reversed by the canons of social reputation, which give importance to studies in inverse ratio to the utility which they contain.

Again, if we ask what is wrong with our art, our graver literature or drama, why any worthy practice of these great creative arts is well-nigh impossible, we are met by the same inevitable answer. Society, that sets the tone, does not want serious art and literature; they bore it, and it recognizes in them a deep-rooted hostility to itself. It belongs to frivolity, indeed, to be wayward and inconsistent; it plays pranks with its own nerves. So it will let in, and even sanction with some brief stamp of fashion, some dangerous play of Mr. Galsworthy. But no great realistic work of wide and shaking purpose could have a run; the self-protective instinct of society, operating through its press, its pulpit, its ubiquitous buzz of drawing-rooms would soon stifle it.

But society enjoys special spheres of influence. The army, the diplomatic service, and the foreign office have always belonged to it, and through them society has pulled innumerable strings. It is just here that the crux of army reform is found. How shall an army which is primarily, not a profession, or a means of livelihood,, but a "social function," get itself reformed into "efficiency"? Mr. Stutfield thinks that the illuminating confession that in the army "it is bad form to be keen," is no longer true, and that a genuine spirit of reformation has set in. But we doubt its lasting character, or its power so easily to extricate itself from the blight of sport and frivolity.

More indirect, more insidious, and perhaps, more dangerous, is the grip of society over politics. It is one thing to have a formal oligarchy, as was the case half a century ago, quite another to have a formal democracy with the real strings of government pulled from a few drawing-rooms in Mayfair, or by rich financiers who buy their right to call or block a public policy by subscriptions to the party fund. Mr. Stutfield's caustic summary, though certainly not new, is deeply significant. "The Mandarins of the Front Bench on either side thoroughly understand each other; they abuse one another in public, but they are often in reality excellent friends, for, as they spring from the same classes, there is a bond of social union between them. You may nowadays have bitter political opponents calling one another, outside the House, by their Christian names; their families intermarry, and a high Tory will sometimes act as best man at a Radical politician's wedding. Their virulent polemics, their furious logomachies across the floor of the House, are largely make-believe; and the week-end may find them shooting, golfing, or dining together, just as though no political bar sundered them." "Yes," it will be replied in one of those very phrases which society has imposed for its protection, "it is this absence of personal ill-feeling that is so admirable in our public life." Just so long as this answer sounds satisfactory, will it remain true that private considerations (a synonym for society) determine public policy. Nor is it in Parliament alone that social influences rule. Everyone acquainted with the workings of party politics is aware that the bestowal of "title" is only the most patent of the workings of the "social" spoils system, which operates down to the most trifling use of invitations through every grade of popular life.

One other avenue of this "sovranty" requires mention. From society emanates the same taint of frivolity into our business life. Capable men are passed over in the control of our great businesses in favor of rich men. In some cases, notoriously our railroad system, the appointment of untrained and incompetent directors for their name and influence has done immeasurable damage. But the directorates of many other sorts of business suffer from the same inefficiency, at a time when other countries are selecting and training their best brains in order to keep abreast of new inventions and new modes of enterprise.

How comes it that society can exercise this baleful and multifarious power, can impose the maxims that it is bad "form" to be keen, or to exhibit strong feelings, to value steady industry, and to have serious interests in life? Perhaps this most important question would be fully answered if we could explain to ourselves how the colossal act of impudence is possible by which the name "society" has, with the connivance of all users of our language, been usurped by a tiny section whose power and practices, nay, whose very existence, are anti-social.

THE WEIGHT OF THE EARTH

How It Is Determined—A Cubic Foot of Earth and of Water.

The earth weighs $13,000,000,000,000,000,000,000 pounds. In a strict sense of the word the earth has no weight at all, because the weight is really the pull of the earth itself on any other body.

And as the earth is thought to be pulling on all parts of itself equally in all directions the net result is, of course, no pull at all. But if a large pair of scales be fixed at some point of the earth's surface, and if the earth could be brought up bit by bit, cubic foot by cubic foot, weighed and then returned to its place it could be weighed. And the result would be as given. However, when we talk of the weight of the earth we really mean its mass.

The possibility of finding the mass of the earth is due to Newton. For he taught that bodies pulled each other with forces depending solely upon their mass and their distance apart. He showed the way, and ten years after his death the first real weighing expertment was made. A succession of experiments resulted in the density of the earth being determined at 4½. Then came the investigations of Mitchell and Cavendish, and finally those of Prof. Boys, who found that the earth has 5,521 times the density of water.

The weight of a cubic foot of water is about sixty-two and a half pounds. And the average weight of a cubic foot of earth is about 350 pounds, or about five and a half times as much as the cubic foot of water. But this is quite imaginary, for specimens of the earth can be obtained only by mere scratches upon its surface. It has been shown by the pendulum that the earth's pull varies at different points on its surface. By timing the same pendulum at different parts of the surface it can be found out how the weight varies from point to point.

CHEAP MEALS IN OLD LONDON
SIR THOMAS LIPTON'S LATEST

The Alexandra Trust Founded by the Millionaire Merchant for the Benefit of the Poor — 180,000 School Children Fed Daily—Good Meal for Three Cents.

Whether free trade is responsible for it or not, they can do some things cheaper and better in the old country than anywhere else in the world. The most important of the things is the feeding of the people. For five or ten cents you can get a meal in London that would cost you 25 cents here in Toronto. So good are the meals supplied at the Alexandra Trust Dining-rooms in the City Road that on more than one occasion the King and Queen have eaten there, taking the regular fare provided their humble subjects, and have shown no ill-effects. That inveterate advertiser and indomitable yachtsman, Sir Thomas Lipton, founded these dining-rooms, putting half a million dollars into the enterprise. Now he is able to announce that the trust is self-supporting. As it is debarred from profit-making, any surplus that accrues will be spent on establishing similar restaurants in other large cities or in still further reducing the price of meals.

Feeding the Children.

This benevolent trust has recently been requested to supply meals to the poor school children, the expense to be borne by the London County Council, and three cents is the price for which the trust is furnishing 18,000 meals a day to pupils in the London schools. For this sum the children can choose from three menus. The first consists of meat pie, beans, potatoes and bread. Another is composed of soup (containing meat), jam-roll, bread and fruit, while the third has stewed peas, onions, meat dumplings, potatoes and bread. The price of three cents includes the delivering of meals to the schools. They are sent out in large, felt-lined, double zinc boxes, which keep the contents hot for hours. Forty special vans are daily employed to deliver the boxes at the schools, and practically all the schools in the London suburbs are visited. To perform this feat would be considered quite a "stunt" for a philanthropist; it is all the more remarkable when it is made to pay for itself.

The Poor Man's Dinner.

Feeding the school children is really a side line, though a very important one, for the Alexandra Trust. Its real business is to supply poor men and women with a good meal cheap, and, according to Sir Thomas Lipton, the quality of the meal, rather than its low cost, is what makes it so remarkable. "The secret of our success," he says, "lies in the fact that all the foodstuffs purchased are of the very best. We purchase in such large quantities that we are able to get our supplies much cheaper than they could be obtained by any private individual, or, indeed, even by most restaurant-keepers." About 3,500,000 meals are sold a year, apart from those supplied the school children, so the enormous scale on which purchasing is done may be estimated. Sir Thomas looks forward to the time when the trust will be able to supply meals to the whole of London. Even now, he says, quite a number of families living on the route of the delivery vans get their meals from the trust. It will supply for seven cents a head a far better dinner than a workingman's family could cook for themselves. Not many people, even in the city of cheap food, could get soup, bread, beefsteak pudding, one vegetable and coffee for that price.

What a Dime Will Buy.

The regular meals, served in the dining-rooms, cost five cents or ten cents, according to the amount of food consumed and the variety demanded. For a cent you can get a plate of pea soup, freshly made, and a big slice of bread; or a dish of plum pudding, made from the best fruit, or a large cup of well-made tea, coffee, or cocoa. For a penny you can purchase any of the following mentioned dishes, besides a dozen others not named: Eggs, one for a penny, or three for five cents; a pint of excellent meat soup, oatmeal and milk; a whole fish, oxtail soup and bread. For tuppence you can have two poached eggs on toast. If you have seven cents to lay out on a dinner, you can call for soup, bread, beefsteak pudding, one vegetable, pie or pudding and tea, coffee or cocoa. For an extra penny you can have roast or boiled beef, roast pork or mutton, or even roast lamb and mint sauce. The full dinner has the three courses of soup, meat and dessert, including two vegetables, bread, butter and something to drink. The quantities served are really what some of the people consider a "big feed."

The Man Looking For Work.

Six thousand working girls get their mid-day meal at the Alexandra Trust, separate dining-rooms being provided for them. But, according to Sir Thomas Lipton, the best work done by the trust is the backing it gives the man who is looking for work. For five cents or ten cents he gets a good meal, another penny will provide a shine for his shoes, a wash and a general "brush-up." Thus fortified, his chance of getting work is improved by about 50 per cent. He certainly takes up the quest in far better condition than the man who has had some bread and cheese and a mug of beer. The trust, moreover, is proving a strong incentive to charity. A Greek merchant, who insisted upon remaining anonymous, last year gave Sir Thomas Lipton an order for 600,000 meals to be supplied to poor children at three cents each. A London newspaper annually orders a Christmas dinner for all the "sandwichmen" in the city; and as the trust becomes better known, and the really high quality of its meals understood, Sir Thomas expects many other philanthropists to make it the channel of their charity.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

WHY IS A BACHELOR?

Letters From 500 of Them Contain Hints of the Answer.

A woman's magazine recently sent out a list of questions to about five hundred bachelors in various parts of the country. These questions dealt with the question of matrimony.

The first one was: "What yearly income do you regard as necessary to a man of your social standing before entering upon married life?

The second was: "Are the young women of your set rightly brought up and trained, do you think, for the responsibilities and self-denial of wifehood and home-making?"

About half the young men questioned express the belief that the girls are not adequately trained for the duties and responsibilities of wifehood. A sizable minority, between 50 and 60, pronounce the training satisfactory.

In regard to income the estimates received vary from $500 a year in a Connecticut village to $15,000 a year in Chicago. The average among the 500 men figures out $2,439 40. A favorite figure is $1,500, but the $15,000 mark and several estimates of $10,000 bring the level up.

Those who think it essential that newly-married couples should have the comforts and luxuries of the parental home are 40 in number; those who think this unessential, 116. Those who believe such comforts and luxuries out of the question for the young husband to provide, 127; those who think such comforts and luxuries are not greater than the young husband can provide, if they so desire, 10.

Here are some of the letters which were received by Good Housekeeping, the magazine which sent out the letters:

"Two people can certainly live in the middle west on $1,500, but it will take every cent of that amount to live as an educated man wants to live. I certainly should not attempt marriage on any less, and I'd almost be frightened to try it on that sum." This from Omaha, Neb.

A man from Texas says: "You could not want a better living if you are a home man and live a moderate life than you could have in Texas on $1,500 a year. That sum would not only allow you to live well and have plenty of recreation, but would enable you to entertain your friends and relatives occasionally."

"I'd want to be sure of $40 a week to marry," says a Chicago bachelor. "A man can't ask the girl he cares for to make too many sacrifices."

One who describes himself as "a bachelor of arts" says: "Eighteen hundred dollars a year is the least degree of poverty a man should ask a girl to share with him."

"Health, courage, and $1,500," says a Massachusetts youth.

"As I look at it, you need, if you're living in New York city proper, an income of at least $100 a week to marry on. I wouldn't try it on any less for my part. If you haven't got that, wait. That's what I'm doing. I can make out now by myself on $60 a week. But I don't know a girl in New York—a girl really worth while—that I'd ask to share that with me." This is a New York opinion.

A composite opinion from five bachelors keeping house by themselves in Kansas City, Mo.: "A couple must have $3,200 a year in the middle west—more in the east."

"I do not think the question of self-denial has ever been practiced, if considered, by the young ladies of my set," writes a city man.

On the other side is a Chicago young man who says tersely: "Yes, it's a question of common sense and most of them have it."

"They can make excellent fudge, but I would not like to try their biscuits," writes a man from Washington. "They play the piano well, but I doubt if they could buy a steak. Some of them manage two or three admirers excellently, but one servant would be too much for them to handle."

Spokane, Wash., speaks thus: "Few have any domestic ability, and fewer know how to economize. Otherwise they are very estimable young women."

WOULD HONOR MADAME CURIE

Scientist Not Likely to Welcome Such Notoriety.

The Famous Frenchwoman Extremely Retiring and Has Once Before Refused a Tribute—Her Time is Divided Between Her Home and Her Work.

The most-talked-about woman in France today is Mme. Pierre Curie. Her recent discoveries regarding the element polonium, which is 5,000 times rarer than radium, have brought her before the public again, and once more efforts are being made by the feminists of Paris to present to her a testimonial as well as to persuade her to enter into the faminist movement.

But Mme. Curie is implacable in her modesty. She will not receive testimonials. The last time that a delegation approached her on the subject was when, after her husband's death, she was appointed to a chair at the Sorbonne, the great seat of learning in Paris. She was the first woman to achieve such an honor and feminine France thought it only right that her own sex should show its appreciation. But when several women came to interview her on the subject her reply was disconcerting. She said quietly but decisively: "It would be contrary to my husband's desires and certainly to my own that I should receive any such public testimonial." So her admirers departed and the scheme fell through, as doubtless this new one will.

As for the feminist agitation, whatever Mme. Curie feels toward it she has over and over again refused to take any part in it, or indeed in any public movement.

Her daily life is divided into two sections: the hours she spends at the Sorbonne and in scientific research and the hours she spends with her two little girls, to whom she is devoted. It is impossible to break through the barriers by which she guards the privacy of her life. Her house on the Avenue Kellerman is surrounded by a high wall, and only a few chosen friends are privileged to come beyond the outer gate.

Ever since the sudden and terrible death of her husband, Mme. Curie has shut herself off from the world except where her work at the Sorbonne is concerned. Were it not for that no doubt she would never go beyond the gate of her garden. Intimate friends who know and love her say that she has never recovered and never will recover from the shock of that dreadful day when M. Curie's body was brought back to her shortly after he had left the house. She has, of course, taken up his scientific work with her own, but the joy has gone out of life for her.

An added grief recently has been the death of her late husband's father, who lived with her in the Avenue Kellerman house. Old M. Curie was 82 years of age, but his intellect was very keen, and his daughter-in-law was devoted to him, as were his two grandchildren.

Mme. Curie's love of research is an inheritance. The passion for science came to her when she was a tiny child. Her nursery was a laboratory and instead of dolls she played with test tubes, retorts and crucibles, while her father, M. Sklodovski, professor of physics at a college in Varsova, was working at experiments. As she grew older she became useful to the professor.

She learned the various places in the laboratory for every instrument and something of their meaning and use. She constituted herself "washer," always cleaning the apparatus after experiments were over. Quietly the little girl would don a large apron and busy herself rinsing and scouring flasks, beakers, mortars, burettes and pipettes. These were her toys and she handled them reverently.

Then the little household at Varsova broke up. The professor had no money to leave his two daughters and they had to struggle with the world themselves. The older sister went to Austria, where she has become a famous doctor of medicine, and Mme. Curie made her way to Paris, where for several years she endured the most grinding poverty and the greatest hardships. It was lack of money, of course, which necessitated her pursuing her studies in the municipal working class technical school, and it was in the laboratory there that her wonderful capabilities attracted the attention of Professor Curie. Their marriage was a very perfect one. Together they worked at science. Together they cared for their two little girls. Together they received the Nobel science award, and Paris has never forgotten how M. Curie refused the Cross of the Legion of Honor because a similar decoration was not offered to his wife.

This ideal couple were never separated in thought or idea, nor were they ever apart from one another for a single day. They were friends and comrades as well as man and wife, and in France they will go down to posterity not only as two of the greatest scientists but as representatives of the ideal marriage.

Mme. Curie is now in her 45th year. She is a fairly tall, slender woman with a pale face. Her features are regular, clear cut, and of the Polish type. Her lips are thin and slightly harsh looking, suggesting past privations and suffering. Her eyes are the only part of her face which seem alive and vital. They are aflame with enthusiasm and intelligence and are set wide apart. Her forehead is remarkably high and crowned with golden hair.

The little house on the Avenue Kellerman is very simply furnished and the Curies live most frugally. Madame teaches her daughters herself.

Irene, the eldest child, is now 10 years of age and Eve is about 4. They are both devoted to their wonderful mother, of course, for to them she is playfellow, counsellor and friend. Irene already shows a decided interest in scientific work, and is allowed to sit in the laboratory and watch her mother experimenting. Sometimes she stays there for hours as still as a little statute till Mme. Curie almost forgets her presence. All the time, however, the little girl's great dark eyes are following every movement of her mother's and after work is over she has a perfect battery of questions which must be answered and explained.

Eve is quite different. Dolls and pets suffice to amuse and interest her, and she is of the soft, babyish type. With her Mme. Curie is very tender and sweet, and sometimes in the garden on long summer afternoons she plays with her little daughter, drinking tea out of dolls' cups and pretending to be guest at dolly's tea party.

Mme. Curie shares with most savants that faculty of abstraction which is so valuable to those engaged in scientific work. It was this same quality, of course, which brought M. Curie to his untimely death, for he never noticed the huge dray which crushed him as he crossed the street.

Old M. Curie sometimes chaffed his daughter-in-law about her abstraction and had one story that he used to tell as an example of her utter indifference to anything not concerned with her investigations when she was engaged upon a difficult piece of research work. He said that once when she was in the middle of an absorbing experiment a servant ran into the laboratory screaming loudly, "Madame, madame, I have swallowed a pin!"

"There, there, don't cry," said Mme. Curie soothingly; "here is another you may have."

The old man used to chuckle delightedly over this yarn, and Mme. Curie would smile at it herself. She never contradicted it. She probably never remembered whether it really happened or not.

AT THE CRADLE OF THE RACE.

To restore the Garden of Eden sounds like a bold enterprise, yet a plan suggested by Sir William Willcocks, the English engineer who built the Assuan dam, makes the project sound entirely feasible. It is Mesopotamia, "the land between the rivers" Tigris and Euphrates, with which he is dealing, and he purposes to turn the surplus waters of the Euphrates into the River Pishon and to carry down the delta a great canal, which would not only bring back the productiveness of several million acres of land, but would guard the region from the overflows of the Tigris. Had Noah been a hydraulic engineer, Sir William adds, he might have saved his country as well as his family, by constructing the Pishon River reservoir. But that would have involved historic losses as well as gains. It marks a definite step in the world's progress that the work of reconstruction should now be undertaken by the Turkish Government, which thereby demonstrates its real reform to broader views and more intelligent ambitions.

To build this canal, which will double the cultivatable area along the Euphrates, will take three years, and cost two millions or less. Supplementing it, Sir William proposes a railroad from Bagdad to Damascus, costing $11,000,000, which would open the way to the Mediterranean, the natural commercial outlet of Mesopotamia. Such a road seems to be demanded because the irrigation scheme will impair the navigability of the river. And even before the increased wheat harvests are ready for transport there will be freight to carry and passengers to convey—Mohammedan pilgrims visiting holy places, and tourists who will feel, probably, more interest in the "Arabian Nights country" than in the "cradle of the race."—Boston Transcript.

GOVERNMENT HOLDS WHIP HAND
LLOYD GEORGE'S BOLD TACTICS

He Asks That Supplies Be Granted for Only Six Weeks so That if a Unionist Government Took Office It Would Have to Appeal to the Present House of Commons—Mr. Chamberlain's Protest and the Chancellor's Reply—A Spirited Debate.

The British political situation took an unexpected and rather sensational turn on March 10.

When the House of Commons assembled to discuss the civil service estimates on account it was found that supplies were asked for only six weeks from the 1st of April next. Though this action on the part of the Government was a reversion to the practice prevailing until 1896, it aroused the Opposition into a state of anger, and a very animated debate was the result.

The positions taken up by the Government and the Opposition respectively may be briefly stated thus:

1. Government.—It is not expedient to arm the executive with funds that would make it practically independent of the House of Commons for more than the very crucial period in its history covered by the six weeks involved.

