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BOLSHEVIKI ACCEPT INVITATION TO PRINCES ISLANDS CONFERENCE

BRITISH WAR OFFICE PROVIDES MOTOR LORRIES FOR FREE TRANSPORTATION

BOLSHEVIK GOVT. AGREES TO PARTICIPATE IN CONFERENCE AT THE PRINCES ISLANDS

Soviet Minister Declares That Agreement Will Be Entered Into, But Entente Powers Must Undertake Not To Interfere Further With Russian Internal Affairs.

London, Feb. 6.—M. Tchitscherin, the Bolshevist foreign minister of Russia, announces in a wireless dispatch picked up here, that the Soviet Government is willing to participate in the Princes Islands conference. The message bears the date of Tuesday and was sent from Moscow.

The dispatch begins by referring to "complaints from the Entente press concerning international revolutionary propaganda," and declares the Soviet Government is ready, "if there be occasion, to enter into a general agreement with the Entente powers on their undertaking not to interfere with Russian internal affairs."

It then announces that the Government is disposed to confer on the basis indicated in the note from the peace conference at Princes Islands, or elsewhere, with the Entente powers, or some of them separately, or even with some of the Russian political groups at the request of the Entente powers.

In conclusion, the Entente powers are asked to inform the Soviet Government without delay where its representatives are to go, also the date and route to be taken.

ACCEPTANCE OF INVITATION BY BOLSHEVIKI CREATES SURPRISE

Paris, Feb. 6.—When Professor Boris A. Bakhmeteff, a member of the council formed by anti-Bolshevist factions here, was advised of M. Tchitcherin's acceptance of the invitation to the Princes Islands conference, he said that he would be unable to say what the Russian committee in Paris would do. He indicated that a copy of the official message must be received and discussed before any announcement would be made. M. Bakhmeteff said that the dispatch from M. Tchitcherin was a surprise, as previous messages from the Soviet Government had persuaded the Russian committee that a conference was not probable.

"It is an ignoble comedy," said Russian leaders here when they were shown dispatches stating that the Bolshevists were ready to go to the Prinkipo conference. They expressed the opinion that the Bolshevist leaders would represent to their followers that the Allies' invitation was recognition of them and would spread the report that the Allies, fearing them, had asked for peace, thus hoping to strengthen their position.

Members of the Russian committee maintain that the United Governments of Russia which they report will not grant a truce to the Bolshevists, but would continue to struggle until "the whole of Russia is secured to democracy."

"It will take longer than it would if the Allies had intervened in a military way," said one, "but we will succeed in the end just the same."

GERMANY TODAY IS LAND OF CEMETERIES, HOSPITALS AND STARVATION, SAYS AMERICAN

Lieut.-Col. Searle Harris, After a Close Study of Conditions in Enemy Country, Declares That Teutons Are Actually Starving.

Paris, Feb. 6.—The close personal study he has made of conditions in Germany has convinced Lieut.-Col. Searle Harris of the U. S. Medical Reserve Corps, that the German people are actually starving. He has just returned to Paris from a visit to Germany, and says that while a superficial view of the country gives the impression that the war has not hurt Germany, that country, in his opinion, has suffered more than any other.

Germany is a land of cemeteries, hospitals and starvation, he says. No one knows the number of casualties in the war, and in his belief no one will ever know.

Col. Harris estimates that the casualties vary from a million and a half to three million killed and twice as many wounded.

Conditions which he had found in Germany have led Col. Harris to the opinion, he says, that many women and children will die or become defectives if not supplied with food.

"The German who overran France," he said, "should be punished and permitted to starve, but not the women and children. Hungry men and women do not make good neighbors."

65,000 UNION MEN READY TO STRIKE

Workers in American Plants May Quit Jobs Today.

STRIKE IS DECLARED.

SEATTLE, Feb. 6.—Seattle's general strike was called at the scheduled time, 10 o'clock this morning. First reports from the downtown section said union street car men started their cars for the barns at 10 o'clock. Union elevator operators in tall wheat large buildings abandoned their cars, and restaurants closed their doors when their union cooks and waiters left.

Seattle, Feb. 6.—A strike of approximately 65,000 union workers in nearly every trade and industry was set for today, the decision of the central labor council late last night ratifying the time selected previously by a conference of a majority of 130 unions affected. The general strike was called in sympathy of between 40,000 and 50,000 metal trade workers who left shipyards and contract shops January 21 to enforce demands for $8, $7 and $6 a day for basic trades, helpers and laborers respectively.

MEXICANS ARE MORE FRIENDLY TO ALLIES

U. S. Ambassador Declares Change Noticeable Since German Minister Left.

Washington, Feb. 6.—United States Ambassador Fletcher has arrived here from Mexico City for conferences with the state department on the situation in Mexico. Mr. Fletcher declares that feeling towards the Allies has become much friendlier since the recall of the German minister, the famous von Eckhardt.

1,600 MINE WORKERS AT SYDNEY ARE IDLE

Situation in Nova Scotia Is Considered Serious.

Sydney, N. S., Feb. 6.—Sixteen hundred men, including three hundred coal miners, are idle at Sydney Mines, and the situation there is very black, according to J. C. McLachlan, secretary of the A. M. W., who reached here last evening.

EMBARGOES UPON IMPORTS TO FOE TO BE RELAXED

The Supreme Allied Blockade Council Organized For Purpose.

Paris, Feb. 6.—A supreme allied blockade council has been organized to arrange for a relaxation of embargoes upon imports into enemy countries. Vance McCormick, the American member, has been chosen chairman. The other members are Lord Robert Cecil and Baron Rothermere for Great Britain; Etienne Clementel, minister of commerce, for France, and Dr. Silvio Crespi, minister of food, for Italy.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 26; lowest, 17.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 20; lowest, 16.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COLD.

Toronto, Feb. 6—8 a.m.
Forecasts.

Moderate to fresh west and northwest winds; fair and moderately cold today and on Friday.

Temperatures.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	46	34	Cloudy
Calgary	10	— 6	Clear
Winnipeg	— 2	—20	Clear
Port Arthur...	12	— 4	Clear
Sault S. Marie.	..	22	Snow
Parry Sound...	24	18	Snow
Toronto	28	21	Cloudy
Kingston	28	20	Snow
Ottawa	30	6	Clear
Montreal	28	24	Clear
Quebec	28	18	Cloudy
Halifax	34	24	Cloudy

Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

The barometer is highest in Saskatchewan and lowest in the Maritime Provinces.

The weather is extremely cold in the Western Provinces, and moderately cold from Ontario eastward.

CZECHO-SLOVAKS PRESENT CLAIMS

The Territory Outlined Would Comprise a Population of Thirteen Million People.

Paris, Feb. 5.—The supreme council of the peace conference was engaged today in receivinig from M. Kramarz and M. Benes a statement of the claims of the new Czecho-Slovak Republic. These delegates asked that Czecho-Slovakia comprise Bohemia, Moravia, Silesia, Slovakia and the Ruthenian section of Hungary, as well as outlying regions where the Czecho-Slovaks are largely in the majority. This would embrace territory populated by about thirteen million people.

SUPREME COUNCIL'S REPORT.

Paris, Feb. 6.—The report of yesterday afternoon's session of the supreme council of the peace conference reads as follows:

"The president of the United States, the prime minister and the minister of foreign affairs of the allied and associated powers and the Japanese representatives, met at the Qual D'Orsay this afternoon from 2:30 o'clock until 6 o'clock in the evening.

"Mr. Kramarz and Mr. Benes stated the claims of the Czecho-Slovak Republic. A commission of two members for each of the following powers, viz., France, Great Britain, Italy and the United States of America will be appointed to examine the technical aspects of the question.

"The next meeting will take place at 3 o'clock tomorrow forenoon, when the negotiators for the Hedjas will be heard."

SUPREME COUNCIL TO DISCUSS CONDITIONS OF TRUCE RENEWAL

Strength of Entente Armies To Be Decided at Meeting.

Paris, Feb. 6.—A meeting of the supreme inter-allied war council will be held at the foreign office on Friday to decide the question as to the strength of the forces to be maintained in the service by the different Entente armies. Conditions for a renewal of the armistice with Germany will also be considered.

GERMAN NATIONAL ASSEMBLY TO BE OPENED BY EBERT

Name of Former Police Chief Eichhorn Is Striken From List.

Amsterdam, Feb. 6.—Friedrich Ebert, the German chancellor, will open the first session of the recently-elected German National Assembly at Weimar at 3 o'clock this afternoon. Dispatches from Berlin state that after the meeting of the body is thus opened, the chair will be taken by the oldest member of the Assembly, probably Herr Pfankuch.

The advices report that many members for Alsace-Lorraine have presented themselves for the first sitting of the Assembly.

The name of Herr Eichhorn, the former chief of police of Berlin, who was ousted during the troubles with the Spartacans, will be stricken from the role of membership of the Assembly, as his whereabouts is not known. He will be succeeded by the candidate in his district who received the next largest vote.

Amsterdam, Feb. 6.—A new government, composed of five Majority Socialists, has been proclaimed at Bremen. It takes the place of the Bremen government, composed of "people's mandatories," and the workmen's council.

AGREEMENT EFFECTED.

Paris, Feb. 6.—The French Government has abandoned plans for requisitioning transportation companies following an announcement that the companies had effected an agreement with their employees and had averted what threatened to be a strike.

THE LOST CHORD



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Socialists Settle Delicate Question By Striking It From Their Program

Berne, Feb. 5.—The international Socialist conference today settled the questions of responsibility for the war and the future position of the German Socialists in the conference by adopting a compromise resolution, declaring that the conference had passed over the questions of responsibility and the German revolution and had agreed to accept the participation of the German majority Socialists in the reconstruction of the Socialists internationale. The compromise was adopted unanimously except for the vote of one delegate, Milhand, a Frenchman. A strong tendency to exclude the German majority Socialists was evident in the early discussions, but a spirit of conciliation eventually prevailed.

Herr Mueller, addressing the conference today, declared the German Socialists already had opposed militarism, adding: "The young republic of Germany is ready to consent to a general disarmament on the condition that all other countries do the same."

MORE THAN 2,000 CANADIAN SOLDIERS HOME ON BALTIC

Seven Hundred Will Receive Documents at Halifax—Remainder, Including Those For This District, Will Proceed To Quebec For Documenation.

Halifax, Feb. 6.—With over 69 officers, 27 cadets, 2,095 other ranks of the Canadian expeditionary force on board, the White Star liner Baltic arrived here last night from England, and this morning moved into pier No. 2, where disembarkation of her soldier passengers is now being conducted. Seven hundred of the troops will have their documents made out at Halifax. The remainder, including those for Toronto, Quebec and the west, will proceed to Quebec for documentation.

The Baltic has 288 civilian passengers, who will not land here, but will proceed with the steamer to New York.

The list of officers arriving on the Baltic includes the following: Nursing Sister Wallace, 18 Chestnut street, Brantford; Lieut. Chisholm, Oakville; Cadet Clemens, Blenheim, Ont.

Men Who Arrived.

C. S. M. Hessey, 265 Simcoe street, London; Sergt. Barnes, Brantford; Sergt. Cook, St. Thomas; Sergt. Gibling, 54 Jacqueline street, London; Sergt. Hoy, Fort Pierce, Fla.; S. Sergt. Purchase, Woodstock, Ont.; Sergt. Rivers, Exeter; Sergt. Slattery, ——; Sergt. Wilson, Knoxville, Tenn.; Sergt. McPhedran Crosswell, Mich.; Ptes. Aiken, Sarnia; Allison, Springfield, Ont.; Corp. Allison, South Woodslee, Ont.; Pte. Armstrong, Chicago; Spr. Boniface, King street, Ingersoll; Pte. Betiaun, Stratford; Bolton, Guelph; Buell, Fort Wayne, Ind.; Brand, 1039 Florence street, London; Bradley, St. Marys; Bell, Hespeler; Black, Chicago; Brydon, 359 Dundas street, London; Boswell, Chatham, Ont.; Spr. Boyle, Wiarton; Spr. Bridge, Lionshead; Pte. Baird, Flint, Mich.; Spr. Blackman, Emsuro, Oxford County, Ont.; Corp. Baker, Limewood P. O.; Pte. Cass, Chesley, Ont.; Spr. Cunningham, Morefield; Ptes. Currah, St. Thomas; Cummings, Delaware, Ont.; Cooke, Point Edward; Conkey, Strathlon; Clay, Galt; Carter, Chatham; Capell, Regina; Corp. Caton, 760 Dufferin, London; Cornelius 149 Wellington street, London; Corp. Cox, Chatham; Spr. Davies, Willard Junction; Pte. Dewar, 202 Hamilton road, London; Lance-Corp. Davey, Chatham; Pte. Ellis, Sarnia; Pte. English, Chesley; Pte. Freeman, Millbank; Spr. Foster (no place); Pte. Fraskeau, Paris, Ont.; Fitzgeraid, Wallaceburg; Spr. Gunn, 430 Rideut street, London; Pte. Gregg, Highland Park, Mich.; Spr. Galife, Sarnia; Pte. Holt, Sarnia; Pte. Howell, Chatham; Pte. Harrington, Dover Centre, Ont.; Spr. Hart, York, England; Pte. Howson, Kitchener, Ont.; Pte. Huddleston, 740 Dundas street, London; Pte. Haines, Wingham; Pte. Hill, Wiarton; Sig. Henderson (no place); Spr. Haines, Sarnia; Spr. Ivers, New Richmond, Man.; Pte. Jardine, Toronto; Spr. Jackson, Wiarton, Ont.; Spr. Jenkins, Selvingville; Spr. Jacobs, 243 Clarence street, London; Pte. Kenney, St. Thomas; Pte. Kierman, Constable, N. Y.; Pte. Kellecher, Port Elgin; Pte. Leroy Harrow; Gnr. Laidlaw, Walkerville; Pte. Lehuiller, Marquette, Mich.; Spr. Langlois, Windsor; Pte. Lesperance, Windsor; Pte. Lyon, Chelsea Green, London; Corp. Little, 827 Stedwell street, London; Pte. Lane, Leamington; Pte. Lindermann, 435 Ontario street, London; Pte. Lundy, Forest, Ont.; Pte. Lockwood, Sewickley, Pa.; Pte. Mitchell, St. Thomas; Pte. Makarevitch, Trowbridge; Spr. McMurtry, 23 Craig street, London; Pte. Macdonald, Kincardine; Pte. Macleod, Walkerville; Spr. McLean, Paisley; Pte. McLean, Sylvan Valley; Drvr. Maitre, Tecumseh; Pte. Milkowski, Flint, Mich.; Pte. McGovern, Chicago; Gnr. McDonald, Mitchell, Ont.; Spr. Miller, Richmond, Ind.; Pte. Mullin, Fergus; Corp. McNeil, St. James Park, London; Spr. Reid, Stratford; Pte. Wallace, Detroit, Mich.; L.-Corp. Scott, Stratford; Pte. Sangster, Hensall; Corp. Summers, Galt; Spr. Stewart, Seaforth; Pte. Smith, Windsor, Ont.; Stewart, Pern, Ind.; St. Ledger, Westfield, Mass.; Spr. Stauffer, Sarnia; Spr. Spoors, Stratford; Pte. Spray, 715 King street, London, Ont.; Spr. Simmons, Chatham; L.-Corp. Scrimgeour, 27 Stanley street, London; Pte. Stoker, Cleveland; Pte. Smith, Clinton P. O.; Short, Strathroy; Williams, ——; Winkler, Preston; Pte. Taylor, Windsor; Taylor, Essex; L.-Corp. Taylor, Stratford; Pte. Thompson, ——; Spr. Thompson, Windsor; Pte. Torkelson, Detroit, Minnesota; Thompson, ——; Vance, Omaha, Neb.; Williams, Detroit, Mich.; Willoughby, Port Robinson; Whitworth, 447 Charlotte street, London, Ont.; Whitmore, Windsor; Lance-Corp. Watson, Rooshill, Hespeler; Pte. Waudby, Glendon; Sapper Walmsley, 28 Hope street, London; Pte. Young, Sheepstow; Miller, New Dundee; Sergt. McNeill, Tara, Ont.; Sergt. Moody, St. Thomas; Pte. Gee, Ingersoll, R. R. 5; Sergt. Manson, Hamilton; Sergt. Crotty, Ingersoll; Sergt. Draper, Bracebridge;

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AUSTRIAN ASSEMBLY ENTHUSIASTICALLY GREET GERMAN PARLIAMENT

Vienna Gathering Welcomes Meeting of Teutons at Weimar.

Vienna, Wednesday, Feb. 5.—President Binghofer of the German-Austrian National Assembly, which will meet at Weimar on Thursday, He said: "Conditions which will accord us our wish to participate in that assembly have not yet arrived, but we must not, in the meantime, let pass unnoticed such an important event. The great German ideal is not extinguished for Germans in this country. Let us salute our brothers in Germany with enthusiasm. Let us rejoice with them that the German people are united and are not divided by the jealousy of rulers."

WOMEN ENDANGERED BY HOSPITAL FIRE

Damage Estimated at $20,000 at Worcester Institution.

Worcester, Feb. 6.—Fire, which, it is believed, started from defective electric wires in the attic of the Washburn ward of the Worcester Hospital, early today, caused damage estimated at $20,000. The wing in which the fire started was occupied by women patients, 700 of whom were removed to other sections of the hospital without injury. On the top floor of the wing, directly under the fire, were quartered twenty-five violent patients. These were also removed with but little difficulty.

SMALL POWERS WILL BE GIVEN GREATER VOICE IN REVISION OF PLAN FOR LEAGUE OF NATIONS

Differences Existing Between Greater and Lesser Nations Will Be Reconciled by Change in Constitution of World Society.

Paris, Feb. 6.—Positive strides for reconciling differences between greater and lesser nations at the peace conference are continuing today. In addition to winning four additional places in the committee of the society of nations, it seems probable that the lesser powers will also be granted adequate representation in the executive body of the society as well as the legislative sections. The smaller powers are insisting on being given a greater voice in the society and plans under consideration are being revised to meet the situation. When the commission on the Society of Nations meets tonight, representatives of Poland, Rumania, Greece and Czecho-Slovakia will be present, together with those of China, Brazil, Belgium, Portugal and Serbia and the five great powers.

Americans Petitioned.

The American delegation to the peace conference has received numerous petitions from committees municipalities and representatives of territories under Ottoman rule, asking to be put under the protection of the United States or at least that America shall be the mandatory country interested with their Government. More significant still is the pressure brought to bear to bring about a decision by which America should be intrusted with the duty of looking after Constantinople, the Bosphorus and the Dardanelles, which it is believed, will be internationalized by the peace conference.

WAR EXCESS PROFITS AND INCOMES WILL PROVIDE BULK OF AMERICAN TAXES

Conferees' Agreement on the Revenue Bill Submitted To Congress.

SOME RATES RAISED

Federal Tax Budget For 1919 Is Placed at More Than $6,000,000.

Washington, Feb. 6.—With the submission to Congress today of the conferees' agreement on the long-delayed war revenue bill, the American people were presented with their prospective federal tax budget for 1919 and ensuing years—something over $6,000,000 this year, and $4,000,000 thereafter, subject to the revision of future rates expected to be undertaken by the next Congress.

May Reach $12,000,000.

Besides this year's tax levy of about $6,000,000, further treasury needs to be raised by bonds and other means are estimated by the treasury at about $12,000,000.

The bulk of the taxes are levied upon war excess profits of corporations and on incomes, individual and corporate. Rates of the Senate on transportation, beverages, cigars and tobacco, amusement admissions, club dues, luxuries and semi-luxuries, stamp and special taxes all subsequently were adopted by the conferees, while the House rates on estates and insurance were reinstated.

Raise Corporation Rate.

The principal rate increases agreed to in conference were to raise the corporation income rate for 1920 from 8 per cent, as proposed by the Senate, to 10 per cent, and an increase from 60 to 65 per cent in the sliding rate on corporations' excess profits for this year. The 80 per cent war profits tax for this year was adopted, and upon insistence by House conferees, extended to 1922, but made applicable next year only upon such profits from Government war contracts.

Incomes Exempted.

The 12 per cent normal rate on individual incomes earned last year and the 8 per cent rate payable in 1920 are retained, with individual exemptions of $1,000 for single and $2,000 for married persons, and an additional exemption of $200 for each dependent minor. Also adopted are provisions that individuals shall pay only 6 per cent this year and 4 per cent thereafter on the first $4,000 subject to tax above exemptions. The individual sur-taxes, ranging from 1 per cent on incomes between $5,000 and $6,000 to 65 per cent on more than $1,000,000, also were approved.

Restore Postage Rates.

The conferees agreed on provisions levying a prohibitory tax on products of child labor, and restoring pre-war postage rates on letters and postcards July 1 next.

Among important Senate or House provisions stricken from the bill was the proposed repeal of the publishers' second-class postage zone rates and proposed substitution of decreased charges.

The report will be called up for consideration on Saturday.

LONDON MEN ELECTED OFFICERS OF NEWLY FORMED ASSOCIATION

Chocolate, Biscuit and Confectionery Manufacturers Organize.

Montreal, Feb. 6.—Chocolate, biscuit and confectionery manufacturers from all over Canada met at the Windsor Hotel yesterday, and formed an association.

The officers elected were: A. D. Ganong, St. Stephen, N.B., president; Robert Christie, Toronto, first vice-president; Dudley Dingle, Winnipeg, second vice-president; Colin Currie, London, treasurer and vice-president. F. McCormick, London, was elected to the executive committee.

GREEK AND ITALIAN OFFICIALS DISCUSS RESPECTIVE CLAIMS

Premiers Venizelos and Orlando Engage in Important Interview.

Paris, Feb. 6.—Premier Venizelos of Greece called upon Premier Orlando of Italy last evening, and the two men engaged in a long and intimate conversation concerning the aspirations of their respective nations.

The chief issue between the two countries regards the territory on the Eastern Adriatic, which Greece claims as the northern Epirus. This territory is maintained by the Albanians to Southern Albania and the Albanians, it is declared, considering themselves under the protection of Italy, are claiming her support in their contention.

INTERNATIONAL TRADES UNION CONFERENCE IS OPENED IN SWISS CITY

Question of Labor Legislation Was Discussed by Delegates.

Berne, Wednesday, Feb. 5.—The international trades union conference opened here tonight with 40 delegates, representing eleven countries, in attendance. Delegates were present from England and the United States. Several delegations have not yet arrived.

The conference took up discussion of international labor legislation in connection with the Socialist conference now being held here.

CANADIAN CASUALTIES

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—Casualties:

Infantry.

Died—267138 W. J. Rowe, Exeter, Ont.
Wounded—J. A. Growshow, London, Ont.; 502596 G. R. Collins, Brantford.
Ill—654547 W. E. Jeffery, Exeter.

Machine Gun Section.

Wounded—775825 J. H. Sills, Hamilton.
Ill—F. S. Chute, Wheatley, Ont.

Railway Troops.

Ill—757783 D. Burns, St. Catharines.

THOUSANDS OF MOTOR LORRIES PROVIDED BY GOVT. TRANSPORTS ALL WORKERS FREE OF CHARGE

British Government Still Declines To Interfere in Strikes, Claiming They Are Merely Industrial Controversies, But Provides Measures of Relief as One Solution.

London, Feb. 3.—The Government today was still maintaining its attitude that it could not interfere in the strikes now in progress for the reason that they were solely industrial controversies, but the great inconvenience which the London public is suffering has prompted Government measures of relief until a settlement is reached.

In this situation the war office early in the day mobilized one thousand motor lorries along the principal routes of traffic to supplement the buses and take the place of the suspended tube service. These lorries were manned by military drivers. It is estimated that they will be able to carry 250,000 persons daily. No fare is charged, and particular attention is aid to working women and girls. Only bona fide workers on their way to work are picked up by the lorries.

The strike of the waiters and cooks in the hotels and restaurants is still inconveniencing thousands of Londoners, but staffs for these eating places are being recruited from among the unemployed and the situation was somewhat improved this morning.

The extension of the strike to the electric and steam services of the London and Southwestern and Brighton Railway lines further disorganizing London suburban traffic. Many workers were unable to reach the business part of the city, as street cars and motor buses already were overcrowded in consequence of other strikes.

The situation on the Southwestern and Brighton lines became worse during the morning, as the engine drivers, who worked during the night, brought in their locomotives and joined the strikers. The electric systems of the Southwestern was shut down completely, while very few steam trains were running, with the result that a vast number of people in the Thames Valley and the southwestern suburbs were unable to get to London. The main line also was affected, and crowds of sailors, who wanted to go to Portsmouth, Southampton and other southwestern points, were held up at the station, where long lines of cars were drawn up without engines to pull them. On the Brighton line the situation was little better. Many businessmen, who have winter residences at Brighton and other southern resorts, were unable to get to London.

Business Is Disturbed.

Business throughout the metropolis was disturbed through the absence of clerks and shoppers. An attempt was made by means of anonymous circulars to bring out the street car drivers at noon, but officials of the union instructed the men that the circular was not authorized and advised them to continue at work.

FREIGHT TRAFFIC IS TIED UP WHEN RAILWAY ENGINEERS ARE CALLED OUT

London, Feb. 6.—The first step in the direction of the threatened extension of the railroad strike beyond the local lines in London was taken last night, when some of the drivers on the Brighton and the Southwestern roads were called out. The union order was issued during the evening, but passenger trains ran until midnight. Freight service, however, was partially suspended, following the issuance of the strike order. Early trains to the suburbs from Waterloo station, the London terminus of the Southwestern, were not started this morning as the drivers did not appear.

Late last night an official notice was posted at Waterloo station stating that, owing to the labor troubles, train service might be "considerably reduced or entirely suspended." The notice added that the railroad company would not be responsible for any delay or inconvenience resulting from the strike.

Charges "Quibbling."

The calling out of the locomotive engineers on these lines, while fulfilling a threat to call a general strike, made on Monday, is also looked upon as a retort to the letter from Andrew Bonar Law, in which he refused to meet the strikers. It is also a result of the failure of J. Bromley, secretary of the association of locomotive engineers and firemen to reach a settlement with Sir Albert Stanley, president of the board of trade, and Sir Robert Horne, minister of labor.

Officials of the locomotive engineers' union met at Leeds last night and reiterated the charge that the Government was "quibbling" in discussing the eight-hour law. It was asid that the enginemen throughout the country were "so dissatisfied with the n which the arrangement is bei out that they are restrained ficulty."

May All Strike.

The possibility of all the men the union being called out wa cussed, it being said that the engineemen in the country, members of the union. Sugg the Government m roads without the sanction of the unions were scoffed at. The National Union of Railwaymen, a much larger organization than the Locomotive Engineers' Union, has not been affected hitherto in the present dispute, but has important negotiations pending with the Government. It is said that these will be taken up by the secretary, J. H. Thomas, M. P., when he returns from the Socialist conference at Berne.

FREIGHT TRAFFIC IS STOPPED BY CALLING OUT OF ELECTRICIANS

London, Feb. 6.—Electricians on the Brighton and South Coast Railroad were called out last night. This resulted in a partial stoppage of freight traffic, but at a late hour passenger traffic was not affected. Reports to the Mail say that the men on the London Southwestern, which also is partially electrified, expected a summons to strike during the night, but trains were still running early this morning.

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PLENTY OF MEDICAL SUPPLIES ON HAND IN NORTH RUSSIA

Military Equipment For Hospital at Archangel Is Pronounced First-Class.

Washington, Feb. 6.—Medical arrangements for the allied forces at Archangel were declared to be "first class' by the British commander-in-chief, in a report to the British war office, an excerpt of which is made public here by the war department. Sanitation in the districts occupied by the troops was poor, the report said, but this had not affected the health of troops.