2. Opposition.—Should the Government resign before the middle of May, another Government would not take office, except to dissolve at once, and this they could not do if no supplies for the civil services were voted beyond the limit of the six weeks proposed. The result would be that the Unionists could not appeal to the country with the prestige of office.

"We want to get on without the financial interference of the House of Lords," said Mr. Lloyd George in reply to the angry criticisms, and there were loud cheers from the progressive forces, who united to give the Government a majority of 71.

Mr. Chamberlain's Complaint.

On the House going into committee of supply, Mr. Austen Chamberlain (C. East Worcestershire), asked the chancellor of the exchequer why in the vote there appeared a sum sufficient to last for only six weeks, instead of the Government following the practice which had been uniformly pursued since 1896 of taking supply for four or five or more months—in other words, for such a time as would cover the normal length of a session and dispense the House from again having to pass subsequent votes of a similar kind. The six weeks would be six weeks from April 1. Strictly interpreted, that would bring them to May 13, or, in other words, to a point which must be within the spring recess. May 13 was the Friday before Whit Sunday, and if it were a fact that the treasury had drawn the estimate accurately for six weeks, it was impossible to conceive a more inconvenient moment at which their power of paying could expire than at the very moment when, under ordinary circumstances, the House was adjourning for the Whitsuntide recess.

Lloyd George's Defence.

Mr. Lloyd George—We are simply reverting to the practice, the established practice of this House, up to 1896, when votes on account were taken for six weeks, some for a month, most of them for a couple of months, the reason being that the House of Commons should keep control over the executive. (Ironical Opposition cheers.) In 1896 the party opposite were in office, and they for the first time departed from what I still think was an excellent practice, when they made their votes on account votes on account for three, four, or five months. We thought that weakened the control of Parliament, and we protested strongly against it at the time.

Our proposal is said to be unusual. Well, the circumstances are very unusual. (Opposition cheers.) The reason why we depart from what has been the practice only since 1896—it was not a very good practice—is that the financial position is quite an unusual one. If we took Vote One (Navy) it would vote more money than we want. With the view of restoring the complete control of the House of Commons over the executive (Opposition laughter), I think that the House of Commons ought to have another opportunity, especially about that date, of expressing its opinion (Opposition cheers), about the executive. For that reason we do not think it expedient to invite the House of Commons at this stage to arm the executive with funds that would make it practically independent of the House of Commons, as far as funds are concerned, for more than that very crucial period in its history. It is a departure, not from an old precedent, but from a very bad precedent set up by our predecessors in office. (Opposition laughter.)

Mr. Austen Chamberlain—I think it is pretty clear what the Government have in their mind. (Opposition cheers.) I think it has been pretty clear from the moment when they declined to take the budget in accordance with the statement of the Prime Minister as the first act of this new Parliament. They are threatened men; they hold to their official life by a precarious thread that may be snapped at any moment; and they know it. (Opposition cheers.) What are the Government's intentions? By the middle of May they think their own life will be about coming to an end, and the one thing on which they have determined, and the only object of all these twistings and windings that they are steadily pursuing is to leave the greatest possible financial confusion behind them. (Opposition cheers.)

That is what I call a shabby game. (Opposition cheers.) The Prime Minister talked solemnly of carrying on the King's Government with credit as long as right honorable gentlemen opposite were his ministers. There is very little credit to be got from their present proceedings. There is little thought for the dignity of the crown, for the due conduct of public business. Everything of that kind is made subservient to their party ends, in the hope that they may stave off defeat if fortune is kind to them, but that at any rate they may leave a financial morass behind them for anybody who has to follow in their steps.

Home of False Gods.

Mr. Gibson Bowles (L., King's Lynn) said he wished to throw in a little of the cold light of reason after the histrionics to which the House had just listened. (Ministerial cheers and laughter.) The terrible fears which seemed to haunt the last speaker as to what might happen on the 15th of May might prove to be entirely unfounded. The right honorable gentleman obviously thought that the present Government would be gone, and that he, the future chancellor of the exchequer, would find himself in a morass of the Government's digging. The morass, as a matter of fact, was not of their digging. It was dug down the passage, and the advice to dig it came from Birmingham, that Birmingham which indifferently provided false gods for the heathen and false policies for British statesmen. (Ministerial cheers and laughter.)

Let not the right honorable gentleman be too sure that this Government would be gone by May 15. The man who once sold the lion's skin while the beast still lived was killed in hunting him. He had seen nothing in the exploits or even in the questions of the members of the party opposite which entitled them to feel confident of their strength to beat even this despised ministry. (Ministerial cheers.) The Opposition was a leaderless flock. (Opposition cries of "Oh, oh," and "Who is your leader?") His leader sat on the Government bench; his leader was any man who led the party against protection. If he was on that side of the House it was because the Unionist party had forsaken the policy of Lord Salisbury and of every Conservative leader with brains in his head. (Ministerial cheers.)

Lord Hugh Cecil (C., Oxford University), rose to a point of order.

Mr. Emmott (the chairman) thought the honorable member was getting rather wide of the subject, but had been led into it by an interruption.

Mr. Gibson Bowles said he was endeavoring to give a courteous reply to an insolent remark. The honorable member proceeded to discuss the question from an historical point of view, holding that the Government, in proposing a small vote on account for a short period, were returning to the true financial policy.

Mr. F. E. Smith (C., Liverpool, Walton), said in his opinion the action of the Government was part of a scheme for dealing with the House of Lords; in other words, another step in the policy of evasion and chicanery which the Government were pursuing. (Opposition cheers.) The only reason why the Government did not make a frontal attack on the House of Lords was that they knew that it would immediately be defeated. In the belief that these methods of dealing with the House were not straightforward on the part of the Government he moved to report progress.

Cecilian Lecture.

Lord Hugh Cecil (who had evidently expected a member of the Government to speak to the motion) said the Government, having taken an unprecedented course, were justifying it with unprecedented discourtesy. The Government contemplated, in the event of their being turned out of office, to advise the House to refuse supplies to the crown at a later period of the session. The House had not been asked to refuse supplies to the crown since the reign of Charles I.

"Is it not manifest," asked Lord Hugh, "that the Government are playing fast and loose with the very foundations of the constitution? (Great laughter and Opposition cheers.) Is it not manifest they are entering upon a campaign which can only be described in the simplest language as revolutionary? (More laughter.) Their design is to wreck the constitution at all hazards. That is the issue. We on this side wish to work the constitution. (Ironical Liberal cheers.) They on the other hand design to use obsolete

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BRITAIN'S LATEST DREADNOUGHT

The Vanguard Compared With the Latest German Dreadnaught, the Nassau—British Ship the Bigger.

His majesty's battleship Vanguard, built by the firm of Vickers, Sons & Maxim, Limited, at their naval construction works at Barrow, left that port on March 5. There was a large crowd of people to witness her departure, and many cheers were given as she drew out of the dock gates and straightened for her passage down the Walney channel. She was in charge of Pilot Harry Charnley, who has successfully negotiated the passage of this vessel out and in for the third time. The weather was exceedingly bright, and as the huge battleship, looking spick and span, sailed under her own steam from the pier heads, she presented a fine spectacle.

The Vanguard, which was commenced some time after the St. Vincent and Collingwood, is the first to be delivered. At the moment when so much is heard concerning the capability of the foreign yards, it is worthy of remark that this tremendous fighting machine has been built and completed ready for commission in twenty-two months, and that if it had been necessary it would have been possible to place her complete in the hands of the admiralty by the end of last year.

The Germans are just completing their four battleships, the Nassau, Posen, Westfalen and Rheinland. Although these vessels carry twelve big guns of 11 inches, they are so arranged that a broadside of eight guns can be fired, and all the British battleships can fire that number. In regard to speed, the Germans are inferior to the extent of two knots compared with the Vanguard. Pilot Harry Charnley informed a correspondent that the latter ship steered more easily, and that she war far more easy to handle than a tramp steamer drawing 24 feet.

The following are comparisons between the Vanguard and the German Dreadnought Nassau, which was put through her trials about the same time as the Vanguard:

Nassau—Length, 451 feet; breadth, 89 feet; draft, 26¾ feet; displacement, 18,204 tons; power, 20,000-horsepower; speed, official trial, 20.5 knots; guns, twelve 11-inch and twelve 5.9-inch.

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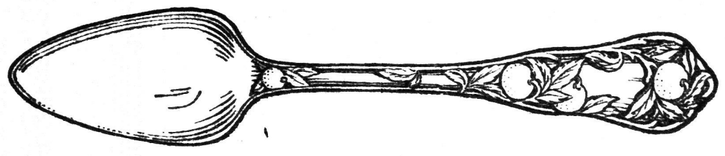
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A LIFE'S DEVOTION

BY

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"I can't do that. Papa isn't what you might call a tolerant man, Harold, and he resents anything that looks like interference in his own private concerns. Perhaps I am mistaken; I hope so. And yet—well, never mind. What were we talking of before?"

"Luv—er, and other things. But mostly love. Oh, yes, about Scroggs. I want to tell you something else about him—it only happened a fortnight or so ago. It was after the hall was sold to him. He called to see me in town; found out my address from my agents, and he put the thing to me point blank. He'd heard I was wishing to get married, he said, and that I was held back for want of cash. He put it awfully decently. Said he liked to make people happy when he could, and offered me a loan, a pretty big one at that; on condition that I said not a word about it and married the girl of my choice. Hello! I've broken my promise. I said I wouldn't say a word in any case, though of course I couldn't accept his offer. But that's the sort of chap he is; and since I shan't be round here much, Marion, I think you might give him a lift upwards. He'll find it lonely; he's not one of our kind altogether; he couldn't have found a worse place than Smoothshire to settle down in. They're dead against trade here; as if honest trade wasn't as good as anything else. I'm seriously thinking of going in for it myself. He'll need some sort of sponsor, and you ought to be in it."

"I'd do as much as that for you, Harold. But have you thought what people would say? About me, I mean? I had a taste of it this afternoon, when Mrs. Dysart sneered at me for that call of mine. They'll call me a fortune-hunter, and all the rest. Never mind, let them. I know I'm not; and virtue's got to be its own reward this time. And I'm very much disposed to like your friend. He's big and strong, and full of greatness of thought. I felt rather as if a cool breeze had come into the place when he appeared. After all the pettiness that I'd seen displayed he freshened the atmosphere. It was a strange feeling; but I felt as if all the rest were mean blooded aristocrats!"

"Yes, there's something direct and simple about him. I admire him no end. Poor old Scroggs. A man of less directness would have changed his name to something more high-sounding, but not him. If he can't be received as Ebenezer Scroggs he won't be received at all. Well, it may turn out a good thing for the county his residing here. He'll put money into circulation and buck things up generally. He's already given a big check to the Hunt—sent it to me to be handed over without his name being known so don't you let on. I'm more than a little glad that he's got the old place, for he'll be good for the tenants. It used to make me feel rotten to see the poor devils in their kennels of houses, and I don't like unpleasantness; but but what could I do? Nothing. I'd no cash to help them out of their troubles, and though I knew the houses were falling about their ears I couldn't build 'em fresh ones. Took all the cash I could muster to keep off the duns. You'll see Scroggs will do all that. Look at it whichever way you will, he'll do the county good; and I think the least the county can do is to take him into its bosom."

"Yes, but it won't, Harold. Partly, too, because he's so decent. His cottages will be held up as models, and everybody else's will look miserable. We none of us like to see our own things cheapened. But I like your friend's unostentation mostly."

"Yes, he always was a self-effacing sort of chap. A beggar for bearing blame, if by doing so he could save anyone else from trouble. He's a man, who's capable of a great sacrifice if it affects the happiness of anyone he cares anything about. I call him a bit of a fool; others might call him a big fool, for this is a self-seeking world. I'm one of the biggest self-seekers in it, for I'm hankering after my own happiness, even at the cost of yours, Marion. But I'd make you happy, I'm certain of that."

"Harold, I wish I could, but I can't. Surely there must be dozens of other girls who'd love you as you want to be loved. Can't you find one of them, and leave me to go my own way?"

"The girls that want me aren't the girls I want. I'm all sorts of a fool to torment you like this, Marion, but you see I'm going away; this is really a p.p.c. visit."

"Going away? You! Why, I thought you were above all things an Englishman."

"That's why I'm going—because I'm an Englishman, and because I can't stand by and see my old home in a parvenu's hands. Oh! I'm fickle, I know. I'm going to a place where I can shake off the shackles of good form and all the rest of it, and work with my hands. I'm off to Canada, Marion; there's a chance there. The money I got for the hall will be enough to start me after paying up the debts. There's a chance for a man over there; a chance to forget." He hardly breathed the last words, but Marion heard them, as he had intended her to hear them. She wondered whether she was doing right in sending this man away from his home because of his love for her; for she well knew that it was mainly on her account that he was going. If her heart could have governed her head she would have held out her round young arms and bade him stay, but unfortunately Marion Seymour's heart was an organ all to itself, and would not brook interference. And there was a little something dimly present all the time in her mind. Fortescue had been her friend ever since she was a little girl and he a very big boy. He had carried her on his back when her legs were tired; he had been a willing subject to her childish tyranny. But as he grew into manhood he had shown a certain amount of disregard for one or two of the decencies of life. He had neglected his obligations; he had frittered away his money carelessly, intent on seeing "life." And later on, when debts pressed thickly about him, he had, to a certain extent, ignored them.

He had made no voluntary offer to sell the hall and clear his liabilities. It had been forced upon him by his lawyers; they had practically compelled him to put the place in the market. And Marion named this for something nearly approaching dishonor. To her somewhat narrow view on the one subject that she felt deepest on, evasion of responsibility was very nearly akin to dishonesty. Had Fortescue been the man she would have had him, he would have come forward boldly and sacrificed everything for the sake of those dependent on him. His creditors would have been paid in full long before; but here they had been obliged to wait until some more daring or less patient than the rest, had taken forcible steps to regain that which was rightfully theirs. And the fact that Fortescue had emerged from the deeps with something to his credit, did not mean that his so-called dishonor was any the less marked. Whatever credit there had been in the entire transaction belonged to—whom? To whom but Mr. Scroggs, the hopeless parvenu? A warm glow of admiration came to her as she thought of him then.

"And so you'll do your best to make things easy for the man who's done so much for me, won't you?" said Fortescue. They had been in the old library for some time, and it had grown very dark. But Marion raked the coals together on the hearth, and a glow of light lit up the sombre room.

"Yes, I'll do my best for him," said the girl. She may have been breathless with her exertions, perhaps her thoughts of Scroggs had colored her fancies too brightly. At all events, she spoke very earnestly, with a little catch in her voice.

"You can leave that to me," she said. "I think Mr. Scroggs is worthy of all admiration." He stooped forward and caught her roughly by the shoulders, turning her face up to his. Under his intent gaze she colored slightly, and because of something wholly disconcerting that was stirring in her heart, strove to free herself. But the crimson tide spread up her face to her forehead, and her eyes could not meet Fortescue's fairly.

"I suppose," he said a little bitterly, "I suppose you don't happen to be in love with him yet, do you?" She tried to deny the imputation, but for a moment her lips were sealed. With what sounded very like an oath Fortescue rose to his feet, and disappeared from the room.

CHAPTER V.

Father and Daughter.

That night Marion Seymour slept but ill. She tossed and turned restlessly in her bed, and her brain revolved a series of complicated problems until it seemed her head must split, so intense was the ache. She wondered what strange thing it was that had caused her flush and speechlessness when accused of caring for Scroggs. Shame and confusion beset her when Fortescue spoke, but why? Why? The question reiterated madly through her brain; no solution was forthcoming, it remained unanswered. Was it—what was it?

Undoubtedly she admired the man, parvenu though he was. She was too liberal-minded to look down on him because of his association with trade, and she had spoken truthfully when she said that his presence was like a draught of bracing air. He had a personality that compelled attention; he could not remain for long unnoticed, no matter what his surroundings were. Of course, it was folly to imagine that there was a vestige of truth in Fortescue's half-suggestion, and yet—why did she feel differently with regard to Scroggs from what she had ever felt towards any of the many men who had come at various times into her life

Suddenly she sat up, cold and afraid. A thought had struck her so forcibly that it might almost have been an actual blow.

"Whatever is the matter with me," she whispered fearfully. "I must not show it. Horrors! They'd say that I was angling for him because of his wealth. We're poor, he's rich; there's only one conclusion to be drawn. I won't think of him, I won't." It was easier said than done. She closed her eyes and resorted to every known device to win sleep; but it would not come, not even though she counted innumerable sheep passing through innumerable gates, not though she counted until her tongue refused to speak further. Scroggs was obsessing her brain to the exclusion of everything else, and when she arose and tubbed, she did so with a feeling of weariness that almost made her throw up the sponge and submit unconditionally to woman's weakness—a sick headache.

She was the first to reach the breakfast room, and she was glad, for she had no inclination to meet her relatives. But presently her father appeared; he merely nodded carelessly, and busied himself at the sideboard. Looking at him she saw his face betrayed extreme weariness; he seemed to glance furtively over his shoulder as he carved at the ham, and he took an unconscionable time in performing a very simple operation. She remembered that he had been informed Mr. Munster was waiting immediately dinner was over the evening before; and she had heard him go to his room at a very late hour.

"Business worry you, papa?" she queried. He started violently, and let the plate he was carrying to the table almost fall to the floor.

"No, nothing to speak of," he said. His voice was a little tremulous. "I sat up too late with Munster. A talkative man, my dear. Well, Marion, have you slept over your championship of this Mr. Scroggs? I had the whole story en gros and en detaille from Geraldine. Of course, we can understand a little youthful Quixotry; but it must stop now, once and for all."

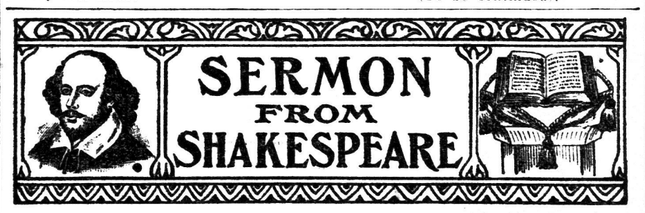
"But, papa, you surely wouldn't have me such a dreadful snob as to snub Mr. Scroggs—or Mrs. Scroggs either, for that matter?"

He made an impatient gesture.

"Don't quibble, I beseech you. But for that man's lucky strokes of business at various times—I gather he has a veritable Midas touch—he would, in all probability, now be behind a counter retailing this kind of thing." He pointed with his knife to the liberal plate of ham he had carved.

"Well, isn't the ham good?" asked his daughter spiritedly, wondering why without her own volition, she was constantly thrust into a championship of the absent subject of discussion.

(To be continued).



Home-keeping youth have ever homely wits.—Two Gentlemen of Verona, Act I., Scene 1.

The Elizabethan age was an age of action. Before that time, Englishmen had lived in a narrow world, but then the whole earth became their stage The voyages of Drake and Raleigh inflamed the imagination of old and young alike, and the little island kingdom began that career of conquest and exploration that was to make her master of the high seas and controller of the destinies of nations—that was to plant her colonies, nations within an empire, in a circle girdling the earth. The learning of the Greeks and Latins; the culture, the art, the music of the continent, were all appealing to the minds of Englishmen. English fathers were sending their sons abroad "to seek preferment out," some to "studious universities," some "to discover islands far away." In Shakespeare's time to any man of standing it

"Would be great impeachment (reproach) to his age,
To have known no travelling in his youth."

Study is excellent. It broadens the mind and molds character, but a man requires travel to give finish and polish to his education. It is all very well to read learned discussions on the Parthenon and the Coliseum, on the antiquities of Rome and Greece, on the art of Florence and Paris. A visit to Greece or Italy or France makes the book learning a reality; the eye sees and retains what the mind only vaguely grasped. No matter how brilliantly Venice may be described on the pages of Ruskin or on the canvas of Turner it is not properly known until the eye has rested on the Bridge of Sighs, the gondolas and the palaces of the ancient princes and merchants The pictures of Raphael, the statuary of Michael Angelo have been reproduced in copies and prints and scattered to the ends of the earth. Learned volumes have been published on the art of these intellectual giants. To fully appreciate their power it is necessary to visit the churches and galleries of Europe. Who can comprehend from books the glories of the western plains with their innumerable herds and their miles and miles of golden grain, or the awful sublimity of the Rockies? Travel is necessary for a proper understanding of the external world and the world of art.