"At present," said the report "there is hospital accommodation for 20 per cent of the allied and American troops of the force; and this percentage can be readily increased if necessary. There are plenty of medical supplies and equipment. A railway ambulance train is in service with accommodations for 100 patients, and there are also 100 ambulance sleds."

8,000 GARMENT WORKERS WILL RETURN TO JOBS

New York, Feb. 6.—One-third of the strike members of the International Ladies' Garment Workers' Union, approximately eight thousand, will return to work this week as a result of a settlement reached between the union and the Dress Contractors' and Manufacturers' Association, officials of the striking garment workers announced today.

The association composed of 350 of the smaller manufacturers and the Wholesale Dress Manufacturers' Association, composed of jobbers, granted all the union demands, it was said. These demands included a forty-four hour week, an increase in wages and a review by the union of the cases of all persons discharged.

The larger manufacturers still refuse to grant the union demands and it was announced that their employees would continue the strike, which was called on January 3.

PERM IS CONSIDERED SAFE FROM ATTACK OF THE BOLSHEVIKI

Gen. Gaida's Forces Now Twelve Miles From Ufa.

Omsk, Monday, Feb. 3.—The city of Perm is now declared to be safe from Bolsheviki attack. People who had fled from Perm to Ekaterinburg and other towns are returning. The losses of the Siberian troops in the battle at Kungur are not given. Gen. Gaida's forces are now twelve miles from Ufa, which was taken by Bolshevist forces some time ago.

WILL DEPART FROM OLD CUSTOM WHEN PARLIAMENT OPENS

French Language Will Be Eliminated by Seconder of Address.

Ottawa, Feb. 6.—An unusual feature of the forthcoming opening of Parliament will be the elimination of the use of the French language in moving and seconding the address in reply to the speech from the throne. It has been the invariable practice since confederation for the address to be moved by an English speaking and seconded by a French-speaking supporter. This session, as announced, Major Redmun of Calgary and Captain Mancen of Fort William and Rainy River, Conservative and Liberal Unionists respectively, will start the sessional ball rolling. Captain Mancen served with the French army in the early months of the war and, presumably, has some knowledge of that language, but it is doubtful if he proposes to depart from his native tongue in making a set-speech in the House. This unusual situation is due entirely to the fact that Dr. Chabot, junior member for Ottawa, was the only French-Canadian supporter of the Unionist Government elected, and he seconded the address last session.

MONTREAL SPEAKER TO HELP SAVING CAMPAIGN

Mrs. Chennell Will Address Public Meetings, Factories and Schools.

The London war savings and thrift stamp committee considers itself fortunate in securing the services to assist in the local campaign of Mrs. Ada Chennell of Montreal. Mrs. Chennell is associated with the national war savings and thrift stamp committee, Ottawa, for the service she can render in an educational way through giving addresses, and she is much in demand.

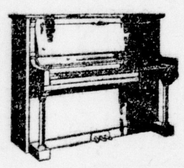
Mrs. Chennell arrives from Ottawa on Friday morning, and during the week or ten days in town will address public gatherings, the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., schools, noon-hour factory meetings, etc., on the subject of saving, not to win the war, but to help the big job of reconstruction while helping self.

Mr. Sheafe, a representative of the national committee, was in town some days ago, calling on managers of factories and large business houses, with a view to enlisting their co-operation in the war savings and thrift stamp campaign. As a result, Major Ingram states the factories have fallen in line well, not only placing literature in pay envelopes, but otherwise drawing the attention of employees and encouraging the purchase of thrift stamps. At present the board of education is considering the subject of financing thrift stamps for the schools.

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A Mark of Value

There are many kinds of Pianos at varying prices. You cannot estimate their value by their appearance. But you can recognize the "Mason & Risch" name, and avoid any uncertainty. This name identifies honest worth—it is the manufacturer's assurance of full value in materials, merit, and workmanship.



Buying direct from the manufacturer is a rare privilege, enabling you to avoid the middleman and his excessive profits. Our "Factory to Home" system gives you the short-cut to thrift.

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248 Dundas Street, London.
119 Ontario Street Stratford.

NONE BUT THE BRAVE DESERVE THE FAIR, AND THIS YOUTH IS NO HERO

Offered Opportunity of a Lifetime, But Fails for Lack of Nerve.

It happened at the candy counter of one of the stores on Dundas street the other afternoon. The salesgirl looked as temptingly sweet as the candies she was selling. A young gentleman walked up to the counter and looked over the display of candies and made a mental note of the fact that the girl behind the counter was fair to gaze upon. He accordingly wasted as much time as he could in trying to decide what kind of candies he would buy.

At last he saw a sign that caught his eye: "Kisses, five cents each." This was hanging conspicuously over a table which was filled with bags full of "kisses." Handing over the nickel, the smitten youth said: "Give me some kisses." With just the faintest suspicion of a smile, and leaning tantalizingly towards the purchaser, the girl replied: "Take one." His nerve failed and he picked up a bag of the paper-wrapped kisses and walked sadly away.

LIEUT. L. MACGILLIVRAY GIVEN MILITARY CROSS

Lieut. Leg[illegible]MacGillivray, son of Mr. and Mrs. George A. MacGillivray, this city, has been awarded the Military Cross. Receiving his training in the Royal Military College, Kingston, he went to France early in 1916, and was wounded at Courcelette in November, 1916. He returned to France in time for the Vimy Ridge action in 1917, and has participated in many of the big battles in which the Canadians have been engaged since that time. He was at Mons at the time of the signing of the armistice, and has been with the army of occupation in Germany.

WHEN A FAMILY NEEDS A FRIEND

In the Absence of Doctors Nobly Gone to War, After Influenza, the Grip—

Those wonderfully useful medicines, Hood's Sarsaparilla and Hood's Pills, are warmly recommended.

Hood's Sarsaparilla, taken before meals three times a day, and Hood's Pills, taken at night as needed, are reasonably sure to keep a family in health and prove to be reliable and always ready friends. They purify the blood, relieve and prevent biliousness and constipation, build up strength and regulate the system.

Get both, or either one, as you think you need, from your druggist today and begin treatment at once.

So Awfully Tired

The many women who work from morn to night, and who are listless, despondent and feel "all played out" will find a great boon in HACKING'S HEART AND NERVE REMEDY. Just take a couple of these tablets after each meal, and it's such an easy thing to do, you will be surprised how quickly you will regain your health and strength. If you have **Headaches, Dizziness, and are subject to Fainting Spells** you may be on the verge of a Nervous Breakdown and you should commence the treatment **right away.** Nothing like it to stimulate the indifferent appetite and to bring back the Vigor and Vitality of good health. Fifty cents a box, 6 for $2.50. Sold by all dealers or by mail. C. B. Hacking, Phm.B., Listowel.

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ADMITS HIS GUILT; SENTENCE MONDAY

Lasher Guilt of Theft and Forgery.

Frederick H. Lasher, a young soldier, pleaded guilty in police court today to having broken into the house of Mrs. Cynthia Lince, 314 Piccadilly street, on December 31 last, and stealing some silver valued at $13. He also pleaded guilty to forging a check on the London Securities Company for $26, and passing it on a Dundas street merchant on January 25 last. Magistrate Graydon will not sentence Lasher till Monday next. He declared that the offences were both very serious.

Gordon Munnoch, counsel for Lasher, made his first appearance in police court. Mr. Munnoch asked that Lasner be sent to the prison farm, where he would have a chance to make good. The magistrate promised to give the case his careful consideration.

Better To Be Born Lucky Than Rich

Magistrate Does Not Hear Guilty Plea, Saving Accused $200.

Not only is the ventilation system beyond all description, but the acoustic properties of the police court are beyond all telling. They almost cost one youth $200 today.

"The police have decided to offer no evidence in your case," declared Magistrate Graydon to the prisoner as the latter sprang to his feet.

"Guilty, your worship," stated the prisoner, which brought a horrified glance from the press table in the direction of the youth.

Magistrate Graydon never let on he heard the answer, but quickly slid out of his chair and made for his office.

The reporters in shocked silence gazed at each other. What was the trouble.

"We didn't have enough evidence in the case," declared Chief Williams. "All we found was a broken whiskey bottle. We couldn't convict on that, and I wasn't going to try to. The boy's lucky, that's all."

License Inspector J. E. Keenleyside agreed with the chief that the lad was lucky. "Just imagine pleading guilty to having liquor in a place other than a private dwelling and getting away without paying a fine," said the inspector. "It doesn't happen very often."

ATTRACTIVE PROGRAM FOR EVENING RECITAL

An unusually attractive program is promised for the Woman's Music Club recital this evening in the Normal School, postponed from last week, owing to the Sarto concert. Miss Alice Graves, coloratura soprano, and Percy King, baritone soloist of the Wellington Street Methodist Church, will sing. Two brilliant pianists, Miss Frances Marr of Ridgetown, pupil of Thomas Martin, and Miss Eula Kennedy are contributing solos, while two talented young girls, Misses Marcelle and Andree Smith, will make their debut, playing with Miss Raymond an instrumental trio. Mrs. Walter Brown is giving a five-minutes talk on Russian folk songs. Mrs. R. E. Davis and Mrs. Charles Percy have arranged the program.

How Gas Users Are Classified

THE WEATHER.
Lower Lakes and Georgian Bay—Fresh west and northwest winds; fair and cold.

Domestic users should have the first call on the natural gas supply. Then come apartment houses, hospitals, charitable institutions, hotels, restaurants and bakeries. By confining the supply to these classes, natural gas should be available in this community for nearly eighteen years to come. But if industrial users are allowed to consume it as at present the supply will be exhausted in six years at the outside.

As a matter of fact, it would be far better for domestic users to pay twice the present price for natural gas and be insured of a supply for the next eighteen years, than to have the supply exhausted in five or six years and then be compelled to pay several times their present outlay for fuel.

Although Natural Gas Is Cheap, Do Not Waste It—the Supply Is Not Everlasting.

Southern Ontario Gas Co., Ltd.

Bill's Past, Present and Future Laid Bare by Fortune Teller and Now He Wants a Wee-Gee Board

"There's Things in This World That's Past Explaining," Says He, "and I've Got Perpendiculars To Prove It"—Hair-Raising Experience Related by the Poet of Poets.

"Ever tried one of these here wee-gee boards?"

The question was asked by the Poet Bill, who had an even sadder-than-usual, poetic expression on his countenance.

"I'm thinking of getting one myself," continued Poet Bill, adding the comment, "I don't know whether there's anything in this here spook business or not, but I'm getting pretty well convinced there's things in this world that's past explaining. Least ways, that's the way I figure it out. I'm not talking just from what I've heard other people say, I've got perpendiculars to prove it. I'd like to know how you figure this out.

"Some time ago I goes to have my fortune told right here in this city. I didn't fix up or nothin'. Just goes the way I am. I says to myself, 'she can take me or leave me. It's all the same to me. If she takes me at all, she's got to take me as I am.'

Tells Him Everything.

"She did. She was polite as you please. Well, she starts in to tell me my past, present and future. She says, 'You've had a lot of trouble.'

"I says, 'I have.'

"She says, 'You've suffered loss by death.'

"I says, 'Yes, two of 'em in six months. How did you know?'

"Then she goes on telling me things about myself till, honest, my hat was sitting up on top of my head on three hairs.

"She says, 'You work in a place where there is steel and lots of glass.' Now, how do you suppose the old girl got hold of that?

"She goes on to tell me that when I left her place that day, I'd walk till I come to two pieces of steel lying on the ground and more steel at each end of these two pieces. She says they look like a railway track and before she's through she finds out they are a railway track. She says, 'When you get there, a train will be coming along, either from the east or the west. Don't try to cross. Let that train get by first.'

Got Him Going.

"She got me going so by what she said that after I left I walks along till I comes to the Grand Trunk tracks without knowing it. It was just like something hitting me in the chest. I says, 'sure enough, there's my fortune beginning to come true.'

"I looks for the train and there she is, rolling in from the west. Thinks I to myself, 'I'll stand here and see if there's anything in what the old girl says.'

"I waits till the train goes by and then starts across. It don't sound possible, hardly, but I catches my foot in the first rail and over I goes, right on my face. Say, when I got up you could've knocked me over with a feather. If I hadn't taken that old girl's warning I'd a been cut to pieces, sure as you're living.

Right Again.

"Well, the next thing that gets me going is the way something else she said comes true. She tells me I'll be sleeping in a strange bed. I did, a whole week last winter when we got tied up in the snow and I had to board at the hotel till I could get home again.

"By that time, that fortune was beginning to work on my mind, the uncanny way everything was coming round.

"Another thing she told me was that I'd meet with an accident, just a little one, not to amount to nothing. Say, it wasn't a month before I was laid up for five weeks. Can you beat that? I didn't die or nothing, so you couldn't call it a serious accident, but say, I just can't help noticin' the way everything is coming true, just like she told me. She tells me the worst hasn't come when I have the accident, that the worst is still to come an' to be brave. She had a heart, that woman, because she fills right up and can't speak for a minute when she sees how I'm takin' it.

"Says I to her, says I, 'Tell me the worst.'

"Then she says she can't tell me any more for a dollar. Say, how much does these wee-gee boards cost, anyhow? Can you wonder I'm looking solomncholy, everything coming true the way she told me, perpendiculars and all?"

GREATER UNIVERSITY COULD BE MADE TO EMBODY DESIRABLE FEATURES OF MANY MEMORIALS

President E. E. Braithwaite Says Nothing Would Offer as Many Advantages To Community as Proposed Extension, and Points Out Immense Possibilities.

BY PRESIDENT E. E. BRAITHWAITE.

The recent editorial utterance of The Advertiser commending my previous proposal to make the Western University the crowning feature of any memorials erected in Western Ontario in honor of our soldier heroes, and your intimation that further exposition of this subject would be welcome leads me to enlarge upon my former proposition.

Each community will naturally want to have its own memorials, consisting of tablets with the names of its own heroes inscribed, and such other forms as may be agreed upon. But as Western Ontario by itself forms so important a unit of the province, with its own distinctive features, it would be well if the whole district could unite in erecting at some central place a memorial that would be worthy of the united effort of this unexcelled section of the Dominion and be great enough to attract the attention not only of all parts of Canada, but of overseas countries as well. Needless to say, this should be not simply an artistic creation, but something that would be for the greatest permanent uplift of those who have ambition to make progress in the highest things of life.

I have been noticing for some time the various forms of memorials that have been suggested in the press, and I believe that the most desirable features of these could easily be incorporated in the scheme here outlined. Indeed it may be questioned if anything would meet these conditions better than a university of the highest type. It would not be too ambitious to lay far-reaching plans now for a great university which shall gradually assume definite shape during this and succeeding generations, having among its prominent features one group of buildings dedicated to the most important allies with whom we have been identified in the war; another group to the Western Ontario counties and cities which are willing to co-operate with us in this enterprise, most of whose battalions have spent some time in this city, and including a museum with souvenirs from the battlefields as one of its characteristic features; together with suitable statues, tablets, arches, memorial windows and mural decorations interspersed in the various buildings and on the grounds. The particular kind of work undertaken by the university would also be shaped to some extent by these considerations, as noted more fully below, and tend to give it a distinctive place among institutions of higher learning. The result of the whole would be to make this an unexcelled educational centre—from the kindergarten to the university.

A Western Ontario Institution.

Two matters should stand out with great prominence in any university enterprise entering upon the larger phases of its development in this locality at this particular time:

1. The first of these is the location itself. We should recognize that a good institution of higher learning here would be of immense benefit to the whole of Western Ontario. Statistics show that by far the greater proportion of students at any of our universities come from nearby sections. This is true even of those that have an international reputation. Young people will not go far in great numbers to secure a higher education, but when a good university is established within easy reach they flock to take advantage of it. From investigations made some time ago in the United States it appeared that while less than one per cent of the young men of a certain age were graduates yet over fifty per cent of the most prominent positions of the country were held by those who had had at least a partial university training. Other investigations have shown that even from a financial standpoint those who had the advantage of a higher education were receiving a much larger income on the average than those who were without this. It is clear, therefore, that this whole district will be tremendously benefited by a good university here—more than by any other institution or industry it could be established.

A Museum.

Prominent among the buildings might well be a museum that would include a collection of war trophies of special interest to Canadians and particularly to the battalions of Western Ontario; pictures of the battalions themselves, as well as of places where they trained and sojourned from time to time and of the scenes of some of their glorious victories and illustrious feats—Vimy Ridge, Festubert, Ypres, Mons, and other places; portraits of the commanding officers; illustrations of the prominent features of this whole district, its towns and cities and their officials, geological specimens, etc., together with suitable reception and entertainment rooms, where former soldiers would be free to come at any time and students meet their friends, with provision for reading, music, games and other forms of entertainment.

Education For Citizenship.

As there are more progressive municipalities closely associated with one another here than in any other part of Canada it would be appropriate to lay emphasis on the study of municipal government and kindred topics, which have been given little attention in our educational systems, but are coming to be recognized as important, especially by leading British and American institutions. This would naturally be accomplished by an extension of the department of political science and might gradually be enlarged in scope sufficiently to include the allied departments of commerce, journalism, sociology, education for efficient citizenship, training for municipal and national service, rural leadership, library school, laboratory work in chemistry and other sciences in association with local industries, etc., etc., thus giving the local university a place unique among Canadian institutions, yet all arising naturally out of the plans for its foundation.

Buildings For Allies.

2. Fully as important as the location to be remembered is the time. At the outset of what we hope to be the most eventful period of peace the world has ever known, some memorial of the great victory which has given us this hopeful outlook should be wrought out as a feature of the educational enterprise. Provision should be made for a group of buildings on some part of the campus to be dedicated to the principal allies. While these would be used for educational purposes, a portion of each building could be reserved for the incorporation of material from these several countries, both of a military and civil nature, which would be itself educational in its tendency and prove to be an attraction for visitors from far and near. The respective governments would doubtless actively co-operate in insuring a worthy exhibit of the best material of an illustrative and historic character, which they could provide and perhaps also in a more substantial way assist in the erection of suitable buildings.

Prominent among these should be a century peace building to commemorate the dwelling of Canada and the United States side by side in peace for one hundred years, with a three thousand mile boundary line and without a single fortress.

Make Languages Prominent.

This feature, too, would naturally have a bearing upon the character of the educational curriculum. It would suggest special attention to the modern languages and to the questions of international relations in general. The languages of our two important allies, France and Italy, might well be given a more prominent place in the modern university man's training, and for this we have already the beginning of one of the best departments in the country. This would not be, of course, to the neglect of the ancient languages which have always occupied so large a place in university life, and in which we also have the nucleus of one of the leading departments.

This may be far enough to outline the plan in detail for the present. But a university once established may go on for hundreds or even thousands of years, and on the unsurpassed two hundred acre site which has been secured there is scarcely any limit to the development that might take place in the future. Following up the same idea, another group of buildings, possibly connected with some department of the university's activities not now in existence, might in time be dedicated to the various provinces of the Dominion and still another group to the several countries making up the Empire. As a centre of all and of commanding prominence, of course, should be the London building, to be erected by the citizens of this city in the initial stage of the building era.

Splendid Architectural Opportunity.

The university property lends itself splendidly to the possibility of a magnificent architectural development in the direction here set forth. Statues to the departed leaders like Kitchener and Lord Roberts, tributes to the living, including Foch, Haig and our own Currie, inscriptions to our fallen heroes, repeated from the several localities, arches, memorial gates, mural decorations, historical documents, could all be made subservient to the main idea and result in an unsurpassed place of beauty.

Such a university established here on the lines laid down would be the outstanding feature not only of London, but of all Western Ontario. It would be more attractive than any industry or combination of industries that could be brought together. It would be the first place visitors would want to go, and would attract many from distant points. It would advertise London more widely and more favorably than any other advertising scheme that could be devised. Many a smaller place has a world-wide reputation simply because it is the seat of a university, though oftentimes this is a very unpretentious institution.

It would, of course, be in a large degree building for the future. But a significant beginning could be made now, and in far less than a score of years enough progress could be made to give some earnest of the later achievement. It would be not a single city, but a whole district co-operating in a great educational enterprise.

Severely restrained as we have been during the last four years in our "Forward Movement," yet making notable progress in spite of the war, including a decided increase of the staff, acquisition of valuable property, enlargement of our libraries and extension of our laboratories (while most educational institutions have gone backward), we are nevertheless now free for the first time during this period to advance in proportion to our opportunities. The prospect of the immediate erection of the medical building bespeaks a new beginning of what promises to be a university enterprise of far-reaching importance.

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VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

AN APPRECIATIVE MOTHER.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I read with much interest and great pleasure in your columns of today's "Tixer that the subject which I wrote on a few days ago re "Mothers' Pensions," has met with success in so far that a resolution was passed by members of the Y. W. C. A. Citizen Club in favor of the above-mentioned, and I sincerely hope that the good cause will continue to meet with approval when placed before the Provincial Government.

The enthusiasm and clear-reasoning of Miss Armstrong as she emphasized the need of Child Welfare and Mothers' Pensions shows that the matter is being capably handled, and my good wishes and full sympathy flow in her direction. When her efforts are crowned with the success they deserve she will have gained the gratitude and appreciation of all loyal citizens, especially those who cherish memories of a happy childhood.

Although the war has claimed terrible sacrifices from many mothers, yet many more mothers suddenly awoke to the fact that the lessons of patriotism and sense of right and duty which they had instilled into their boys were being practically demonstrated in a manner that saved the empire in her hour of need.

So let us by all means, either by mother pensions or some other financial scheme, keep the children at their mother's knees and, come peace or war, the future generations will carry on the glorious traditions which are the solid foundation of the British Empire.

Sincerely yours,
A PATRIOTIC MOTHER.
London, Ont., Feb. 4, 1919.

THE LIQUOR QUESTION.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

Kindly permit me space in the mail edition of your valuable paper to express my views regarding prohibition in Canada.

My views are that the prohibitionists represent a very small minority; while the temperate people represent the big majority of the population in this country.

When the prohibitionists circulated petitions throughout this country to abolish the bar, the temperate populace gave their support to this, for what they termed and were promised a more sane system of dispensing spirituous liquors. Instead, they are carrying us back twenty centuries.

With a stroke of the pen Czar Nicholas struck the vodka out of Russia, carrying himself, together with his strong, mighty, victorious nation, back twenty centuries, and into Bolshevism.

Let us show our American cousins where they are on the verge of falling back twenty centuries, with every possible consequence of great unrest.

Let us give the honest and respectable majority in this country a British fair play law.

A law that will fill our hearts and homes with health, happiness and prosperity.

A law that will protect our young folks in strict temperance.

A law that will bar aliens from any privilege of using spirituous liquors, and render them less bold in their Bolshevik movements.

A law that will eliminate stills and blind pigs without any expenses to the country.

A law that will place the Government in immediate acquaintance with all who are permitted the use of spirituous liquors.

A law that would deprive those who would dare make excess use of its allotted quantity.

I very strongly recommend a system similar that which appeared in the London Advertiser, January 8, 1919, entitled, "A New Liquor Policy." The more I study it the more good I find in it. When you take into consideration that in the United States today one and half million young men between the ages of 21 and 31, who have become drug addicts since the dry law is in effect. I leave it to the honest readers of this paper, has prohibition brought joy or sorrow to the homes of these young men?

The Government, doctors and prohibitionists may all say there is an abundant supply of spirituous for the tin-afflicted, I can safely say that 75 per cent of the "flu" sufferers who were refused spirituous liquor remained after a long illness with some after effects, while those who were favored with spirituous liquor had short illness and no after effects. And what will become of us all when the worst comes. The doctors claim a disease ten times worse than the "flu" is due to strike this continent some time this year. Surely they don't wish us all to die.

The prohibitionists, like the German armies, are overriding their horses to a Waterloo on this question, and if carried on much further will inevitably meet its Russia. A SUBSCRIBER.
Tecumseh, Ont., Feb. 3, 1919.

OSTEOPATHY.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:

As one of the public allow me to bring before the notice of readers a few facts which are of fundamental importance in this era of reconstruction upon which we are entering—fundamental, I say, because they concern directly the health and well-being of our Canadian people. Most readers know that a bill regulating the practice of medicine, is pending in our Ontario Legislature. The result is being eagerly awaited by many, but most eagerly by the medical profession of the Allopathic School, who have, in reality placed a strong, influential organization before the Government to demand the expulsion of those physicians who have dared to question the superiority of the traditional and time-honored methods of healing—I have in mind our Osteopathic physicians—the certified graduates of the seven recognized Osteopathic colleges in America. Chiropractors and others at best, being only unskilled and untrained imitators, unworthy, in view of their lamentable lack of educational requirements of any recognition on the part of the Government.

I find that a great deal of ignorance concerning Osteopathy prevails. This is not strange when we consider the comparatively small number of physicians practicing in Ontario. Only the larger centres have the advantage of osteopathic skill. The science of osteopathy was founded by Andrew Taylor Still, M.D., an honored physician of 30 years' practice, who recognized the futility of drug dosing, evolved a better system of healing and who possessed the dauntless courage and determination to carry on his investigations in spite of the most bitter and unyielding opposition. Deserted by friends, relatives and scorned by the members of his own profession, he persisted, and his success in curing all manner of disease was marvelous. His fame spread. Then his desire to instruct his sons and others in the new science found expression in the establishment of a school at Kirksville, Missouri, the scene of his greatest achievements. In 1892, the American School of Osteopathy was founded, the largest and parent osteopathic college in America. The college includes a nurses' training school, surgical hospital, anatomical, X-ray, clinical, chemical, physiological, bacteriological, pathological, histological, biological and optical laboratories. In fact, the latest improvements in every department are immediately added to the school's equipment.

Consider, then, the wonderful development of the profession in the light of its youth, absence of Government or private endowment, and the most prejudiced, bitter and determined crusade of persecution by allopaths. Yet in United States osteopathy has in this brief period of its growth demonstrated its value and won legal recognition in over forty states.

Space will not permit discussion here of this new theory of the cause and treatment of disease. Sickness and disease are as old as sin, and methods of treatment vary. Each radically new development in the science of healing has always been attended by a storm of reproach and bitter opposition. The medical student has typical example of this in the case of the doctor and scientist who discovered the circulation of the blood. This new theory met with derision, and its exponent was hounded from the profession. Just so with the osteopathic theory. The most bigoted opposers have always been those who ought to be sufficiently magnanimous and broad-minded to eagerly embrace what benefits suffering humanity. Notwithstanding this, osteopathy has long since passed beyond the doubtful stage. It universally appeals to the intelligent of the community, and the extraordinary results obtained through its treatment testify as to its merit.

The educational and ethical standards of the osteopath are high. In general, his training in the various departments is the same as that of our Ontario medical student, but much more emphasis is laid on the principles in connection with his own science. The osteopath has proven himself to be a careful and skillful diagnostician and a boon to the suffering of the community. At no time has this latter fact been emphasized more than during the influenza epidemic. Pneumonia, that dread "captain of death," as the medical writer styles it, is prevented successfully by the osteopath. In the community in which the writer lives, a spectacular cure was wrought at the eleventh hour. The medical doctors had given the patient up to die—the osteopath was called and the man is a living witness now. This is only one case. It is early yet to complete statistics, but in communities where there are certified osteopaths (not the mushroom chiropractor variety) the results of their work will bear witness of the unapproachable superiority of their methods. Osteopathy is rapidly being recognized as the most rational, sane, safe and broad method of treatment in existence today.

It is here to stay because the people will demand it. Therefore, for the sake of the public welfare, for the sake of progress and enlightenment, the Government of Ontario should extend to osteopathy the full legal recognition it merits and requests.

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This season will prove a veritable riot of color combination in wash goods, each and every fabric radiating shades of color and design, reflecting a peaceful spring and summer. The tension of war time is over and manufacturers have vied with one another in producing wash goods almost symbolic of peaceful days beneath cloudless skies in spring and summer. Richly-colored floral effects, in high-grade voiles will be the leading fabric for the season, closely followed by plain colored cotton suitings, which make up into serviceable, economical suits for lakeside wear. Smock effects will again be very popular both in Hawaiian cloth and Beach Suiting, also in Rangoon silk. This is a silk and cotton mixture closely resembling shantung, but with a glossy finish, introduced late last season it immediately became very popular, and will be in great demand this season. White Skirtings are strongly featured for this season, while Gabardines, Tricotines and Piques will be the principal weaves. The new Crepe Poplin will appeal strongly at very first sight.



HERE ARE A FEW LEADING FABRICS.

FLORAL DESIGNS in high-grade Voiles, all the latest New York and London creations, from ..... 65c yard up

RANGOON SILK, a silk and cotton mixture, in plain colors, similar in weave to shantung, comes in sky, cadet, mauve, rose, green, castor and tan, 36 inches wide ..... $1.35 yard

HAWAIIAN CLOTH, the watershed-finished cloth, that was such a big success last season. This will be as popular as ever this year for wash suits, smocks, etc., full range of colors, pink, rose, sky, cadet, navy, green, tan, grey, mauve, black and white 36 inches wide ..... 80c yard

PONGEE SUITING—This is an old favorite, a highly-mercerized linen-finished cotton suiting, a splendid material for wear, in plain colors of sky, cadet, pink, rose and green, 27 inches wide..75c yard

We extend to you a cordial invitation to our wash goods opening display. The cream of high-class wash goods at reasonable prices from the best English and New York houses.

Wash Goods Department, Main Floor.

Notice to Mail Order Customers

To avoid disappointment later in the season, when the newer things are sold down to short lengths, we would advise mail order customers to write for samples now when stocks are fresh and new and order early, making a second and third choice, if possible. Now is the time to secure your wash fabrics for 1919 summer.

Samples on Request

We pay the carrying charges on all mail orders.

You Save From 1-4 to 1-3 on These Dressing Tables in February Sale

Dressing Table, genuine mahogany, with three mirrors. February sale price $26.75

Two only Dressing Tables, one mahogany and one walnut, made with swell fronts and British beveled mirrors. February sale price $21.00



One only Mahogany-Finish Dressing Table, with three British mirrors. February sale price $17.75

One only Dressing Table, white enamel, slightly imperfect. February sale price $13.25

Four only, tables, two mahogany, two gumwood, size 20x28 inches. February sale price ..... $7.00 and $6.00

These odd Chiffoniers at prices to clear them quickly, two only, walnut, the tops and fronts are genuine walnut, the parts are walnut finish, fitted with mirror back. February sale price $24.75

One only, Chiffonier, mahogany finish, with mirror back. February sale price $23.75

One only White Enameled Chiffonier, with five drawers and mirror back. February sale price $21.25

One only Dresser, genuine mahogany, dull finish, the top and end panels are mahogany veneer, and all other parts are solid mahogany, dustproof construction, 48 inches wide, 23 inches deep, 28x36-inch British mirror; quarter less. February sale price $59.50

This Genuine Walnut Bedroom Suite at a Saving of 25 Per Cent

The design is the Chippendale, and is correct to the smallest detail. The bed is full size; the dresser is 48 inches wide, has two long and two short drawers, and 30x38 British mirror; the chiffonette is 20x34 inches, cupboard fitted with trays of quarter-cut sycamore and dustproof partitions; the dressing table is 20x40 inches, has two mirrors each 9x20 inches and one mirror 16x26 inches. February sale price, four pieces $183.00

AFTERNOON SPECIALS.

Special! Planked Sirloin Steak, Apple Pie, Cup of Tea 90c

Whipped Cream Cake 15c

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

AFTERNOON SPECIALS.

Oyster Stew, Thin Bread and Butter 30c

Lobster Salad, Thin Bread and Butter, Cup of Tea 40c

Cold Sliced Chicken with Potato Salad 50c

CONSTIPATION

Can't be cured by strong cathartics. The bowels need a natural remedy like Munyon's Paw-Paw Pills to help them produce a natural movement.

Munyon's Paw-Paw Laxative Pills contain no drugs. They school the bowels to act without physic.

They act upon the liver and stimulate the secretion of bile, which thoroughly digests the food and assists the bowels in a perfectly natural manner to throw the waste matter from the system. Munyon's Paw-Paw Pills do not weaken, sicken or gripe.



All druggists. Price 30c.

RELIANCE Garage
SERVICE Station

WAS WELL TREATED WHILE A PRISONER

Pte. A. Vantassel Lacked Only Good Food.

WAS NOT OVERWORKED

Just Enough To Do To Keep Him Moving and Warm.

Pte. Albert Vantassell, who went overseas with the 71st Battalion, writes the following interesting letter describing his treatment while a prisoner in Germany. Pte. Vantassell went overseas with the 71st Battalion, later being transferred to the 44th Battalion. On October 25, 1916, he was wounded and transferred to hospital in England, where he remained until February 28, 1917, when he returned to France. Shortly afterwards he contracted pneumonia. On his recovery, he again entered the fighting force and was taken prisoner, spending one year and four months in Germany. He was released in December last, and now writes as follows:

Was Well Treated.

"I suppose you will be wondering how I was treated in Germany. They treated me very well, but I had very little to eat for eight weeks. At first I was working in Doual, unloading barges of stone and building a branch line on the railroad, so they could take all the iron work out of a big factory and ship it to Germany. From there I was sent to Dulman camp, where I had a Red Cross emergency packet issued to me, and I finished it in two days, because I was so hungry. I was six weeks in Dulman and had three packets, one every two weeks, but they did not last long.

"I was then sent to Mannheim camp, and stayed there for four days, going later to Henburg camp, where I remained for the rest of the time.

In Stone Quarry.

"At first I was working in a stone quarry and on the roads, but the Englishmen in the camps were better than they were at Dulman. I had plenty to eat and the work was not very hard, just enough to keep us moving about and keep warm. We were finished about 12 o'clock, and had about an hour's walk back to camp, with the rest of the day to ourselves.

"One day the man in charge of the fellows told them that when they had wheeled twelve barrows of stone to the road they would be finished. One party finished before the other and the officers told them to throw the stone in the road while they were waiting for the others. This they refused to do, so had to work all day the next day and have their dinner in the cold. We were getting six cents a day and eating our own food.

Tried Escapes.

"I went from there to work on a farm at a place called Kradmann, and worked for four days. After which I escaped and tried to get to Switzerland. However, I was caught and returned to camp, where I was given 13 days' imprisonment. I was then returned to the farm for another four days, when I again escaped, being fired on three times. Still I was not hit, but was caught and sent back to camp. I was not imprisoned, however. I stayed six weeks in camp, and then went out on the farm again, trying once more to escape. This time I was given ten days' imprisonment and very little to eat. A Russian used to bring me some food, however, handing it in at the window.

"I returned to the farm just in time for plum and apple picking, and remained there until I left Germany for England. I arrived in England on December 22, going on leave the next day, in time to spend Christmas in London, England."

AGED RESIDENT EXPIRES SUDDENLY



Advertiser Illustrations

With startling suddenness death came to Mrs. Ruby Gales, an aged colored resident of this city, last night.

Mrs. Gales, who was 82 years old, was apparently in good health, when she suddenly became ill and soon expired at the family home 742 Grey street.

She had resided in London practically all her life. Her husband, Daniel Gales, died about thirteen years ago. She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Mary Coursey, and one son, Charles Gales, both of this city.

The funeral will be held on Saturday from the family residence to Mount Pleasant Cemetery at 2:30 o'clock.

LOCAL NEWS

OLD - TIME CONGREGATIONAL TEA.—The congregation of Dundas Centre Methodist Church is holding an old-time congregational tea on Friday evening of this week, when 300 or 400 members and adherents will be present. Short speeches and music will be the order of the evening.

AN ENJOYABLE EVENING.—A very pleasant evening was spent by the A. Y. P. A. members and their friends in the Sunday school auditorium of St. James' Church on Monday evening last. The Henderson Concert Company orchestra, under the leadership of Arthur Rourke, rendered an excellent program. Miss Alice McDonald's reading and Sid Chapman's whistling solos were also much appreciated. Games were enjoyed later in the evening, and refreshments were served by the ladies.

MINSTRELS TO GIVE SHOW.—On Friday night, the Engineers at Carling Heights will give a concert, in the form of a minstrel show in the "Y." but. It is one of the competitive concerts that are being given every Friday night under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. There will be forty members in the show, all Engineers, who have been in training for the past month. This will be their first public appearance. The public is extended a cordial invitation. On Wednesday next, the same concert will be given in the Byron Sanatorium.

ARCHDEACON RETIRING. — After more than 52 years of service as a clergyman of the Church of England, Ven. Archdeacon Richardson, rector of St. John's, London Township, and St. Luke's, Broughdale, is retiring from his parochial charge. Born in Halifax, N. S., in 1843, he graduated in arts and theology at King's College, Windsor, N. S., in 1864. The greater part of active service to the church has been given in this city, where he was rector for 22 years of the Cronyn Memorial Church before being appointed to St. John's, 20 years ago.

SAYS CANADIANS IN FRANCE FOR WINTER QUITE COMFORTABLE

Major J. C. Tolmie, M.P.P., in City Today.

U. S. ENTRANCE EFFECT

Strengthened Morale of Allies, Though Sammies Did Little Fighting.

Major J. C. Tolmie, M. P. P. of Windsor, who returned from overseas Tuesday afternoon, was in the city today to report to headquarters. He has been a chaplain in France for many months, and the only time he was in England was on his way to France and on his return. Officers who came in contact with the well-known minister said that his work in France was of the finest character and that he made friends everywhere by his strenuous labors for the boys.

In an interview Major Tolmie stated that he was with the 4th Division and did not reach Germany.

Plans Changed.

"The 1st and 2nd Divisions were sent to occupy that country and preserve order, and the 4th Division was slated to relieve them, and allow members of the first two divisions to return home, but the men raised such strong objections to the work that the authorities in command decided to withdraw our forces, and the work will now be undertaken by the imperial troops in conjunction with the armies of the other allied countries."

Even before his departure from France, withdrawal of Canadians from the occupied zone which had been allotted them, extending from Cologne to Bonn, had commenced, and they were being replaced by imperials. Major Tolmie was in England on furlough, but became acquainted with a vacancy on the Grampian, and fortunately arranged his passage through the authorities, and thus spent but four or five days in "Blighty," on his way back from the front.

More Comfortable.

Canadian boys in France this winter will be much more comfortably quartered than has been the case in any winter since the outbreak of hostilities, says Major Tolmie. During the winter of 1916-17 the weather was extremely cold, accommodation poor, and fuel supplies generally lacking. The succeeding winter was better in many respects, but the season of 1918-19 will find the men working under comparatively satisfactory conditions. Having left the area of devastation, which extended only practically as far as Mons and Valenciennes on the north, the allied forces are now in territory which has been preserved by the Germans in anticipation of it becoming a permanent German possession.

America's Effect.

Speaking of the effect of America's entry into the war, Major Tolmie said: "To a certain extent, claims made in certain quarters that America won the war, were correct, in that while the Sammies did little actual fighting, their entrance into the struggle at a critical period strengthened our morale, and correspondingly weakened that of the foe. And further, I do not believe that Gen. Foch would have risked a counter-offensive on such a large scale as he did last spring were it not for the strong force of reserves he had available through America's support. In March, 1918, we were feeling somewhat gloomy at the front and watched carefully the progress of events, when the Hun advance was at its height, but with increased effort by the United States our hands were strengthened, and our spirit improved."

Behavior Excellent.

Major Tolmie, who is an ardent prohibition advocate, during his experiences overseas, in which time he was scarcely out of France, had only praise to offer for the manner in which the Canadian soldiers conducted themselves on the field of battle, and in camp. Rum, he declared, was rationed out only when a "push" was on, and then, only in thimblefuls, and it was used judiciously by the men and not abused.

Just how long Canada's sons will be retained overseas, Major Tolmie declined to express an opinion. It would depend largely on the outcome of the negotiations at the peace conference, and the attitude of the authorities at home.

Since he went overseas as paymaster of the 99th Battalion, Major Tolmie has been the friend, padre, and comrade of the Essex County unit. His three years' active service in France have improved his physique, and he is in excellent physical condition.

MOTHERS OF SLAIN FEEL THEY SHOULD RECEIVE GRATUITY

Not Fault of Boys They Did Not Return.

STRONG APPEAL MADE

One Mother Expresses Her Opinions in the Matter in Letter.

A mother of a soldier who made the supreme sacrifice for his country, asks why she and other mothers like her, should not receive the gratuity pay which is given by the Government to the men who have survived the war. She writes to the G. W. V. A.:

"Having seen so much in the papers about gratuity pay, I should like to make the suggestion that mothers who have lost their sons for the country should also receive this pay, which would have gone to their sons had they lived.

"The world seems very unequally divided. What compensation has the mother who parted with her dear boy of 19 years of age so that he might give his life's blood for the liberty of slackers and cowards? She is treated by the Government in just the same manner as the mothers of those slackers and cowards, who planned to keep their boys safely at home, saying they were too good to be slain on the battlefield, because they had such a great influence for good over the young people where they worked, thus casting ridicule on the fallen heroes.

No Recognition.

"Those mothers are just as much recognized by the so-called order-in-council as the mothers of the fallen ones, only the latter receive the awful words, "Sincerely regret," which are run off on a machine by the yard, with no feeling or thought behind them, and sent out to the heart-broken mothers, whose sons suffered in training and active service, and died for the mothers who do not even know what it means to send their boys away over the sea.

Might Do Something.

"Money cannot pay us for our loved ones, but the Government might at least recompense us in a small way and show their appreciation for the suffering which will attend us all our lives. They might at least give us the gratuity pay the men are all clamoring for. The reason the boys who were killed did not get back to claim this money, is no fault of their own, and I think the mother ought to be entitled to it. Does it seem like doing justice to the mother of a fallen hero not to have her recognized, when she is mourning and grieving for her son, who suffered and died on Flanders' Fields?"

The Quality Food Shop

This shop has earned that good name through selling dependable goods day in and day out to its many customers, and you can tell by the prices quoted in this advertisement that this is the shop which saves you money.

PANCAKES
served with our Maple Syrup are simply irresistible—Maple Syrup that tastes just like that made back on the old farm. Large bottle 60c

PANCAKE FLOUR
Your favorite brand is here. A package .....15c to 20c

...SCO, 1-lb. can.....30c
...G BAKING POWDER
1-lb. can 32c
CORNSTARCH, two packages 25c
NEW ORLEANS MOLASSES, a can 11c
AYLMER TOMATOES, two cans 35c
AYLMER PEAS, two cans 30c

DO YOU LIKE DILL PICKLES?
Dill Pickles are very relishable; their appetizing flavor comes from the fresh dill placed between the pickle layers. There's nothing more appetizing than a crisp, crunchy dill pickle.
A dozen 35c
Also cans at, each.....25c

EXTRA SPECIAL.
Choice Small White Beans, ...3 lbs. 25c
Lima Beans .....18c lb.

TOBACCO.
Old Chum, Senator, T. & B. cut and plug, Orinoco, Stag and McDonald's. Special for this week-end 2 for 25c

New pack of
SHERRIFF'S SCOTCH MARMALADE
Just arrived.
...lass Jars at..33c, 43c, 57c
...lb. cans at 93c

GRANULATED SUGAR
9 POUNDS 98c
delivered with another purchase.

FLOUR
7-lb. bag 45c
12-lb. bag 79c
24-lb. bag $1.57

BEST QUALITY SEEDED RAISINS.....2 pkgs. 25c

FRESH CREAMERY BUTTER ..... 55c lb
with another purchase.

HAVE YOU EVER TASTED CANNED SWEET POTATOES?
They're carefully peeled, cooked and canned, and retain all their original flavor. Just place the can in boiling water for about 20 minutes, open and serve with a little butter, pepper and salt. Large 3-lb. can, special at 19c

CALIFORNIA BARTLETT PEARS.
Large cans, special at...25c

LILY WHITE SYRUP.
2-lb. cans 27c
5-lb. cans 60c
10-lb. cans 98c
CORN SYRUP, 10-lb. can 89c
BEST OATMEAL, 4 lbs. 25c
GOLD DUST CORNMEAL, ...4 lbs. 25c
CREAM OF WHEAT .....3 lbs. 25c
CORN FLAKES...2 for 25c
CREAM OF BARLEY, large package 27c

PURE COCOA
This Cocoa is unsweetened and unadulterated, equal to any you pay 50c a pound for in cans. Special at..35c lb.

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STANDARD DRUG STORES

SHOW REMARKABLE INCREASES

In Volume of business for the month of January over that of January, 1918, and for the month of February, though the shortest month in the year, we want to enjoy a similar increase over last month's exceptional business. Such big increases in volume of business as these permit us giving such big decreases in prices as these for FRIDAY AND SATURDAY:

25c Listerine **21c** | 25c Eclectric Oil 18c | Aspirin Tablets 5-grain 2 dozen 19c | Lavender Water Sm'l size 25c L'ge size 50c | 15c Camphor Ice Squares 2 for 25c | Zymole Trokeys **25c** | $1.50 Scott's Emulsion $1.14 | 25c Velvet Skin Food 19c | 75c Scott's Emulsion 57c | 25c Forminol (antiseptic gargle) 19c

Hydrogen Peroxide fresh, full strength, regular 25c 10c

Bisurated Magnesia regular 75c 48c

Grove's Laxative Bromo-Quinine regular 30c 19c

Carter's Liver Pills regular 25c 14c

Saltogyn Tablets regular $1.00 79c

Fruit-a-tives regular 50c 29c

Freezone Corn Cure regular 35c 22c

Hamilton's Pills regular 25c 19c

15 Gross
TANLAC
A splendid stomachic and system builder.
Price .....$1.00 per bottle

Bargains in Toilet Articles
Minty's Tooth Paste ..25c
Colgates Tooth Paste ..25c
Na-Dru-Co Tooth Paste 25c
Formolid Tooth Paste..35c
Pepsodent Tooth Paste 38c
Zodenta Tooth Paste ..19c
S. D. L. Charcoal Tooth Paste 19c
M. S. C. Cocoanut Oil Shampoo 28c
Mavis Talcum Powder 24c
35c Cutex Cuticle Remover 28c
35c Cutex Nail Polish, paste and cake 28c
50c Manicure Set 45c
Minty's Face Powder..50c
Doris Face Powder ...50c
Danderine, small 24c
Danderine, medium ...48c
Danderine, large 90c
Pond's Vanishing Cream 33c
Mary Garden Talcum (flesh and white) ...57c

Hot Water Bottles Bargains
Wesco Special $1.19
No. 5 Hot Water Bottle.. .....$1.29
No. 252 Hot Water Bottle $1.59
S. D. L. Hot Water Bottle $1.98
Extra Superfine Hot Water Bottle $2.39
Wentworth Metal Bottle, ordinary $3.00
Wentworth Metal Bottle, combination $3.50

Special Prices in Ingram's Toilet Articles
$1.00 Milkweed Cream 57c
50c Velveola Face Powder 33c
25c Velveola Face Powder 19c
25c Milkweed Cream Soap 19c
50c Ingram Rouge 33c
50c Ingram Calla Cream 33c
25c Zodenta Tooth Paste.. .....19c
25c Zodenta Tooth Powder 19c
Friday and Saturday

Bargains For the Baby
50c Horlick's Milk 40c
$1.00 Horlick's Milk ..80c
$3.75 Horlick's Milk $3.00
Nestle's Food 70c
Borden's Condensed Milk 23c
Baby's Own Cough Syrup 24c
50c Brook's Baby Barley 35c
Baby's Own Tablets ..17c
Red and Black Rubber Soothers .....2 for 25c
Nobility Transparent Soothers .....2 for 25c
Nobility Transparent Nipples .....3 for 25c
Friday and Saturday

6 Dozen
ZONOX Throat Pastilles
Relieves immediately all irritations of throat and bronchial tubes. Price, per box 24c
Mail orders must contain sufficient for war tax and postage.

40c Musterole 32c

Rit Dye all shades 10c

Oxo Cubes Small ...10c Large ...25c

25c Chase's K. & L. Pills 18c

25c Chase's Linseed and Turpentine 19c

10c Envelopes 3 pkgs. 19c

60c Chase's Linseed and Turpentine 39c

25c S. D. L. Cherry Bark Expectorant 19c

Miller's Iron Pills regular 25c 19c

Nerviline regular 30c 19c

2 Gross
Kkovah Health Salts
Reg. 15c straight.
Friday and Saturday
2 for 25c.

Big Special in Olive Oil
Beaumartin brand, sealed bottles. Reg. 90c ...74c
Italian Oil. Reg. $3.00. Quart tins $2.49
Friday and Saturday

ATOMIZERS
Manufactured by De Vilbiss Manufacturing Co.
Atlas, No. 29 .....95c
Atlas, No. 23 .....$1.25
De Vilbiss, No. 15 ...$1.75
De Vilbiss, No. 16 ...$2.00
De Vilbiss, No. 28 ...$1.75
De Vilbiss, No. 49 ...$2.00
Every Atomizer fully guaranteed.

For the Man Who Shaves
25c National Shaving Lotion 17c
50c Mennen's Shaving Cream.. .....37c
25c Mennen's Talcum for Men 17c
50c Corson's Florida Water 39c
10c Styptic Pencils .....2 for 15c
Williams' Quick and Easy Soap .....2 for 25c
Friday and Saturday.

Extra Special
LUX
Regular 15c
Friday and Saturday
2 for 19c
With other purchases.

Bargains in Cigars
A prominent cigar manufacturer said the other day: "You give the public a better deal in cigars than anybody I know of." We leave it to you to judge.
El Premio .....5 for 25c
Peg Tops .....6 for 30c
Mona, Ola, 5 Days From Havana .....4 for 25c
Santa Clara, Dolly Varden .....7 for 50c
Democrat, Simons' Conchas .....3 for 25c
Bachelors, Japs 5 for 40c
Friday and Saturday.

NEILSON'S CHOCOLATES
"The Chocolates that are different." For this sale we are especially featuring the "home-made" package. A full pound of these delicious chocolates for 50c
We also carry a full range of their other packages at prices that range from.... .....30c to $3.00

Pure Drugs, etc.
Witch Hazel, 16 ounces 45c
Glycerine, 3 ounces ..25c
Sulphur ..5c, 10c 15c pkg.
Aromatic Cascara, 3 ounces 25c
Boric Acid .....10c, 20c and 35c pkg.
Epsom Salts .....5c, 10c and 15c pkg.
Borax 5c, 10c and 25c pkg.
Vaseline (yellow), 2 ounces 5c
Vaseline (yellow) 4 ounces 10c
Camphorated Oil, 2 ozs. 25c
Glycerine and Rose Water, 6 ounces 24c

Bovril 2-oz. size regular 45c 39c

Pick's Scalp Tonic Reg. 25c, 19c Reg. 50c, 39c

Zonox Herbal Ointment for burns and sores 24c

Chewing Gum, Wrigley's and Adams' 2 for 10c

Zonox Bronchial Lozenges for sore throats 15c

Snap Hand-Cleaner 2 for 29c

Zonox Regulators for the bowels 25c

Zonox Analgesic Balm, 24c

25c Mennen's Talcums 17c | 50c Peps **33c** | 50c Pinex Cough Syrup **39c** | 75c Nasal Balm **57c** | 25c Nature's Remedy 2 for 28c | 60c Chase's Ointment 39 | 25c Chase's Catarrh Powder 13c | 15c Hanson's Junket Tablets, 3 for 25c | Orchid Face Powder, 48c | 50c Gin Pills for the Kidneys, 35c 3 for $1.00

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Jack Frost Coming Along With Intent To Show Real Cold

Ideas of Early Spring Fading With Present Snap.

Jack Frost, after being in the cellar position of the winter league this season so far, took a new lease of life today and is starting to climb the ladder to real cold weather. After one glance outside today an extra shovelful of coal was thrown on the furnace, and those individuals who had persuaded themselves that spring was just round the corner, and insisted on bringing out their April overcoats, decided they had been fooled.

The weatherman says in his little talkfest today: "Fair and moderately cold, with the west extremely cold." No repetition of January's atmospheric conditions is promised for this month, and sister Susie will yet have a chance to carry the muff that she got for Christmas.

SAW AND HAMMER TO HOLD SWAY AROUND OLD G. T. R. STATION

Offices To Be Rearranged and Windows Added.

Within a week it is expected that the sound of the hammer and saw will be heard around the Grand Trunk station. The offices will be rearranged entirely and the hall on the second floor will be made narrower. At least two new windows will be made in the east wall of what is now the telegraph room. The work will take considerable time to finish, but it is said that all that can be done towards renovating the interior of the old building will be done. It is not known whether new office furniture will be installed.

No arrangements have been made to provide new quarters for the staff, while the repairing is in progress.

RETURNS HOME.—Rev. Lady Jean Hooper has returned from Toronto, where she has been giving a series of lectures.

FORMER LONDONER IN NAVY THREE YEARS



Advertiser Illustrations

T. KENT MACARTHUR, son of the late Dr. James MacArthur of this city, and formerly a member of the local staff of the Bank of Toronto.

$4,000 WORTH OF BONDS STOLEN IN CITY SINCE FIRST VICTORY CAMPAIGN

Victory Bonds to the value of $4,000 have been stolen in London since the conclusion of the first Victory Loan campaign in 1917, at least the theft of bonds amounting to this sum has been reported to F. B. Clarke. It is thought that the amount would be considerably larger if all thefts were reported. In the whole of Canada $50,000 worth of bonds have been reported stolen. The largest theft was that of 60 bonds worth $1,000 each, which took place in Toronto.

People are warned about leaving their bonds lying about, as there is frequently some one who is looking for such an opportunity.

EXTENSIVE DRILLING OPERATIONS IN MOORE

Oil and Gas Company at Work There.

IN LAMBTON COUNTY, TOO

Activity Greater Than For Many Years in Western Ontario.

Not since the days of the Petrolea boom have such extensive operations in the way of oil drilling been in progress or under consideration in Western Ontario by corporations, syndicates and individuals as at present. Extensive drilling for oil is being done by the Castle Oil and Gas Company, Limited, in the Mosa field, in the township of Mosa, Middlesex, and in Shetland, township of Euphemia, Lambton County.

While Western Ontario operations of this company are confined to these two townships, the company has extensive interests in the townships of Delaware, Caradoc, London, Westminster, Dorchester North and South, and West Nissouri. Two fields are being developed in the United States, one in Louisiana, the other in Wyoming.

SORE THROAT LEADING COMMUNICABLE DISEASES

Eighteen new cases of communicable diseases were reported during the past week, with throat trouble in the lead, six cases of "just sore throat" and six cases of diphtheria. Scarlet fever, according to the report for the week ending February 1, stands second in prominence, with four new cases, and a total of ten in isolation. Chickenpox made a feeble attempt to spread itself, claiming two new victims. The total number of cases in isolation for communicable diseases was 33.

ENTERTAINED CHILDREN. — The Sunday school class of the St. John's Anglican Church, entertained the children of the Protestant Orphans' Home to a fine tea and entertainment on Tuesday evening at the home on Richmond street.

SUM OF $75 RAISED FOR NEEDY FAMILIES

Successful Bazaar Held by Mothers' Club.

Tecumseh School Mothers' Club held a most successful bazaar in the kindergarten department of the school on Wednesday afternoon, when in the neighborhood of $75 was cleared for the assistance of families left in poor circumstances through the influenza epidemic, owing to the death of the breadwinner and long sickness. Always an inviting place, the kindergarten room presented a most festive appearance, home cooking, candy and needlework tables attractively decorated, while the flower table was like a beautiful big bouquet. A most decorative feature was the war savings and thrift stamp booth, draped with bunting and flags, and hung with artistic posters.