It is even more essential to the student of men and manners. The philosopher who said "Know thyself" was wise, but the only true way to do this is to learn about other selves. If men "sluggardize" at home they will never gain this knowledge. No greater truth was ever uttered than that, "Home-keeping youth have ever homely wits." A man whose horizon is the fences of his farm, or the suburbs of his native town or city, or even the boundaries of his country, grows narrow in mind, his soul becomes dwarfed. Travel is the greatest of educators. It stores the mind, it sharpens the wits, it broadens the sympathies. "The proper study of mankind is man," sang Alexander Pope. How is a man going to study mankind by his own fireside? To enable him to take an intelligent part in the affairs of his country travel is an essential. The statesman and diplomats of the nations have been trained as much by travel as in the halls of learning.

Study and travel go hand in hand. Books tells you what to expect in the countries visited. Without this knowledge much is missed. There are thousands of travellers rushing over Europe at the present moment who have not made adequate preparation. Eyes have they and they see not! The glories of the old world have little meaning to them. Whether or not a man is to benefit by travel depends largely on his intellectual and moral training. Unless his mind has been prepared, lordly castles and vast cathedrals are to him nothing but piles of stone. The men and women he meets are merely foreigners, to be despised because they speak an alien tongue and have other manners. Their vices too often are what attract, and instead of benefiting by foreign travel many men return to their country the worse for their sojourn abroad.

But there is vastly more good than harm done by foreign travel. England's greatness is due to the energy her sons have displayed in searching the corners of the earth and learning of all nations. In recent years Japan has leaped into the front rank of the powers. Why? In the universities of Europe and America Japanese youths have been studying. In all countries citizens of Japan have been travelling. In the factories and shipyards they have been learning. Contact with other nations has broken down the barrier that insulated Japan from the rest of the world.

The stay-at-home must drop behind in the race. The wise traveller, who learns of all men, is best fitted to achieve greatness. His mind has been broadened by contact with other men and other manners. From a narrow villager he becomes a citizen of the world. His soul grows cosmopolitan and his sympathies widen. Wherever men shut themselves up in institutions or communities a stunted spiritual life is to be found.

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Send in Your Entries Next Week—$600 in Cash Prizes—Read the Shakespeare Sermons and Improve Your Mind.

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No attention will be paid to entries reaching The Advertiser office after Saturday next, April 2.

It costs nothing to enter this competition, and it will be to you a liberal education. Beginning next Saturday, a series of 52 sermons from Shakespeare will appear in 52 consecutive editions of the Saturday Advertiser. Entrants are required to read them all and answer ten questions which will be submitted at the close of the series. These question will be based upon the 52 sermons, beginning next Saturday, and will not refer to those which appeared before that date. The sum of $600 in cash will be divided among those who give the most satisfactory answers. The first prize will be $100.

The sermons have made a decided hit. Here are a few of the good things that have been said about them by some of the ablest men on the continent:

Hiram Corson, LL.D., Litt.D., Cornell University, one of the greatest living interpreters of Shakespeare's dramas, writes: "I have read with much pleasure the six excellent sermons sent me, based on texts from Shakespeare. They are sermons of a character that should go to the quick of every one that reads them. . . . If the high merit of those I have read be maintained in those which are to follow, they will, and must, do great good."

Rev. David Gregg, D.D., LL.D., president Western Theological Seminary: "A pulpit with Shakespeare in it is a pulpit of power. This is my impression as I finish the perusal of your Shakespeare sermon page."

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ENGLAND

A SATANIC DEVICE.

Clergman So Characterizes Singing a Hymn After the Sermon.

A Pole who appeared at the Old Bailey said he came to London 20 years ago and started business with a street barrow. In January, 1908, he had a boot manufactory and four retail shops and his assets exceeded his liabilities by £5,600. In August last his deficiency amounted to £9,000.

Sir Francis Hanson, sheriff of London in 1908-09, died at his residence in Montagu Square, London, following an operation for appendicitis. The second son of Sir Reginald Hanson, Sir Francis, who was only forty-two years of age, received his knighthood last summer.

At a meeting convened by the mayor of Sunderland it was decided to raise a Summerbell memorial fund of one thousand guineas for a memorial over the grave of Mr. Thomas Summerbell, ex-M.P. for Sunderland, and the endowment of two scholarships at the Sunderland Technical College.

Preaching at a men's service at Clewer St. Stephen's Church, Windsor, the vicar said he objected to a hymn after the sermon. To have a hymn after the sermon was one of the inventions of the devil, as it took away from people's minds the lessons the preacher had tried to enforce. He therefore dispensed with the usual hymn, and simply pronounced the benediction.

Among the people who are worried by the prospect of an early Easter this year are the greenkeepers of those golf courses which are popular with visitors. Easter is so early, and the season so late, that there will be considerable difficulty in presenting greens qualified to rank as even passable.

The death has taken place at Durham of Mr. Charles Emmott, a gentleman well known in the industries of the north of England, being a director of the Elswick Steamship Company, Robert Stephenson & Co., and other concerns. He was a brother of Mr. Alfred Emmott, deputy chairman of the House of Commons, and a brother-in-law of the Duke of Argyll and the Duke of Northumberland.

106 HAPPY RETURNS

Tunbridge Wells Lady Gets Birthday Letter From the King.

Rev. William John Herringshaw, of Guy's Cliff Terrace, Leamington, was struck dead by lightning Sunday night while walking toward home after preaching at Marton.

Westminster Roman Catholic Cathedral is to be consecrated on June 28 this year.

During the past year, according to a return issued by the authorities, 3,360,221 people visited Kew Gardens, London.

Between November 28 and January 22 not a single boat flying the American flag entered the port of London.

The total annual output of coal in the United Kingdom is about 265,000,000 tons, and the value over 119½ millions sterling.

The total population of the British overseas empire was 343,000,000 at the last census, of which over 294,000,000 were in India.

The Cunard liner Umbria, which left Liverpool for New York on her last voyage, brought $175,000 worth of ostrich feathers to America.

In the period from 1897 to 1908 there were erected in the County of London 87,934 new buildings, and in the same period 148 miles of new streets were laid out.

Mrs. Skinner, of Langton Green, near Tunbridge Wells, has completed her 106th birthday. This interesting old lady was married at twenty-eight years of age, and had eight children. Four died when young. One son is seventy-five years old and two daughters seventy-one and sixty. She has had seventeen grandchildren and a number of great and great-great-grandchildren. She is vastly proud of a kindly letter of congratulation received from Her Majesty a few years ago.

A notable athlete in Sir Lees Knowles, who has just closed his 53rd year. During his undergraduate days he represented Cambridge in "the mile."

RIVERS OF BEER

There Are No Less Than 7,842 Licensed Brewers in the United Kingdom.

It is announced that the British Museum has received the original Trafalgar memorandum, written by Nelson with his own hand, before the battle.

The crew of the Fowey schooner R. T. K., which was sunk in collision in the English Channel, were landed at Dover yesterday by the Norwegian steamer Spica.

At the annual meeting of the Eastern Counties Dairy Farmers' Co-operative Society at Chelmsford it was stated that the sales of milk and cheese had amounted to £33,778.

There are 7,482 licensed brewers in the United Kingdom, says a White Paper, issued on Monday. The total production for the year ended September 30, 1909, was 34,167,217 barrels of beer, of which 556,170 barrels were exported.

A Lyme Regis resident was savagely attacked while walking along the cliffs near his home by a large gannet, or solan goose, which, after a hard fight, he managed to kill. The bird measured 5 feet between the tips of the wings.

As showing the fortitude of the men under his command in the Antarctic, Sir Ernest Shackleton relates that at the end of a fortnight's hurricane he saw the sailors seeking about the deck for the potatoes which had got out of a damaged sack, singing, "Here we come gathering nuts in May."

Colonel Brodigan, formerly commanding the 28th Regiment, and a Crimean veteran, died suddenly at his residence, Piltown House, Drogheda. Colonel Brodigan was present at the storming of the Redan, where he showed conspicuous bravery.

The death has occurred at Chard of Mr. Walter James Tucker, said to be the oldest town clerk in England. He was eighty years of age. For 150 years members of the Tucker family have held the town clerkship.

The Royal Naval Prison, Portsmouth, is to be closed at the end of the month. The staff is being absorbed either by the admiralty or the civil prison authorities.

The King has presented his portrait to Eltham Golf Club, to which His Majesty paid a private visit shortly before leaving for Biarritz.

One of the few survivors of Sir James Ross's Antarctic expedition of 1839, George Parr, formerly of the Royal Marines, has lately died at Gillingham, Kent, at the age of 94.

The old cable tramway on Highgate Hill has been superseded by the electric conduit system, and the first car was run down this steep incline with complete success by the London county council testers.

BUILT BY CONVICTS

Experimental Prison Being Erected in Parkhurst Forest.

"Oh! If he only knew how uncomfortable wigs are, he would not make such a proposition,' said Judge Emden, at Gravesend, to a solicitor who mentioned a recent proposal that solicitors should wear wigs.

At the annual meeting of the Royal United Service Institution it was announced that there had been discovered in the library two copies of an ancient and interesting atlas, which was valued in the market at £184.

Richard Withers, a shepherd, who has just died at Great Rollright, Oxfordshire, at the age of 104, is to have a special tombstone. He was a remarkable old man.

According to a Government paper just published the eel lays its eggs in the deeper areas of the sea, from which the young fry, or elvers, annually ascend to our rivers, coming chiefly from those portions of the Atlantic slope where the depth ranges from 1,000 to 2,000 metres.

The new experimental prison for habitual criminals, which convicts are now engaged in building in Parkhurst Forest, will be surrounded by a thick wall sixteen feet high to remove the prisoners from the temptation of making a dash into the dense forest outside. The object of Parliament in passing this act is to endeavor, as far as possible, to put even habitual criminals in the way of becoming honest and respectable members of society again by teaching them some trade.

The work of widening Fleet street, the great newspaper artery of London, is now to be actively pressed forward. No less a sum than £400,000 or £2,000,000 to be expended.

In the period from 1897 to 1908 there were erected in the County of London 87,934 new buildings, and in the same period 148 miles of new streets were laid out.

The longest term a British prime minister has held office during the last two centuries is 20 years, 326 days (Robert Walpole); the shortest, two days (The Earl of Bath.)

VICORIA'S LETTER

Characteristic Note To Her Aunt Regarding Her Husband Sold for $46.

An appeal, accompanied by a letter from Lord Rosebery, has been issued for a sum of £70,000 to purchase a site and erect new chemical laboratories for the University of London.

Mrs. Thomas, of Eythorne House, Hollingbourne, near Maidstone, attained her 100th birthday on the 17th of February, and among many telegrams of congratulations she received was one from the King.

The funeral of Dr. John Macallan Swan River, royal academician, took place lately at Niton Churchard. Among the wreaths which covered the coffin were placed the dead artist's pallet and brushes.

London's death rate shows a marvellous decline. Fifty years ago it was 22 per thousand. Twenty years ago it stood at 20, and in 1908, the last year for which there are figures, it was only a little over 14 per thousand.

Queen Victoria wrote to her aunt in 1851 as follows: "I feel that I can never show all I owe to my beloved husband as I ought. He does so much for me, and I feel as if I did so little for him." The letter containing this passage realized £9 1s.

Among the numerous inventions now under examination by war office experts is what is called the Deadly Ray, which is said to kill any living being within its range. The inventor is alleged to have killed a horse at four miles range.

Missed from a farm near Ramsgate two months ago, a pig, which had apparently been covered in during the building of a haystack, was found alive in the stack, but very weak.

In the official report of the military manoeuvres commission for 1909 it is stated that there were only four arrests for civil offences, all in Wiltshire. Such a result, said the report, speaks highly for the discipline of the army.

A pheasant, which was probably being pursued by a hawk, struck a window at Beaufort Castle, Beauly, with such force as to break through the plate glass, a quarter of an inch thick. It afterwards struck a door on the opposite side of the room.

Army balloon experiments at Aldershot cost more last year, the price of balloons per pound of skin being £2 3s 5d, against £1 17s 6d. The factory produced fifty-nine "balloon petticoats," costing £62 18s 7d.

Mr. Burns has issued a return showing that there was over one per thousand fewer paupers in London in January than a year ago.

The infant son of Mr. McKenna, first lord of the admiralty, was baptised at Westminster Abbey the other day. Among the fashionable assembly present was Mr. Asquith, who stood as one of the sponsors. The infant received the name Michael.

The hundredth anniversary of the death of Lord Collingwood, who was second in command to Nelson at the battle of Trafalgar, was celebrated last week at St. Paul's Cathedral. He never saw England after Trafalgar, for he stayed in the Mediterranean until his death.

Lady Smyth has presented to Bristol nearly six acres of land at Bedminster, a densely-populated part of Bristol, for use as a playground. The land was until recently the site of a colliery and Lady Smyth spent nearly £7,000 in carting away the mountain of refuse.

Found in a bottle on the Mersey shore, the following note was read at the inquiry into the loss of the Ellan Vannin: "Ellan Vannin in collision with unknown steamer. Just going down. Good-bye all.—E. Burke. The handwriting was identified by the son of the ship's cook as his dead father's.

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IRELAND

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Suicide is less prevalent in Ireland than in any other country in the world.

Home rule for Ireland was first mooted by an organized association in 1870.

The "Catch My Pal" temperance movement in Ulster continues to make remarkable progress.

In an international football match at Belfast, Scotland, beat Ireland by fourteen points to nothing.

The death of Rev. Hugh McFarlane, M. A., minister of the Second Congregation of Markethill, County Armagh, is announced.

The late James O'Connor, Fenian convict, parliamentarian and journalist, was born in the Glen of Imaal, County Wicklow, in 1836.

Workmen employed at Derrylara, near Portadown, have dug up from a bog a firkin of butter, which must have been buried for centuries. The butter is in a fair state of preservation.

Douglas Lang, a young Aberdeen watchmaker, was found dead in his employer's workroom at Warrenpoint, South Down.

Director of the Bank of Ireland, and formerly treasury remembrancer and deputy paymaster for Ireland, Sir Arbuthnot Holmes, K.C.B., has died at Monkstown, near Dublin.

LINEN TRADE GOOD

Not Only Holding Its Own in Ireland, But Making Good Progress.

The most remarkable private ballroom in the world is the one to be found, which is 70 feet in length and 40 feet wide, possesses walls panelled with alabaster, which are draped with rich rose-colored silk and dark velvet hangings.

A short time ago in a town in the south of Ireland a lecture was given on the evils of intemperance. "Yes," said the lecturer, "alcohol has ruined our country and has slain its thousands, but when has bright clear cold water caused the death of anyone?" From the back of the hall a gruff voice answered, "When the man couldn't swim!"

An Irish lady, Miss Lillian Bland, has designed and built for herself a biplane glider 28 feet wide.

The linen thread industry is not only holding its own in Ireland, but also making satisfactory progress.

Rev. James Fraser, who retired from active work in 1901, died at Balmoral, Belfast, lately at the age of 70 years.

The death has taken place at Ashton under Lyne of Mrs. O'Gorman, widow of Major O'Gorman, a former M. P. for Galway.

Margaret Hamilton, of Monaghan, is in her 111th year. She is in excellent health, enjoys a chat with visitors and can read without glasses.

Mr. H. F. Bruen, Irish representative for C. Cross & Co., London, dropped dead while walking along Botanic avenue, Belfast.

Irish yachtsmen are elated at the news that King Edward has presented a special cup for competition at the regatta of the Royal Ulster Club.

At a meeting of the Dublin corporation recently, Councillor Doyle was installed as lord mayor for the ensuing year. Mr. Robert Bradley was made high sheriff.

The mail train which left Belfast for Larne at 6.20 p. m. on the 19th ult., was derailed by a landslip at a point between Whitehead and Kilroot and twenty-four passengers were injured.

A year of prosperity is disclosed by the annual report of Belfast harbour commissioners for 1909, which shows a ecord not only in trade, but in the board's receipts. Ireland is not quite so distressful after all.

Billie, the pet bulldog of the Second Royal Irish Rifles, who, in spite of his war service, was drummed out of the regiment by biting a dog, has been brought back to Dover by his new owner, who says everyone is afraid of him. The men say Billie was grieving for the sound of the bugles, and hope he will be reinstated.

A famous prison, in a political sense, has been closed, namely, Kilmainham prison, in Dublin, after which was named the historic "Kilmainham Treaty," entered into in 1882 between Gladstone and Parnell, who was then a prisoner there. It was in Kilmainham jail that the "Invincibles" concerned in the Phoenix Park tragedy were confined and ultimately executed.

Mrs. Harriet B. Howard, a dressmaker, of Bramleboro, Vermont, has been notified that she is heiress to $1,000,000 by the death in Dublin, Ireland, of her grandmother, Margaret Savage, who left $12,000,000.

At Dublin lately the English ladies' team beat the Irish ladies in the international hockey match by six goals to one.

While hunting out with the Kildare hounds the Earl of Mayo had a nasty fall from his horse, as a result of which he suffered concussion of the brain. The earl is fifty-nine years of age.

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Trade in Shotts district, Lanarkshire, is greatly in the increase; a number of buildings are in course of erection.

At Motherwell, Bro. Robert M'Crum was presented with a gold watch as a token of having served the Nil Desperandum Lodge for 25 years.

At Greenock Scott's Shipbuilding and Engineering Company will build a large steamer for the Booth Line, Liverpool.

Sir William Arrol has sent £1,250 to Paisley Infirmary to endow a bed in memory of his wife. Sir William is a native of Paisley.

At Perth show and sale of Aberdeen-Angus cattle on the 16th of last month, 298 bulls realized £8,396 17s. The top price was 300 guineas. King Edward sold one for 240 guineas.

Kilbirnie has lost its last thatched house. It has been demolished to make room for a mission hall.

"Auld Killie" recently lost by death two nonagenarians—Mrs. McFarlane, 95, and Mrs. Alex. Brown, 91.

Kilmarnock Infirmary has received £1,000 from Mr. Wm. Beckett, Glasgow, for the endowment of a cot in memory of his late brother.

The number of cattle killed at the Saltcoats slaughter-house during last year was 982; 2,777 sheep, 351 calves and 10 pigs, were also slaughtered.

A train and its scores of passengers were saved from destruction at Auchen Castle, Dumfriesshire, by the resourcefulness of a woman. A fierce gale was raging, and a great tree was blown across the rails, snapping the telegraph wires and obstructing the line. Its fall was seen by a woman living near, who knew that the 2:50 p.m. train from Glasgow was due in a few minutes. She removed her red petticoat, and racing along the line waved it as a danger signal. The driver noticed the woman none too soon. He applied the brakes and the train came to a standstill with a jerk, only a few yards from the fallen tree.

The late Rev. Robert Small has left £600 to Caddonfoot Parish Church (of which he was many years minister) to modernize part of the roof.

There is a scarcity of unlet houses in Selkirk. Councillor Dodds says that if 50 additional houses were erected at once they would be occupied.

James Anderson, retired shepherd, Stow, died on the 17th of last month. He had been 49 years on the Bow Farm, and was one of the oldest Freemasons in Selkirkshire district.

Another large purchase of ground has been made by Peter Scott & Co., Hawick, manufacturers of "Pesco" underwear, with a view to the further extension of their factory, which is already the largest of its kind in Scotland.

There is over £1,471,472 at the credit of depositors in Perth County and City Savings Bank.

There has been erected in the Meigle Parish Church a tablet in memory of the late Sir Henry Campbell Bannerman.

A GARDEN CITY

May Be Called Into Existence by Naval Works at Rosyth.

There is every prospect that the naval works at Rosyth will call into existence one of the much talked-of garden cities.

A royal sturgeon was landed in Buckie from a small boat. It was caught in a cod net near Cullen, and was alive when landed. It measured over four feet in length. This is the first to have been caught in the district.