A pretty tea-room was arranged in a corner of the room, where light refreshments were served during the afternoon and evening. Mrs. T. Lowes, president of the club, was assisted in making the bazaar a success by the other officers and members, and also by the teachers in the school.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

DIED IN BUFFALO.

The death of Mrs. George E. Jarvis occurred at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. L. Hay, 185 Hampshire street, Buffalo, N. Y., on Tuesday morning, February 4. The body is being brought to London for burial at the Brick Street Cemetery, services to be conducted at the undertaking parlors of N. J. Griffith at 2:30 p.m. on Thursday, funeral at 3 o'clock. Mrs. Jarvis is survived by two daughters, Mrs. J. A. Duvall of Holborn, Alta., and Mrs. M. L. Hay of Buffalo, N. Y., and two sons, Charles of Wilton Grove and Fred W. B. of this city. The deceased was a resident of Byron and London vicinity for many years.

FUNERAL OF MRS. STEWART

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Stewart, who died on Monday in Victoria Hospital, was held on Wednesday afternoon from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. F. W. Paul, 755 King street, at 3:30 o'clock. Services at the house and grave were conducted by Rev. G. Q. Warner of the Cronyn Memorial Church. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The pallbearers were six nephews of the deceased: A. McLaughlin, James McLaughlin, A. Milton, H. Milton, A. Stevens, and Archibald McLaughlin.

FUNERAL OF STANLEY SMALL.

The funeral of Stanley Small, a returned soldier who died suddenly in Toronto was held on Thursday afternoon under military direction. The G. W. V. A. Band accompanied the cortege to the cemetery, playing the "Dead March in Saul." The firing squad and gun carriage were provided by headquarters. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

OFFICERS INSTALLED.

The officers of Myrtle Lodge, No. 2, K. of P., were duly installed last evening. D. G. Chancellor F. A. Lemon and his grand lodge officers, George Geddes, grand vice-chancellor; W. A. McIntyre, G. prelate; J. M. Ryan, G. keeper of R. S. ably performed the ceremonies. The officers for the ensuing term were: Chancellor commander, Thomas Saunders; vice-chancellor, George Grisman; prelate, James Dean; K. of R. S., F. P. MacLean; M. of exchequer, R. Cadwallader; M. of finance, E. B. Galpin; M. of arms, F. Webb; inner guard, W. Bryce; outer guard, James Carrothers. Refreshments were served.

ST. THOMAS BOARD OF TRADE TO GO AFTER 800 NEW MEMBERS

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 5.—The executive of the local board of trade held a well-attended business meeting, at which several propositions from outside industries were discussed. Arrangements were made for the holding of a membership campaign to commence on March 1. The committee will have as its object at least eight hundred members, and more if possible. Every businessman and as many workingmen as possible will be approached, and if possible signed on the strength of the local board when the big drive starts.

We Paid 23 Claims

last week. Shall we pay you one the next time you are sick or injured? Cost as low as $1 a month.
THE GEO. H. DAVIS INSURANCE AGENCY.
208 Royal Bank Bldg. Phones 776-2922.
zw

COMMITTEE WOULD RAISE SALARIES IN THE KINDERGARTENS

Teachers Missed Something at Last Increase.

THEIR PLEA DISCUSSED

Women Members of Committee Fight Hard and Are Successful.

At a meeting of No. 1 committee of the board of education this morning it was decided, after much discussion, to recommend that the maximum salary for the kindergarten assistants be increased from $800 to $1,100. A request was read rom the teachers referred to, stating that some of their number did not participate to the full extent of the increases granted recently under the new schedule. Three of them received only $100 increase instead of the $150 which was named in the schedule, as the former figure brought their salaries up to the present maximum of $800. If the board adopts the recommendation they will receive the same increase as the other teachers.

Who Was Responsible?

There was some discussion as to why these teachers had been overlooked in reference to boosting the maximum when the schedule was prepared. Mrs. David Williams wanted to know the reason. J. S. Barnard stated that Inspector C. B. Edwards could inform the committee as to the reasons.

Inspector Edwards asserted that the committee had fixed the schedule, and that he had made no recommendations regarding these being left out.

T. Rowe thought that the cost of educating the kindergarten pupils was higher in proportion than that of educating the pupils of the public school grades. He would recommend that Inspector Edwards should be asked to bring in a written report regarding the matter before the committee decide definitely on the question. Possibly the city could do with fewer kindergarten teachers.

Mrs. Williams insisted that the issue was the equalization of the maximum salaries of the assistants and the supervisors. If, as was stated in the communication, the difference between the two maxima was now $300, instead of $100, as formerly, the condition should be made right.

Same Reasons.

"The salaries were increased because of the high cost of living, and this affects the kindergarten assistants as well as the others, and I think the matter should be adjusted this morning," said Mrs. Williams.

The question was raised as to whether all the assistants had an equal amount of work.

"If some of the rooms are not as full of scholars as are the others we cannot blame the teachers for that, and they should not be penalized," said Mrs. Harris.

T. Rowe agreed with the lady members of the committee, but thought that the board could get along with fewer kindergarten teachers. If they are doing the full quota of work, he thought they should receive the increase, however.

Mrs. Williams insisted that it was not a question of the number of teachers, but of maximum salary.

Trustee Surprised.

J. S. Barnard was surprised to hear that there were some who did not participate fully in the increases this year. Mrs. Williams made a motion to the effect that the maximum be increased to $1,100, the same to date from January 1, 1919. This was agreed by the other members of the committee.

The inspector was instructed to bring in a report on the attendance at the kindergartens.

The committee decided that manual training equipment and material for the teaching of sewing be purchased for the fourth and fifth grades of four schools in the city. If the experiment proves successful, the committee will consider treating all the schools in the same manner.

The question of allowing the school nurses to come under the direction of the board of health was laid over for further consideration. T. Rowe agreed that there was a missing link somewhere between the board of education and the board of health in health matters, but he was satisfied that the members of the board of health did not realize what they were asking.

NOTES OF INTEREST FROM CITY HALL

IMBIBING KNOWLEDGE.

There are 936 boys enrolled in the manual training classes of the city schools, and 1,035 girls are learning how to be good housekeepers in the household science classes. The respective average attendance is 859 and 915.

ONLY TWELVE HABITUALS.

Out of a total enrollment of nearly 8,000 pupils, there are only twelve habitual truants, according to the report of Inspector C. B. Edwards. There is considerable irregular attendance owing to illness, parental indifference and lack of proper clothing. The inspector recommends that the board issue a circular letter to the parents, urging the desirability of regular attendance for the sake of the children.

COUNTING BALLOTS.

City Clerk S. Baker is busy making the regular count of the ballots which were used at the municipal elections. A report will be ready by the end of this week, he thinks.

GIVEN INCREASE.

On the recommendation of Inspector C. B. Edwards, Mr. Morrow and Miss Cunningham of Chesley Avenue School were granted a monthly addition to their salaries, of ten dollars each for teaching manual training and household science to four classes each a week, starting February 1, at a meeting of No. 1 committee of the board of education this morning. As the need was urgent, the committee authorized the expenditure without waiting for the sanction of the board.

LOOKS LIKE WORK.

If the recommendation of the committee is carried out, sewing machines and electric irons will be placed in Aberdeen, Boyle Memorial, Lord Roberts, Riverview, Ryerson, and Tecumseh schools for the use of the household science departments.

ASSISTANT DENTIST.

On account of the amount of work necessary, an assistant dentist will be appointed by the board of education. Inspector C. B. Edwards in a report to No. 1 committee recommended that this action be taken and the committee adopted it.

GETS A GRAMOPHONE.

Rectory Street School is to have a gramophone to replace the piano, which is in need of repairs. T. Rowe made a motion to this effect in the committee meeting this morninig.

GOOD ATTENDANCE.

With an increase in the enrollment of public school pupils of 140 for January of this year over the same period for last year, the average attendance has increased by 517 during the last month. Inspector C. B. Edwards thinks this is due to the remarkably mild weather this year as compared with last year.

TO PURCHASE APPARATUS.

For teaching elementary science to the higher grades in the schools, apparatus, the cost of which is not to exceed $15 for each school, will be purchased for the fourteen schools that are not already supplied.

MUST PAY $1.00.

Building Inspector A. M. Piper is mailing accounts to the garages of the city for $1, being the amount of the fee for the privilege of maintaining gasoline tanks for the sale of gas.

GETTING ESTIMATES.

City Engineer H. A. Brazier is preparing estimates in connection with the regular work of his department for the year. He is also preparing the amount of tax on the frontage basis that should be charged for local improvements.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

BURIED AT MOUNT PLEASANT.

The funeral of William H. Taliaferro was held from the family residence, 146 Colborne street, on Wednesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Rev. C. R. Gunne of Christ Church conducted the services at the house and grave. The funeral was largely attended, and the casket was banked with many floral tributes. The pall-bearers, who were members of the Pressmen's Union, were H. Smythe, C. Brown, A. Doyle, C. Hollins, W. Corbin and W. Taylor. Interment was made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

DEATH OF SOLDIER.

Kasmer Irdcumskie, a soldier, died at an early hour this morning in the Byron Sanatorium. No arrangements for the funeral have yet been made.

INTERESTING NEWS FOR WORKING MEN

An Article Well Worth Your While To Read.

This is a nerve-racking age—not a man in an office or behind the counter, striving hard to get on in the world, that does not feel the strain.

If nerves are in order, a man is strong, eats and sleeps well. Unstrung nerves means weakness, worry, sleeplessness and a general decay of bodily strength.

Most men are careless of their health. They trust to luck and that kind of thing, instead of taking Ferrozone for a few weeks when they feel dull in the morning, or when they sleep poorly or lose appetite.

Ferrozone quickly brightens up the mind. It creates an appetite and improves digestion. Ferrozone makes blood, quiets the nerves, makes muscle like steel and induces refreshing sleep.

Ferrozone is a body builder, thousands have proved it. If you are sick or out of sorts, use Ferrozone and enjoy the splendid health it so surely brings.

Permanent in its results, the greatest health-giver in the world is Ferrozone. Because nourishing and perfectly harmless, all can use it, even children. Get Ferrozone today, 50c per box, at all dealers, or by mail from The Catarrhozone Co., Kingston, Ont.

THE PEOPLES OUTFITTING CO.

BETTER BEDROOM FURNISHING SALE

ANY SUITE SHOWN

WEDNESDAY'S WINNERS

1st Prize---Moffat 4 Burner Gas Stove, value $30

MRS. ROBINSON, 28 Dundas Street.

COUPON NO. 970.

2nd Prize---Silk Comforter . . value $30

MRS. R. LISTON, 326 Burwell Street.

COUPON NO. 704.

3rd Prize---Collapsible Go-Cart, value $25

MRS. E. MERTINSON, 603 King Street.

COUPON NO. 811.

4th Prize---Link Fabric Spring

MRS. WALSH, 81 Chesley Avenue.

COUPON NO. 789.

The Peoples Outfitting Co.

240 DUNDAS STREET.

THRIFT STAMP BOOTH IN SMALLMAN & INGRAM'S



Advertiser Illustrations

During the three weeks in which it was in operation in Smallman & Ingram's store, the war savings and thrift stamps booth, with its striking patriotic decorations, attracted much attention. More than this, in that period of time six hundred dollars' worth of thrift stamps were sold. Two hundred dollars' worth of thrift stamps were sold the first day alone.

On Wednesday the booth was removed to the Tecumseh avenue school, where it was loaned for a bazaar. It is stated by Major Gordon Ingram, who is chairman of the London war savings and thrift stamp committee, that it is not the intention to set up the booth again in the store until later in the year. Sales of stamps will be made in the regular way, through the office and clerks.

THOUSANDS OF MOTOR LORRIES

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BRITISH GOVT. INVOKES DEFENCE OF REALM ACT AGAINST STRIKERS

LONDON, Feb. 5.—More than four thousand mechanics of the Royal Army Service Corps have refused to go on duty in depots adjoining London. They claim that their contract with the Government as soldiers is at an end and demand that they be demobilized and engaged as civilians to continue the work, or be given the same pay that civilians would earn.

The Government's quick action in taking advantage of the King's presence in London today to call a meeting of the council to enforce under the defence of the realm act, the same legal means to secure the communities an electric supply as already exists to protect in a similar manner the gas and water supplies against strike measures, has the full support of the general public and, although the Electrical Trade Union at tonight's meeting to consider the situation, reached no decision, but adjourned till tomorrow, it is believed there will be no electrical workers' strike.

This attempt of the electricians to force the Government to act in favor of a 40-hour week by threatening to deprive London of its light and power is almost universally condemned, especially as the electricians have no grievance themselves demanding such remedy.

Will Protect Workers.

In addition to invoking the defence of the realm act, the Government has also taken measures to insure a supply of current in the event that a strike is persisted in, and to protect loyal workers. It is understood that Premier Lloyd George, now in Paris, is being kept informed of all the happenings in the labor world and is in constant touch by wire with the cabinet.

The Associated Society of Engineers, as evidence of its disapproval of the strikers in London and Belfast, and on the Clyde, has suspended the functions of its committees in the three areas affected. The secretaries in the districts have been suspended, and will not be permitted to hold office in the society for a certain period. This action, it is declared, is without prejudice to more drastic action being considered by the society.

Strike Menace Removed?

The best informed opinion tonight is that the menace of a general strike in London is removed. Many conferences were held today and the board of trade and the cabinet had another meeting, but there has been no marked change in the situation.

The people of London today experienced the acme of discomfort through the tube strike. Snow fell heavily, converting the streets of the city into quagmires to a depth of several inches. The suburbs' rush on improvised transport service was worse than ever, and thousands of pedestrians had most unpleasant journeys.

Some suggestions for strikes in other trade unions were made, but nothing definite developed.

Frames 44-Hour Bill.

Lord Henry Cavendish-Bentinck proposes to introduce in the House of Commons a bill enacting a universal working week of 44 hours.

The situation on the Clyde is still improving, though there has been no general resumption of work, especially in the shipbuilding yards. There has been no need to call upon the military, as everything was quiet.

At Belfast, Lord Pirrie, controller of merchant shipbuilding, had a long conference with representatives of the strikers. He proposed a temporary arrangement of work for 54 hours weekly, with overtime paid for all work exceeding 47 hours, pending a complete settlement, for which he agrees to call a conference with the firms concerned. It is probable that a decision on this proposal will be reached tomorrow.

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MORE THAN 2,000

Gunner Aikenhead, Hensall; Aldridge, Bright, Ont.; Anderson, 371 Maitland street, London; Atfield, Brantford; Pte. Allen, Lakeside; Sergt. Bissett, Goderich; Sapper Barrows, 343 Hamilton road, London; Pte. Baldock, Blenheim; Banks, Mount Brydges P. O.; Spr. Brown, Detroit, Mich.; Pte. Bard, Sarnia; Pte. Bray, Windsor; Spr. Baisson, St. Thomas; Corp. Brayne, Watford; Pte. Clark, 16 Clark street, London; Spr. Cammidge, Mount Forest; Pte. Grisp, Lindsay; Coleman, Peterboro; Pte. Crabbe, St. Thomas; Gnr. Cowan, ———; Pte. Crinnan, Cleveland; Dodson, St. Thomas; Spr. Dunlop, Kintore; Pte. Beere, Strathroy; Dean, Tobermoray; Dietrich, Waterloo; Spr. Dee, Mount Vernon, Ia.; Gnr. Fuller, Stratford; Pte. Forman, Ostrander; Faubert, Tilbury; Corp. Flowers, St. Thomas; Ebert, Delhi, Ont.; Sergt. Evans, Whitecafe, Richmond street, London; Pte. S. Eley, 702 Elias street, London; Pte. Griffin, Ayr, Ont.; Pte. Gould, Petrolea; Graham, Chatham; Gordon, Kitchener; Grayson, Stratford; Pte. Good, Dillabough street, London; Spr. Harris, Kingsville; Hayes, Ecorse, Mich.; Pte. Hance, Mitchell, Ont.; Pte. Henry Sombre; Pte. Hoffman, Wingham; Pte. Hillman, Leamington; Pte. Harding, Kirk street, Chatham; Pte. Hewitt, Holyrood, Ont.; Pte. Hovuy, Windsor; Pte. Jackey, Hamilton; Pte. Jacks, Chatham; Pte. Jackson, Chatham; Pte. Ivers, Dungannon; Pte. Kelly, Stratford; Pte. Knight, 19 Cavendish street, London; Pte. Larmie, Tecumseh; Drvr. Legg, St. Catharines; Pte. Loney, Britton; Pte. Lindsay, Brumner; Pte. Lavender, Galt; Spr. McNaughton, 294 Grosvenor street, London; Pte. McPhail, Preston; Pte. McDonald, Chatham; Corp. Mackenzie, Galt; Corp. McFae, Becher, Ont.; Pte. Norris, Belton, Ont.; Pte. Murphy, Tilbury; Corp. Milton, Galt; Pte. Neale, Detroit; Pte. Nelson, Sombre; Pte. Chara, Essex, Ont.; Pte. Osborne, Chicago, Ill.; Pte. Oboyne, Woodstock, Ont.; Drvr. Oliver, Windsor; Corp. Oberle, Walkerton; Sapper Phillips, Windsor; Pte. Patterson, Wardsville; Pegg, Blenheim; Signaller Robinson, Granton; Sapper Reddy, Stratford; Pte. Rockwood, St. Marys; Corp. Rivers, Galt; Riley, Windsor; Stewart, Martinsburg, W. Va.; Pte. Scott, Woodstock; Southeard, Exeter; Smith, Highgate; Stewart, Morpeth; Sapper Smith, Chatham; Pte. Snyder, Brussels; Corp. Smith, Stratford; Sapper Thomas, Preston; Pte. Turk, Ingersoll; Sergt. Stewart, Milverton; Pte. Van Dusen, Turnerville; Gunner Walker, Guelph; Pte. Welch, Chatham; White, Wiarton; Millard, Detroit, Pte. Mackenzie, Listowel; McKenna, Waterbury, Conn.; Sapper McLeod, Detroit, Mich.; Pte. McDonald, Woodstock; Pte. McGeachy, Guelph; McDowell, Ilderton, R. R. No. 3; Sapper Lillington, Blenheim. Pte. Music, Chilleth, Ohio; Murray, Detroit; Corp. Munn, Victoria, B. C.; Sapper Milner, Chatham, Ont.; Pte. Montieth, West Lorne; Sapper Moore, Florence, Alta.; Sapper Nixon, Rochester, N. Y.; Pte. Nicholas, 2 Webb street, London; Pte. Napper, Alvinston, R. R. 1, Ont.; Pte. Nelson, Brigden; Pte. Ott, Kitchener. Orth, Simcoe; Sapper Piper, 599 King street, London; Pte. Pressley, no place; Sapper Robinson, St. Thomas; Pte. Read, Brantford, Ont.; Sapper Russell, Harrow, Ont.; Pte. Reynolds, Chicago.

G. T. R. TELEGRAPHERS DISCUSSING QUESTIONS OF HOURS AND SALARY

Grand Trunk Railway telegraphers of Canada are meeting in Toronto today to discuss the hours and the increase of wages wanted, ater which the Grand Trunk officials at Montreal will pass their opinions on the proposals of the telegraphers. If they find that the new rates and hours are favorable, then they will come into effect.

The increase in pay, which is suggested by the men, amounts to about $25 per month. This will make the wages of the men about equal to the men holding corresponding positions on the C. P. R., who were given an increase a short while ago.

At present the telegraphers work in twelve-hour shifts and get time and a half for overtime. They want an eight-hour day and are willing to work the other four hours if it is considered overtime. However, it is thought that the company will inaugurate a day consisting of three shifts of eight hours each, and thus do away with all overtime.

Legal holidays have been considered as work days, but the men are asking that they be given overtime for these also.

Some months ago the men refused the McAdoo award because it represented very little increase in their salaries.

DIED IN CALIFORNIA.

Byron McKay, 484 English street, has received a wire stating that his only brother, Norman, died in San Jose, Cal., on Tuesday. No information as to the cause of his death has been received. He had been living in California for some years, but was born in Lobo Township, where many of his relatives reside. Other than his wife and daughter, who are in California, and his brother of this city, he is survived by no immediate relatives, his parents having died several years ago. Interment will be made in California.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Chicago, Feb. 6.—Butter—Lower; creamery, 38@45c.

Eggs—Higher; receipts, 4,847 cases; firsts, 43c; ordinary firsts, 41½@42c; at mark, cases included, 41½@42½c.

DRESDEN I. O. O. F. HAS "AT HOME"

DRESDEN, Feb. 5.—Dresden Lodge, No. 124, I. O. O. F., held an enjoyable "at home" in the fire hall last evening. There was a large attendance of Oddfellows and their friends. Following is the program: Chairman's address, ex-Mayor C. Aikin; solo, Mrs. W. W. Thornton; reading, Miss Southcott; duet, Mesdames Myers and Kimmerly, solo, Miss Mary Wells; address on Oddfellowship, Wm. Ward; duet, violin and piano, Misses Bentley and Aikin.

At the conclusion of the program lunch was served in splendid style by the committee in charge.

WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 6—Wall Street, 1:30 p.m.—Equipments broke abruptly at midday, Steel Foundries falling almost 6 points. Raily Steel Springs, American Car, Pressed Steel Car, Crucible Steel and Baldwin Locomotive were 1 to 3 points lower. United States Steel reacted a point, and rails, shippings and oils developed marked heaviness.

STANDARD STOCK AND MINING EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Feb. 6.—Morning sales: Davidson, 3500 at 63, 2500 at 62½; Dome Extension, 1000 at 26½, 3000 at 27½, 1000 at 24½; Dome, 100 at 12.50, 250 at 12.75, 185 at 13.00, 500 at 13.25, 100 at 13.40; Keora, 2000 at 17, 4000 at 17¼, 1000 at 17¼; Kirkland, 1000 at 48½, 1000 at 49; Lake Shore, 300 at 92, 500 at 91; McIntyre, 380 at 179, 25 at 180; Ray, 500 at 16, 1000 at 15; Porcupine Crown, 2000 at 30½, 3200 at 31; Preston, 3000 at 5, 4000 at 5½, 1000 at 4⅞, 1000 at 5⅝; Porcupine Imperial, 5000 at 2¼; Schumacher, 1000 at 43, 1000 at 43½; Krist, 3500 at 10¼, 6000 at 10; Baldwin, 1000 at 32, 500 at 32½; V. N. T., 1000 at 23, 500 at 22, 100 at 24; West Dome, 1000 at 14½, 1500 at 14¾; Waspa, 1200 at 42; Adanac, 5000 at 23¾, 9300 at 24, 500 at 24¼, 15,400 at 24½; Beaver, 5500 at 42; Crown Reserve, 1600 at 55, 1000 at 56; Gifford, 6000 at 3¾, 4000 at 3⅞, 500 at 4; Hargraves, 8000 at 4; La Rose, 500 at 38; McKinley, 200 at 47; Mining Corporation, 100 at 235; National, 2000 at 11; Ophir, 10,000 at 8¼, 10,500 at 8½; Peterson Lake, 5600 at 8, 1000 at 9; Silver Leaf, 14,300 at 4, 1000 at 4¼, 5000 at 3¾; Temiskaming, 1000 at 36¾, 2000 at 36½, 200 at 37, 25 at 36; Trethewey, 3000 at 41, 4200 at 42, 1000 at 42½.

WOODSTOCK WANTS PROVINCIAL PLOWING MATCH NEAR CITY

Council Will Aid It—Oxford Officials May Get Raise.

WOODSTOCK, Feb. 5.—The county council resumed its session today after having adjourned on Friday afternoon last. Among the reports adopted was one recommending that the House of Refuge committee purchase new hose for the refuge, if necessary, and also chemical fire extinguishers.

George Connor, who did the work last year, was reappointed barber for the jail and refuge. His salary is to be $150.

Other reports read, but not dealt with, were to the effect that the county road superintendent's salary be increased to $1,600, this to include traveling expenses, with an additional $200 for telephone, postage, and preparing reports for the Government; that the clerk's salary be increased to $1,080 per year. He has hitherto been receiving $960 per annum, and had asked that this be increased to $1,200.

Six more local war heroes have returned home. They are Cadet Henderson, A. G. Cook, Horace Diesch, F. W. Driver, C. R. Kerr, J. Bosworth, and E. D. Betts.

Provided that the match is held within four miles of Woodstock, the city council has decided to vote $300 toward the expenses of the provincial plowing match, which the county is anxious to bring to this vicinity next fall.

WEST LORNE MASONS INSTALL OFFICERS

WEST LORNE, Feb. 5.—R. W. Bro. Conway, immediate past district deputy grand master of Erie District No. 1A, assisted by Wor. Bro. R. B. Skinner, installed the officers of McColl Lodge, 386, A., F. and A. M., at West Lorne.

The officers for the year are: A. T. Ripley, W. M.; Alec. McColl, S. W.; R. B. Love, J. W.; Rev. Vance, chaplain; W. A. Becker, treasurer; C. E. Mumford, secretary; Dr. D. F. Webster, director of ceremonies; H. Robinson, S. D.; N. McEachrane, J. D.; A. McMurchy, S. S.; E. Haviland, J. S.; W. Wann, I. G.; D. Turner, tyler. The meeting dispersed after the second degree being conferred.

INSTALLATION OF MELBOURNE I. O. O. F.

MELBOURNE, Feb. 5.—A special meeting of Anna Rebekah Lodge No. 118, I. O. O. F., was held recently for installation of officers. Mrs. Wyatt, D. D.P., of Mount Brydges, was present, and installed the following officers: J. P. G., Miss B. C. Buchanan; N. G., Miss G. Sponenburg; warden, Mrs. J. Collier; chaplain, Mrs. L. W. Beech; conductor, Mrs. S. Clarke; R. S. N. G., Mrs. G. W. Robinson; L. S. N. G., Mrs. J. Showers; R. S. V. G., Mrs. W. Clarke; L. S. V. G., Miss E. G. Parr; I. G., Mrs. George Sponenburg; O. G., Mrs. H. Hansford.

While these officers were being installed, the D. D. G. M., Mrs. Wyatt of Mount Brydges, and staff, installed the officers of the subordinate lodge.

A dainty lunch was served after installation, and a good program was given by the brothers and sisters. Miss Mather, who is a P. D. D. P., occupied the chair.