About £6,000 is now available under the will of the late Mr. John Mills for the establishment, in Dundee, of an observatory.

The death has occurred in Aberdeen of Mr. W. M. Brown, for years one of the most active figures in Sunday school work in the North of Scotland.

Salmon fishing on the Dee, Don and Spey has begun. Fish is abundant and of excellent quality. The fishings are well let, mostly to English anglers.

The long delayed question as to the erection of a public hall for Edinburgh in acordance with the wishes of the late Mr. Andrew Usher, who left a large sum of money to be devoted to this purpose, seems at last about to be brought to what is regarded in the capital as a satisfactory conclusion. The money left by Mr. Usher, which went into the hands of the corporation in 1896, now amounts to £120,000.

Recently several cartloads of corn in sheaf have been sent from Halkirk station to Altnabreac for feeding the deer.

Necessitous scholars to the number of 1,590 will receive assistance from the Dundee school board.

The tide at Glasgow on the 17th ult. is said to have been the highest for ten years. It rose about 14 feet above the average level of high water.

Fourteen glasgow men who served in the Royal Scots Fusiliers during the South African war have been photographed together. They were at the relief of Ladysmith, and possess between them 28 medals and over 100 clasps. Two of them wear the medal for distinguished conduct in the field, and all are employed in positions of trust in the city.

Hamilton (Lanarkshire Burgh school board are erecting a new academy, the cost of the building and site being £35,000.

WHISKEY TRADE HIT

The British Budget May Close Up a Hundred Distilleries.

The value of dogs as aids to the police in the discharge of their duties in lonely or dangerous localities has been brought to the notice of the Glasgow watching and lighting committee by Mr. Graham, the treasurer. The subject has been remitted to the chief constable to make full inquiries and submit a report. Major E. M. Richardson, the well-known trainer of dogs for purposes of tracking criminals and ambulance work, first drew the attention of the chief constable to the matter.

In a communication sent to Mr. Asquith and Mr. Lloyd George on behalf of the Scottish whiskey trade it is stated that the effect of the increased whiskey duty has been practically to close up one hundred distilleries, depreciate the price of barley 5s per quarter, and, owing to the scarcity of draff, to raise the price of milk by 1s per cent. in the north of Scotland. Thousands of licensed trade employees have been thrown idle, it is added, while the net result on the revenue has been a loss of about £1,500,000.

Admiral Sir John Dalrymple Hay, now 89 years old, entered the navy 76 years ago, and when he had his first taste of active service William IV. was still on the throne.

A cow belonging to Alex. Hunter, Laigh Langside, Craigie, Wigtownshire, has given birth to four calves. Two were born dead, and one succumbed since, but the remaining one is quite well.

The two copper mines near Gatehouse, Kirkcudbrightshire, are showing renewed vigor. Two new pumps are being put down at Enrick.

Rev. James M. Kinloch, for 43 years minister of West Linton United Free Church, has applied for a colleague and successor.

Reports from Peebleshire district show that the woollen trade is in a satisfactory condition.

A Rothesay lady's estate of £6,241 is to be wholly divided among charities, a number of which are Scottish.

The death is announced, at the age of 94, of Mrs. Helen Douglas, who lived all her life in Selkirk, and often saw Sir Walter Scott. She was present at a parliamentary election when Sir Walter was chased out of the town by his political opponents.

London Territorials have a grievance against the Highland uniform. After their teams were beaten easily by the London Scottish in the Marathon race last year, they protested that the kilts of the winners gave them too much advantage. The authorities have, therefore, allowed competitors to substitute more suitable athletic costume for the regulation uniform trousers.

Dr. Cluckie, the Scottish eye specialist, thinks there is as much need for total abstinence from tobacco as from liquor.

The Master of Elibank has been elected president of the Scottish Liberal Club, in place of Lord Rosebery, resigned.

The Edinburgh school board have purchased 3½ acres in McLeod street as a site for a central supplementary school to cost about £9,000.

For the vacancy in Old Greyfriars, caused by the retirement of Rev. Dr. Glasse, 60 applications have been received.

In a speech the other night Sir George McCrae described Scotland as the Cinderella of parliamentary government.

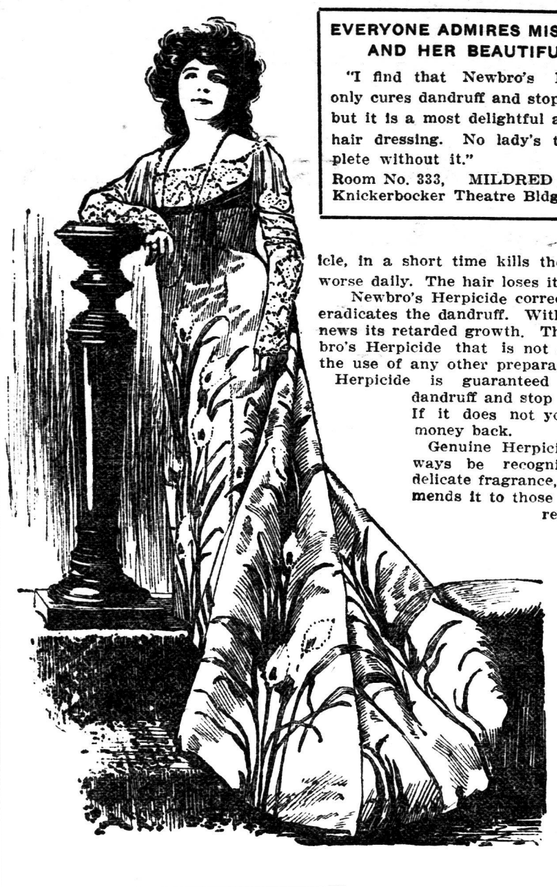
Forty-one candidates have applied for the post of chief librarian at Edinburgh University, which has been vacant since the death of Alex. Anderson ("Surfaceman.")

Lady Frances Balfour presided at the annual meeting of the Scottish Central Bureau for the Employment of Women, and referred to the Government Bureaus.

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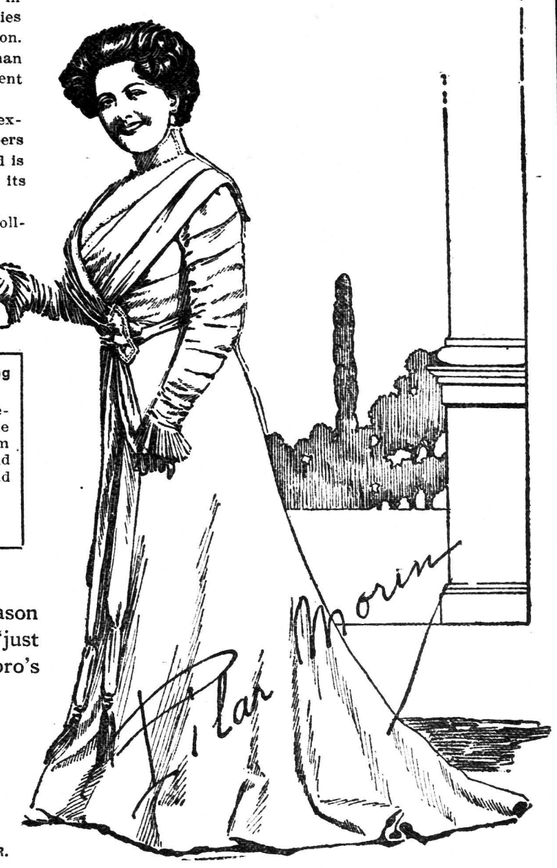
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PLAYS AND PLAYERS

ATTRACTIONS AT THE GRAND.

Monday ..... "Merry Widow"
Thursday ..... "Fluffy Ruffles"
Friday and Saturday .....
..... "The Servant in the House"

At the Grand.

"The Time, the Place, and the Girl," a musical comedy that has played here on many occasions, was the attraction at the Grand on the holiday. Good audiences witnessed both performances. There was nothing new or particularly new about the performance, and the principals were little above the mediocre. Fred Mace as Happy Johnny Hicks, was just fair, while Miss May Bouton, as the widow, was excellent. Miss Elizabeth Goodall, as Molly Kelly, was excellent.

"Merry Widow" Monday.

Henry W. Savage's splendid production of "The Merry Widow" returns to the Grand, Monday, March 28, with a cast that offers very little from the original company seen here last year. "The Merry Widow" has swept the music-loving world like wildfire in more than three hundred cities of the new and old worlds; it is the reigning operatic sensation; its wondrous alluring melody, delightful humor, intense dramatic strength and joyous stage pictures winning for it such a welcome as has not been accorded another opera comique within memory. In addition to the rare musical merit of "The Merry Widow," there are some other features, as its interesting story—for once there is a real plot—ensembles, the gorgeous stage pictures, and the notable sartorial display. Any one of these factors would easily suffice to establish a light opera firmly in the affections of a discriminating public—while "The Merry Widow" has them all. The seat sale is now open.

"Fluffy Ruffles."

"Fluffy Ruffles" will be seen at the Grand, Thursday, March 31, with Florence Gear in the title role. Its fun is fast and hilarious, but always clean and wholesome. Miss Gear sets a pace from the very start that keeps her many associates in the fun-making constantly on the jump. Everybody who saw the delightfully amusing performance that this dashing comedienne gave in "Marrying Mary" last season, will appreciate that in "Fluffy Ruffles" she is certain to keep things humming from the start to the finish. The seat sale will open Tuesday.

Next Friday and Saturday.

"The Servant in the House," which comes to the Grand Opera House on Friday and Saturday, April 1 and 2, with a matinee Saturday, is a modern comedy that occasionally touches tragic significance. It tells of three brothers who drift apart on the sea of life, and unexpectedly meet again one spring morning in England. One has become a vicar in the Church of England, the second is a victim of drink, and has turned scavenger, and the third, who was lost in India when a mere youth, has become the famous bishop of Benares, the "Holy City" of the far east. The scene of the play is laid in the dining-room of the vicar's house, to which place comes the scavenger, with hatred burning in his heart against his clergyman brother. There he meets his other brother, the bishop of Benares, who is disguised as a butler.

"The Servant in the House" differs from the conventional plays of the day. It follows the Greek form of construction, having but one scene and a continuous performance. It will be presented here with the original New York production and company headed by Tyrone Power. The seat sale will open on Wednesday morning.



FLORENCE GEAR.
The Bright Little Actress With "Fluffy Ruffles" on Thursday.

Big Minstrel Show.

Perhaps there is nothing that has the same attention and interest as an amateur minstrel show. The end men, with their tambo and bones—the middle man—the soloist, and then the after pieces—and all this is being looked after by the Young Liberals at Hyman Hall. The big chorus is rapidly winding into shape, and the bone and tambo stunts that the gentlemen are going through nightly promise to eclipse anything in the amateur line seen in this city. Mr. Somerville, with his committee, is busy getting everything into shape for the big show, which will be put on at the Grand Opera House for two nights—Thursday and Friday, April 14 and 15.

The last week of Lent will be marked by two Shubert premieres. On March 26 the Shuberts will produce "Madame Troubadour," a German operetta by Albini and Joseph Herbert, and "Lulu's Husbands," a French adaptation by Thompson Buchanan.

It is seldom that a musical play contains the names of so many well-known actors and actresses as is the case with with "The Jolly Bachelors," which is now playing at the Broadway Theatre, New York.

Nora Bayes is the young lady who has made "Has Anybody Here Seen Kelly?" famous. With her husband, Jack Norworth, she recently came into considerable prominence on account of an injunction which was issued against her, preventing her from appearing under any management other than that of Flo. Ziegfeld. Miss Bayes is so well known on Broadway that to see her name on the electric sign is like running across your own name in an unexpected place.

Elizabeth Brice has been featured in such productions as "The Social Whirl," "The Motor Girl," and "The Mimic World." Formerly she was a reporter on an Ohio Newspaper.

Stella Mayhew has been starred in a number of musical productions, notably "The Show Girl." She is noted as a clever delineator of coon characters. Off stage she answers to the name of Mrs. Billie Taylor. "Billie," by the way, is a piano player of no mean ability. He, also, is with Miss Mayhew in "The Jolly Bachelors."

Josie Sadler is best remembered as the creator of the famous character, "Wild Rosie," in "Prince Pro Tem." More recently she was the singer of the famous "Hennie" song in "Peggy from Paris."

Topsy Siegrist was leading soubrette in Lew Field's "The Girl behind the Counter." She is English and is very popular both here and abroad.

Nellie Lynch is an acrobatic dancer of vaudeville fame.

Al. Leech was the star of "Girls Will Be Girls" for several seasons. More recently he has been seen in vaudeville with his "Three Rosebuds." Twenty years ago Leech was doing a monologue in a variety theatre in 'Frisco.

Walter Percival is considered one of the best light operatic baritones on the stage. He was leading man of "The Golden Butterfly" last season.

Lionel Walsh, who comes from London, is perhaps one of the most likeable actors who portray the English dandy. He played a season with Elsie Janis in "The Hoyden."

Robert Dailey is the brother of the late Pete Dailey, and has been featured in a number of musical productions.

Nat Fields is Lew Fields' brother. He has been playing in vaudeville and burlesque.

While there is no similarity between "Lulu's Husbands" and "The Blue Mouse," as far as the story is concerned, it is an odd fact that Mabel Barrison, who created the role of "Paulette Divine" in the latter farce is to play the role of an actress in the former. Lulu Rogers is to be the name of the stage lady. It will be remembered that "Paulette Divine" advertised a public auction of the effects of her "Inner-apartments," doing so to arouse public interest.

"Miss Rogers," inspired by a similar mental perversity, advertises for husband, planning to "shake him" at the very moment they reach the altar. It is this wholesale matrimonial angling that draws the actress into the complications necessary to the life of the comedy and catches on her hook a Dr. Morrison (Harry Connor), who is the ideal incarnation of the un-loved husband waiting for the first call of the lobster palace. Miss Barrison and Mr. Connor have been fortunately cast, and while the burden of the fun does not entirely rest with them it may be surmised that the director has made no mistake in allotting the centre of the stage to these two farceurs.

The Whitney Opera Company has secured the American rights to "Baron Trenck," the latest opera by Albert Albini, composer of "Madame Troubadour." Constantino, the tenor, is said to have been secured for the title role.

Laurence Irving, who concludes his tour in "The Affinity" next week in Brooklyn, will shortly produce another comedy by Eugene Brieux.

Fanchon Campbell, recently with George Fawcett in "The Great John Ganton," is in the cast of "Lulu's Husbands."

Hattie Williams in "The Girl He Couldn't Leave Behind Him," is delighting large audiences at the Garrick. She was never more delightful than as this beautiful and high-spirited Spanish dancer, Lola Cornero.

The horseshoe scene in "The Arcadians" is done so realistically that night after night the crowded audiences at the Liberty Theatre turn around to watch the imaginary thoroughbreds which the actors see at the back of the house.

Cyril Maude's daughter, Margery, made her debut as an actress in the recent London opening of Charles Frohman's presentation of "The Toymaker of Nuremburg" at his Repertory Theatre. She scored an instantaneous success, and great things are predicted for her.

Ethel Barrymore's continuing success in "Mid-Channel," has led to the further extension of her engagement at the Empire Theatre from April 1st to April 23rd.

Francis Wilson is receiving inquiries about his tame flying fish, "Jane." His leading lady in "The Bachelor's Baby," Baby Davis, aged 7, wants to know where he keeps it.

The success of "The Toymaker of Nuremberg," in Charles Frohman's London Repertory Theatre, is another triumph for the American playwright. The author is Austin Strong, Robert Louis Stevenson's step-grandson.

Scene and Waltz from the "MERRY WIDOW



AT THE GRAND MONDAY EVENING.



SCENE BETWEEN THE THREE BROTHERS IN THE INTERESTING PLAY, "THE SERVANT IN THE HOUSE," TO BE PRESENTED NEXT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY AT THE GRAND.

GOVERNMENT HOLDS

(Continued From Page Eleven.)

powers—I do not see why the home secretary should laugh."

Mr. Churchill—I was admiring the noble lord's condemnation of the use of obsolete powers. (Cheers and laughter.)

Lord Hugh Cecil, continuing, said that the Government were threatening to throw the whole fabric of Government into chaos in order to carry out a party game. It was the most unscrupulous (laughter), the most unconstitutional course any body of men had played in the parliamentary history of England. (Laughter and cheers.)

Mr. Lloyd George—The noble lord is very fond of delivering lectures to individual members of this House and to ministers. In this instance he seems to be under the impression that the constitution began in 1896. What is all this fuss about? We are charged with evasion, chicanery, and backstairs methods, and with something else that is too ugly for publication. (Laughter.) This because we have reverted to the practice which Lord Salisbury, in the Government of 1886, practiced for six years. (Cheers.)

Lord Hugh Cecil—Under different conditions. (Laughter.)

Chancellor Amazed.

Mr. Lloyd George—Was Lord Salisbury guilty of evasion, chicanery, and things not fit for publication because he asked for a vote on account for a few weeks instead of for four or five months? (Laughter and cheers.) Remember, supply is the great weapon the House of Commons possesses in controlling the executive. I am amazed at the attitude of the Opposition. All we are proposing is to give the Opposition the power in two months' time to obtain an expression of the opinion of the House of Commons upon the conduct and policy of the ministry, and because we are adding to their opportunities we are guilty of some backstairs methods. (Laughter and cheers.) What is the difference really between the two parties? The noble lord and his friends want to get on without the financial control of the House of Commons. (Cheers, and cries of "No.") We want to get on without the financial interference of the House of Lords. (Loud cheers.) We are limiting the amount we vote to the cash we have in hand. That is not a backstairs proceeding. It is what is done by many business firms.

In the course of the chancellor's finishing remarks.

Mr. F. E. Smith interposed and suggested that the Government feared defeat on the budget, and wished the Opposition to be exposed to difficulties and not themselves.

Mr. Lloyd George—I do not mind saying I think it would be a very good thing if the Opposition had the opportunity of clearing the difficulties they have created. (Loud cheers.)

Mr. Chamberlain said the Government were not contemplating the refusal of supplies to themselves, and therefore they were contemplating a situation in which they would resign and another Government would take office. As another Government would not take office except to dissolve at once, the whole object of the Government was to make it impossible for their successors to appeal to the country without delay, so that with all their brave talk the first thing in the world the Government wanted was to allow the country the opportunity of making its voice heard.

"Make the Foreigner Pay."

Mr. T. P. O'Connor (N., Liverpool, Scotland) expressed astonishment that members who claimed to be constitutionalists should complain that the Government were retaining the control of the House over finance. (Liberal cheers.) Mr. Chamberlain had drawn a terrible picture of the difficulties and the chaos a new Government would have to face. Why, the bigger the deficit the more he ought to rejoice, because the greater would be the opportunity for a tariff reform budget that would "make the foreigner "pay." (Laughter and cheers.)

Mr. Lough (L., Islington, West) heartily congratulated the Chancellor of the Exchequer upon the course which he had taken.

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SIDELIGHTS ON NOTABLE PEOPLE

BY THE MARQUISE DE FONTENOY

Sir Charles Kirkpatrick, whose matrimonial troubles have just been engaging the attention of the divorce court in London, visited both the United States and Canada some five years ago, at the head of the so-called Pilgrim football team, which played a number of matches over there. He is the ninth baronet of his line, is head of the ancient house of Kirkpatrick, of Closeburne, and is, like his father before him, far from rich. Indeed, he has been acting for the past year as private secretary of the friend with whom he went to West Africa on a shooting expedition in November, 1907. I may add that since that time he has abandoned his wife, failing to support her, beside giving her other grounds for complaint.

Closeburne, the ancestral domain of the Kirkpatricks, is no longer in their possession. The royal patent granting the domain of Closeburne, in Dumfriesshire, to Ivone Kirkpatrick, bears the date of 1232, and the signature of Alexander II. of Scotland, while this Kirkpatrick's grandfather's name figures on records still in existence, as witness to a charter granted by King David I. in the middle of the twelfth century. The Kirkpatricks held Closeburne until the middle of last century, when owing to the carelessness of drunken servants, the ancient castle was burned to the ground, all the family papers, portraits and plate being destroyed in the flames.