The annual meeting of the Melbourne public library was held recently, and was fairly well attended. The following directors were elected for the new year: Rev. Mr. Vance, W. G. Robinson, Mr. Theaker, Russell Campbell, Miss M. E. Mather, Mrs. H. Munce, Mrs. E. Richards, Miss J. Sheriff and J. D. Carruthers.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

Toronto, Feb. 6.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Ames, c.	30	28½	Stl Can..	68¾	68¼
do pfd.	76	74	do pfd.	94	93
A Sugar	25	22	Tooke, p.	..	70
do pfd.	70	68	Tor Ry.	47¼	47
Barcel..	10½	10¼	Tre'wey.	43	41
Brazilian	51¼	50½	Tucketts	24½	23¼
B C Fish	48¼	46	Tw City.	47	45¾
Bell Tel.	130	..	Win Ry.	48	42
Burt, c...	..	80	Banks—		
do pfd.	92½	90	Com'rce	209	206
C Bread.	22½	..	Dom	217	215
do pfd.	..	84	Hamil'n	202	200
C Car...	30¼	28½	Imperial.	208	..
do pfd.	84	..	Merch...	..	190
Cement.	63¼	62¾	Montr'l	213½	211½
C S L...	45½	45	NScotia	270	..
do pfd.	78½	78	Ottawa...	..	205
CGElec.	103	102	Royal	212½	..
C Loco..	63	..	Stand	209	..
do pfd.	90	..	Toronto	205	204
C Salt..	..	132	Union	160½	160
C Dairy.	..	48	Loans, etc.—		
do pfd.	..	82	C Land.	150	..
C Smelt.	25¾	25	C Perm.	..	169
Con Gas.	..	150	C Invest.	..	81
Cr Res..	60	55	DSavings	82	81½
Cr Nest.	..	52	H Prov.	..	133
Canners.	37½	37	H & E..	..	204
do pfd.	82	81½	20% pd.	..	200
Dome.	1350	1290	L Bank.	..	139
DSteel.p.	..	94½	L & C..	126½	..
DSteelC.	59½	59	Ont Loan.		
Duluth..	35	27	20% pd.	..	155
LWoods	167	..	REstate	145	..
Mackay.	75½	74¾	T Mort..	..	130
do pfd.	65	64½	Bonds—		
M Leaf.	130½	129	C Bread.	95	94
do pfd.	..	97½	C Loco..	..	91¾
Monarch	50	49	D Iron..	..	87
do pfd.	..	78	Elec Dev	..	97
N S Car	10¼	9	Penmans	88½	87½
do pfd.	32½	31½	Ontario.	..	76
NSSteel.	52	50	Quebec.	..	37¾
P Burt..	28	..	Rio Jan.	..	85
do pfd.	77¼	..	Spanish..	90	87
Penmans	..	84	Stl Can..	..	94
Petrol.	2250	2150	War Loan,		
P Rico..	..	30	1925...	..	96¾
do pfd.	81	..	1931...	96¾	96½
Riordon	117¼	..	1937...	97¾	97½
Rogers..	40	..	Victory Loan,		
Russell..	70	65	1922	100¼	100⅛
do pfd.	78	75	1927	100⅞	100¾
Sawyer..	15	..	1937	102¾	102¼
Spanish..	19	17	1923	100½	100⅛
do pfd.	66	64	1933	101¾	101⅝

Toronto, Feb. 6.—Morning sales: Barcelona, 110 at 10½; Brazilian, 5 at 51; Mackay, 27 at 74¾ to 75¼; Penmans, pfd., 5 at 84¾; Canada Landed, 6 at 149; Winnipeg, 13 at 41 to 44; Crow's Nest, 10 at 54; Porto Rico, 20 at 33; Steel of Canada, pfd., 10 at 93½; Maple Leaf, 5 at 130; General Electric, 6 at 102½; Steamships, 100 at 45; do., pfd., 65 at 78; Crown Reserve, 1,000 at 57; Colonial Loan, 28 at 81; Canada Permanent, 59 at 170¼; F. N. Burt, 50 at 82; Hamilton, 17 at 201 to 202; Standard, 25 at 209; Union, 110 at 160 to 160¼; Dominion, 4 at 215; Monarch, pfd., 10 at 78¼; N. S. Steel, 10 at 51; Cement, 25 at 63; Toronto Railway, 40 at 47; N. S. Car, pfd., 65 at 32 to 34; Twin City, 11 at 46; Victory bonds, 1922, $14,000 at 99¾ to 100⅛; 1923, $5,150 at 99¾ to 100⅛; 1927, $5,350 at 100¼ to 100¾; 1933, $10,950 at 101½ to 102½; 1937, $16,800 at 102½ to 102¾; War Loan, 1931, $1,000 at 95½; 1937, $2,000 at 97⅝.

DETROIT CHILD BURIED AT FLORENCE

FLORENCE, Feb. 5.—The influenza has visited the home of Edgerton Moorhouse and all have been afflicted with it; also the home of Joe Dobbyn and several members are ill. They, however, are all on a fair way to recovery.

The remains of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Reheintgen of Detroit was conveyed here via Thamesville station and then to Florence for interment in St. Matthew's Cemetery. The Rev. P. Streeter, rector, officiated at the grave. The relatives returned home today.

LONDON AND GUELPH EXHIBITIONS GET GRANTS

TORONTO, Feb. 5.—Grants to the Canadian National Exhibition of $50, the London and Ottawa fairs of $25 each, and the Guelph winter fair of $100 were made today by the Canadian Jersey Cattle Club at its annual meeting. E. H. Barton of Chilliwack, B. C., was elected president; John Pringle, of London, Ont., was elected to the board of directors.

Swagger "Waist-Line" Suits

$25.00 $28.00 $30.00 $35.00

Snappy new models just arrived in handsome browns, blues and greys, in the swagger and new young men's models—you'll appreciate the wonderfully clever designing and splendid tailoring on these garments.

Let's show them to you this week, as these patterns cannot be repeated. **Returned soldiers get 10 per cent off these prices.**

High-Grade Overcoats at Sale Prices

You can make a nice saving now on these splendid garments, and on next year's price for similar qualities, the saving will be fully a third.

$20.00 and $22.00 Coats Now **$15 75**

$25.00 and $26.50 Coats Now **$18.75**

$30.00 and $35.00 Coats Now **$24.75**

$38.00 and $40.00 Coats Now **$28 75**



Saturday Morning Snaps

85 Caps in regular and pull-down styles. Plain of any colors and patterns. Value to $2.00 .... **98c**

33 Coat Sweaters; medium and heavy weights; all with collar. Values to $5.50 .... **$3.98**

6 dozen Men's Soft-Cuff Shirts in black and white patterns. Sizes 16, 16½ and 17 only. Worth $1.50 .... **90c**

Men's Finest Pure-Wool Coat Sweaters with and fancy colors and patterns. Regular $8.50 for **$6.75**

Boys' Black Curl Gauntlets; leather-faced. Boys' and youths' sizes. Regular $1.00 pair, for **68c**

HIGH-GRADE BLUE SUITS AT SALE PRICES.

Genuine pure-wool blue serges of old-time qualities and dyes, now offered at sale prices, are drawing wonderful business to this store.

$28.00 quality Irish Serge for **$22.75**

$38.00 quality English Serge for **$29.75**

Also two big special numbers in extra fine qualities such as custom tailors get $50.00 and $60.00 for, at .... **$35.00** and **$40.00**

BUSINESS SUITS REGULAR $25.00 TO $35.00, at $19.75 and $24.75.

A splendid chance for a business or dress-up Suit at a real saving. Browns, greys, greens, in plain effects and smart plaids and stripes, in conservative sacks, belted styles and waist-line models. Sizes in the lot from 35 to 44, but not in every line.

Black Taffeta Silk

Chiffon finish, old dye, full 36-inches wide. Special **$1.79**

SILK AND WOOL POPLINS, an excellent fabric, beautiful finish, non-crushable, in shades of navy, sand, brown, burgundy, prune, black, taupe, grey and Russian. $2.50 and $3.00

ALL-WOOL ENGLISH SERGE, good dye, 50 inches wide in shades of navy, green, brown and black. Special $2.00

ENGLISH SERGE FOR SUITS, good Botany wool, nice soft finish, old reliable dye, in black and navy blue, 50 and 54 inches wide $3.75, $4.00, $4.50

BLACK AND WHITE CHECK with colored overcheck of green and yellow, 40 inches wide. Special, yard **89c**

60 ONLY IMPORTED MOREEN UNDERSKIRTS in colors of paddy green, myrtle, copen, purple and black, 12-inch flounce with 4-inch pleated frill. $2.00 and $2.50 values. Only **$1.49**

ONE TABLE OF SILK WAISTS in crepe de chine and georgette crepe in dainty shades of flesh, pink, sand, maize, grey and white, in square collar and round neck style. Very special **$4.95**

LINEN DEPARTMENT.

Every indication points to the fact that linens will be scarce and the prices still higher in the future. We are showing linens at less than mill prices. Ask to see them.

Full Bleached Tabling in small and medium floral designs 50c, 65c, 75c, 85c, $1.00

Full Bleached Tabling, pure linen, handsome designs. Special quality $1.50, $2.25, $2.50, $3.00

Half-Bleached Union Tabling. Special designs, per yard 75c, 85c, $1.00, $1.25

Half-Bleached, All-Linen Tabling; choice designs. Very special $1.00, $1.25, $1.50, $1.75

LADIES' SUITS

All-wool cheviots in navy and black. Belted style, convertible collars. Friday and Saturday, **$18.50**

PURE LINEN HUCK TOWELS.

From the best makers, in handsome designs; hemstitched ends .... 75c, 85c, $1.00 and $1.25

A special showing of William Christies' colored Bath Towels, admittedly one of the best makers in England. Each 45c, 50c, 75c, 85c, $1.00

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Fancy Huck Toweling; special designs; extra values, 50c, 75c, 89c, 98c

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LONDONER INITIATES RUTHVEN CANDIDATES INTO W. O. W. ORDER

RUTHVEN, Feb. 5. — Clair Jarvis, head council commander of the Woodmen of the World, London, paid an official visit to Maple Grove Camp here on Thursday evening. A class of seventeen candidates was presented to him for initiation into the mysteries of the perfection degree of Woodcraft. The Woodmen Lodge here is gaining new members. Their hall over T. H. Wigle's store is considered one of the best in the Dominion.

The old landmark and store which was built here by John Moore over 50 years ago, and which had been occupied by many merchants, was torn down on Tuesday. The property was purchased by Jason Malott last fall. He will erect a residence on it.

The members of the I. O. O. F. here place a fine pool table in their hall on Monday.

Percy Fox of Union is building a fine garage south of his residence.

Real estate is changing hands at a great rate here. Capt. Will Malott purchased from Clifford Fox his north 80 acres on Monday. Burwell Wigle has just sold his fruit farm to Frank Frothingham of Olinda. Harry Longland has bought a farm from Clarence Askew, and Herbert Moore has disposed of his farm at Albertville to Charles Sellars.

Mrs. George Fox, who lived here for many years and who moved to Olinda a few years ago, died at her home there on Monday. The funeral services were conducted at the home on Wednesday. She leaves her husband, a son and daughter. Interment was made at the Kingsville Cemetery on Wednesday.

Allen McCharles is now getting material on the ground for his third greenhouse. He intends to go extensively into the growing of early tomatoes and tobacco this season.

Philip Clause will move on to the Roy Stockwell farm here, which was purchased by Frank Gunning last fall.

VALENTINE SOCIAL FOR EMBRO SOCIETY

EMBRO, Feb. 5.—A valentine social under the auspices of the King's Daughters is to be held in Knox Church on February 14, when a good time is in store for those who attend.

A concert is to be held in Knox Church on Monday night, February 10, under the auspices of the choir, by the College Avenue Methodist Church choir of Woodstock, under the management of F. Weaver.

Master Meredith Green has returned home after his recent operation for appendicitis. He is doing well.

The mission band meeting, which was held in Knox Church on Sunday afternoon was attended by 42 members. Misses Ivy Innes and Margaret Muir sang a duet very sweetly. Bible readings were given by Miss Vera Clark and Anson Atkinson. Roll call was answered by each repeating a verse containing the word "sin."

It is thought that there may be a course taken in nursing and dressmaking by the members of the domestic science class.

THREE SUCCUMB IN NAIRN VICINITY

NAIRN, Feb. 5.—On Sunday evening death came to one of Ailsa Craig's most pleasant and likeable young men in the person of Dan McDonald (known as Brantford McDonalds). He was a general favorite. He was employed at the Ontario Company's Flour Mill here.

Another death occurred Friday at the home of Frank McLennan, Nairn Gravel road, when Miss Myrtle Dunham passed away.

Mr. and Mrs. McLennan were both taken ill and Miss Dunham of West Williams, came to assist. She stuck to her post too long, and when she was forced to go to bed her system was overtaxed, and she fell an easy prey to the disease.

The remains were taken to her home near Arkona, on Saturday and interment took place on Monday to Arkona Cemetery.

Mrs. Walters, mother of Hugh Walters of Fernhill, suffered a stroke and only survived it a short time. Interment took place to Poplar Hill Cemetery. She was 83 years of age.

POURED OUT A GLASS OF BOOZE—FOR OTHER FELLOW TO SWALLOW

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 5.—The two men who appeared last night in police court charged with breach of the O. T. A., were again before the magistrate today. Little, who was fined $200 and costs yesterday, paid the money into court this morning, and told the court what had occurred the other night. Clarence Ross denied that he had anything to do with the liquor. He did admit that he poured out a glass for one of the other fellows after some cross-examination. He did not take a drink because he is suffering, he said, from blood-poisoning, and liquor has a strange effect on such afflictions. The magistrate warned Ross that in handling the liquor he had committed an offence against the O. T. A. He reserved judgment until Monday, however.



Draperies On Sale

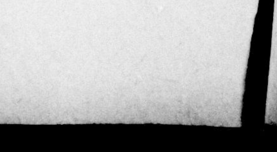
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Save your hair! Double its beauty in a few moments! Try this!

Hair stops coming out and every particle of dandruff disappears.

Try as you will, after an application of Danderine, you cannot find a single trace of dandruff or falling hair and your scalp will not itch, but what will please you most, will be after a few weeks' use, when you see new hair, fine and downy at first—yes—but really new hair—growing all over the scalp.

A little Danderine immediately doubles the beauty of your hair. No difference how dull, faded, brittle and scraggy, just moisten a cloth with Danderine and carefully draw it through your hair, taking one small strand at a time. The effect is immediate and amazing—your hair will be light, fluffy and wavy, and have an appearance of abundance; an incomparable lustre, softness and luxuriance, the beauty and shimmer of true hair health.

Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents and prove that your hair is as pretty and soft as any—that it has been neglected or injured by careless treatment—that's all.

Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers of rain and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating, stimulating and life-producing properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

Hot Water for Sick Headaches

Tells why everyone should drink hot water with phosphate in it before breakfast.

Headache of any kind, is caused by auto-intoxication—which means self-poisoning. Liver and bowel poisons called toxins, sucked into the blood, through the lymph ducts, excite the heart, which pumps the blood so fast that it congests in the smaller arteries and veins of the head, producing violent, throbbing pain and distress, called headache. You become nervous, despondent, sick, feverish and miserable, your meals sour and almost nauseate you. Then you resort to acetanilide, aspirin or the bromides which temporarily relieve but do not rid the blood of these irritating toxins.

A glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it, drank before breakfast for awhile, will not only wash these poisons from your system and cure you of headache, but will cleanse, purify and freshen the entire alimentary canal.

Ask your pharmacist for a quarter pound of limestone phosphate, it is inexpensive, harmless as sugar.

If you aren't feeling your best, if tongue is coated or you wake up with bad taste, foul breath or have colds, indigestion, biliousness, constipation sour, acid stomach, begin the phosphated hot water cure to rid your stem of toxins and poisons.

Asthma

Asthma and hay fever, even of long standing and of the most distressing severity, are robbed of their terror by this reliable remedy.

Dr. J.D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy

Two Sizes 25c. and $1.00.

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BOLSHEVIKI MOWED DOWN BY AMERICAN GUNNERS IN ARCTIC

Enemy Ranks Break and Take To Woods.

REDS' PLAN THWARTED

Flank Attack Which Was To Have Been Launched Is Abandoned.

ARCHANGEL, Feb. 5.—(By the Associated Press.)—Heavy losses were inflicted on the Bolsheviki by the American forces Tuesday and the enemy was driven back in disorder from the village of Vistavka on the Vaga. The American casualties were five killed and several wounded. Many Bolsheviki soldiers were taken prisoner.

The enemy began early in the morning a bombardment with field guns and howitzers, and under cover of a shrapnel and pompom barrage, essayed a frontal attack with infantry in the arctic twilight at 3 o'clock in the afternoon. The American troops, who were rested after their retirement from Shenkursk, and were now established in a good position, poured a heavy fire from artillery and machine guns into the charging Bolsheviki, whose ranks broke and fled into the woods.

Abandon Flank Attack.

Captured Bolshevik soldiers declared that the enemy had planned a flank attack simultaneously with the frontal attack, but this was abandoned when the Vistavka attempt failed.

Chinese and Manchu troops are now included in the Bolshevik force opposing the Americans on the Vaga. So far these have been held in reserve, but the Americans are preparing a warm reception for the yellow soldiers if they appear in the fighting line, in view of stories reaching them of the Manchu treatment of prisoners in the Baltic provinces.

French Squad's Bravery.

Details were received at headquarters today of the bravery displayed by a little squad of about fifteen Frenchmen who were victims of an enemy raid on the village of Bolshole Ozera Monday. Mistaking the enemy for returning Russian prisoners of war the French detachment permitted the Bolsheviki to advance close to their position. Then they found themselves suddenly surrounded by a force of 150 of the enemy. Called upon to surrender, the Frenchmen refused, and tried to fight their way out. Two were killed; three were wounded and six were unaccounted for for a time. Four of these six turned up today, two of them wounded, apparently having escaped from their captors.

The situation is unchanged on the Dvina and railroad fronts. Entente forces were again forced to retire in face of the Bolshevik attacks along the Pinega River, but the positions of the Americans at the town of Pinega have not been attacked.

DETROIT TO RIDE IN AUTO BUSSES LIKE N. YORK AND LONDON

Gasoline Motors Will Carry 44 Passengers on the Main Streets.

DETROIT, Feb. 5.—An auto bus line, similar to the noted Fifth avenue transportation system of New York, is projected for this city with one hundred busses to begin operations.

At first only the principal arteries of traffic will be traversed. The busses will hold 44 passengers, 22 inside and 22 on top, and a ten-cent cash fare will be charged, with transfers free. The company promoting the enterprise is the same one which now controls the New York auto bus line.

BRITISH COLUMBIA LIBERALS WILL HOLD FEDERAL CONVENTION

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—A federal Liberal convention for the province of British Columbia will be called at an early date.

This provision was made yesterday at a meeting between Senator Bostock, leader of the Liberal party in the Senate, and representatives from most of the federal constituencies on the mainland.

PREACHER NOT GUILTY OF MURDERING WIFE, IS VERDICT OF JURORS

SACO, Me., Feb. 5.—A verdict of not guilty was the finding of the jury in the trial of Henry H. Hall, the preacher, accused of the murder of his wife, Minnie, at Walls Depot in June of last year. The verdict was returned late tonight after the jury had spent more than ten hours in deliberation.

LONDON WOMAN BURIED AT NILESTOWN

NILESTOWN, Feb. 5.—The church choir met last practice night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Will Gibbens. At an interval of rest Mrs. Gibbens handed out a treat that came from California.

While the offering was being taken last Sunday night, A. E. Bernard sang a solo. Then instead of singing the last hymn the preacher, Mr. McArthur, London, asked that the last stanza of the solo be repeated, and the audience join in the refrain.

The remains of the late Lodema Barrows Alda, London, were placed in the town cemetery here Tuesday afternoon.

Harold Greenfield at the time of writing to his father here, was in Belgium and was elated that soon he would be journeying homeward.

The school here has been closed for over a week owing to the illness of the teacher, Miss Brown.

A letter from England conveyed the sad intelligence to John Knott, here, of the death of his mother.

Mrs. Kilbourn, residing on the Shaw side road, recently suffered a stroke.

GODERICH MAGISTRATE DEFERS DECISION IN LIQUOR CASE

GODERICH, Feb. 5.—The liquor case against Bert Townsend, which was adjourned a week ago, came up yesterday and was argued by Crown Attorney Seager and M. G. Cameron for the defendant. The case lasted about an hour.

Mr. Cameron argued that Mr. Townsend had a perfect right to go to London with a bona fide doctor's prescription and carry liquor into this county. The magistrate said he would give his decision on February 12.

GERMAN MINISTER TO HUNGARY.

BASEL, Feb. 5.—Johann Junker has been appointed German minister to the Hungarian republic, according to the official journal of Budapest.

MONEY IN SHEEP

STROME, Alta., Feb. 5.—From 100 sheep purchased in the fall of 1916 for $1,200, a farmer here has sold wool valued at $1,396 and mutton worth $1,040. He has now 224 head, valued at $3,808, so that the farmer's remuneration for two years from this source amounts to over $5,000.

Canadians Reviewed in Brussels; Will Soon Leave Belgium

Burgomaster Max Pays Warm Tribute To Currie's Fighters.

BRUSSELS, Feb. 5.—Canadian Press, via Reuter's.—Gen. Jaques today reviewed the Canadians under the command of Gen. Bonnet, who are leaving the occupied territories and returning home. Thousands of persons watched the review and loudly cheered the troops.

A reception was afterwards held in the Hotel de Ville, where Burgomaster Max paid a cordial tribute to the Canadian soldiers.

Gen. Bonnet, replying, expressed high esteem for Belgium's soldiers and people.

A luncheon was also given for the Canadian officers and during the afternoon the Canadian bands gave a concert.

INGERSOLL WOMAN'S SISTER GETS THIRD DECORATION IN WAR

Mrs. M. Eaton Adds Another Medal To French Medal and Mons Star.

INGERSOLL, Feb. 5.—That her sister, Mrs. M. W. Eaton, has been awarded her third decoration for her work in France, is the word that has just been received by Mrs. Stephen Noxon.

Mrs. Eaton, although never a resident of Ingersoll, is widely known here. She was on leave in Canada at the time the 168th Battalion was being recruited and delivered a stirring address in the Mason Theatre, in which she described the excitement in Paris when the first news of the war was received there.

In 1917 Mrs. Eaton received a medal from the French Government for her work in the American Ambulance Hospital at Neuilley, a suburb of Paris. She was also decorated with the Mons star and ribbon for her care of British soldiers in 1914. Her last decoration is in the form of a medal for her voluntary work in the Army and Navy League Club, also known as the "Union Jack Club" of Paris, where soldiers of Canada and United States are entertained.

EIGHTY-ONE-YEAR BOY APPLAUDED SPEAKERS AT LIBERAL MEETING

John Nicholls, Yarmouth, Has Been a Grit Since He Was a Kid.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 5.—Among those at the Yarmouth Liberal meeting held this afternoon it was interesting to note the staunch old supporters of the constituency, but probably the most striking figure among those who attended was John Nicholls of Yarmouth, who occupied a seat in the front row. "The Advertiser is the finest paper I ever read, and do you know that it has been coming to my home for many years; why, I have been reading it myself for fifty years," he told your representative.

Mr. Nicholls has been a life-long Liberal and has taken a keen interest in the meetings and election campaigns held from time to time all his life. "Ever since I was a kid I have been a Grit," he laughingly remarked. "How old are you now?" Mr. Nicholls was asked, to which he replied: "Oh, I shall be 81 next May 24; that's not bad is it?" Mr. Nicholls could be seen applauding the various speakers as their remarks met with his approval. He is still hale and hearty, and proudly declares that he has never in his life found it necessary to call a physician. He has an apiary and every day sees him actively engaged looking after his bees.

EVIDENCE HAS SOUND OF "BLACK HAND" PLOT

WELLAND, Feb. 5. — John Paperoni, brother of the murdered Dominic Paperoni, was the chief witness at the inquest which opened today into the murder, which occurred last Wednesday morning. He stated that threats had been made during the murder trial at Hamilton last spring, in which Dominic Sparenza and Dominic Paperoni were charged with the murder of J. Celona. Th eats were made then, he said, that whichever one was acquitted would be "fixed" later on.

The inquest was adjourned until February 18.

WOOL WORKERS' STRIKE SPREADS

PASSSAIC, N. J., Feb. 5.—The strike begun by woolen workers here to enforce an eight-hour day spread to include some of the employees of three more manufacturing plants, making approximately 4,600 now idle.

Many Articles at Attractive Prices

Friday and Saturday, Feb. 7 and 8

Toilet Articles

25c Hygienic Tooth Paste 18c
25c Mennen's Tooth Paste 20c
50c Mennen's Shaving Cream ... 38c
35c Mennen's Giant Talcum 23c
50c Palmolive Cream 36c
50c Kora Konea, 38c
Seely's Rouge, Brunette 35c
Orange Wood Stick 5c, 10c, 15c
El Rado Depilatory ..... 60c and $1
M. and L. Florida Water 65c
Harmony Florida Water 50c
35c French Rice Powder 24c
D. and R. Perfect Cold Cream ... 10c, 24c, 36c, 57c
Paradis Dry Cream 60c
Yucca Cold Cream 60c

Aspirin Tablets 3 doz. for 25c

Formaldehyde Fumigators, 40c

Tonal-Iron Capsules BUILD YOU UP **$1.00 Box**

Theroz Heat Cubes, 50c

Glycerine No. 1 3 ozs. for 25c

Muriatic Acid 16 ozs. for 15c

Abilena Mineral Water, 30c

Half Price

25c Carter's L. L. Pills .... 2 for 25c
25 A. B. S. and C. Tablets..2 for 25c
25c Blaud's Iron Pills .... 2 for 25c
25c Special Cold Tablets..2 for 25c
25c Nuarival Herb Tablets..2 for 25c
25c Wilson's Almond Cream .. .. 2 for 25c
25c Kilmar's Corn Cure ... 2 for 25c
35c Chlorate of Potash Tooth Paste ..... 2 for 35c
25c Champion Shaving Sticks, 2 for 25c
25c Listerine Tooth Powder, 2 for 25c
25c Eclectric Liniment ... 2 for 25c
25c Aristocrat Almond Cream, 2 for 25c

Patents

$1.00 Catarrhozone 68c
50c Gin Pills ..... 3 for $1.00
35c Castoria 23c
50c Pink Pills .. 28c
50c Nerve Food, 32c
25c Mentholatum 16c
50c Mentholatum 32c
$1.00 Horner's Beef, Iron and Wine, 69c
$1.00 Kilmar's Cod Liver Oil Preparation 69c
75c Milk of Magnesia 50c
$1 Syr. Hypophosphites 79c
50c Fig Syrup .. 32c
25c Fig Syrup .. 18c
75c Abbey's Salt..57c

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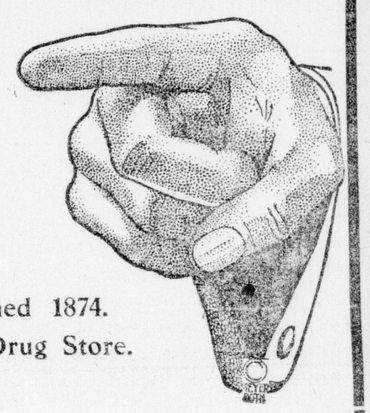
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Something new and dainty in toilet creams.

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Ivory Soap 7c
Sunlight Soap ...8c
Gold Soap 8c
Lifebuoy Soap ..7c
Surprise Soap ...8c
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"I Was Out of Prison and He Comforted Me"

A tousled old sinner came out of a certain county jail. He was followed by a colored man. The first relic was a sort of aged boy who just hadn't ever found the way to behave himself, like so many other "criminals" who never grow up. The old man was without a home, without a friend, without a prospect.

Nobody was waiting to help him along the few remaining miles of life's stony pathway. But the second man who followed him out of the jail caught up to him, and asked him whither he was bound and where he "was going to eat." The old man looked about rather helplessly and said: "I ain't got no place to go."

Then the colored man said to him, "You come along home with me, dad, if you don't mind comin' with a colored feller."

The old man went along, and has been cared for some weeks by his dusky Good Samaritan. It's rather a squalid, shacky sort of a place, but the latch hung out for the friendless old sinner, and we think that colored man will be in line when the Lord decides to "make up His jewels."

Group of Big Powers Best to Manage League of Nations

The peace conference's framing of a league of nations has narrowed to the discussion as to what powers shall take over the executive work of the organization. Who is going to have the responsibility of seeing that peace is kept hereafter, and of settling differences that may arise between the members. Are the small powers to sit on the board of management, or is that task to be delegated solely to Great Britain, United States, France, Italy and Japan?

The ideal arrangement would, of course, call for everybody's participation in the running of a society of nations. Unless that is the ultimate object of the Paris meeting, the whole business will have to be gone over again, but for a time it may not be to the best interests of all that everybody should have a say in piloting the new world ship of state. Gallantly, as Serbia, Rumania and Greece have aided in the defeat of Prussian tyranny, that does not mean that they are competent to share responsibility under the new order of things.

The bitter racial jealousies of Southeastern Europe, especially of the Balkans, have not been eradicated by the war. On the contrary, the outcome has exaggerated these antagonisms. Already there is a scrambling for spoils; to get even for old scores seems to be the dominant motive at Bucharest, Budapest, Belgrade and Athens. To place these small nations on a board of executive of the league at present would be to invite constant intrigue and conspiracy that would imperil harmony and hamper the carrying out of the conference's program.

Much safer appears to be the alternative, a managing group composed of the big fellows. With their military and naval strength they are in a position to keep the turbulent within bounds and see that the decisions of arbitration tribunals are enforced.

Canada Can Be an Exception in Warfare of "the Classes"

Is Canadian labor to let a look of distrust creep into its eyes, there to be frozen into a glare of hatred for capital? And is capital to regard labor with the bitter aversion and detestation that grows from the seed of fear?

The Advertiser cannot believe that this new country is to be cursed with a violent outbreak of class warfare, born of prejudice and intolerance, when the middle ground of harmony is an inviting field that waits only the harrows of common sense and mutual sharing.

Capital and labor are interdependent. Capital's machines would go rusty and fall to pieces were it not for the hands of labor; and the hands of labor would be idle were it not for the machines capital has built up. For many years we have never had serious industrial warfare in Canada; our labor troubles have been a series of local disturbances, from which both sides of the wage-earning problem have learned something. There are today wild-eyed agitators among laboring men; there are also capitalists of the medieval type who would grind the last ounce of strength from their men. But they are relics of another day. They have not seen the light. They have no true spirit of Canadianism, which at least in its ideals builds for universal prosperity and happiness. They are foreigners to our national intention, just as are those who seek to perpetuate bigotry and stir up strife at a time when men come closer to one another.

But it is not all clear sky that shows on the industrial horizon today. There are a few storm clouds in the sky that might produce lightning, and there are some ominous blurs in the barometer.

The bitterness comes when intolerance is on one or both sides of the argument. The reasonable capitalist cannot make headway against the unrelenting foeman of private enterprise. The reasonable labor man cannot submit to the terms of the capitalist who regards him as a thing of flesh and blood to be worked at full capacity, a sort of soulless automaton who has no claim to more than he can wrest from his employer.

When the bigotry of one side or another has forced an issue, not only the immediate sufferers are affected, but the whole community is injured. Capital has its organizations; labor cannot be denied. Capital strikes with all its power for the things it desires. Labor has as much right as capital to its organizations and its common efforts. Labor will act in future with a greater show of its power than ever before.

But Canadian labor, as it exists today, is composed of men who have been trained in principles at least as worthy as those set up by capital. It is asking more than ever before, and it is receiving higher wages. And it cannot be denied when it asks the chance to meet capital to discuss those questions which are not alone the concern of capital, but equally the concern of the men who man the plant.

Before this The Advertiser has urged that London's Chamber of Commerce should regard as not the least among its duties the appointment of a committee having to do with the maintenance of harmonious industrial conditions in this city. It is not wholly the idea of The Advertiser, but a conclusion reached after a consideration of certain phases of the labor situation existing in the city at the present time. The Chamber of Commerce will do a great service if it can bring together the employer and the employee and to guard against future troubles. Labor is willing. What does capital say?

Stars in Their Course Point Direct to Creator

Outside a limited circle of astronomy students and "fans," for even the cold science of the stars has its devotees as enthusiastic as those who follow the stars of the diamond, the passing of Professor Pickering of Harvard, noted astronomer, will receive little notice. Yet he gave to the world conceptions of nature's majesty and might which have led us a little nearer to a realization of the full splendor of the divine plan. A large part of his maturity was spent in charting the skies and giving to the world findings which, while they overcome us with their stupendousness, impress us with their reflection of the Creator.

Professor Pickering demonstrated that vast sidereal systems are born, operated and pass away in perfect harmony with an Intelligence immeasurably beyond the understanding of the human mind. He has shown that there is nothing haphazard in the wheeling of the worlds through space. That knowledge should steady our faith and hope when they are reeling under affliction or doubt. For a correction of our instability we must draw from the stability and immutability of nature as well as its beauty, and nothing so surely supplies this as contemplation of the heavens by night. The stars, like roses, sunsets and storms, are matchless guides to communion with the Supreme Being, especially when we learn from men such as Professor Pickering that besides their beauty and mystery they evidence a divine harmony and purpose.

EDITORIAL NOTES.

To rush to Russia, or not to rush, appears to be one of the big problems of the peace conference.

Labor will ask Government to stiffen beer.—Headline. In other words to replace near-beer with beer-beer.

Lenine now says that he will stake all on a great conference. Hitherto he has been staking all on a great confusion.

British medical officers have isolated the "flu" bacilli. And now, will somebody please isolate Lenine and Trotzky?

If the Allied forces in Northern Russia continue to retire, it is to be hoped the ice will hold good when they reach the sea.

Ebert repeats that old stuff to the effect that all Germany desired was more sunlight. Wasn't it the spotlight they were after?

Sir Lomer Gouin may go from provincial to federal politics. That would be a distinct loss to Quebec, but a great gain to Canada.

An army dentist has made a discovery that will save babies from teething ills. Perhaps this will influence a lot of bachelors to wed.

Germans are wailing that the ex-kaiser has been punished enough. It seems to the rest of us that is one good thing which can't be overdone.

The Advertiser's Daily Short Story

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CANDY GIRL.
By R. Ray Baker.

The Mutual Consolation Club was in session. The members, four in number, were dejected.

Mattie Melvoude was the reason for the Mutual Consolation Club. Mattie was the "candy girl" of Abonvale, and the most sought swimmer in the matrimonial sea. She was the "candy girl" in two respects. She was declared to be the sweetest and the neatest, but also the most elusive belle that ever wrung the heart of a man.

Her abode was on Turnip Hill, but Mattie spent little time there. She was not a social idler. She believed in work and she did it before a high desk and a proportionately high stool in the business office of the Bon Ton Candy Factory.

Mattie had rejected the four most desirable young men in the village. They were desirable by their own admission, and they had bank books to prove it. The bank book, however, had proved of no more avail in the wooing of Mattie than so much waste paper.

Each member of the club had spent money like sand in the desert in his campaign to make Mattie his wife. She accepted all the attention until they wearied her, and then she calmly and scornfully rejected the quartet of admirers. The collective rejection was as follows:

"You go about trying to win a girl's affections just as a boilermaker would operate a typewriter. Think I'd marry a man with no more initiative than you? I should say not, emphatically. I want a husband who gets an idea now and then. The fellow who thinks up something new in the way of courting a girl is the one that catches me. See?"

Then the Mutual Consolation Club came into being. Each of the four discovered simultaneously that the others were after the fair Mattie. It happened that they came together just outside the Melvoude residence at the top of Turnip Hill.

Tom Grayson was peering over a long box of roses, Fred Hooper was lugging a chafing dish he had procured from a Chicago mail order house, Sam Upkins puffed under the weight of a table lamp, while Albert Terry looked sheepish, because all he had to offer to the god of love was tickets to the county fair, and they didn't make much of a showing in his vest pocket.

They compared notes and were about to draw lots or flip a coin to decide which of them should have the honor of keeping his engagement for the evening with the idol of their hearts when the idol in question appeared on the porch and delivered the extemporaneous address quoted above.

Thereupon the brideseekers adjourned to the insurance office of Sam Upkins, at the foot of Turnip Hill, and the roses were put to repose in the garbage can, while the chafing dish came into use as an ash tray; the lamp fulfilled its mission by dispelling the gloom which was fast gathering in the office and in their breasts, and the fair tickets were utilized to carry fire from the one match which the quartet possessed to the cigars which furnished the ashes that were deposited in the chafing dish.

By mutual consent each of the four accepted all the attentions until they desirables detailed his journey along the brink of matrimony in quest of a place to plunge in. Each had undergone the same experiences, invested in the same presents for the elusive Mattie and met the same rebuffs.

Under the self-constituted presidency of Mr. Terry the club thereupon took upon itself the task of discovering a key to the padlock on Mattie Melvoude's heart.

She wants some one who has inventive genius—some one who has an idea," said Mr. Terry, addressing his fellow members. "Thereupon, it behooves us to collaborate and find some novel way to her affections. When we have come upon a scheme that looks feasible, we will hold a lottery and the lucky man will be allowed to try, without interference from the rest, to win the prize on Turnip Hill. If the scheme fails, we will try another, using the lottery again. In that way none of us will encroach on the preserve of the other, and one of us ought to make our dream of happiness come true. Collaboration—that's it."

The club adjourned to the next day, when each of the members was to submit his plan for the capitulation of Mattie Melvoude.

Promptly at 2 o'clock in the afternoon, Messrs. Grayson, Hooper, Upkins and Terry assembled in the insurance office. Each of them looked expectant, for, having failed to evolve an idea of his own, each expected there would be three other plans submitted.

When the session was called to order and the deplorable situation became known, four bright smiles turned to four dejected frowns, and four pipes were lighted and eight feet deposited on the mahogany table.

"What's to be done?" inquired President Terry. "Have none of us an initiative? Are we going to let this girl escape marriage with one of us four most desirable men in the village? Are we going to let her wear her life away, her beauty and charms unappreciated, in that sordid candy factory?"

The other three drew long and gurgingly on their pipes and wreathed themselves in smoke and said nothing.

Finally Mr. Grayson reached out and plucked the Abonvale Weekly "Times" from the table.

"I tell you, I'm about ready to give up," he announced, and to prove he had lost interest in love, he opened the paper and began scrutinizing it with an air of absorbed interest.

The others smoked on in silence, which was broken suddenly by Mr. Grayson, whose feet hit the floor with a resounding bang, and who rose clutching the newspaper with one hand and his hair with the other.

"Listen to this, would you?" he fairly shouted. They withdrew their feet from the table and pushed back their chairs, all with due deliberation, for the Mutual Consolation Club was a more or less deliberative body. Nevertheless, they were startled and somewhat apprehensive as to Mr. Grayson's mental condition, considering the probability of Mr. Grayson's having become mentally deranged through grief.

"Just listen to this," the excited Grayson repeated. "Mr. and Mrs. George Melvoude, of Turnip Hill, announce the engagement of their daughter Mattie to Mr. Hiram Slocum, of Green Creek. Here it is, right here in the society column."

The quartet joined in a prolonged groan, which was followed by another excited action on the part of Mr. Grayson, who suddenly pointed out the window at a lanky figure, carrying a small package under its arm, sauntering up the hill.

"There goes Hiram Slocum now!" announced Grayson. "Quick, drag him in here and make him tell how he did it."

The fortunate Hiram was forthwith pounced upon and conducted, protesting, to Mr. Upkins' office, where he was surrounded and made the target for a barrage of interrogations. He looked in vain for an avenue of escape. The Mutual Consolation Club had him hemmed in so, discerning that flight was out of the question, he waited until the hubbub of their voices had abated somewhat, then asked in a drawling voice:

"As I understand it, gentlemen, you wish me to tell you how I came to win the heart and hand of Miss Mattie Melvoude?"

"You understand rightly," the club assured him.

"Well," he responded, "I didn't exert myself to any great extent. I simply began calling on her a month ago, and when I asked her, night before last, if she didn't want to be Mrs. Slocum, she allowed that she did. She confided to me last night, though, that it wasn't my good looks that decided her. She told me the way I made a hit with her was by taking her a box of candy every time I called on her.

"You see, she works all day long, six days a week, in that candy factory, and has to smell the fumes of the candy continuously, but there's a rule in the factory against any employee eating any of it while on duty. She says she has a principle against buying it for herself when she had so many male admirers who might get it for her, but who, instead, take her flowers and everything else under the sun except the sweets she craves. It's been three years since she tasted a piece of candy, she told me. 'Course, I didn't really intend to do anything smart when I invested in those chocolates every time I called, but she says it was a great idea, and showed inventive genius, or somethin'."

The trouble with being polite is that if you are decent enough to laugh at the bum joke a man tells you he will follow it up with a dozen more worse jokes.

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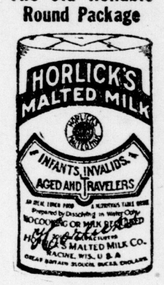
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War to Peace



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Creating Opportunities for Employment

BESIDES helping to distribute employment through a chain of Employment Offices, the Government has developed plans to create opportunities for employment.

Briefly, these plans cover the following phases:—

1. *Public Works*

During the war, many important Public Works have been held up. The Minister of Public Works, has his plans and preparations made to proceed with the more necessary of these in the near future. This Committee has also been in touch with Provincial Governments and Municipalities, with a view to impressing upon them the necessity for similar action. The building and public works programme now in sight will provide employment for many returned soldiers and war-workers.

2. *Railways*

During the past four years, a great deal of work necessary to keep our railways up to standard has been postponed. Some millions of dollars must be expended on improving road-bed, constructing bridges, buildings and other improvements. Vast quantities of ties are being got out this winter. Equipment of various kinds must be secured. The Minister of Railways states that as soon as weather conditions will permit, some thousands of men will be absorbed in various railway undertakings. The supplies and materials required will also provide employment.

3. *Shipbuilding*

The shipbuilding programme arranged for by the Government will provide employment for many men during 1919. It is expected that arrangements will be completed to keep the shipbuilding yards in active operation throughout the year. The Government recognises that this ship construction is one of the best means of providing suitable employment for many skilled and other workers.

4. *Export Trade*

The Government has established a Canadian Trade Commission. This Commission has an office in Canada and a "trade mission" overseas. Through this trade mission it is anticipated that Canada will secure an important share in the business of providing materials and manufactured products required for reconstruction work in Europe. A short time may be required before final details are completed and definite results are announced. The business so secured will be distributed through the regular channels of trade and thus afford extra opportunities for employment.

5. *Housing*

The Government has set aside the large sum of $25,000,000 to be loaned through the Provinces in order to encourage the building of workmen's houses. When the season for building arrives, this work should give employment to many hundreds of men both in construction work and in the supply of materials.

6. *Land Settlement*

The Government, as already explained in a former announcement, has developed plans to help soldiers to become farmers, providing land, granting loans and giving training and supervision where necessary. It is expected that a large number of returning soldiers will take advantage of these opportunities. The scheme will involve the expenditure of some millions of dollars, a good deal of which will find its way into building materials, supplies, machinery, etc., all of which will assist in providing employment.

7. *Road Building*

The Government now has under consideration the question of joining the provincial governments in financing the construction of public highways. Should a favorable decision be reached, a large field for employment opportunities will be opened up. Regardless of Federal action, provincial governments are preparing their own road-making programmes.

The Government is alive to the necessity for providing employment opportunities, and stands prepared to assist in every way possible. If corporations and private citizens will join in this feature of Repatriation Work, Canada should have little difficulty with the employment problem.

J. J. Gouin

Director of Repatriation

FROM WAR TO PEACE

The Repatriation Committee

OTTAWA

PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

MAY BUILD A LARGER HOME FOR INCURABLES AT QUITE EARLY DATE

Women's Christian Association Meets at Home of President To Discuss Plans.

A matter of public interest came up for discussion at the regular monthly meeting of the Women's Christian Association, held yesterday afternoon at the home of the president, Mrs. Marshall. This concerned the proposed erection of a new "Home for Incurables" in the city. For some time past the work of this institution has been exceedingly cramped, owing to the fact that it has been necessary to carry it on in three different buildings. The main building, situated on Dundas street east, and known as the Victoria Home, was originally an old farm house. This was, however, extended at the front to meet the needs of the increasing number of patients.

Still later it became necessary to take over the residence directly east of the main building and known as the annex. Four rooms above the laundry to the rear of the home are also in use at the present time, communicating with the main building by means of an overhead bridge.

As all meals must be prepared in the main kitchen, it is most difficult to carry on the work. In addition to this, the accommodation is gradually becoming inadequate to meet the demands for admission.

May Sell Present Property.

There are but three homes of this type in Ontario—one at Ottawa, one at Toronto and one in London—so it is easily seen that the scope for work is very large. The population in Western Ontario is steadily increasing, and with it the number of patients for the home increases also.

One plan is to tear down the present buildings and erect a suitable home on the present property. A great many of the members, however, feel that the property in East London, situated as it is on Dundas street, in the midst of a business section, is too valuable to be retained by the home, and should be sold. Property might then be purchased in a more outlying district, which would be less valuable and still as suitable for the purpose of the institution.

Another plan is to make use of the property near the Aged People's Home in North London, already owned by the Women's Christian Association. The two homes under their jurisdiction would then be conveniently situated together. There are, however, some objections to this plan.

Advisory Board To Be Called.

Before any definite plans are made the men's advisory board will be called together, probably about the middle of this month, to discuss with the women the advisability of building at the present time and other matters pertaining to this undertaking. On the advisory board appear the following names: His worship the mayor, J. H. Flock (solicitor), C. F. Complin, W. M. Spencer, Col. Gartshore, Arthur Little, his lordship the Bishop of Huron, Dr. J. B. Campbell, Dr. H. A. Stevenson, J. M. Moore, J. K. McDermid and Mr. McFarland.

The treasurer's monthly report, read by Mrs. Jerdon, showed that the total expenditure for the three homes during the past month amounted to $3,259.52, leaving a balance on hand of $1,979.86. The relief disbursements amounted to $69.18. A bonus of $50 was granted to Miss Walker, matron at the Home for Incurables, Mrs. L. Gibson making the motion and Mrs. Patullo seconding it.

Mrs. Bowen reported for the devotional committee. Services are held every Sunday afternoon at both the Aged People's Home and Home for Incurables, and on Friday evenings at the Victoria Home. Members of the Ministerial Alliance and laymen in the city are called upon to conduct these services, which are greatly appreciated by the patients.

Visiting Committee Report.

An interesting report was submitted by Mrs. J. S. Barnard, convener of the relief and visiting committee. This report showed that $33.85 had been expended during the month for families and individuals in need. One interesting case was that of a man working for the Government who had been run over by a military ambulance and was thus temporarily unfit for work. In the interim, before his Government allowance was forthcoming, the family was in trying circumstances, and greatly appreciated the aid of the W. C. A.

The matter of appointing a press secretary to keep the work of the association before the public was also brought up yesterday, and it was decided to appoint such an official. However, as yet the appointment has not been made.

At the close of the meeting tea was served in the drawing-room.

U. S. Needs It, Too.

Dear Miss Grey,—Could you send me the stocking-foot pattern, as we have need of it in the U. S. A.? I enjoy the Mail-Box letters very much. Have you any crochet patterns? Will be very thankful. MICHIGAN.

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Daily Bible Question Club

UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1919.

ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION.

By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.

Jethro's counsel.—Exodus xviii: 1-27.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY.

10. Verses 9-12.—When we can tell our relatives, who are not Christians, of the power of God in our lives, what effect should it have in convincing them that our God is a real God?

11. When a father-in-law conducts family worship in a spiritual way in the home of his son-in-law, what effect is it likely to have in that home?

12. Verses 13-18.—When a businessman, in a large way, takes upon himself the entire management, and is not trusting nor training others to take charge of things, what is likely to happen?

Golden Text.—Bear ye one another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ. —Gal. vi., 2.

A MOTHER SHOULD NOT DO ALL THE WORK.

As I have stated before in substance, doing the work which others should do is not helping them bear their burdens, but actually increasing the load which they carry. Love itself needs to be educated as to how best help those whom we love. A mother, in order to save her daughters from the drudgery of the household work, who does all the work herself is hurting her daughters very much more than helping them. The way she should lighten the load which her daughters will carry through life is to teach them how to do a woman's work, and how to do it with the least labor and most effectually. A girl who has learned in her mother's home how to do the housework, cook and make bread, and how to make her own clothes, is lightened of a great deal of the burdens of life which she would otherwise have to carry.

CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

Reply Re Dr. Knowles.

Dear Cynthia Grey,—In reply to "Canada Thistle," allow me to say that I, too, have followed the Rev. Dr. Knowles case. As a minister of the gospel, he had no right to commend questionable books, and no Christian has any right to listen to misleading doctrine. As to "bluffing" and "pretending," the "better Methodists" who dealt with his case plainly did not indulge in either. Loyal Canadian Thistles should never patronize Germany so far as to uphold preachers of German theology.

Broadness in a certain sense is very well, but let us beware lest our broadness become looseness. "Strait is the gate and narrow is the way which leadeth unto life." There are many religions, but only one gospel.

And dare we say conscience is a safe guide? G. Campbell Morgan says: "Conscience is a very delicate instrument, as is the compass. It may be diverted from true relation to eternal principles by all kinds of currents, as may the compass. It needs, therefore, readjustment by the standards, which know no varying, as does the compass. We should be profoundly grateful that God has not abandoned us to conscience, but has revealed himself."

Thanking you for space,

SCOTCH THISTLE.

Second-Hand Clothes.

Dear Miss Grey,—Will you kindly publish in your column the name of the firm or company of ——, where second-hand clothes and shoes are bought and sold? I have noticed their ad in The Advertiser, and wish to write them as soon as acquainted with name. POLLYANNA.

Ans.—Cannot give the name here for advertising reasons, but send me a stamped envelope and I'll tell you privately.

Would Be Happy.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am coming to join your cosy corner; it tempted me too much to stay away. Could anybody send me the words and music of "God, Send Him Back To Me," and also "I Am Proud of Stratford and Stratford's Proud of Me"? If they can't send me the music, send me the words, please. I will be very happy is I can get them. PRIDE OF THE OCEAN.

Ans.—I'd just love to make you happy were it in my power, but the most I can do it to print your request in the hopes that some readers may be able to oblige.

Will Oblige Her?

Dear Miss Grey,—Would you please send me some crochet patterns and words of the song entitled "In the Gloaming"? I am sending a stamped envelope. AMETHYST.

C. G. Is Sorry.

Dear Miss Grey,—It is nearly two years since I last wrote, so surely I will not be wearing my welcome out if I call now; even though I do put you to a lot of trouble. When I wrote you last I asked for crochet patterns and sent an envelope and stamps, and I saw where Granma and other kind readers sent me some; my envelope came, but never a pattern. Now is this just a joke? Does everyone get treated that way, or do you really get the patterns? I am going to try my luck again, and hope I will be more successful this time, so I am sending some patterns to exchange. I wonder if Enniskillen Girl would copy me some off of that bunch she got?

Please snatch every nice pattern you get and put it in my envelope, and I will copy and send them right back. Oblige, CABLE.

Ans.—There was no joke about it I assure you, dear lady, and I'm ever so sorry you didn't "Cable" me right back at the time. I cannot account for my sending you an empty envelope, but presume it was one of those accidents that happen through trying to work too hastily. We'll hope for better fortune this time.

Donta Please Note.

Dear Miss Grey,—Is that precious stocking-foot pattern still in existence? If so, I would be pleased to receive a copy, as my toes insist on peeping out. I would also like to get the two readings that "Donta" so kindly offers to any one who wishes them. They are, namely, "Reverie in Church" and "An Aspiring Dishwasher." I will leave my address with Miss Grey. Will sign myself MAYFIELD.

Buds on the Lilac.

Dear Miss Grey,—As it is such a grand day, and as I have nothing in particular to do, I thought I would write to the Mail-Box. Really, it does seem as we are having spring, as the lilac bushes out in front of the house are beginning to show their tiny buds. I wonder if we will pay up for this in the spring, I hope not. I received the stocking-foot pattern and was pleased with it. Say, Grace Darling is some kid; she writes such interesting letters. I wonder where Farmerette from Oxford is. She does not write any more. I wonder if she lives near the Indian Reserve? I believe I know her; wish she would write again. Could any of the readers supply me with the words of "Fair Charlotte" or "The Gypsy's Warning"? PANDORA.

A Musical "Chuck"?

Dear Cynthia,—Please tell "Chuck" for me that he ought to be able to buy the song at any music stand, as it has been revived again and quite popular. The author of both music and words is Thomas P. Westendorf. If "Chuck" cannot get the music I'll copy it for him, or loan mine. I never knew a woodchuck could sing before, but "live and learn" is my motto. I think "Canada Thistle" is a dandy poet (or "-ess"). Shake, brother bard!

Someone was inquiring if "Calamity Ann" really weighed 200. Don't tell, and I'll tell you a secret. Yes'm, she does, and then some! Ha, ha, "C. A."! Guess!

Well, I'm getting such a nuisance, always pestering you most to death, I'll shake the dust off my feet, for a short time at least, but that's me all over, Mable! Yours till the ice in the pail cracks, URA KIDD.

Fond of Lemon Desserts.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am another who is asking for that ever-popular stocking-foot pattern. I wonder if anyone has a recipe called "lemon sponge"? It is excellent, but I have lost it. I am very fond of lemon desserts. As I am not giving any help this time (first time), I must not ask for too much. Hoping you are enjoying this nice weather, and thanking you in advance. TOPSY.

Ans.—This lemon foam recipe may answer in place of the last one: 2 cups boiling water, 1 scant cup sugar, juice of two lemons, 2 eggs, 3 tablespoons cornstarch. Mix the cornstarch in a little cold water and put in double boiler with sugar and water for five minutes, add lemon juice, cool, use the whites, pour mixture in and beat light and foamy. Serve with boiled custard made with the yolks.

Yokes With Sleeves.

Dear Miss Grey,—I see where one of your readers were asking for the "Face on the Barroom Floor." I am sending it. Would she please return it? May I, too, have your stocking-foot pattern? Have any of the readers some crochet yoke patterns with sleeves in? I shall be pleased to send some in return. DEWDROP.

A Friend In Need.

Dear Miss Grey,—Here is another asking for the much-wanted stocking-foot pattern. I'll pass it around in this district and save others bothering you. Thanking you in advance. LAKESIDE.

Ans.—You're a friend, in need, "Lakeside." That idea of yours re "passing around" the pattern certainly meets with my warm approval.

Scottie From Airdrie.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am sending this letter from "Scottie from Airdrie." Would you please send it on to her? I would like to know who she is. I received "Airdrie" lassie's letter also the pattern. Thanking you very much for same. AIRDRIEONIAN.

Ans.—I have not retained the address of "Scotty from Airdrie," so will she please forward it to "Airdrieonian's" letter?

No Barnardo Home.

Dear Miss Grey,—Could you please give the address of the Barnardo Home? And is there a home in Stratford? What is the address of it? I'm sending a recipe for Lunch Cake.—1½ cups brown sugar, 2 eggs, 1 cup chopped raisins, 1 cup sour milk, 1 large teaspoon soda, 1 cup butter, nutmeg, flour to stiffen. Hoping you escape the flu, I remain, HAPPY HOLLIGAN.

Ans.—No Barnardo Home listed in the Stratford city directory. The Children's Aid Shelter there is situated at 219 Ontario street.

Have Been Neglected.

Dear Miss Grey,—May I come in long enough to ask for that popular foot-pattern? That sounds selfish, but I have been so busy nursing flu patients that my stockings have been sadly neglected. I do enjoy your column, Miss Grey, and always wish it was longer. Don't you think Bud Fisher might "change off" and give Mutt "the worst of it" occasionally? Yes, I think with "Rose Marie," that Madge and her probleme could very gracefully withdraw without many tears being shed over them.

A couple of hints: To measure your skirt evenly, chalk the edge of table, stand against it, and turn round, which leaves chalk line round your skirt below the hips, then with tape line measure evenly from chalk line all round the skirt.

Bran Biscuits—Three cups flour, 1½ cups bran, 4 teaspoons baking powder, 3 tablespoons shortening, 2 tablespoons sugar, salt, water to make soft dough, roll out and bake quickly.

I am inclosing envelope for the pattern. I think, at this rate, that kind-hearted "Beth" will have to come to the rescue again. MARABEL.