It is since then that the Kirkpatricks have always been more or less in straitened circumstances, though remaining extremely proud of their lineage. Duplicates of the data relating thereto, are fortunately preserved at the Royal College of Heralds at Edinburgh. Thanks to this, the family was able to disprove the claim of Empress Eugenie's mother, the old Countess de Montijo, who was a Miss Kirkpatrick by birth, to descent from the Kirkpatricks of Closeburne, and was also in a position to show that the genealogical tree and ancestral papers which the empress' grandfather, U. S. Consul Kirkpatrick at Malaga, produced to overcome the objections of the noble family of Montijo, to the marriage of one of its scions to the daughter of a Belfast grocery merchant, were merely fabrications.

Lord Macdonald has taken a rather sensational step in connection with the suit brought against him by Alexander Bosville, of Thorpe Hall, Yorkshire, and which has been dragging through the Scotch courts for several years. Lord Macdonald, whose ancestors bore the title of Lord of the Isles, now one of the dignities of the Prince of Wales, has withdrawn all further defense. The result of this will be to give the victory to Alexander Bosville, the fruits of which are a baronetcy, created in 1625, and, what to a Scotchman is of infinitely greater importance, the chieftainship of the clan of Macdonald. Both of these Lord Macdonald surrenders to Bosville by withdrawing his opposition to the latter's suit. He does not, however, lose his peerage, which, despite its Scottish name, is an Irish one.

Macdonald's abandonment of the case is due to the fact that its cost is altogether ruinous; that he is very far from being a rich man, whereas Bosville is very wealthy, and that while the suit might have dragged along for a number of years more, yet the plaintiff had a very fair chance of winning it.

The entire issue lay in the question of the legitimacy of the elder children of the third Lord Macdonald. The latter had contracted a Gretna Green marriage with Louise La Costa, also known as Louisa Edsir, daughter of George III.'s brother, the Duke of Gloucester, and of the duchess' lady-in-waiting, Lady Almeria Carpenter, daughter of the last Earl of Tyrconnell. Louisa Edsir was brought up at Holyrood Palace as the natural daughter of the duke, that is to say, as a niece of George III., and it was from the palace that she ran off with the third Lord Macdonald to Gretna Green. That the marriage was invalid, owing to Louisa Edsir being a minor at the time, is admitted. Lord and Lady Macdonald had several children, and then, entertaining compunctions about their Gretna Green wedding, decided to go through another full-fledged marriage ceremony, according to the rites of the Church of England. Lord Macdonald seems to have been advised that questions would be raised as to the legitimacy of his elder children, since this Church of England marriage was equivalent to an admission that he did not regard his previous union to Lady Macdonald as valid.

This view was adopted by the family, and accordingly an uncle of Lord Macdonald, Alexander Bosville by name, bequeathed his large fortune, and his very valuable estates in Yorkshire to him, with the distinct stipulation that the entire property should go to the eldest of the peer's sons who did not succeed to the peerage, and to the Scotch estates. When Lord Macdonald died, his eldest son, born prior to the church marriage of his parents, was therefore perfectly satisfied to abandon all claims of succession to the peerage and family honors, and to receive possession of the whole of the Bosville property, assuming the name and the arms of Bosville. His younger brother, Godfrey, born after the church marriage of his parents, became fourth Lord Macdonald, and received the Scotch estates, which, heavily encumbered, produced at the best but little revenue.

Before many years were past, this fourth Lord Macdonald became involved in serious financial difficulties. This was in the middle of the last century. He thereupon commenced an extraordinary suit to establish the legitimacy of his elder brother, not from any motives of affection or friendship, but quite the reverse. For if he could obtain a decree from the courts establishing the legitimacy of his elder brother, then the latter would be obliged to take possession of the barony, the baronetcy and the Scotch estates, including Armidale Castle, on the Isle of Skye, and he would have been compelled at the same time to surrender the Bosville property in Yorkshire to Godfrey. This suit fell through, on the ground that while according to Scotch law the marriage of the third Lord Macdonald and Louisa Edsir might have legitimized their children born prior to the ceremony, it did not do so in the eyes of English or Irish law, and thus was insufficient to enable the fourth Lord Macdonald's elder brother to succeed to the Irish barony of Macdonald. Alexander Bosville, as well as his son and grandson, were left in undisturbed possession of the Bosville property. In fact, they have been in possession of the estates for 60 years, which renders their title thereto absolutely indefeasible.

The present Alexander Bosville, and owner of the Bosville estates in Yorkshire, is the great-grandson of the third Lord Macdonald, and of Louisa Edsir. While he realized that he could not hope to obtain the Irish barony of Macdonald, yet he felt that he had sufficient grounds on which to claim at any rate, the Scotch baronetcy of his great-grandfather, and the chieftainship of the clan of Macdonald. Accordingly he started some three or four years ago an action at law to establish the legitimacy of his grandfather, the point turning on the question as to whether the latter's father was legally domiciled in Scotland, and thus within the jurisdiction of Scotch law. Alexander Bosville managed, not only to furnish very strong evidence in favor of his great-grandfather's Scotch domicile, but also of the circumstance that he and Louisa Edsir lived together in Scotland as man and wife prior to their Church of England marriage.

When all the case had been heard, and both parties were looking for a decision, the presiding judge last fall issued a declaration which was as unsatisfactory to the one party as to the other. For, shorn of its old-fashioned, quaint and almost incomprehensible Scotch legal phraseology, it amounted to this: that his court, namely, the court of session, was not the proper tribunal to deal with questions of legitimacy, and that the only court competent to deal with the matter was that of chancery. So that the whole case would have to be heard over again before another judge. Undismayed by this, Alexander Bosville at once began another action, this time in the chancery court. But Lord Macdonald has thrown up the sponge, on the score of expense, and therefore Alexander Bosville will from henceforth become Sir Alexander Bosville Macdonald, and head of the Macdonald family.

Like Lord Macdonald, Alexander Bosville, the Squire of Thorpe Hall, is a lineal descendant of the lord of the isles of Sir Walter Scott's poem, "The Heir of the Mighty Somerled." Somerled was a real and very independent chieftain, who ruled like a king over the isles, and Argyll, in the twelfth century. His dominions were divided at his death between his two sons, and from them came the lords of the isles, and the Lords of Lorne. The lord of the isles at the time of Robert Bruce was named Angus Og, and was styled the Lord of Innisgal; that is to say, Lord of the Islands of Gael, or the Hebrides. Sir Walter Scott calls him "Ronald," for the poetical reason that his name was prettier. The grandson of Angus was named Donald, and his descendants were called Macdonald.

Young Sir Richard Levinge, who has just married Miss Irene Desmond, of Daly's Theatre, in London, is the tenth holder of the baronetcy bestowed upon his ancestor, Sir Richard Levinge, for his services as lord chief justice of Ireland, and is very well off. Not only does he own extensive estates in Ireland, where he makes his home, at Knockdrin Castle, in County Westmeath, but he has also realized within the past two months a sum of nearly a million dollars by the sale of Bunny Hall, near Nottingham, which was bequeathed to him just before Christmas by Mrs. Wilkinson Smith, widow of a successful lace manufacturer of Nottingham.

Sir Richard was in no way related to Mrs. Wilkinson Smith, indeed he scarcely knew her, and owed his inheritance of Bunny Hall to an odd combination of circumstances. Strictly speaking, it should have gone to Sir Horace Rumbold, the former British ambassador at Vienna, who has been so prolific with his pen and so delightfully indiscreet in his reminiscences since his retirement from the diplomatic service. Originally it belonged to Sir Horace's uncle, the last Lord Rancliffe, who had been a lord in waiting and a boon companion of his godfather, the regent, afterwards George IV., an associate of Byron and a member of that wild crew that scared England with its license and charmed it with its wit and song. Sir Horce, according to his own account, would have inherited Bunny Hall from his uncle had he not offended him during a stay there in 1840 by laming the eccentric old peer's favorite hunter.

Lord Rancliffe left it instead to a woman friend who had been the solace of the eventide of his extremely stormy life. Naturally there was no end of a fuss among the peer's nephews and nieces. One alone of them, James Levinge, whose mother had been the oldest sister of Lord Rancliffe, not only declined to join in the outcry, but even went so far as to express his satisfaction that the lady in question should have received the reward to which she was entitled by her years of devotion to his uncle. She was grateful for this and on her death it was found that while she had given a life interest in the Bunny Hall estate to her niece, the late Mrs. Wilkinson Smith, her will provided that it should subsequently go to the heir of this James Levinge, of whom Sir Richard is the grandson.

Sir Richard is very popular, both in County Westmeath and at Dublin, especially among the hunting set, and makes his home wholly in Ireland, the Parwick Hall estate, in County Derby, which had been in the possession of the family ever since the reign of Queen Elizabeth, having been sold by his father. Sir Richard served for a time in the Eighth Hussars, recently resigning his commission, and his mother, now the Dowager Lady Levinge, is a sister of the late Sir Richard Sutton, who owned the yacht Genesta, which raced the Puritan for the America cup in 1885.

Weston's Great Walking Feats

Veteran's Present Undertaking a Great One.

Seventy-Two Miles on the Eve of His Seventy-Second Birthday the Feature of Coast to Coast Tramp—Notable Doings in Fifty Years of Heel and Toe.

Edward Payson Weston, the veteran walker, is attracting much attention just now principally because it is unusual that a man who has turned 72 years of age should be engaged in a tramp across the continent from California to New York. The veteran left Los Angeles on Feb. 1, and expects to be in New York on May 17, but as he is more than a week ahead of the schedule, he may be there sooner. On Monday, March 14, he celebrated the eve of his 72nd birthday with a walk of 72 miles. Weston started out with the avowed intention of doing the "ocean to ocean" walk in 90 days.

During his long career, which extends over half a century, Weston has been the great American apostle of walking. He has been in all manner of heel-and-toe contests, and it is calculated that in the period of 42 years he has covered in public a distance equal to three times the circumference of the earth.

Weston first saw the light in Providence, R. I., on March 15, 1839. As a child he was weak and sickly, which was only natural, as he weighed only 4 pounds 6 ounces at his birth. During his boyhood he showed no promise of athletic ability and only when he got a job as office boy in one of the New York newspapers did it dawn on him that he possessed prowess as a pedestrian. He did some quick travelling here and there for his employers in and around 1858, and this at a time when the street car service was at a snail's gait.

Finally Weston became a reporter and it is told of him that he scored many a "beat" on his rival news gatherers all on account of his fleetness of foot.

All this time Weston was convinced that walking in the open air was a most healthful exercise, and in the early '60s, when there was a vertible outbreak of pedestrianism, Weston was one of the most enthusiastic followers. In 1861 occurred his first important feat, for he walked from Boston to Washington to attend the first inauguration of President Lincoln. The start occurred on Feb. 22, and he reached the capital on March 4, covering 453 miles, the exact walking time being 208 hours.

Weston's real career as a professional began in 1867, when he walked from Portland, Me., to Chicago. It was the toughest sort of a task, for when he undertook it the weather was bad and the roads worse. In June, 1790, occurred his most notorious achievement, for he brought to America the "Astley belt," the trophy emblematic of the world's championship. All his life Weston has had temperate habits, to which he attributes his great vitality even at the present day. Following are some of Weston's walks:

In America.

On Oct. 29, 1867, left Portland, Me., walking to Chicago, a distance of 1,326 miles, in 1 hour 20 minutes less than 26 days.

October, 1868, over an accurately measured road in Westchester County, N. Y., Weston walked 100 miles in 22 hours, 19 minutes and 10 seconds.

In January and February, 1869, Weston walked from Bangor, Me., through New Hampshire and Vermont, over the Green Mountains, through northern and central New York to Buffalo, distance, 1,058 miles, 1,050 miles being over snow—in 30 days.

In May, 1871, at St. Louis, Mo., walked 200 miles, including two miles backward, in 41 hours; that is he walked 50 miles, including one-half mile backward, within ten and a half consecutive hours each day for four successive days.

June 13—At the Empire Rink, New York, Weston accomplished the task of walking 112 miles in 23 hours, 44 minutes, consecutive walking, the first 100 miles of this distance in 21 hours and 1 minute.

June 12 to 16 inclusive—At the Empire Rink, New York, Weston walked 400 miles, including the 112 miles described above, in 4 days, 23 hours and 33 minutes, consecutive.

Oct. 14.—At Macon, Ga., under the auspices of the city government, Weston walked 50 miles in 9 hours, 41 minutes and 38 seconds, consecutive, and then an additional one-half mile backward, completing the whole 50½ miles in 9 hours, 49 minutes and 45 seconds, consecutive, without a rest.

May 11, 1874—At American Institute Hall, New York, Weston far exceeded all previous efforts by walking 115 miles in 23 hours, 51 minutes, consecutive, walking the first 100 miles in 20 hours, 38 minutes.

May 11 to 16 inclusive.—At American Institute Hall, New York, Weston walked 430 miles within six consecutive days, including the 115 miles recorded above.

June 17 to 20, inclusive.—In Philadelphia Weston accomplished the unparalleled task of walking 200 miles in 49 hours; that is he walked 50 miles within 10 consecutive hours each day for four consecutive days, each trial being accomplished without a rest. At the conclusion of each 50 miles he also walked an additional one half-mile backward.

Dec. 14, 1874, at Industrial Hall, Newark, N. J., Weston for the second time accomplished the task of walking 115 miles within 24 consecutive hours.

Dec. 14 to 19, 1874, at Industrial Hall, Newark, N. J., Weston accomplished the superhuman task of walking 500 miles in 5 days, 23 hours and 38 minutes, including the 115 miles recorded above.

In January, February and March, 1886, in a contest with Daniel O'Leary in various cities of the United States, Weston covered a distance of 2,500 miles, occupying 12 hours each day, Sundays excepted, for a period of nine weeks, and leading O'Leary two hundred miles.

In December, 1893, at the request of a number of prominent gentlemen, to demonstrate that his great walking feats had not injured his health, and that, though considered aged, he was still vigorous, Weston walked over ice and snow from the Battery in New York to the capitol in Albany, a distance of 160 miles, in 59 hours and 52 minutes.

At the Lexington avenue skating rink, Weston walked a distance of 103 miles in 23 hours and 59 minutes.

On May 23, 1906, at the invitation of 30 prominent medical men, who desired to compare the metabolic condition of a man in his 68th year during prolonged muscular exertion with the condition of the same man in his 32nd year, Weston walked from the city hall in Philadelphia to the Fifth Avenue Hotel, Madison Square, New York, making a distance of 100 miles in 23 hours and 54 minutes. In this task Weston made but one stop between Philadelphia and Jersey City — a sleep of 30 minutes at New Brunswick.

Oc. 29, 1907, Weston started to excel a task he accomplished 40 years previous, in 1867. He walked from Portland, Me., to Chicago, Ill., a distance which developed into 1,345 miles, in 24 days and 19 hours, thus beating his record of 1867 twenty-nine hours.

Between May 25 and June 5, 1908, Weston walked from San Francisco, Cal., to Los Angeles, walking a distance of 512 miles within twelve days.

On the 71st anniversary of his birth, March 15, 1909, Weston undertook to walk a distance of 4,000 miles over a devious route from New York, via Troy, Buffalo, Jamestown, N.Y., Meadville, Pa., Youngstown, Mansfield, Canton and Toledo, Ohio, Chicago and Alton, Ill., St. Louis and Kansas City, Mo., Denver, Col., Laramie and Rawlings, Wyo., Ogden and Sacramento, to San Francisco. For 30 days he was obliged to ecounter tornadoes and blizzards, all coming from the west, so he only accomplished 3,895 miles in 104 days and 7 hours. For the first time in his career he was obliged to walk 2,500 miles of this task following railroad tracks.

In England.

Feb. 8 and 9, 1876, walked 110 miles in 24 consecutive hours, Akricultural Hall, London.

Feb. 16 to 18, 1876, walked 180 miles in 43 consecutive hours, Agricultural Hall.

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March 6 to 11, 1876, walked 450 miles in six days, Agricultural Hall.

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June 19 to 25, 1876, walked 450 miles in 64 days in Edinburgh.

Sept. 25 to 30, 1876, at skating rink, Liverpool, walked 500 miles within 6 consecutive days.

Feb. 12 to 17, 1877, walked 330 miles, including 3 miles backward, in 72 hours, in Edinburgh, doing 55 miles, including one-half mile backward, without a rest, in consecutive hours, each day, of 6 days.

April 2 to 7 in Agricultural Hall, he walked 510 miles in 5 days and 23 hours.

In June in skating rink, Bradford, walked 400 miles within 5 consecutive days. Repeated the same task in Bristol, in Newcastle-on-Tyne, in August, and in Hull, in September.

In January, 1878, at Northumberland cricket grounds, Newcastle-on-Tyne, walked 1,000 miles in 400 consecutive hours without walking on Sundays.

In February, at Deninstown skating rink in Glasgow, Scotland, and in skating rink, Bradford, Yorkford, England, Weston performed the unparalleled feat of walking 1,500 miles in 625 hours, including a special task of walking 400 miles within 5 consecutive days, without walking on Sundays.

At the Agricultural Hall, London, England, June, 1879, Weston won the famous Astley belt, by covering on his feet a distance of 550 miles in 141 hours and 44 minutes, defeating two Englishmen and one other competitor a hundred miles.

From Nov. 21, 1883, to March 15, 1884, under the auspices of the Church of England Temperance Society, Weston walked a distance of 50 miles per day for 100 days without walking on Sundays, making a distance of 5,000 miles, a part of which was covered over the country roads in England. At the close of each day's walk Weston delivered a brief lecture on the subject of "Temperance."

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I have a message of hope and good cheer, of encouragement and inspiration to every suffering woman. I have endured the torture due to female troubles and the consequent despondency and mental agony almost to the point of despair, and I have been restored from this condition to a state of vigorous health, and to the happy, exhilarating frame of mind which accompanies physical well being. This change has been brought about wholly by the use of ORANGE LILY.

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Truro, N. S., April 5, 1909.

Dear Mrs. Currah,—Your very kind letter was received yesterday. In reply to your question about my health, I am thankful to say that I am very well. As I have never given you a statement of my case you may be interested in it.

For several years I have suffered untold agony. This suffering was continuous, but I would have violent attacks every few weeks, each attack lasting several days. The first Sunday in November, I felt the pain increasing and so did not go to prayers. The rest of the family did go, and soon after the forcing down pains seized me and I had to remain on the floor until their return. I was in great pain all night and was very sick for a whole week.

Then Mrs. L. came to see me and told me of your wonderful medicine. I got my husband to send for it right away, as I was too sick to write myself. (My doctor could do nothing for me.) I have used 5 boxes of ORANGE LILY, have had three months of good rest, and am now well, never better in my life. I have not had the old pains since. I often ask my husband if it is myself that is going around and doing my own work. I can scarcely believe it. It brings tears of joy to my eyes. I could shout it to all the world. I cannot speak enough in its praise.

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CREWE AND LANSDOWNE CLASH ON QUESTION OF THE BUDGET

Debate in the House of Lords—Lansdowne Wants to Know Why Budget is Not Sent Up Again and Censures Government—Crewe Says the Lords Are to Blame for Delay and Confusion By Their Rejection of It in November.

The House of Lords met on March 8, at 4:15.

The Marquis of Lansdowne (leader of the Opposition), rose amid cheers to call attention to the delay of the Government in laying before parliament their proposals for raising the revenue necessary for the current year and to ask for information as to the date when those proposals would be known to the House.

"The proceedings, so far as they have taken place up to the present time," Lord Lansdowne proceeded, "seem to me to be proceedings of a kind which are really calculated to create and prolong that very chaos which his majesty's Government anticipated with so much alarm, when we took the step of referring the budget to the people. Of course I am aware that some loss to the taxpayers is inevitable. There will be a loss, I take it, under the head of stamps; there will be a loss, though not a very large one, under the head of land taxes and death duties. I want to know why the Government are trying to add further to the loss which the taxpayers must inevitably sustain owing to the failure of the Government to collect this money. (Opposition cheers.) The singularity of these expedients certainly seems to me to be a fresh illustration of the unfortunate results which are occurring, and which are bound to occur from the procrastination of the Government in proceeding with the budget of last year. The withholding of that budget seems to me to be most unfair to the country, and is certainly most unfair to your lordships' House.

"Throughout the whole of the election campaign, in almost every speech delivered by the adherents of the Government, this statement was put in the forefront—that the first object and aim of the Government was to bring back their budget and force it through the House. The public were told that the budget had been murdered, that John Brown's body was moldering in the ground, but his soul was marching along. We were told the budget would be brought back and driven through—'rammed through,' I think, was the expression—over the heads of this House. We were told it was to come back unaltered, unmodified in the slightest particular; and, unless I am mistaken, the chancellor of the exchequer intimated his conviction that the finance bill would be on the statute book by March 31.

"When we read the gracious speech from the throne, we found in it a statement which appeared to point to nothing else but this, that it was the intention of the Government to place the budget in the front rank and before any other proposal. That was a perfectly intelligible and perfectly justifiable policy on the part of his majesty's ministers. They had appealed to the people, we had appealed to the people, and the question that is now being pushed to the front—the question of the veto of the House of Lords—obviously arose only in the second line; because, if this House was right and rightly interpreted the views of the country in rejecting the budget, then there could be no question of condemning us or of taking exception to the manner in which we had used our right of veto. (Opposition cheers.)

The Veto Question.

"Is there not perhaps this difference between your action and ours; that we held up the budget in order that the people of this country might have an opportunity of expressing their opinion upon it, whereas you, so far as we can understand matters, are holding up the budget in order to prevent the representatives of the people of this country from saying in the proper place what their view of the budget is? (Opposition cheers.) We should like very much to know whether, when we see the budget again, it will be the same budget, or whether you, in your turn, will perform any of those trimming and altering operations which you deprecated so much when we suggested them. Will there be an expurgated edition of the budget for special consumption on the other side of St. George's Channel?

"Above all we should like to know whether, when the budget comes up again, it is to stand or fall on its own merits, or whether its merits are to be confused with the question of the veto of the House of Lords. Are we to see that verdict to which we had looked forward so long confused in such a manner that some of those who support the budget will vote for it because they like it, while others will vote for it in spite of their dislike of it, because they regard it as a means of effecting the object they have in view—I mean the disruption of the United Kingdom? (Opposition cheers.)

"If that is the way in which the issue is to be put, all I can say is that I for one can scarcely regard it as fair fighting. (Opposition cheers.) It may be very slim and very ingenious, but I do not think it is the kind of manoeuvre which will greatly commend itself to the plain people of this country. (Opposition cheers.) Whatever may be thought of it outside the walls of Parliament, I venture to say that such a course would be grievously unfair to this House, which, at all events, has appealed to the people of the country, which is ready to abide by the result of that appeal, and which awaits with impatience the verdict which we have asked the country to give." (Opposition cheers.)

Reply for the Government.

The Earl of Crewe (leader of the House) said the noble marquis seemed to take a more close and intimate interest in these financial questions than did many of his right honorable friends in another place, who, he observed, left these discussions rather to the skirmishers of their party, instead of taking part in them themselves.

"I can assure the noble marquis and the House generally," Lord Crewe continued, "that no question of wounded dignity or amour propre ever crossed our minds in connection with this matter. It is a very much wider and deeper question than that. It is a very great parliamentary question, and to suppose that we should deliberately sacrifice—so far as we are sacrificing, although the extent has been exaggerated—the public funds to any form of wounded pride, either as individuals or as a government is to do us some injustice.

"This action of ours is an indirect consequence of your lordships' action last November. (Opposition laughter.) People must be taken to intend the indirect no less than the direct consequences of their action. On this question of separate bills, I revert to the budget debate of last year. At that time a number of charges of rather a rabid kind were made against us of having introduced tacked matter into the budget. I think I am right in assuming now that those charges are entirely withdrawn? (Opposition cries of "No, no.") Well, I confess that surprises me—(Opposition laughter)—and for this reason, that I understood if the budget comes up to your lordships' House you are going to pass it. (Ministerial cheers.)

"That you should say you are going to pass a bill into an act although it contravenes the old-established rule admitted by us no less than by yourselves against tacking, I confess does cause me some surprise. (Ministerial cheers.) I make you a present of that argument. (Laughter.) What I believe is in your lordships' mind, although you do not admit it, was that the propositions of the budget were curious and novel, and therefore ought to have been introduced in separate bills. That is an entirely different question, but it has a real bearing on the position at this moment, namely, that if you will not find in this House of Commons you may find that another and more subservient one will agree to do anything which involves the splitting up of the budget into different bills; that they think—and I am not at all sure that they are wrong—that your lordships would be very glad to win back that practice which you lost in 1861 of splitting up the financial proposals of the year."

"State of War."

"We have to take up the broad political ground on this matter," Lord Crewe concluded. "We greatly regret the necessity. We should, of course, have greatly preferred it if this House had thought fit to pass the budget and allow matters to proceed in the ordinary course. But as that was not done, it is useless to expect that the other House will abandon the position it has taken up. What would be said by any member of the majority of the House of Commons would be that something like a state of war exists at this moment between the two Houses, and when a state of war exists you may have to blow up some of your bridges, and tear up some of your own line of railway, and those who suffer by that must be prepared to stand that temporary loss. If they are not prepared to do that they had better go over to the enemy. If the country does not support us in taking this action I quite agree that the sooner we go about our business the better—(Opposition cheers)—and we will endeavor to adorn as best we can the private station to which your lordships would like to relegate us. (Laughter.)

"What is the practical issue? No proposition of this kind to bring in one part of the budget, even although it saves a certain amount of money to the country, would have the faintest chance of succeeding in the House of Commons, as it exists at the present moment. Even if the Government were so impressed with the argument of the noble marquis, I do not believe there is one of our supporters would go into the lobby with us. It is one of those occasions on which the chassepots would go off of themselves. Even if we did not go on as a government, and placed our resignation in the hands of his majesty—even then the noble marquis would not, with the present House of Commons, have the faintest chance of bringing about such a measure as he proposes. (Ministerial cheers.) You would not get the majority, and until a new parliament came together the whole matter would still remain subjudice, and the payment of these taxes would be still longer deferred. It is not practical politics to suggest that anything of this kind should be done."

Lord St. Alwyn entirely agreed that the finance bill of each year must be treated as a whole, and as an old chancellor of the exchequer he would certainly never suggest that the Government should bring in a separate bill for the income tax.

The lord chancellor said that the present financial difficulty and its consequences were wholly and solely their lordships' own. (Cheers.)

The House rose at 7 o'clock.

JOBS FOR RICH MEN

Ambassadors, Lord Mayors and Sheriffs Must Be Wealthy.

Dorchester House, which has been the residence of Whitelaw Reid during his residence in London as American Ambassador, is one of the finest private residences in the world and its rent is proportionate to its splendor.

This figure, we believe, says "Pearson's Weekly," is $22,500 a year, or nearly half as much again as the official salary of Mr. Reid's post, which is only $17,500 a year.

This rent is, of course, only the beginning of Mr. Reid's expenses. His entertainments probably cost at least $75,000 a year. He has also taken a very fine country house, West Park, in Bedfordshire, and his splendid week-end parties must run him into a vast expenditure.

It is calculated that no American ambassador to the Court of St. James can possibly keep up his position upon an income of less than $20,000 a year, and this only by paying less than half the rent paid for Dorchester House. Consequently it is impossible for any man who is not extremely wealthy to accept such a position as that which Joseph Choate, John Hay and Whitelaw Reid have filled.

Our own ambassadors are far better paid. Our representative in Paris receives $45,000, and at Constantinople $40,000. The salaries of our ambassadors to Austria, Germany and Russia are the same, but he who goes to Washington only gets $22,500, and, as he is forced to entertain on a great scale, he, too, must be a wealthy man. However, in addition to their salaries, all our ambassadors live rent free. Most of the embassies belong to us, and at St. Petersburg, where we have no house of our own, there is an allowance of $10,000 a year for rent.

A position which none but a rich man can possibly fill is that of Lord Mayor of London. Certainly the city corporation contributes the handsome sum of $50,000 to his expenses during his year of office, but this does not nearly cover the enormous expenditure necessitated by the constant entertainments at the Mansion House.

The cost of the Lord Mayor's show and banquet alone is about $20,000, half of which comes out of the Lord Mayor's own pocket. His other disbursements are placed at $127,000, so that $87,500 is the sum which he is out of pocket. Roughly speaking, this is a year's income on a capital of $2,500,000.

All mayoralities entail much expense upon the holder thereof, and, as a rule, the larger the city the more wealthy must be he who wears the mayoral robes.

In old days sheriffs were elected by their respective counties. But a statute of Edward II. put an end to the practice, and ever since the high sheriffs are chosen by the crown. Each February 3 the lists are submitted to the sovereign, who, with a punch provided for the purpose, pricks off the chosen names.

A sheriff so chosen cannot refuse to serve. If he does he is heavily fined. Yet he gets no salary at all. His duties are many, and comprise attending on the judge who holds the assizes. A high sheriff of Hampshire once forgot the date of the judge's arrival and failed to turn up at the station. For this omission he was fined $1,500.

A general election means endless responsibility and expense for the high sheriff, and he is legally responsible for the carrying out and execution of all judgments and orders of courts of law within his country. His one consolation is that he cannot be compelled to serve a second time.

It is only within the last few years that men without large private incomes have been able to offer themselves for election to the House of Commons, and even today the Labor members must receive a salary from their party in order to enable them to exist as M. P.'s.

The average cost of a contested parliamentary election in England, whether for successful candidates or unsuccessful, works out at 4s 2d per vote, and election expenses are but a tithe of the calls on the purse of a member of Parliament. Subscriptions alone to various objects in their own constituencies run up a yearly total which is usually well into four figures. Although a candidate for parliamentary honors need not be a millionaire, he must certainly be a wealthy man.

ACCOMMODATIONS FOR SMOKERS

A "smokers' pavilion" attached to a church is somewhat of a novelty in the British dominions. A recent visitor to Kaigoorlie, the famous western Australian goldfield, made and proclaimed this discovery. It seems that in the early years of the goldfield there were many diggers dwelling in tents who never burdened themselves with Sunday clothes, and consequently never bothered about going to church.

Anxious to attract this class, the minister of the Congregational Church fitted up an open air inclosure in which the men could listen to the services in free and easy fashion without being embarrassed with the formalities of indoor worship. A large archway was opened up in the side of the church facing the inclosure, and the pulpit was so placed that the preacher could be heard by both congregations. The idea was successful and the "smokers' pavilion" (the occupants of the open air inclosure exercised the privilege of smoking during the sermon) became a popular Sunday resort.

GREAT MEN'S WIVES FACTORS IN SUCCESS

Mrs. Disraeli and Mrs. Gladstone Notable Examples.

It is a significant fact that almost all men who have risen to great eminence have been happily married, and how much their work owes to their wives' influence few can guess. How much did England owe, for instance, to Mrs. Gladstone for her unswerving care and tender watchfulness, which was undoubtedly instrumental in prolonging the life of the great statesman?

Lord Beaconsfield, Gladstone's great rival, also owed a tremendous debt of gratitude to his wife, whose thoughtfulness for her husband comes out in the following incident: One evening, when she drove with her husband to the House on the occasion of one of his great speeches, her finger was jammed by the carriage door just as Disraeli was leaving her. She concealed the fact, however, for fear of distracting his mind from his speech, though the pain was so severe that, when he had gone, she fainted. A man's wife is, in fact, the greatest factor in his success in life. She makes or mars her husband's career in a thousand unconscious ways. Perhaps her brilliant social gifts and accomplishments may be the means of bringing the talents of a shy and retiring husband into prominence, as in the case of Lord and Lady Eldon.

When Lord Eldon received the great seal from George III. the king remarked, "Give my remembrance to Lady Eldon." The lord chancellor naturally looked surprised, and the king added, impatiently, "Yes, yes, I know how much I owe to Lady Eldon. I know that you would yourself have been a country curate, and that it is she who has made you lord chancellor."

BIRTH SHRINKAGE IN SUNNY FRANCE

Will Soon Rank Lowest Among Greater Powers.

Charles Turquot contributes to the Parisian monthly Je Sais Tout some striking figures on the birth shrinkage in France.

During the last five years for which statistics are available, France's population only increased by 336,000, while Germany's rose 4,000,000. The writer puts it this way:

"As the average population of a French department is 447,815 Germany has added in one quinquennium to her population a number equalling that of nine French departments while France has only gained the population of a moderate sized town."

According to the writer Field Marshal Von Moltke spoke the bitter truth when he said that "the French lose a battle every day. At the present rate of decline France will occupy in 1950 the lowest place among the greater powers.

In 1870 France's military resources were about equal to those of United Germany, but in 1911 Germany can put into the field twice as many men as France. And yet the soil of France is as rich as anywhere in Europe.

To give a few examples, the births during the last six months in the smiling Cote d'Or department were 2,843 and the deaths 3,959. In the Yonne department the figures were respectively 2,382 and 3,627. These numbers tell their own tale of depopulation.

Neither do Frenchmen emigrate. On the contrary immigration is on the increase, and at present there is in France one foreigner to every thirty-eight native Frenchmen. The average mortality rates in France are lower than those of Germany, Austria and Italy, yet the three last named countries grow in population while France decreases owing to her low birth rate, which is now in proportion of 2 to 3 compared with its neighbors.

The writer suggests no new remedy except that he blames the average French parents for excessive anxiety to leave their limited progeny well provided for. If, he says, French fathers were more willing to make their sons take their chances in the struggle for life it would put more backbone into the French nation.

WOMAN'S ATHLETIC PROGRESS.

A time is foreseen by Harvard's physical director when women, as a result of their devotion to athletics, will overtake man in physical development. By grace of tennis, golf, horseback riding, swimming and through gymnasium training young women who have leisure for such pursuits have greatly improved their physique within a generation. Yet the progress made, Dr. Sargent thinks, is only the beginning. Fashion, freedom from worry and other causes are all helping a development which will eventually make woman man's physical equal, if not his superior.

It is not to be forgotten that woman is fast becoming man's equal in business and politics, as well as his partner in athletic sports, and that she may be expected to assume her share of the cares and worries from which she is now free and which retard physical growth. There are other considerations. It has not been shown that a girlhood given to strenuous athletics is conducive to good looks in middle life or that an uncorseted outdoor existence fosters the desired symmetry of outline in the matron. Fashion may yet interpose objections. It is not impossible that a regulation of feminine college sports in the interest of scholarship and class standing may be enforced as the result of masculine agitation for an equality of the sexes in sport. But these considerations are beside the question. Given woman's attainment of physical superiority, will she temper her rule with mercy? Will she love, comfort and cherish him in return for centuries of masculine chivalry while her sex remained subject? Or will she emphasize man's inferiority, as in the case of the lower orders of life in which the female dominates?—From the New York World.

"DAD, HERE'S TO YOU."

We happened in a home the other night, and over the parlor door saw the legend worked in letters of red, "What is Home Without Mother?" Across the room was another brief, "God Bless Our Home."

Now, what's the matter with "God Bless Our Dad?" He gets up early, lights the fire boils an egg and wipes off the dew of the dawn with his boots, while many a mother is sleeping. He makes the weekly handout for the butcher, the grocer, the milkman and baker, and his pile is badly worn before he has been home an hour.

If there is a noise during the night dad is kicked in the back and made to go go down stairs to find the burglar and kill him. Mother darns the socks, but dad bought the socks in the first place, and the needles and the yarn afterward. Mother does up the fruit; well, dad bought it all, and jars and sugar cost like the mischief.

Dad buys the chickens for the Sunday dinner, carves them himself and draws the neck from the ruins after every one else is served. "What is Home Without a Mother?" Yes, that is all right; but what is home without a father. Ten chances to one it's a boarding house, father is under a slab and the landlady is the widow. Dad, here's to you—you've got your faults—you may have lots of 'em—but you're all right, and we will miss you when you're gone.

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Kidney Cure Liquid

Liniments and Plasters:
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Liniment, White

Liniments and Plasters: (Continued)
Mosquito Oil
Plasters
Witch Hazel, Distilled

Ointments and Salves:
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Healing Salve
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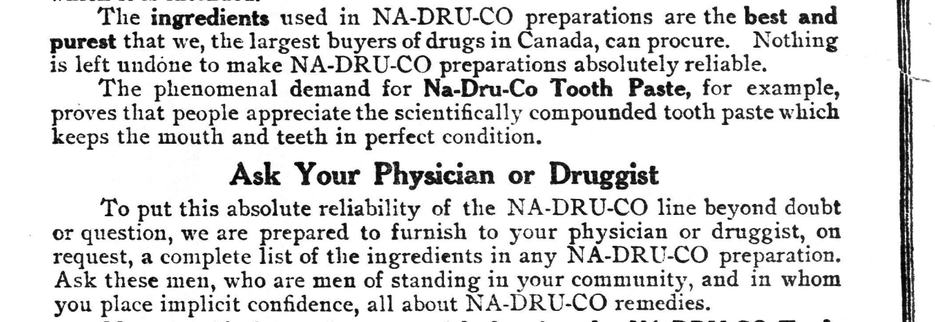
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Bournville, the Garden City—"The Most Perfect Place I Have Ever Seen," Says an American—Port Sunlight and Letchworth Also Described.

"The most perfect city I have ever seen or heard of is the famous garden city of Bournville, a suburb of Birmingham, England," says a writer in Country Life in America. "I was simply transported by the healthfulness, happiness and beauty of the place, and I believe it gives the people more for their money than any other city on earth. Any one who has cherished some noble vision of a glorified humanity would be intensely interested to see Bournville, for part of Bellamy's 'Looking Backward' is here realized.

"Can you imagine yourself living four miles from a city the size of Pittsburg in a suburban town of about 5,000 inhabitants, where there are no saloons and never can be any slums, noise, dirt, crowding, factory smells, billboards or streets torn up for gas, lighting or sewers? Wouldn't you like a chance to play golf, tennis, cricket, bowls or hockey under ideal circumstances at a cost of a few cents a day?

"Would you be satisfied with the social life of a community that has splendid schools, churches, baths, gymnasium, meeting house, and one-tenth of its whole area given up to parks and playgrounds? Wouldn't you feel safer in a city where the national birth rate has been doubled and the death rate cut in two? And what would you say to a handsome brick house of seven rooms and a bath, with an eighth of an acre already planted with fruit trees, vines and lawn, at the rental of $12.50 a month?

"How can such superb opportunities be given at so low a cost? There are three ways, each of which is exemplified by a different garden city in England. The first is the plan of Lever Bros., soap manufacturers, who built Port Sunlight, a suburb of Liverpool, at a cost of $1,700,000. It is the most beautiful of all, has the greatest variety of buildings for social purposes, and the cheapest rents, but it has two serious drawbacks.

"First, the social life of a community having only one interest is not as healthy as that of a mixed community. The renters at Port Sunlight are all employees of the same factory, and the magnificent social features provided for their comfort and pleasure are not used as much as they ought to be. Second, the city has never paid its makers any direct dividend, although it is practically self-supporting. The Levers firmly believe that they have received an ample financial return in the increased efficiency of their employees.

"But we cannot expect that the city life of the world will be revolutionized by kind-hearted manufacturers. Port Sunlight is superb, but its plan implies too great an investment for the ordinary manufacture, and the returns are too indirect to appeal to the average business man. Both of these defects are remedied in the plan of Bournville, which was founded by George Cadbury, the cocoa manufacturer.

"In the first place only 42 per cent. of the renters at Bournville are employees of the factory. The others came from anywhere and everywhere, and many of them spend their days in Birmingham. Consequently the social life is that of a normal, mixed community—not merely industrial or suburban.

"In the second place Bournville really pays. The city's chief source of income is rent. Everybody pays eight per cent. on the investment actually made in his home and lot. The city's income doubles every five years (it is now fifteen years old), and in fifty years at this rate it will have an annual income of about $5,000,000. And since it will never have to pay back Mr. Cadbury's gift of about $775,000, the city will have a large sum available for building other cities like Bournville.