Babies of the Empire Society

One of the grandest movements of all time was inaugurated in London, England, when the prime minister of New Zealand, Mr. W. F. Massey, P.C., performed the opening ceremony for the babies of the empire mothercraft training centre at 31 Trebovir road, Earl's Court, S. W. As was fitting, Lord Plunkett was in the chair and Dr. Truby King the medical director of the centre was one of the speakers. These three men represent the beginning of this world-wide babies' Red Cross movement for it was due to Dr. Truby King's realization of what a baby is entitled to and how these things may be obtained that New Zealand placed itself on the map as the world's champion of babies. It was through Lord Plunkett that Dr. King's ideas could be given practical working support.

Reduced To Lowest Rate.

Mr. Massey pointed out that in eight years after beginning his work, Dr. King had reduced the infant death rate of New Zealand to the lowest in the world, thus proving that infant mortality is, in almost all instances, due to the carelessness of the supposed caretakers of those infants—in other words, infant mortality is, for the most part, unnecessary. Of course, Dr. King could have done nothing but theorize and at best, work successfully in one little spot just as countless milk stations enthusiasts are working today in Canada, had not the public health department made pure milk and pure food supplies obligatory. They also did other invaluable preventative work by prohibiting aliens from entering the country if they were suffering from contagious disease. It was in this national work that Lord Plunkett gave valuable aid through his position as governor of New Zealand.

Band of Nurses.

Lady Plunkett had a hand in the good work, also, for she organized the band of nurses who were trained specially in mothercraft and sent into the homes of babies to instruct and advise mothers. Baby hospitals were the next step and from these centres the saving of babies went steadily forward. Every advance was made possible and permanent because of government aid. This took the form, financially, of a grant of £1 4s for every pound donated voluntarily by individuals. All these factors in the work were pointed out by Mr. Massey and an additional one which proves beyond a doubt that instead of being a hopeless undertaking it is perfectly easy to induce the general public to assume their rightful role of emergency fathers and mothers. Mr. Massey dwelt particularly on the enthusiastic support which the men of New Zealand gave to Dr. King. Farmers, bankers, businessmen—all saw their duty and performed it.

Saving the Babies.

Sir Arthur Newsholme, another speaker, dwelt on the importance of environment if child life is to be improved. Saving the babies is the first step, but only one of many others before the child becomes a worthy citizen. The health visitor is absolutely necessary. Dr. Christine Newell added a plea for teachers of mothercraft who have had the best possible practical training. Dr. King told how it was possible to reach every class and every creed in the educational campaign. Pamphlets and weekly articles in the newspapers reached those who could not possibly come into touch with the central station. All printed matter was given free by the government and their nurses were passed free over the railways.

New Station Opened.

The new station which was opened so appropriately is evidence of the keen interest which the British Government is taking in baby welfare work. A number of public-spirited women, headed by Lady Henry and the duchess of Marlborough, began a campaign less than a year ago in order to raise a fund to establish over 5,000 model baby welfare centres throughout England. Everyone was asked to contribute jewels and the response has been wonderful. The Duchess of Marlborough gave her wonderful collar of matched pearls which sold for £47,000. Other donations were similar in kind and with the support given by the government this great step towards saving British babies has been taken. While English babies are to be benefitted directly through the jewel fund, British babies throughout the world will, eventually, be the gainers through the new training station. What was accomplished in New Zealand will be accomplished throughout the Empire.

Home Training To Be Given.

A thorough nursery and home training is to be given hospital nurses, infant welfare workers, maternity nurses and everyone interested in babies. Nursing mothers and their babies will be accommodated at the new centre. In the milk dispensary hang the records of all the babies, their diets and items of interest to nurse and doctor. The very purest milk in all England is used in this dispensary. Preparation of food for children up to ten years of age is taught and everything connected with a baby's layette from the making to the laundering is thoroughly taught. The length of training varies from three months to a year and certificates are granted only after successfully passing of examinations. The centre accommo-

Western Ontario Women's Activities

KERWOOD W. I.

The Women's Institute shipped to Hyman Hall 28 pairs of children's stockings, 12 pairs men's socks and 25 black dresses. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. W. Lencock on Wednesday, February 19. An excellent program is being prepared.

KERWOOD TRUE BLUES.

The True Blues, a class of young ladies in the Methodist Sunday School, showed their appreciation of their teacher, Wm. Waddell, by presenting him and Mrs. Waddell with a handsome bouquet of carnations on his birthday anniversary.

KERWOOD VALENTINE TEA.

The next meeting of the Women's Missionary Society will take the form of a valentine tea at the home of Mrs. John Johnson on the afternoon of Thursday, February 13.

BURGESSVILLE W. I.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held on Thursday afternoon, February 13, at the home of Mrs. John Hughes, when a report of the convention will be given.

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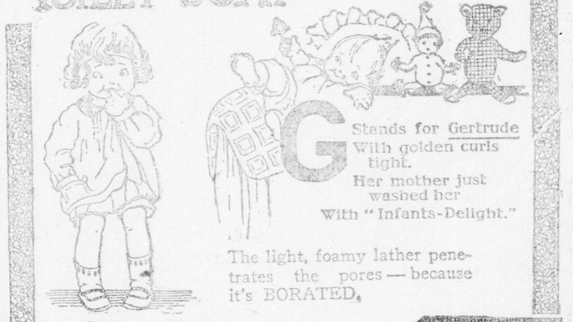
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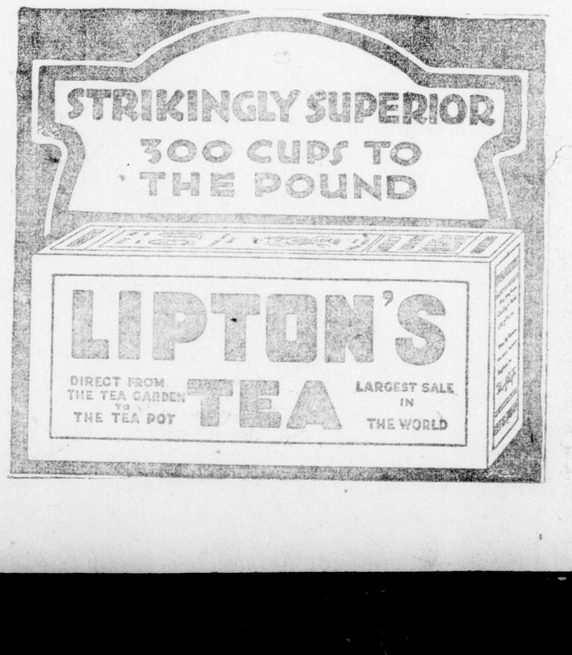


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SIMCOE SEXTET WILL PLAY HERE TOMORROW

London Intermediates Have a Good Chance For Group Honors.

The Simcoe intermediate hockey team will play the locals at the Jubilee Rink tomorrow night. If the London boys win they will clinch the O. H. A. group. London has a good team and should give the visitors a great game. The Simcoe sextet is composed of first-class hockey players. London has won three games and lost none, while Simcoe has won two and lost none.

Davenport, the star player, will cover centre, and Lougheed and "Bud" Kelly will play on the backward division. Sutter will guard the nets and Walden and Elliott will play on the wings. Art Gillies will likely appear with the intermediates tomorrow night for the first time this season. Art should make as good a showing as these players.

London will play at Simcoe Monday night. The juniors did not go to Paris last night, this game may be played at a later date.

London and Tillsonburg will be grouped together in the Northern League, and the winners will possibly meet Glencoe.

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NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—Hal Chase, first baseman of the Cincinnati National League baseball club, was today acquitted of the charge of attempting to influence the result of baseball games last summer.

President John A. Heydler of the league rendered the decision, after a week of study of the evidence submitted by the officers of the club, and that offered by Chase in rebutttal.

TILLSONBURG AND GLENCOE TO PLAY ON NEUTRAL ICE

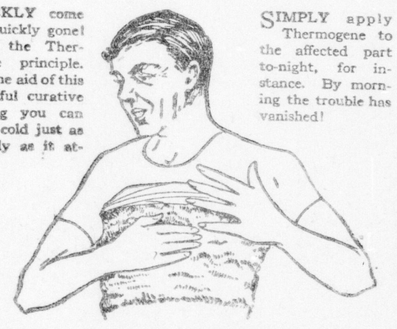
TILLSONBURG, Feb. 5.—The management of the local O. H. A. team today closely investigated the trouble of last evening, of which A. Davenport of London, who refereed the game, was the victim, and are thoroughly satisfied that outside fans were mainly responsible, and that no local player was in the crowd that waited for the referee outside the rink.

Arrangements are being made to hold the final game between Tillsonburg and Glencoe on neutral ice, most likely Woodstock. Tom Munro of London will referee the contest. The local management is being strongly supported to protest Tuesday's game.

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Western University Five Will Meet the Y. M. C. A. Team.

The intermediate O. A. B. A. series will open tonight at the Y. M. C. A. gym when the local Y. M. C. A. boys will meet the Western University five. This promises to be a fast game, as both teams have fine material. Several new players will appear on the floor with both teams.

The Canucks and New St. James will play an exhibition game beginning at 8:15 o'clock. The league game will commence at 8:45 o'clock.

Gus C. Markle will referee the intermediate game.

VICTORIA OUTPLAYED BY SEATTLE "METS"

Two Teams Tied For First Place in Pacific Coast League.

Seattle, Feb. 6.—The Seattles won from Victoria last night, dragging Victoria out of first place and evening up the race. The score was 9 to 1. The locals pulled themselves together and played like a real hockey team. From the start they opened up with the assortment of plays and passes which featured their work earlier in the season. The local forwards peppered Goaler Murray with shots from all angles. The "Mets" outskated the Invaders, they outchecked them, and beat them in every department.

Line-up:

Seattle.		Victoria.
Holmes	Goal	Murray
Rowe	Defence	Oatman
Rickey	Defence	Genge
Morris	Centre	Dunderdale
Walker	Rover	Johnson
Foyston	L. Wing	Marples
Wilson	R. Wing	Tobin
Murray	Sub.	Barbour
McDonald	Sub.	

Referee—Fred Ion.

TILLSONBURG HOCKEY PLAYER RETURNS FROM OVERSEAS

TILLSONBURG, Feb. 5.—Tillsonburg citizens welcomed home another local hero today in the person of Pte. T. L. Baker, who came over on the Grampian. The young man enlisted in the 71st Battalion, while a student at the local high school, and had many narrow escapes in his three years of service at the front. He was badly wounded last August leaving his right arm very stiff. Before going overseas he was a star wing man on the local junior O. H. A. hockey team.

HOCKEY AT A GLANCE

GAMES TODAY.
National League.
Toronto at Ottawa.
Intermediate O. H. A.
Peterboro at Oshawa.
New Hamburg at Stratford (playoff).

FRED FULTON IS BARRED FROM MINNEAPOLIS RINGS

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 5.—The Minnesota Boxing Commission, meeting here late today, voted to bar indefinitely Fred Fulton, Rochester, Minn., heavyweight fighter, from boxing or sparring in Minnesota rings. It is understood the commissioners took the action as a result of Fulton's statement made recently in San Francisco, that Jack Dempsey had "double-crossed" him in the fight on July 27 last.

ST. MICHAELS DEFEATED BY UPPER CANADA SIX

TORONTO, Feb. 5.—Upper Canada College defeaed St. Michael's College in the junior O. H. A. series this afternoon by 4 to 2.

Line-up:

Upper Canada.		St. Michaels.
Mitchell	Goal	R. Egan
Beatty	Defence	O'Connor
Braithwaite	Defence	Munro
Richards	Centre	Rocque
Kirk	Wing	Legge
Swabey	Wing	Cronyn
Gill	Subs.	Gilmour
Holloran	Subs.	McComber

Referee—Bobby Hewitson.

TWO BASEBALL PLAYERS RESTORED IN MINORS

CINCINNATI, Feb. 5.—The national baseball commission handed down notices today to the effect that Players Allan Russell and Hugh High of the New York American League club had been restored to good standing in organized baseball. Both men were carried on the reserve list for this year.

BOXING COMMISSION FOR OKLAHOMA STATE

Oklahoma City, Okla., Feb. 6.—The committee on criminal jurisprudence of the Oklahoma House of Representatives yesterday reported favorably a bill establishing a boxing commission in Oklahoma. Under provisions of the bill it would be possible to hold twenty-round bouts in Oklahoma provided a world's championship were at stake.

BIG CROWD FOR GAME

Toronto, Feb. 6.—There has been an enormous demand for seats for the Dental-Hamilton game on Saturday, and indications are that the largest crowd of the season will see the big game. There was a long lineup when the sale opened this morning. Dentals must win on Saturday to force a tie in the group. A play-off in that event will be necessary. Tigers have won two of the three games played this season, winning by 7 to 5 here and 4 to 3 at home. While they have lost in Hamilton by 4 to 3, Dentals are 6 to 5 favorites.

THREE GAMES PLAYED IN WESTERN LEAGUE

Western "U," Canucks and Strongbows Win in Girls' Basketball League.

The Western University basketball team defeated the Midgets by the score of 9 to 7 at the collegiate gym in the Western "U" Girls' Basketball League last night. The game was fast and the final basket was not scored until the last few minutes of play. The winners were fast and played together well. The Midgets put up a fast contest.

The Canucks won from the Lighthearts, the score being 14 to 9, at the collegiate gym.

In the afternoon the Strongbows had a victory over the Arrows. The final score was 10 to 8.

The team:

Western "U"Miss H. Baker, right forward; Miss E. Janes, left forward; Miss M. Gemmell, centre; Miss K. Holland, left guard; Miss V. Swartz, right guard; Miss M. Wrighton, substitute.

Midgets—Miss G. Jepson, right forward; Miss K. Milne, left forward; Miss H. Graves, centre; Miss D. Graves, left guard; Miss E. Trudell, right guard; Miss L. Milne, substitute.

Canucks—Miss H. Parker, left forward; Miss K. McAvey, right forward; Miss A. Allan, centre; Miss M. Partridge, left guard; Miss J. Bell, right guard.

Lighthearts—Miss A. Aling, left forward; Miss B. Fetterly, right forward; Miss K. White, centre; Miss L. Ram, left guard; Miss M. Waide, right guard.

Strongbows—Miss A. Bryant, left forward; Miss M. Richardson, right forward; Miss R. Shoshenberg, centre; Miss M. Wilson, left guard; Miss B. Doan, right guard.

Arrows—Miss Q. Harris, left forward; Miss D. Anderson, right forward, right forward; Miss M. Rhynd, centre; Miss M. Chamberlain, left guard; Miss H. Coyle, right guard.

Referee—Jack Lightfoot.

LONDON CURLERS WIN IN COLTS BONSPIEL

Forest City Curlers Came Out on Top at St. Marys Yesterday.

ST. MARYS, Feb. 5.—The London Thistles won from St. Marys curlers by six shots in the Western Ontario Colts League held here today. The London Curling Club men won from the Plattsville rink.

The final scores:

London C. C.		Plattsville.
Casell	16	McKee 17
Ashplant	25	Lachman 8
Total	41	Total 25
London up 16 shots.		
Lon. Thistles.		St. Marys.
Mortimer	9	Heuther 13
Anderson	16	Lavalle 6
Total	25	Total 19
Thistles up 6 shots.		

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St. Marys.		Lon. Thistles.
W. Lavelle	22	W. Mortimer 15
W. Hunter	15	W. J. Anderson 14
Total	38	Total 29
St. Marys up 9 shots.		
London C. C.		Mitchell.
N. Casselman	14	Dr. McGill 8
F. Ashplant	11	R. Cuthbertson 2
Total	25	Total 17
London Club up 8 shots.		
Plattsville.		St. Marys.
M. Lachman	10	W. Lavelle 16
P. McKee	23	W. Hunter 7
Total	33	Total 17
Plattsville up 16 shots.		

CONSOLATION.

Lon. Thistles.		Mitchell.
W. J. Anderson	20	R. Cuthbertson 5
W. Mortimer	10	Dr. McGill 10
Total	30	Total 15

London Thistles up 15 shots.
Plattsville vs. London in trophy final.
London Thistles vs. St. Marys in the consolation.

At the annual meeting held at 1:30, the following officers were elected: President, John Macpherson, London; first vice-president, Dr. Smith, St. Thomas; second vice-president, W. Rnodes, London Thistles; secretary-treasurer, H. McCallum, London Thistles.

TORONTO BEACHES LOSE TO PARKDALE JUNIORS

TORONTO, Feb. 5.—Weakened by the absence of Green, their star centre player, Parkdale tonight were hard pressed to win from Beaches in the junior O. H. A. series by the score of 4 to 3.

The line-up:

Parkdale.		Beaches.
Worters	Goal	Davis
Spring	Defence	Dicken
Batstone	Defence	Halliwell
McCurry	Wing	Adams
Noble	Wing	Marshall
Heuston	Centre	Stewart
Kelly	Subs.	McCaffery
McKinnon	Subs.	Walters

Referee—R. Hewitson.

PLATTSVILLE CURLERS DEFEND GLENN TROPHY

PLATTSVILLE, Feb. 5.—Plattsville successfuly defended the Glenn cup, when they defeated the Seaforth curlers by four shots here yesterday.

The Plattsville rink will meet the London Thistles next for the trophy.

The scores:

Plattsville.	Seaforth.
J. B. English,	J. Broderick,
H. Rush,	H. McLean,
G. H. Milne,	L. Johnston,
R. G. Hall,	R. E. Bright,
skip 16	skip 12

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ROYAL CITY RINKS WIN BY TWO SHOTS

Ont. Tankard Games at Guelph Yesterday — Last Year's Winners on Top Again.

GUELPH, Feb. 5.—After many delays on account of mild weather the Ontario Tankard group for this district was played off here today and tonight, resulting in a victory for the Royal City Club of Guelph, last year's tankard winners by two shots over the Milton Club. The winners were one shot down to play the last end, but pulled out a victory. Their first draw brought together the two Guelph clubs, while Milton and Fergus got the other game. Brampton drew the bye. In the first round the Royal Citys defeated the Unions 34 to 26, while Milton scored a victory over Fergus by 13 shots. Brampton and Milton in the second round this afternoon, and the winners of it with the Royal Cities this evening. The following are the scores:

Royal City.		Guelph Union.
E. H. Johns		W. Gould
F. Smith		R. R. Dodds
R. Mahoney		H. C. Steele
R. Dillon,		J. A. Lillie,
Skip	17	Skip 10
W. A. Mahoney		L. Watts
H. Barber		W. E. Taylor
H. Mahoney		G. McPherson
C. R. Crowe,		F. R. Johnston,
Skip	17	Skip 16
Total	34	Total 26
Royal City up 8.		
Milton.		Fergus.
R. Wilson		G. McAllister
C. Toletska		G. Chapman
W. Chisholm		J. Anderson
D. S. Robertson.		T. J. Hamilton,
Skip	13	Skip 18
J. Willmot		A. Hutchinson
J. Armstrong		J. Moffat
J. Little		A. Perry
J. Peacock,		A. A. Armstrong,
Skip	28	Skip 10
Total	41	Total 28
Milton up 13.		
Brampton.		Milton.
P. Warr		J. Willmot
G. Kirkwood		J. Armstrong
J. Birss		J. Little
W. B. Downs,		J. Peacock,
Skip	14	Skip 17
W. Moore		R. Wilson
W. Warr		C. Toletszka
F. Gillies		W. Chisholm
J. Beck,		D. S. Robertson,
Skip	13	Skip 17
Total	27	Total 34
Majority for Milton 7.		

Finals.

Royal City.		Milton.
C. R. Crowe,		J. Peacock,
Skip	20	Skip 10
R. Dillon,		D. S. Robertson,
Skip	12	Skip 20
Total	32	Total 30
Majority for Royal City 2.		

WOODSTOCK JUNIORS TO PLAY KITCHENER

WOODSTOCK, Feb. 5.—Never in years has there been so much interest aroused here in hockey as at present. Following the local juniors' brilliant record in their group, which they won with a clean sheet of six victories, word reached here tonight that Kitchener Union Jacks would be the red and whites' first opponents in the semi-finals; first game in Kitchener, Monday; return here on Wednesday. Train connections to Kitchener are not very good, but the fans are going over in force. The boys have played three games in five days, but Coach Breen is a terror for work, and is tonight arranging to bring either the veterans or Newman Hall O. H. A. club of Toronto here Friday night for an exhibition as "prep" for his boys.

LIGHT HARNESS RACE DATES ARE ARRANGED

DETROIT, Feb. 5.—Detroit tracks get four weeks of Shortship racing this coming season. The dates were fixed at a meeting of Michigan light harness men held in Mount Clemens last night, as follows:

June 9-14—Dexter Park.
June 16-21—Mount Clemens.
June 23-28—Bay City.
June 30-July 5—Port Huron.
July 7-12—Saginaw.
July 14-19—Kalamazoo.
July 21-26—Grand Rapids.
July 21-August 2—Jackson.
August 4-9—Dexter Park.
August 11-16—Cranwood Park.
August 18-23—Toledo.
August 25-30—Mount Clemens.
September 1-5—Detroit State Fair.
September 8-13—Jackson Fair.
September 15-20—Grand Rapids Fair.
September 26-27—Saginaw Fair.
September 29-October 4 — Mount Clemens.
September 6-11—Dexter Park.
September 13-18—Rockport, Ohio.
September 20-25—Cranwood, Ohio.

WITH THE BOWLERS

Has-Beens.

R. Cushman	162	127	147	436
C. Taylor	149	167	166	482
B. Hunter	170	208	180	558
M. Smith	183	201	202	586
A. Sheere	186	188	195	569
Totals	850	891	890	2621

Western Ontario Regiment.

Roeder	164	155	140	459
Johnson	155	169	185	509
Cotter	171	210	144	525
Rose	145	124	206	475
Smith	158	211	192	561
Totals	793	869	867	2529

Shipping Room.

Ferris	213	165	173	551
House	155	110	136	401
Hayden	143	162	172	477
Sherritt	141	153	130	424
Stockton	169	175	140	484
Totals	821	715	757	2337

Cut Stock Department.

Lashbrook	169	156	207	532
Shaw	136	136	138	410
Boyd	137	156	123	416
Govenlock	151	184	140	475
Ballantine	202	134	224	560
Totals	795	766	832	2393

FAST PRESTON BOYS WIN FROM AGGIES

Preston Intermediates Continued Unbroken String of Victories.

GUELPH, Feb. 5.—The Preston intermediates continued their unbroken string of victories when they defeated the O. A. C. team at the collegiate arena tonight by a score of 7 to 5. The game was easily the best of the season, and was witnessed by the largest crowd of the season. The Aggies made the best showing of the year, and it was not until near the close of the final period that Preston drew away. They simply could not be stopped in this period, and bombarded the college goal repeatedly. The entire Preston team put up a great game, and showed a three-man combination which was hard to break up. The score was two-all at the end of the first period, and three-all at the end of the second period, but Preston scored four goals to the O. A. C.'s two in the last period.

Allen Kinder of Preston refereed in a satisfactory manner.

The line-up:

O. A. C.		Preston.
Allen	Goal	Wilkinson
Musgrave	Defence	Schlagel
Alexander	Defence	I. Bowman
Shoemaker	Centre	George
Taylor	Wing	Clarke
Sirrs	Wing	A. Bowman
Stillwell	Subs.	Sturdy
Howarth	Subs.	Schramm

Referee—A. Kinder, Preston.

AFTERNOON BONSPIEL AT LONDON CURLING CLUB

The regular Thursday afternoon bonspiel will be held at the London Curling Club today commencing at 4:15 o'clock. Hot supper will be served at 6:30 o'clock. The prizes have been donated by Thomas Gillean. The members wishing to take part in the spiel are requested to be at the club not later than 4:15 o'clock.

STRATFORD JUNIORS IN SECOND O. H. A. ROUND

Will Meet Mount Forest in Home-and-Home Series Next Week.

STRATFORD, Feb. 5.—Secretary Denroche of the Stratford Hockey Club was advised today that Stratford Juniors would be pitted against Mount Forest in the second round of the O. H. A. The Midgets go to Mount Forest on Wednesday, February 12, with the return game here on Friday, February 14.

Tomorrow night will decide the fate of the local seniors in the O. H. A. when they play New Hamburg. The visitors will bring with them a six-goal lead and are looking to being able to hold the locals as well as on the former game, when Stratford had hard work to win out here by two. While there are some who believe Stratford can win, general opinion is that they will have to play better hockey than they have yet, to do so. A good game can be looked for at all events.

The prizes for the Western Ontario tankard bonspiel here on February 11 have been announced, together with the rules of the competition. In addition to the W. O. tankard trophy, winners will receive sweater coats and runners up living-room chairs. The Victor cup winners and runners up will also receive cut-glass flower vases and the Windsor cup winners casseroles and umbrellas. The draw will be made on the evening of February 10.

TWENTY RINKS PLAY IN BIG HARRISTON 'SPIEL

Annual Curling Bonspiel Opens at Harriston--Mount Forest Wins Second Round.

HARRISTON, Feb. 5.—The Harriston annual bonspiel opened today under favorable conditions, the ice being in first-class condition. Twenty rinks entered the draw with the following result:

Trophy.

Palmerston.		Southampton.
Geo. Dawson,		Brock McAuley,
Skip	15	Skip 18
Harriston.		Owen Sound.
L. Merriam,		M. Kennedy, Jun,
Skip	17	Skip 10
Palmerston.		Owen Sound.
Geo. Grahame,		W. H. Smith,
Skip	18	Skip 12
Harriston.		Fergus.
Capt. Holloin,		J. Graham,
Skip	8	Skip 12
First Round.		
Wingham.		Harriston.
A. Crawford,		J. McMurchy,
Skip	16	Skip 4
Mount Forest.		Harriston.
J. Sibly,		Dr. Ireland,
Skip	12	Skip 21
Owen Sound.		Harriston.
H. J. Ramsey,		B. Whitmore,
Skip	14	Skip 12
Wroxeter.		Harriston.
Robert Black,		J. Mickiejohn,
Skip	12	Skip 15
Mount Forest.		Harriston.
A. Robertson,		H. G. Lemon,
Skip	14	Skip 13
Mount Forest.		Harriston.
Dr. Beacom,		W. Dixen, (Default.)
Skip.		Skip.
Second Round.		
Mount Forest.		Mount Forest.
A. Robertson,		Dr. Beacom,
Skip	13	Skip 11

HARRISTON DEFEATS WINGHAM IN N. H. L.

First-Class Hockey Game Staged at Wingham Rink Last Night.

WINGHAM, Feb. 5.—Harriston defeated Wingham by the score of 9 to 5 in the senior Northern Hockey League here tonight. The ice was in first-class condition and a good crowd of spectators turned out to see the boys perform.

The score was 4 to 2 at the end of the first period in favor of Harriston. At the end of the second period the score was 7 to 5 with Harriston on top. The winners ran up two more goals in the final period.

The teams lined up as follows:

Harriston.		Wingham.
A. Wood	Goal	P. Joynt
H. Bennett	R. Defence	C. Wilson
E. Reeves	L. Defence	M. McLean
P. Brenkenbul	Centre	W. McWool
C. Welsh	Left Wing	W. Sturdy
P. McLennon	Right Wing	D. Moore

Referee—Whitten of Harriston.

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NEXT CAMPAIGN WILL BE TORIES' GREATEST BLUFF

Signs Reveal Preparations To Shamelessly Exploit Returned Soldiers.

WELLAND LIBERALS MEET

W. M. German Says Greatest Need of Reconstruction Is at Ottawa.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

WELLAND, Feb. 5.—Welland County Liberals met this afternoon in the largest convention of Liberals ever held in this county. The convention was marked by all the evidences of the revival of Liberal thought, and was marked in its condemnation of the present federal administration. W. M. German, ex-M.P., who was the chief speaker at the convention, demanded the repeal of the war-times election act and the franchise act, characterizing them as "the most damnable and villainous laws ever heard of in Canada."

"The present Government," said he, "is existing, whether it has any right to exist or not, and while it is not endeavoring to legislate, it is governing the country by orders-in-council.