"The most important idea in all these garden cities is that represented by Letchworth, a suburb of London, thirty-four miles north of the metropolis, but reached by the best trains in less than an hour for. Letchworth has shown how we may build cities fully up to the Bournville standard without depending on gifts. When I saw Letchworth in 1908 the city was less than five years old. Yet it had a population of 6,000 and there were twenty-one factories. It comprises 3,818 acres, 2,500 of them, or 65 per cent., being perpetually reserved for an agricultural belt.

"Thus the people of Letchworth will always be sure of a broad country scene, even if London should build up solidly around it. Moreover, they will receive profits from this land because it will be rented to market gardeners and dairymen. This is in addition to the regular park system, for 200 acres are devoted to public parks and playgrounds, including an 18 hole golf course.

"Letchworth can never be crowded. The population is limited to 35,000, an average of nine persons to the acre for the whole tract, or twenty-three per acre for the town site. Twelve families to the acre is the maximum, and even in this case every family has a lot equal to 36.3x100 feet, which gives the poorest residents a fair sized garden and is 45 per cent better than the typical city lot of New York.

"Another excellent feature is the arrangement of the factory quarter. This is located as far as possible from the residence quarter, and the prevailing wind carries what little smoke there is away from the houses. The factories mostly use electric power from a central plant, which is equipped with a smoke consumer. The whole factory quarter is screened by a hill and a belt of trees.

"But the greatest feature of all is that the inhabitants of Letchworth will get practically all of the collectively earned increment. Few people realize how quickly this counts up. Simply by moving to Letchworth and living there 6,000 people created in four years and a half a net increase of half a million dollars!

"All of this profit ordinarily goes to real estate speculators, but eventually the people of Letchworth will get back 95 per cent. of it in the form of reduced taxes. The other five per cent. goes to the company which finances the whole enterprise. The First Garden City Company, which differs from an ordinary joint stock company only in being limited to a five per cent. cumulative dividend on the capital invested. The shares were placed at $25 each in order to give working men a chance to subscribe.

"This company has a capital of $1,500,000, but it is not all paid in and the company had all it could do to buy the land at its agricultural value, make eight miles of new roads, ten miles of sewers, ten miles of gas mains and sixteen miles of water mains, besides constructing a reservoir, gas works and electric power plant. The company did not have enough money to build houses, so the people build their own homes on a cooperative plan which is somewhat like our building and loan associations. Thus the company's chief source of income is ground rent, which ranges from $20 to $30 a year for a quarter acre in the residence section and from $5.25 to $9 a year an acre in the agricultural belt.

"The biggest horticultural fact about these wonderful cities is that gardening is the most productive of all outdoor hobbies and one of the most efficient enemies of the saloon ever devised. As to its productiveness, consider the case of Henry Vincent, of Brighton, who made a profit of $300 from vegetables on an allotment garden of half an acre. He did this without chemical fertilizers on a land which thirteen years ago had nothing on it but stones and chalk—not three inches of soil. Vincent's other duties occupied him very long hours, yet by working from four to eight o'clock mornings he spent 832 hours altogether on gardening during the year, making 36 cents an hour, which is very good pay in England.

"In other words, market gardening will easily produce anywhere from five to ten times as much as ordinary farming. This was well shown by a gardening contest at Bournville, in which nineteen gardens took part. These gardens, which averaged 3,700 square feet (the same as 37x100 feet), produced vegetables and fruit worth $23.45 each, which is at the rate of $278.25 an acre. Yet the total yield from seventy-seven of the acres where Bournville now stands was less than $25 an acre in the days of ordinary farming. So that these seventy-seven acres for which a record has been kept not only house under ideal conditions a population of nearly 2,000 people, but they also produce more than six times as much profit under home gardening as they did under general farming.

"The saloon and its attendant evils are unknown at Bournville. None can be established without the written consent of every trustee, and the trustees are bound to suppress saloons altogether unless such suppression leads to greater evils. They have the right to revoke licenses and to prescribe the hours of ale of intoxicating liquors, the quantities and all other features of the business. Moreover, all the net profits must go to counter attractions.

"At Bournville the Village Trust lays out the flower beds in the front yard, but if the tenant does not like the plan he may change it. At Letchworth plants are sold by regular nurserymen at regular rates, but Bournville gives its tenants a chance to buy plants, seeds and bulbs at reduced rates. I doubt if there is any place in the world where the gardens are uniformly as good as at Bournville.

"One great reason for this is that gardening is compulsory. There is a clause in every contract which says that every tenant must keep his place up to a certain standard of neatness and beauty. This is no hardship, for if a man is too sick or busy to dig his garden he can have this or any other garden work done for him cheaply. In the whole history of Bournville only two gardens have been neglected. No tenant will neglect his place when he knows that there are 100 applicants for houses on the waiting list all the time."

A GREAT SCOTTISH PREACHER

DR. JOHN HUNTER

From T. P.'s Weekly.

A Scottish theological professor, not remarkable for his eminence as a preacher, used to give his class each year a lecture on the qualifications of the popular preacher. And, as the quaint little figure sat in his chair three qualifications were: Something to say, an agreeable personality, and a pleasant voice. If these are the essentials, then some preachers have become great in spite of the lack of two of them. John Hunter—titles, degrees, and all such things become sheer lumber when you are speaking of real eminence—has certainly something to say. But as the short figure with drooping shoulders and clean-shaven round face, enters the pulpit and almost snarls out the first few paragraphs of his sermon at a rate that is the test and despair of the reporter, you wonder if this can be the man of whom you have heard so much.

A Great Preacher.

For Hunter is a man who has proved his power wherever he has gone. He was born in Aberdeen sixty years ago, and had all his own way to fight. He had absolutely nothing to back him except a godly home, and his own diligence and independence. He was educated in his native city, and received his theological training in the Congregational College in Birmingham. When he began his ministry in York he was only twenty-two years old, but from the first it was clear that a great preacher had arisen. A cathedral city, such as York, is hardly the place where a dissenting minister would be expected to make a great name for himself. All the social influences are against him. But with Hunter these things were as though they were not. The people of York realized that in this young preacher there was that rare and indefinable thing, spiritual power. After eleven years in York he accepted an invitation to Hull, where he remained five years. He then moved on to Glasgow, and in Trinity Church there he has exercised a splendid influence for nearly thirty years, broken only by his mistaken move to the King's Weigh House Chapel in London, in 1901. This was a mere episode. Hunter was too old to transplant. A London audience was not prepared to listen to these elaborate disquisitions lasting sometimes an hour. Such things require a northern training. His congregation in Glasgow welcomed him back again.

His Appeal to Men.

Hunter's great influence has been over young men at that critical stage when they are beginning to think and discovering that a man's faith cannot be of the same special color as his grandmother's, as Henry Drummond used to say. A youth went up to the university from a rigorous religious atmosphere, and he found himself completely upset by Edward Caird. The immediate effect of Caird's teaching was that everything that had been rested upon seemed to go. This was not its permanent result, but, for the time, it removed the foundations. The first shock of unsettlement was overwhelming. It was to men in this time of storm and stress that Hunter appealed. They found in him, too, a rebel against the received theology. He made no claim to have come to definite theological moorings. There was never a sermon in which some accepted belief, or, rather, some conventional statement of a belief, was not attacked with a vigor that was enthralling. But even when he was most negative, and when men came away in not a little perplexity as to where he himself stood among the various schools of thought, there was the intense moral glow. If there was theological haziness there was never any dubiety as to the teaching on the practical issues of life. Whatever the spiritual things may mean to a man in the after years, there is a period when the moral teaching cannot err on the side of directness. Hunter knew this, and he spoke with the intensity of a prophet about things that needed no exegesis. In his evening service he made a deliberate attempt to capture this type of man—the inquiring, earnest, shaken man. In writing about it now one seems to be describing a commonplace. But when Hunter began he had the field to himself. He never asked himself whether a subject was Biblical or not; the only question was as to whether it represented a living issue. The writer will never forget a course of Sunday evening lectures that Hunter gave on "Leaders of the Broad Church Movement in Scotland." The subjects were Edward Irving, McLeod Campbell, Erskine of Linlathian, Norman Macleod, and Bishop Ewing. These lectures were the unfolding of a new world. They opened up the field of religious biography. Probably Hunter has forgotten all about these Sunday evenings; but one man, at all events, can never forget the lecture on Edward Irving, the passionate attack on a literalist and crippling view of Scripture, the summing up of the whole noble and pathetic story in the words shot from the pulpit, "the letter killed him."

Literature in the Pulpit.

The criticism often passed upon Hunter that he is a literary man rather than a theologian is probably true. It is no reproach. Theologians are not uncommon; they are not invariably inspiring. But Hunter has been nothing if not inspiring. He has been to his day an interpreter of the thought of his day. He is a splendidly-equipped student of English literature, but he has been a reader of it—pace Swinburne—with his pulpit always in his view. When he first came to Scotland any use in the pulpit of current literature was a novelty. You might utilize the Canaanites or the Sadducees—but you were not supposed to speak of Newman and the Oxford movement, of Maurice and Kingsley, of Tennyson and Browning. But these were the men who set Hunter's mind working; they were the inmates of his study; and he brought forward these forces of the day to make the day better understand itself. All this involved work. The suspicion that a good deal of preaching was a form of words, theologically unquestionable, but practically null, had had a good deal to do with pews devoid of young men. But Hunter worked. He could read his sermons in an hour. Any other man would have required two! They were packed with matter drawn from an infinite variety of sources. You might agree with Hunter or not. You might find after some years of his teaching that you wanted something more positive. But you honored this man not only for his eloquence, but for his faithfulness. He lived for his pulpit. He absolutely refused to allow his time to be frittered away in running about to endless little religious meetings, or in playing the tame cat at afternoon tea parties. He was shy, aloof, invisible, determined, unwearied. He knew himself to be a preacher, not a society man. To his preaching he has devoted himself, with results that draw out to him the affection of men and women of whose existence he has never heard. But for such, years have not dimmed the impression of the day on which he castigated their particular sin and poured scorn on their indolence, or told them to go home, and read some book that has since become a portion of their existence.

The Message.

No notice of Hunter would be complete which failed to draw attention to the interest he has taken in securing a reverent and beautiful service. Somehow or other, since the days of John Knox piety and plainness have been associated in Scottish religion. Hunter believes in the accessories of worship. He wishes to appeal to the soul by as many avenues as possible, not merely by the gateways of conscience and intellect. He has shown in his own church how beautiful Nonconformist worship may be made, and his "Hymns of Faith and Life" and "Devotional Services" are no small addition to this kind of literature. But it is in his preaching that his power lies. It may be that the taste of today is passing away from the very elaborate and ornate form of discourse, literary in its conception and finish, and delivered with the greatest care. The idea of preaching as good religious conversation is spreading, and rendering already a little old-fashioned the giants of the more elaborate methods. But Hunter's enthusiasm grows no older. Forty years ago, when he began his ministry, he filled his church with the kind of youth who carried "Sartor" about with him in his breast-pocket. "Sartor" now, to our great loss, sits untroubled upon the top shelf. But the young man in revolt is ever with us, and to him Hunter still ministers, proclaiming to him that he think hard and fearlessly and truly and keep his life unspotted from the world. And of that message we cannot have too much.

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Even the most robust find the winter months trying to their health. Confinement indoors in often overheated and nearly always badly ventilated rooms—in the home, the office, the shops and the school—taxes the vitality of even the strongest. The blood becomes thin and watery, or clogged with impurities. Sometimes you get up in the morning just as tired as when you went to bed. Some people have headaches and a feeling of languor; others are low spirited and nervous; still others have pimples and skin eruptions. These are all spring symptoms that the blood is out of order. Many people rush to purgative medicines in the spring. This is a mistake. You can't cure these troubles with a medicine which gallops through your system, and is sure to leave you weaker still. What you need to give you health and strength in the spring is a tonic medicine and the one always reliable tonic and blood-builder is Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. These pills not only banish spring ills, but guard you against the more serious ailments that follow, such as anaemia, nervous debility, indigestion, rheumatism, and other diseases due to bad blood. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills actually make new, rich blood which strengthens every nerve, every organ and every part of the body. Try this medicine this spring and you will have strength and energy to resist the torrid heat of the coming summer.

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German Police Run the People

"It Is Forbidden" the National Motto—Anyone Who Hires a Servant Must Tell All About Her.

Someone has said that in Germany it takes one-half of the nation to control the other. Certainly no foreigner visits the country without being struck by the immense numbers of the police and the innumerable regulations they have put in force. "Verboten" (it is forbidden) seems almost the national motto of Germany. In a twenty-minutes' walk in a Berlin park you can count at least 50 notice boards, all forbidding something or other.

You would find, for instance, that you cannot sit down on any seat you like. Some seats are marked "For Children," some "For Nurses and Children Only," others "For Adults Only." There are separate paths for cyclists, pedestrians, riders, light vehicles and heavy vehicles, for children, and for ladies walking alone.

There are notices forbidding people to walk on the grass, and others forbidding dogs to walk on the grass. The German dog is said to be so thoroughly accustomed to obeying police regulations that any dog found on the grass is bound to be a foreign dog.

The German policeman carries a small library of books inside his blouse. He has to make innumerable inquiries and reports. No one in Germany can engage a servant without supplying the police with particulars as to her name, her age, her nationality, the color of her hair, her complexion, the state of her teeth, the period she is engaged for and many other points.

She, too, has also to send in a report. Another report has to be given when she is dismissed, telling where she is going, and giving all the personal details over again.

When a householder changes his place of residence the police have to be informed of his income, his future abode, the number of his family and other things, to use the hallowed phrase, too numerous to mention. When a foreigner comes to a German hotel or takes a house he soon finds a policeman swooping down on him, pulling out a little book, and insisting on a full confession.

In Germany one is forbidden to leave the front door unlocked, to hang a bed out of the window, to play the piano after 11, to cross a bridge on the wrong side, to "rumble about in droves after dark," to shoot with crossbows or blowpipes in the streets.

You must not break bottles or jugs in the streets, too. If they do get broken, you must not leave the pieces anywhere. Whether you are to pick up the pieces and carry them away with you the regulations do not say. You must not leave them there and must not put them anywhere else.

But usually the regulations are very precise. Bulldogs and other large dogs must always make their public appearances in muzzles and be led by a lease not longer than sixteen inches, and they must not walk on the pavement, but in the street. If your dog barks in the street after 10, a policeman runs up, shouting, "That—dog—must—not—bark!" If your children are making a noise in the street he soon lets you know of that, too. Waitresses must not chat with customers. Their skirts must be of a certain length and their collars of a certain height.

Your clothes must be seemly. In Berlin not long ago a Highlander set out for a party in full Highland evening dress.

He met the inevitable policeman. To the question: "What are you doing in those clothes?" he returned the answer, "Wearing them."

"Why?" The German policeman always asks "Why?"

"To keep myself warm."

In the end the Highlander was escorted back to his hotel in a closed carriage. It needed the British ambassador to persuade the police that there is a country in which Highland dress is not regarded as unseemly, and to get the usual fine withheld.

For all these crimes have a definite fine. The water troughs in the streets are marked "For Horses Only." If you mistook them for public baths or fishponds you would not puzzle the police. Every contingency possible and impossible is provided against in the bulky manual of police regulations that every town issues. This manual, by the way, points out precisely what breakages you may compel your servants to pay for and what you may not.

The fines are usually small. Some are as low as 2 cents, while few are higher than $2.25. But there is no worry. You always know exactly what you will have to pay for your fun.

CANADA'S GRAND OLD MEN.

The death of Sir George Drummond, at the age of 80, recalls the fact that a number of the still prominent men in Canadian affairs are past the allotted span of the Psalmist.

Sir Richard Scott, of Ottawa, who is almost as well known as the Parliament Buildings, was born in 1825, and is therefore 85 years of age, and still active. He has been senator for many years, and has been secretary of state for Canada since 1896.

Sir William Christopher Macdonald, of Montreal, is noted for his many donations to educational institutions, particularly to McGill, for his dislike to publicity, and for the unobtrusiveness with which he makes large gifts. He is now in his 80th year.

The Hon. William John Macdonald, who is just 80, is a senator for British Columbia, and has been connected with public affairs in Canada for over 50 years.

Another noted senior is Dr. John George Hodgins, I. S. O., M. A., LL. D., F. R. G. S., librarian and historiographer of the education department of Ontario since 1890, who was born in Dublin, August, 1824.

Sir Aemilius Irving, of Toronto, K. C., one of the most prominent men of the Queen City, is nearly 87 years of age.

Mr. Henry Bate, of Ottawa, who is well known in commercial circles, is also one of the most active veterans. He is well over 80, but has just started for a trip to the Mediterranean and Egypt with his three daughters: Mrs. Lansing Lewis, of Montreal; Mrs. Christie, of Ottawa, and Mrs. Aldous, of Winnipeg. Last summer he brought his three daughters for a visit to England, which he enjoyed immensely.

Sir Henry Strong, of Ottawa, is past 85; and Dr. Fisher, of Montreal, father of the Hon. Sydney Fisher, Dominion Minister of Agriculture.

No mention of Canada's grand old men would be complete without reference to Lord Strathcona, who is youthful at almost 90, and Lord Mount-Stephen, another veteran of splendid energies.

Professor Goldwin Smith, although not a Canadian by birth, is one of the veterans of whom the old country and the new are more than proud.

In the church, Canon Ellegood, of Montreal, is a remarkably active man for his years, which are several past 90.—Canadian Gazette, London, Eng.



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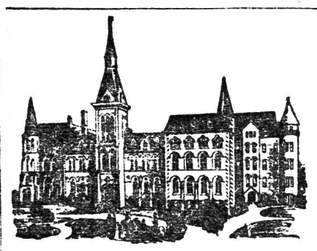
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ENGLAND AND GERMANY; Which Country Is the Dearer to Live In?

By J. Owen, in the Manchester Guardian.

The plain man likes a plain answer to a plain question, and in order to satisfy him truth is sometimes sacrificed to plainness. What could be more simple, apparently than the question: "Is Germany a dearer or a cheaper country to live in than England?" The plain man thinks that facts are facts, and that therefore the answer must be Yes or No; but he forgets that facts without their context are not facts at all. The real complexity of even this simple question of cheapness is appreciated only by the trained student of economics or sociology. 'If prices are higher in Germany," asks the innocent Englishman, "how is it that a three weeks' or even a three months' trip to Germany costs me less than a similar trip to Scotland or the Lake District?" "If England is so prosperous," said a German pianoforte maker to me a few years ago, "how is it that the English buy such a lot of worthless pianos—things we only make for the English market," My answer rather startled him. "Oh," I said, "those cheap pianos are for our artisans and laboring classes. "What," he said, "fur die Arbeiter? ("for the workmen") Klaviere fur die Arbeiter!" ("Pianos for the workmen!") It explained everything. And the answer to the Englishman's question, although less simple, is not less interesting.

For, admitting that the average tourist, and even the temporary sojourner, in Germany spends less actually than he would in England in a similar period, the explanation is to be found in three circumstances. First, the articles upon which he spends money are selected; secondly, he has done without a great many things he would buy as a matter of course while living at home; and, thirdly, in the case of a person living in the country for a longer period, the majority of the things he does buy are of inferior brands.

First, the articles are selected. The chief article is service. Service is undoubtedly cheaper, and our upper and middle classes appreciate that fact at its full value. As an evidence of national prosperity it has another meaning. Food in hotels and restaurants of the kind patronized by Englishmen is cheaper than in similar places in England, but it is not cheaper to buy in the market. The price we pay for the various services required to bring a chop or steak from the butcher's shop to the table accounts for all the difference. Moreover, in the really cheap restaurants in England not frequented by the middle-class Englishman, food—cooked and served—is cheaper than in Germany. The food which the Englishman finds cheap in Germany is "select." Veal, pork, some mutton, sausage, soup, brown bread, the commoner vegetables, and especially potatoes, he can have, I had almost said ad nauseam, for these dishes are so prepared with plentiful grease as to taste pretty much alike. In an excellent "pension" in Jena we English students used to dispute whether what we had eaten was veal or pork or mutton. The newcomers could never quite tell. One of our wits said it didn't much matter what we ordered in the cafes, it was sure to turn out "cutlets" (Schnitzel). If, however, the Englishman wishes to exercise the same choice he exericses at home, if he insists on sirloin of beef, shoulder or saddle of mutton, smoked bacon, not to mention anything beyond what we regard as plain cookery, he will give himself a great deal of trouble; he may not be able to get them at all, and if he does he will have to pay much more for them than at home. It is only by restricting himself to a very narrow sort of diet that he gets food cheaply. Beer gardens and popular music he can have cheap; beef itself not so cheap, but excellent. Wine and cigars he can get more cheaply than in England. But that is because taxes are not levied on luxuries, but rather on necessities.

Now, what does he do without? In the matter of food he almost does without fish in all the inland parts of Germany, and that means two-thirds or more of the whole country. The supply of fruit is astonishingly restricted. Let those who know their own country imagine how much fruit they would get in Germany, and what variety, if they ate only English fruit. Cherries, plums and strawberries are plentiful in the season, but apples and pears are poor and scarce. Oranges and lemons can be had for 1½ to 2½ pence each. Bananas have never been seen in most inland towns. Foreign apples, pears, peaches, pomegranates, dates, figs, tomatoes and so on are luxuries. Let anyone who has used his eyes in visiting Germany say how many fruit shops of the kind we see even in our smallest towns he has noticed in Germany. Compare our "Italian warehouses" with the Kolonialwaarenhandlungen of Germany. As for clothes, I have seldom heard of an Englishman buying clothes (except underwear) in Germany. If he does, he will find he is buying English cloth that has paid duty—and he pays the duty. Although service is cheap, a little service goes a long way, and the house he lives in will be "run" by half the number of servants he is accustomed to see at home. The table linen and bed linen will be less frequently changed. He will have fewer baths; not so many newspaper or books, for books are certainly dearer; not so many flowers, not so many rooms in his house; not such big rooms; not so much fresh air in them, for coal is dearer, and the rooms, being heated by stoves, must be kept closed to retain the heat. He need not do without theatres or music, but these, except the popular music of the beer gardens, are not cheaper than in England.

The third reason of apparent cheapness is that he buys, as a rule, goods of an inferior kind. The middle and upper class Englishman takes a pride in having things good. Now, while it is true that certain articles in which Germany specializes are excellent—for example, pianos, some kinds of glassware, certain scientific instruments—the vast majority of articles of common use are inferior. The reason, of course, is that there is a great demand for cheap kinds of goods and a very limited demand for the best qualities. Compare the furnishing and equipment of a middle-class English house with a middle-class German house. Compare the familiar antique shops in every large town and most small towns in England with their counterparts in Germany. Compare the travelling bags of English travellers with those one sees on the German railways. Compare everything that indicates "style"—everything that has made English fasions, in dress, in hotel life, in domestic life, in amusements, to be imitated—and you will realize that you can live more cheaply only by adopting a lower standard in all such matters.

If an Englishman in Germany will select his goods, do without a great deal, be content with inferior qualities, he will find Germany a cheap country. If he will do the same in England he will find England a cheaper country.—J. Owen.

FUNNY TYPES OF TOURISTS

The Kind You See in Europe—The One Who Boasts.

Philadelphia North American: Truly, the American who infests Europe is a queer bird.

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He is there to see and he stares. He has paid his money, and he thinks it gives him the priviledge of complaining because the foreigners do not see fit to conduct their affairs after the fashion of the home folks.

So it is that the quiet traveller, who happens also to be an American, is astonished at the opinions the Europeans hold regarding his countrymen. But, according to the clever American woman, who here records her impressions, the queer notions of the Europeans are not really queer when the types from which they take their ideas are considered.

The most amusing of all types is, perhaps, the "American who boasts." Of all the sons of freedom who leave Columbia's shores, this is certainly the one who contributes most to the gayety of the nations. Droves of him—and her—invade Europe each year during the tourist season.

When I use the term "boasting" I do not mean a little mild praise of the "homeland" now and then, or a few well-chosen remarks calculated to impress the hearer with our tremendous national prosperity, superiority in commerce, etc. Of course, everybody knows that America is the greatest—but, heavens! I am about to develop into a type myself.

As I was saying, it is not this that I mean, for no one will blame a man for yielding just praise to his "ain countree," but real, downright boasting—no other word will do.

The habit is a very insidious one. It generally begins very mildly, most often on shipboard when the individual complains of the cooking and dining service and compares it unfavorably with certain cafes and restaurants he wots of in his native town. This may be the beginning, but once it gets a good foot-hold in the victim's system it grows and thrives and luxuriates.

This habit, or disease, for it is really a little of both, is not confined to one class, unluckily; because if this were so that particular class of individuals could be excluded from Europe by strict immigration laws in the various countries. No; it ranges through every class and condition of traveling American from the millionaire copper king to the schoolmistress of the female seminary in Massachusetts, and this in varying types of virulency.

The boasting American compares everything he sees with something of the same sort or different in America, to the former's belittlement and the latter's praise, sometimes justly, sometimes unjustly, but always loudly and emphatically.

It used to be inevitable for this type to begin with the custom house formalities of the particular country in which he landed, but lately, under the new regime in New York, having once passed through the hands of Mr. Loeb's minions, even the most enthusiastic of the boasting Americans have very little to say anent the calm and peace of American custom house proceedings as compared with other countries.

This being the case he generally seizes on the railroad that carries him from the seaport to London or Paris, as the case may be, and the comments on and comparisons to the railroads in the lands of trusts and freedom are vitriolic and comprehensive. And I won't say they are not justified, either; for of all the ramshackle, uncomfortable—but, there! I must be more careful or I shall become a type.

The boasting American really thinks himself a true patriot and lover of his country, and he himself believes everything he says—while he is abroad.

He will stand unmoved on the shores of Lake Lucerne, and, in answer to your raptures on that jewel of nature, will say: "Oh, yes, a very nice bit of water. But, say, if you want to see a lake that is a lake, just come out my way and take a squint at Lake Michigan."

He regards the "old masters" in the Louvre and elsewhere with a critical eye. "Very nice, I s'pose, but a little faded looking, ain't they? Can't hold a candle to Charles Danna Gibson, in my opinion."

It was an American of this type that somebody tells about (I can't remember who, I am sorry to say, but it sounds like Mark Twain) having come across in Europe somewhere. The conversation turned to St. Peter's, at Rome. The American said he had been in Rome, but didn't go to see St. Peter's, "because I didn't have much time, and I guess it's no taller than some of our skyscrapers in New York."

And this is the funny part (it really isn't funny, either, it is mournful). That very man, who spent most of his summer sprinting through Europe and everywhere, loudly trumpeting the overwhelming superiority of all things of this glorious land of freedom, that man, I say, is the identical individual who, during the subsequent fall and winter, thumps you on the back in the ferryboats and in the smoking cars of suburban trains, and proclaims emphatically: "This country is going to the bow-bows, sir, the very bow-bows. These trusts should be smashed. We would do well to follow the example of some of the European countries"—etc., etc.

This, though I suppose, is not so much American nature as human nature.

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GREWSOME EXHIBITS FOR MUSEUM

Relics Relating to Early History of United Italy.

A special museum has been formed in connection with the Victor Emmanuel Library of Rome with the object of collecting all the historical relics and documents relating to United Italy. Four awful exhibits have just been added to the collection. These consist of the guillotine used by the Papal Government for public executions, the hooded garment of flaming red cloth worn by the executioner, the white garment still bloodstained worn by his assistant who raised on high the head of the condemned man to show the people that justice had been done, and finally the large knife used by the executioner to give the so-called stroke of mercy in cases when the steel blade of the guillotine did not kill the victim instantly.

These relics of the past have been included in the new museum since they were used to behead besides criminal conspirators who plotted against the Papal Government. The last execution under the Papal Government took place on July 9, 1870, but capital punishment was not resorted to except in cases of parricide, double murders, brigandage and other dire crimes.

On an average six executions took place every year throughout the Papal States. Thus the celebrated Maestro Titta, who was executioner under the popes from 1796 to 1864, beheaded 514 criminals and his successor, Balducci, between 1868 and 1870 beheaded only twelve and then retired on a pension and heard mass daily until he died.

A SURVIVOR OF THE BIRKENHEAD

Recalls the Famous Wreck of 58 Years Ago.

It was 58 years ago, on Saturday, Feb. 26, that the troopship Birkenhead was totally wrecked in St. Simon's Bay, South Africa, and there remain alive but few survivors of that great occasion of British pluck and discipline.

Included in the little band is William Tuck, an octogenarian, who lives at Brockhurst, near Gosport, England, and, in spite of growing feebleness, he is able to give some account of the catastrophe, when four hundred and forty-five British soldiers and sailors perished like heroes, the saved including all the fifty-six women and children on board.

"It was a beautifully fine night," said the old man, "when we left St. Simon's Bay for Port Elizabeth, and only the watch was on deck. We kept close in shore two miles away from land and it was about 2 o'clock in the morning when we struck a rock. The vessel heaved over, and through the open port holes of the lower deck the water rushed in and drowned a lot of those below. To the sound of the bugle the soldiers gathered on the poop and fell in in long lines.

"We marines helped to get the women and children into boats as the soldiers stood to attention. All the boats had now left the ship, and the only chance we all had was to swim. Just before I jumped into the water, the foremast went overboard, and when I came to the surface I made for it to avoid being sucked down. Another man joined me. We saw a hencoop close by, and with it and a stray plank we made a sort of raft which we sat on and slowly paddled shorewards. It took us fifteen hours to cover two miles. We made our way inland and met some gypsy people, who took pity on us and gave us firing to dry ourselves.

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GEORGE, PRINCE OF WALES, AN AMERICAN'S IMPRESSIONS

Popular for His Domestic Virtues and Thoroughly English—A Man of Genuine Ability—Dislikes Ceremonial and Fuss—Fond of His Own Fireside—His Competent Wife.

Curtis Brown writes in the Washington Star: It has now been decided definitely that the Prince of Wales is to start for South Africa Sept. 2 next to open the first Parliament of United South Africa in the name of his august father, King Edward, some time toward the end of October, and this simple enough announcement draws attention in the most striking manner to the way in which the King is week by week passing on more and more of his public functions to his son, who before very many years must succeed him on the throne. It also draws attention to the fact that the King is growing old and that the ceremonial functions of royalty are steadily becoming more tiring to him.

For a long time the prince has been in training for his duties when he succeeds to the throne, and, naturally, Englishmen, and men of all nations, are keenly interested in speculating on how he will fill the high position to which he will be called. It must be said at the beginning that it is hard now to form a just estimate, for the prince is so overshadowed by his brilliant father that it is almost impossible to see him in proper perspective.

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It used to be the fashion to look on the man who will reign over the British Empire as George V. as a good-natured, but rather stupid man who will possess only a small part of the influence now wielded by his father, but recent developments have given reason to believe that this is not so. No doubt George's court will be a very different one from Edward's, but there are many Englishmen who think that this will not be a bad thing, and those who are in closest touch with both men declare that while it will be different, the prince in his way is no less an able man that his father.

To begin with, George V. will be the first English monarch since the Stuart days of whom it will be possible to say that he is wholly and indisputably English. Even his grandmother, Queen Victoria, spoke English with a German accent, although she was intensely English in sentiment. The pro-German inclinations of the first four Georges were notorious, and most of them could hardly understand the language of the country over which they had been called to rule. King Edward, while he speaks English like an Englishman born, is a cosmopolitan in tastes and sentiment and is never so happy as when he is enjoying a holiday at some continental health or pleasure resort. He speaks almost all the European languages as well as he speaks his own, and he has made his reputation as the most astute diplomat in Europe, largely owing to his ability to deal on equal terms with the diplomats of every nation. To the French he is a Frenchman, to the Germans a German. He is allied by marriage to the Scandinavian nations, and it has even been said of him that he could understand the Russian point of view better than any minister he ever sent to St. Petersburg.

Speaks Only English.

Now, it is different with his son. George speaks no language but English. He had the usual drilling at school in the European tongues, of course, but as soon as his formal education was finished he promptly forgot all about them, declaring emphatically that English was quite good enough for all his wants. He doesn't like foreigners, and, in fact, one of his father's chief trials lies in persuading him to be ordinarily civil to diplomats and distinguished visitors whom it is his duty as heir apparent to the throne to meet.

"Why should I see the brutes?" he is reported to have asked recently when a number of distinguished European statesmen were visiting London, and he was called upon to receive them. The King explained that it was necessary for him to be civil, and he acquiesced and was formally polite, but he hurried through the ceremony as quickly as possible.

This does not mean, however, that the prince is shy or stupid, or that he is not keenly conscious of the duties connected with his high position. When he is called on to take part in any English or colonial function he responds gladly, and there is no man in the country who is better informed on home and imperial problems. His choice of friends is significant in itself. They are all selected either from the old English nobility or from men who have made their mark in the development of the Empire. Lord Strathcona, who began life as Donald Smith, a trapper for the Hudson Bay Company, in Canada, is one of his most trusted friends and advisers, and another is Lord Mount-Stephen, whose career has been identified with the development of the great Canadian Pacific Railway system. He has no use for the new nobility of wealth which has sprung up in recent years in England, and the international financiers, many of them of eastern origin, who swarm about his father will find the court a very cold place, indeed, when he succeeds to the throne.

Doesn't Like Cards.

In many other ways the prince differs from his father, who is an all-round man of the world and sportsman. The prince detests cards and can hardly be persuaded to take a hand when he is staying at a country house. He cares nothing for racing, for which his father had a passion, and he cares even less for entertaining, while his father's love for surrounding himself with clever people has made his court the most brilliant in Europe. There is no better evidence of this than the difference between the life at Marlborough House now and when the King was Prince of Wales. In the old days a succession of brilliant balls, garden parties and other entertainments followed one another throughout the London season. Now the prince gives one ball and one garden party every year, and grumbles at having to do this. At these functions he contents himself with a formal appearance and then settles down in a quiet corner with some colonial or some man who is doing things at home, and forgets all about his more frivolous guests in a discussion of some problem of empire.

It must not be thought, however, that the King and his son are at loggerheads in any way. As a member of the court said to me the other day in discussing the two men, it is really a case of Jack Spratt and his wife. Jack Spratt could eat no fat and his wife could eat no lean, so between them they got through the joint and never quarrelled. The King likes foreign politics and high diplomacy, and the prince detests them and is only too glad that his father does not ask him to take any of this work on his shoulders. The King is bored with home and colonial affairs, which he considers dull and unexciting, and is delighted that his son is willing to take all this work off his hands.

The thoroughness with which the prince had made himself master of South African problems is typical of all his work. Every now and again he makes a speech at some public function that surprises every one by its grasp on the subject treated. Such a one was his famous "Wake up, England" speech, delivered at a Guildhall banquet a few years ago, when he tried to arouse the country to a sense of how it was being out-distanced in the race for the world's commerce by the younger nations, including the United States.

It is the fashion when a prince makes a speech like that to say that it was written for him by some one, but in the case of George of Wales this is not so. He prepares every speech that he makes himself as carefully as any public man among his subjects. Of course, this does not mean that he does not trust to a secretary to look up his figures and references, but every busy politician does that. The fact remains that the speech is his own in ideas, phrasing and construction.

His Early Training.

Perhaps this thoroughness is the result of his early training. He is now 45 years old, and until he was 26 he had no idea that he was ever to be King of England. Until his elder brother, the Duke of Clarence died, he was brought up as a sailor, and his career, as far as any one could see, lay in the royal navy, and there is no training more thorough than that of an English naval officer.

To this day George has remained the bluff sailor, and his virtues and his shortcomings are those of the man who follows the sea. An excellent story of his modesty refers to the time when he was a young officer on a warship which put in at Nova Scotia to coal. A prominent American politician was at Halifax when the vessel entered the port, and in the hope of seeing the young prince he obtained permission to inspect the ship. Coaling was in progress when he came on board, and the captain, who was busy, turned him over to a young officer, who showed him all over the ship. The officer's face was begrimed with coal dust, and his uniform showed that he had been called from superintending the trimming of the bunkers to act as host to the visitor.

The American questioned him about the prince.

"Isn't he to be seen today?"

"I'm afraid his features won't be visible," was the reply.

"Oh, I suppose you keep him wrapped up in cotton wool when a job like this is on," said the American, but the young officer only laughed good-naturedly.

Finally, when he had been shown everything there was to see the American went to say good-bye to the captain, who asked if he had seen all he wanted.

"Well, the fact is I haven't seen the man I wanted most to see—the prince."

"The prince!" said the captain. "Why, man, you have been with him for the last two hours."

"Was that the prince?" the American shouted. "Well, captain, you just give him my compliments, and tell him that I have gone ashore to kick myself."

On the domestic side the heir to the British throne is all that could be desired by the most home-loving English man. It is undoubtedly a fact that when he was a young sailor at Malta, with no hope of ever succeeding to the throne, he married the daughter of a commoner. That marriage was legal enough then, but the death of his brother immediately made it void and the prince had to separate from his first wife, who was generously provided for. The royal bride selected for him was Princess May of Teck, who had been engaged previously to his brother, and unlike many such marriages of state, their union has turned out an ideal one.

"In fact," said the informant at court, "all that we can complain of is that the prince is too domestic for a man in his position. He is never seen at the clubs and seldom at the theatre or the opera. His idea of a pleasant evening is to sit at home by the fire with a book while his wife sits at his side with her knitting. He cares for nothing in the way of amusement or sport as it is generally understood, except for shooting, and he has a perfect passion for that. But even shooting won't induce him to accept an invitation from any of the new nobility or the Jewish financiers, of whom the king is so fond. It is a safe prediction that this court will be a much quieter one than his father's, but the names of those about it will be much more familiar to those who have studied English history."

"He is not likely to have the personal popularity of his father, for the reason that he has not the king's wonderful memory for names and faces and incidents. King Edward never forgets a name or a face, and years after he has met a man he can recall the circumstances perfectly. He is also very thoughtful in remembering anniversaries and the like and in sending kindly messages. The prince is just as kind, but he simply doesn't understand how a message from him can give pleasure to anyone, and on occasions when it is absolutely necessary that he should send one he has to be urged to do so. He is terribly conscientious, and once he realizes that it is his duty to extend these formal courtesies he will be most punctilious, but his actions of this kind will never have the genuine spontaneity of his father's."

What the prince lacks in this respect, though, will be supplied by his wife. There is no more methodical person in the kingdom than the Princess of Wales, and while her manner sometimes seems cold there is no woman who sympathizes more genuinely with misfortune of all kinds. She has the great advantage of having known real poverty, for although born a princess, the daughter of a royal duke, there was never too much money in the Teck household, and Princess May knew what it was to scrutinize housekeeping bills and even to make her own dresses. She has a wonderful gift for detail and an excellent memory. She is never so happy as when caring for her children, of whom she has six—five sons and a daughter. The eldest, Prince Edward, who is sixteen years old, is now a naval cadet, learning to be a sailor like his father, but as he is the heir to the throne he will not see actual service. When he has finished at the naval school he will probably enter the army for a time. The second son, Prince Albert, has also entered the naval academy and will probably make the sea his career. Both are sturdy, well developed boys, as are their three younger brothers, so there is little likelihood of another queen reigning in England within the lifetime of the present generation.

In conclusion, it is my duty to refute a statement about the prince which has gained currency in England and America. It is that he drinks to excess. Nothing could be further from the truth. He is no connoisseur of wines like his father, and he seldom takes anything more to drink than a couple of glasses of claret at dinner. Anyone who could see him in the very pink of condition would realize at once that he was looking at a man to whom temperance and a fitness "are almost a religion."

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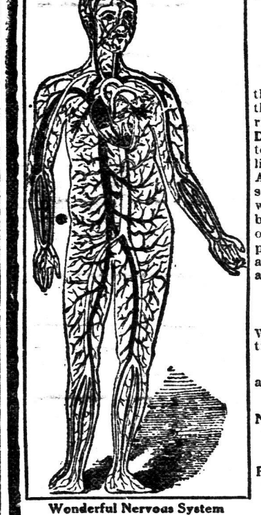
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