"The people of Canada believe that if the Union Government ever had any usefulness, that day of usefulness is gone. We believe that the time has come for the dissolution of the Government into its original elements, a reversion to the tried and proven system of party government. (Applause.)

"Reconstruct" Government.

"The papers say that the present Government should be continued in power until after demobilization and reconstruction. Most necessary in Canada is the reconstruction of the Government," declared the speaker amid laughter. "Our greatest problems are the assimilation of the aliens in the country, and the re-establishment of our returned soldiers in civil life.

"The greatest problem of the Government at this time is that of arranging a fiscal policy which will provide for the raising of a revenue, so that taxes may bear as lightly as possible upon laboring men and farmers, and so that the men of wealth may pay their share."

Mr. German demanded the repeal of the war levy of 7½ per cent and declared that the lowering of duties on farm implements an absolute necessity.

Present issues in federal and provincial politics were also discussed by Messrs. J. F. Gross, F. H. Leslie, Dr. Snyder and others. W. G. Charlton, secretary of the Western Ontario Liberal Association, was present, and also delivered a stirring address upon "The Opportunity of Liberalism."

Charlton Reads Signs.

"Liberalism is being democratized in Ontario," said Mr. Charlton, "and Liberalism is destined to rise to the height and grandeur of a compelling circumstance in national affairs."

He forecast that the next general election would be one of the greatest attempts at bluff ever put over by the Tory machine, and said that all signs pointed to the fact that the Administration was preparing to shamelessly exploit the returned soldiers, as it exploited the farmers in the last election.

Resolutions in accord with those passed by the western, central and eastern Liberal associations were passed, and expressions of confidence in Sir Wilfrid Laurier were enthusiastically indorsed.

Officers were elected as follows: President, F. H. Leslie, Niagara Falls; first vice-president, Joseph Wilson; second vice-president, Mrs. George Mann; third vice-president, Mrs. Dr. Emmett; secretary, George Porter; treasurer, Mrs. Gulnther. F. H. Leslie and Mrs. George Mann will represent Welland on the Western Ontario Liberal Association executive.

WINDSOR VETERANS CLAIM GOVT. BROKE PLEDGE WITH THEM

WINDSOR, Feb. 5.—Members of the Windsor branch of the Canadian Great War Veterans' Association expressed surprise today when the announcement was made that the Government had violated the agreement with returned soldiers by appointing Walter Duncan, a retired Toronto detective, to succeed Capt. Asa Minard as chief inspector of Dominion police in Western Ontario.

The Government, it is claimed, had clearly declared that only returned soldiers would be considered for Government positions. There are many officer now in Western Ontario, Windsor veterans say, who could ably fill the position.

Captain Minard, who has accepted the permanent secretaryship of the Windsor veterans' organization, made his final inspection of the police posts today.

Hospital Transport Araguaya Bringing 750 Invalid Troops

65 of Company Are For This District — To Land in Maine.

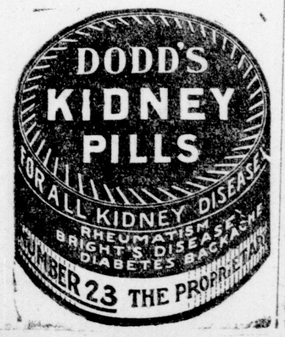
OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—The militia department has received word that the ambulance transport Araguaya, with approximately 750 invalid Canadian soldiers on board, left Liverpool on February 3 for Portland, Me. She will probably reach that port about February 10. The invalids on board are all hospital cases.

The number from London military district is 65.

The total of 797 includes nursing sisters carried on the transport.

ELEVATORS AT HEAD OF LAKES ARE PACKED FULL

FORT WILLIAM, Feb. 5. — That there is a margin of only 5,000,000 bushels of grain storage in the elevators of the two cities at the head of the lakes to come and go on, is the report now given out. It is pointed out that the only thing that prevents an embargo upon any shipment from the west at all is the fact that the 1918 crop was small.



PLEA FOR STRONGER BEER IS PRESENTED BY BULK OF LABOR

Deputation Represents 1,500 of 1,900 Unions.

HEADED BY TOM MOORE

Arguments Range From Industrial Content To Prospective Immigration.

OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—A plea for stronger beer was presented to the Government this morning by representatives of the labor movement in Canada, among whom were Tom Moore, president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada; Controller H. J. Halford, Hamilton, chairman of the Ontario executive of the Ontario Trades and Labor Congress; J. T. Gunn, vice-president of the Independent Labor party and a member of the electrical union; James J. Ralph, executive board member of the International Union of Brewery Workers from Toronto; M. J. Walsh and E. Dion of the Quebec Trades Council; A. Garlepy, Montreal, Canadian board member of the Cigarmakers' International Union; J. Sutherland, Building Trades League.

The Government was represented by Sir Thomas White, acting premier, Hon. F. B. Carvell, Hon. J. A. Calder and Hon. G. D. Robertson.

1,500 Trades Unions.

The deputation presented resolutions from nearly 1,500 out of the 1,900 existing labor unions of the Dominion.

"This, itself, is proof," the delegation urged "that the executive minority who are preaching total prohibition do not represent the thoughts and desires of the great masses of workers of the country."

The request to the Government was for the removal of the "present unnecessary restrictions" relative to the manufacture and sale of beer. The order-in-council, it was claimed, was placed on the statute books as a war measure, and not on its merits as social legislation. The war is now over, claim the labor men, and there is no further need of this measure of restriction if ever such need existed. Other features specially emphasized were the throwing out of work of the thousands engaged in brewing and allied industries in the Dominion at the present time, and in view of the impossibility of the employers assimilating those at present unemployed. It was argued, that care should be taken before the labor market is further distreated.

Would Affect Immigration.

Another important point raised was the question of future immigration. The last action of the British Government in acceding to the demands of the British workers by granting them more and stronger beer, means, it was argued, that if Canada were to attract this immigration instead of the unsatisfactory alien immigration of the past the laws of the Dominion must be such as commend themselves to possible immigrants.

Expressions of opinion received from many sources in England caused the assertion to be made by the labor representatives that the tide of immigration would turn to Australia, where prohibition has not yet been spoken of unless the palatable beer is conceded to the workers of this Dominion.

HON. GEO. S. HENRY OPPOSES PLANTING FLANDERS POPPIES

Minister of Agriculture Wants Ontario Free of Weed.

MIGHT BECOME NUISANCE

Proposes Rather That Highways Be Lined "Row on Row" With Trees.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, Feb. 5. — Flanders poppies in the grain fields of Ontario as a memorial to the heroic Canadians who lie "beneath the crosses, row on row," in Flanders fields, do not find favor with the department of agriculture. Hon. George S. Henry, minister of agriculture, speaking at the Ontario Horticultural Association convention tonight, read a report on the subject submitted at his request by Professor Howett of the Ontario Agricultural College, in which he says:

"Varieties of the European poppy have been many times introduced into Canada, and grown in gardens. So far as I am aware there are no records of poppies having escaped from cultivation and becoming troublesome as weeds in cultivated fields in Ontario. This fact, however, does not make it safe for us to assume that the poppy might not become a weed in Ontario if it were introduced wholesale by various patriotic committees throughout the province.

"In view of the fact that the poppy is such a common weed in grain fields in Europe, and that the seeds have considerable vitality, and will remain dormant in the ground for several years, it seems to be there would be considerable risk that the poppy might become a troublesome weed in Ontario if it were introduced wholesale for patriotic purposes."

There was another suggestion, said Mr. Henry, which, he thought, worthy of consideration. That was the planting of trees in memory of the men who had fallen. This had been taken up in the United States, and in one state an avenue of trees 400 miles long had been planted along a highway. He thought there were many districts in Ontario where this plan might be adopted with great advantage.

CANADA MUST SHOW SOLDIERS THEY ARE TRULY APPRECIATED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—"The majority of the returned soldiers will come back sound in body and mind, and on the whole will be better citizens for having been overseas. It only remains for the people of Canada to put into concrete action the expressions of appreciation they have been making during the last four years, so that the returned men may be given the opportunity of furnishing the backbone which this Dominion appears to need."

This sentiment was expressed at the Canadian Club luncheon today by Major-General A. D. McRae, when dealing, among other things, with the problems which confronted the country in the matter of the employment of men returning from the front.

B. C. MODERATION LEAGUE OPPOSING PROHIBITION

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—Officials of the British Columbia Moderation League will, within the course of the next few days, circulate a petition throughout the province, calling for the repeal of the prohibition act, and the passing of another act in conformity with the proposals of the league, as an alternative to the submission of a referendum on the whole prohibition question.



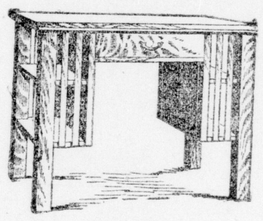
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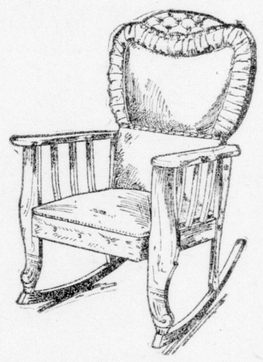
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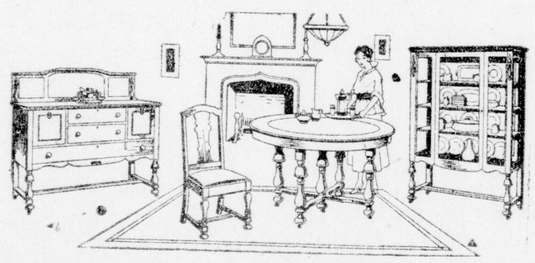
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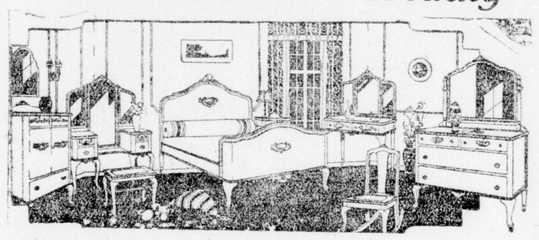
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$125 Suites for $95.00

$250 Suites for $185.00

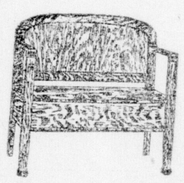
Every Rug in Our Stock Reduced



THIS includes every axminster, velvet, brussels, tapestry, fibre and summer rug in our stock without exception. Never has there been a finer opportunity to secure the highest quality floor covering at such low prices as during this sale.

TO THOSE not familiar with the Rug situation we would say that inasmuch as the government has taken over most of the rug factories that the supply of rugs in the future will be somewhat limited. By all means take advantage of these special sale prices this week.

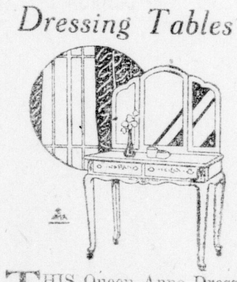
Hall Seats Reduced



THIS Solid Oak Hall Seat, finished in fumed or golden oak, is especially well made and finished. Sale price $12.95

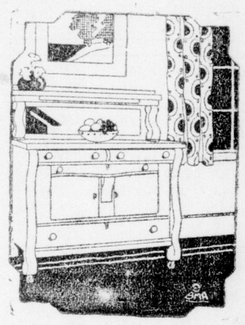
Others at....$10, $15 and $18

Dressing Tables



THIS Queen Anne Dressing Table comes in mahogany or walnut and is a wonderfully well made and designed piece of furniture. It has large genuine French plate mirrors and the cabinet work is unusually excellent. Specially priced at.....$25

A Great Value In Buffets

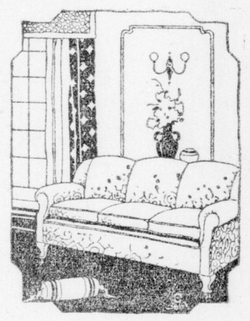


THIS massive Colonial period design Buffet comes in either golden oak or mahogany. Don't fail to take advantage of this special sale and secure a new Buffet for your dining-room. Has a large size French plate mirror with plenty of drawers for linen, silver, etc. Specially priced at $45.00

$35.00 Buffets for....$27.00

$45.00 Buffets for....$35.00

Buy a Chesterfield For Your Living-Room During This Sale

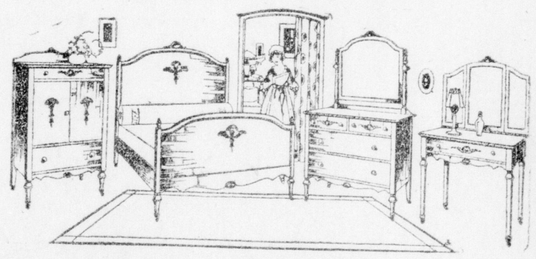


WE were fortunate in buying a lot of these Chesterfields over a year ago at a very low price. They are going on sale this week at practically cost. Take advantage of this opportunity. Your choice of tapestries at the special price of

$85.00

Others at $95.00, $110.00, $150.00 and up.

This Four-Piece Bedroom Suite Is a Bargain



IT includes every piece exactly as illustrated above and is beautifully finished in keeping with the fine workmanship that characterizes all furniture from this store. You must see this furniture to really appreciate its beauty.

THIS fine bedroom suite is now on display on our sales floor in ivory, walnut, mahogany or golden oak, and any home can afford to have this complete suite delivered at once because it is marked at the exceptionally low price of.....$135

The Ontario Furniture Company, Limited

228-230 Dundas Street

London's Largest Furnishers

Gravel or Stone in the Bladder Can Be Remedied

Among the most agonizing of diseases arising from Kidney derangements is Stone in the Bladder or Gravel.

Persons who suffer from these dreaded affections generally become chronic invalids. . . . Heed this message! Gin Pills have brought relief to thousands of persons whose cases seemed almost hopeless. Testimonials by the hundred recommend Gin Pills as the great remedy for Gravel or Stone in the Bladder. Try them! Surely what they have done for others, they will do for you.

Here is the substance of a testimonial received from a gentleman, whose name will be given on request:—

For a long time this man suffered excruciating pain, and at times positive torture from stone in the bladder. He tried many remedies without finding relief, and an X-ray photograph failed to locate the cause of his trouble. Finally, almost in despair, he tried Gin Pills, with the result that before long he passed the stone and obtained a reprieve from his previous agonies.

This man is a mechanic of about 35 years of age, with a wife and little girl to look after. Think what it has meant to him to become strong and well again!

In order to convince you of the merits of Gin Pills a sample box will be sent to you free, if you write us for it. Address:

The National Drug & Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto, Ontario. U. S. residents should address Na-Dru-Co., Inc., 205 Main St., Buffalo, N.Y. 43

GROWING DEAF WITH HEAD NOISES? TRY THIS

If you are growing hard of hearing and fear Catarrhal Deafness or if you have roaring, rumbling, hissing noises in your ears go to your druggist and get 1 ounce of Parmint (double strength), and add to it ¼ pint of hot water and a little granulated sugar. Take 1 tablespoonful four times a day.

This will often bring quick relief from the distressing head noises. Clogged nostrils should open, breathing become easy and the mucus stop dropping into the throat. It is easy to prepare, costs little and is pleasant to take. Anyone who is threatened with Catarrhal Deafness or who has head noises should give this prescription a trial.—Advt.

Try This If You Have Dandruff

There is one sure way that never fails to remove dandruff completely, and that is to dissolve it. This destroys it entirely. To do this, just get about four ounces of plain, ordinary liquid arvon; apply it at night when retiring; use enough to moisten the scalp and rub it in gently with the finger tips.

By morning, most, if not all, of your dandruff will be gone, and three or four more applications will completely dissolve and entirely destroy every single sign and trace of it, no matter how much dandruff you may have.

You will find, too, that all itching and digging of the scalp will stop instantly, and your hair will be fluffy, lustrous, glossy, silky and soft, and look and feel a hundred times better.

You can get liquid arvon at any drug store. It is inexpensive, and four ounces is all you will need. This simple remedy has never been known to fail.—Advt.

20 DROPS RADWAY'S

Ready Relief on a lump of SUGAR dissolved in the mouth for that COUGH that often follows INFLUENZA you will find instant relief.

For HOARSENESS, SORE THROAT, PAINS in the CHEST and BACK

Saturate a flannel cloth in Radway's Ready Relief and lay over the congested part of the lungs or back. As a counter irritant Radway's Ready Relief is much stronger, more convenient and cleaner than the old-fashioned mustard plaster.

A NEW 25c SIZE on the market. Ask for it. Accept no substitute. Radway's Ready Relief FOR EXTERNAL AND INTERNAL PAIN 78 years tried and true. For Family use.

LAURIER NEEDED TO LEAD CANADA OUT OF CHAOS

President Mills of East Elgin Association Addresses Fellow-Liberals.

SITUATION IS SERIOUS

Grand Old Man of Liberalism Would Bring About the Dominion's Salvation.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 4.—"We are told that we are today passing through a period of reconstruction, but it is quite apparent that it is not a period of reconstruction at all, but a period of destruction that we are passing through, and it will yet require the services of our honored leader, Sir Wilfrid Laurier, to lead the country back to salvation, and to build up out of the chaos a condition of affairs such as should exist in Canada."

Thus spoke Wilson H. Mills, one of the deputy reeves of Yarmouth Township, and president of the East Elgin Liberal Association, during the course of a brief but enthusiastic address this afternoon at the annual meeting of the Yarmouth Liberal Association held in the town hall.

Percy Dennis President.

The meeting was attended by an enthusiastic representative body of Liberal supporters of the district. Ex-President E. McCredie retired, owing to the fact that he is leaving the municipality, and suggested that Percy Dennis, the vice-president, be elected in his stead. A unanimous vote of those present gave the position to Mr. Dennis. Cornelius Doyle, another well-known supporter, was given the vice-presidency, and Geo. Russell, probably the greatest worker in the constituency, was re-elected secretary-treasurer.

Committees Elected.

The committees consisted of the following, representing the various subdivisions in the constituency:

No. 1—Mitchell Hepburn, chairman; Joseph King, Gordon Smith, William Burgess, Mrs. William Long, Mrs. Gordon Smith, Mrs. Henry McCoombe and Mrs. H. Hathaway.

No. 2—Roy Prior, chairman; Mrs. J. Williams, Mrs. Albert Parker, Mrs. A. Parker, Mrs. S. Edwards, J. Willings, Albert Parker, Samuel Edwards and G. L. Parker.

No. 3—E. O. Oille, chairman; Mrs. J. Laidlaw, R. Harvey, W. White, Mrs. E. White, W. B. Roberts, John Laidlaw, W. Gorvett and L. Banghart.

No. 4—Frank Maynard, chairman; Mrs. E. E. Mills, Mrs. J. Sanderson, Miss Frances Ryckman, Alex. Hepburn, F. S. Boyd, S. S. Harper, E. Siples, J. Sanderson and E. E. Mills.

No. 5—Charles Stafford, chairman; Mrs. J. Burton, Mrs. Charles Dennis, Miss M. McCandless, Robert McDiarmid, R. Elgie, Charles Dennis, J. Burton, Lewis McCandless and Carl White.

No. 6—Edward Lee, chairman; Mrs. D. Carr, Mrs. J. Cook, Mrs. J. Campbell, Mrs. Lee, Mrs. J. Gorvett, J. Cook, David Carr and J. Campbell.

No. 7—J. Harries, chairman; Mrs. R. J. Teeple, Mrs. J. Harries, Miss Gertie Hughes, Emmerson Cohon, R. J. Teeple, H. W. Haight, A. Neville and Alfred Neville.

No. 8—W. Eagner, chairman; Mrs. E. Hunter, Mrs. F. Huffman, A. Ferguson, Bert Lee, E. Gable, J. S. Campbell, S. Ferguson, Mrs. McCauley, Mrs. Wagner, Charles Grawburg and Mrs. Grawburg.

No. 9—H. Cohoon, chairman; Mayor E. A. Horton, Mrs. E. A. Horton, Mrs. H. Cohoon, Miss Flossie Munroe, W. Locke, James Whyte, Mrs. W. Locke, and Miss M. Maxwell.

No. 10—Frank McBrayne, chairman; Andrew Roberts, Mrs. D. D. Ferguson, Mrs. N. D. McCallum, Mrs. Andrew Roberts, Mrs. D. McTavish, Donald Ferguson, Fred Lewis and Neil Ferguson.

No. 11—Roy Charlton, chairman; Mrs. D. F. Thompson, Mrs. Dan Fowler, A. M. McIntyre, J. McLarty, J. F. Thompson, Frank Weaver and Colin Campbell.

Backs Charlton.

Following the election of officers, the newly-elected president took the chair. Mr. McCredie jokingly informing the audience that he would abdicate in favor of his successor, as the kaiser did. Mr. Dennis stated that he felt it a great honor to hold such an office, and voiced the opinion that W. G. Charlton was not beaten yet. If the Liberals of the constituency only followed him strongly he would be elected next time by a huge majority, and if elected Mr. Charlton was the man to go to Ottawa to represent the people.

Walter Rogers, Daniel Curtis, ex-reeve of Yarmouth, and others followed with brief addresses, in which they voiced opinions of what they called "the mean, underhand work of the Unionists."

Deputy-Reeve Wilson Mills of Sparta stated that he had met many men who had been Unionists until they learned that conscription would hit them. As soon as they discovered this they turned Liberals. Such men were not worthy of the name. A lower tariff, he declared to be absolutely necessary to the farmer in order that he might exist, but Sir Wilfrid Laurier's platform, to which the Conservatives had stated, "No truck nor trade with the Yankees," would soon be stolen from him unless he was prepared. "The Tories have no platform," he said, "and they are ready to take anything."

Sees an Election.

Everard McCredie, the retiring president, declared that he had read an article in the Halifax Herald recently, written by some newspaperman, in which he attempted to describe the farmer. He secured 100 copies and circulated them in the district. Some of the farmers got madder every line they read, and while that was not the only reason, it was probably partly to blame for him leaving the farm. He said that W. G. Charlton, the candidate, who was defeated by David Marshall, would never be beaten again so long as he had enough energy to run.

L. Banghart of Sparta declared that Canada today is on the verge of another election. The signs point that way, and there is every possibility of an election being staged before next winter.

"ADVERTISER ALWAYS READY TO ASSIST LIBERAL CAUSE"

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 5.—Geo. Russell, secretary of the Yarmouth Liberal Association this afternoon publicly thanked The London Advertiser for the support given the association in its work. He said that advertising today costs money, but The Advertiser is always ready to assist the Liberal cause in any way, and on behalf of the meeting he extended an expression of his appreciation for the good work which The Advertiser is carrying on. His statement was greeted with applause.

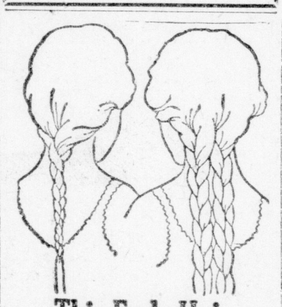
GET RID OF YOUR RHEUMATISM

"Bliss Native Herb Tablets are without a doubt the best medicine for rheumatism I ever used." S. W. Mills, East Lynn, W. Va. "I am strong and healthy at 74, thanks to Bliss Native Herb Tablets."—S. C. Martin, Stevensburg, Va.

Bliss Native Herb Tablets

for over thirty years have relieved thousands of sufferers from rheumatism, liver and kidney trouble, and constipation. Gentle and effective in action, and economical in price. One dollar per box of 200 tablets. Insist on Bliss, and you will get the genuine. Look for the trade mark on box.

Sold by leading druggists and local agents everywhere.



Thin Endy Hair or Thick and Healthy?

A scalp cared for by Cuticura usually means thick, glossy hair. Frequent shampoos with Cuticura Soap are excellent. Precede shampoos by touches of Cuticura Ointment to spots of dandruff, itching and irritation of the scalp. Nothing better for the complexion, hair or skin.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address postcard: "Cuticura, Dept. N, Boston, U. S. A." Sold by dealers throughout the world.

THREE MEN INJURED IN $12,000 BLAZE AT PORT BURWELL

Explosion of Coal Tar Destroys Fish House.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 5.—Fire, originating through an explosion of coal tar in the fish house of Captain Hemming, caused a loss of $12,000 or more, including about $10,000 worth of fish nets at Port Burwell today. The fire started about 10 o'clock this morning. A two-story building was destroyed in the flames, and several others were threatened. Captain Hemming and two of his men were also badly burned.

RETURNED OFFICERS PICKED TO ADDRESS REPLY TO THE THRONE

OTTAWA, Feb. 5.—Returned soldiers will be mover and seconder of the address in the House, in reply to the speech from the throne. Major Redmun, Calgary, will be mover, and Capt. Manion, Fort William and Rainy River, will be the seconder.

Major Redmun was in France with the 103rd Regiment, Calgary Rifles, enlisting three days after war was declared. He was wounded at St. Julien. Capt. Manion served with the French army in the early months of the war. He then joined the Canadian A. M. C., and while attached to the 21st Canadian Battalion was awarded the Military Cross for gallantry in the field.

AMERICAN SENATORS DENOUNCE EMBARGO IMPOSED BY BRITAIN

Argument Is Advanced That Peace Conference Objects Will Be Defeated.

FEARS A TRADE WAR

Illinois Man Believes Action Will Create Hostility.

NEW YORK, Feb. 5.—An Associated Press dispatch from Washington today says:

Democrats and Republicans in the Senate today joined in criticizing the new British embargo on imports, and calling attention to the effect it would have on American industry.

During the discussion that followed, Senator Reed of Missouri, Democrat, attacked the Carnegie Peace Foundation's activities abroad, questioned its loyalty and declared it should be dissolved. Senators Knox of Pennsylvania Republican, and Ashurst of Arizona, Democrat, joined in this attack.

Senator Weeks of Massachusetts, Republican, and Senators Lewis of Illinois, Smith of Georgia, and Reed of Missouri, Democrats, led in protests against the British embargo.

Fears a Trade War.

Senator Weeks said he did not charge that the embargo was aimed against the United States, but Senator Lewis remarked that a majority of articles listed are manufactured in the American Middle West. The Illinois senator said the action might bring in a trade war.

"I invite the attention of British officials to the delicate situation," he continued, "while the president is in France battling for the principles which our country finds necessary, one of our allies takes a course so inimical to the welfare of the United States that it is calculated to create a sentiment of hostility which will embarrass harmony in the United States."

Violates "14 Points."

Approving the view expressed in a pending resolution by Senator Weeks, asking the state department whether any steps have been taken leading to securing a modification, and saying that the embargo violates the third of President Wilson's peace points against economic barriers, Senator Lewis added:

"Britain does this country a great violence at this time in pressing this embargo. It will awaken sentiment that will make it difficult for the president to succeed in his efforts and awaken hostility, create a war of protest, and lead to retaliatory legislation by the United States, and before we know it we will have trade hostility. Instead of having the calm peace we wish, with our allies, we will have enmity."

AMERICANS IN LONDON EXPECT MODIFICATION.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—The American Chamber of Commerce in London is arranging a series of conferences between importers of American goods and British manufacturers of similar articles in the hope of reaching agreements that will influence the import restrictions the British Government has announced it will reimpose on March 1.

Importers of American goods are represented as having suffered more than any other businessmen during the war, and as having been considerably gratified when, soon after the signing of the armistice, the British Government removed restrictions on a long list of articles. These importers, it is said, also foresee great business difficulties over the decision of the Government to renew the restrictions on American goods. The decision to restrict imports was made after a conference between British manufacturers and the officials of the British Board of Trade.

In view of the unavoidable delays in dealing with trade subjects the manufacturers and importers, on the proposal of the American Chamber of Commerce, have decided to work out their own problems, and submit the results to the British Government.

In the case of rubber goods, the conference representative of the British Government is reported to have said that the Government would act according to the agreement reached. Therefore, should the conference agree that some American rubber goods are needed at this time, it is entirely likely that the restrictions would be modified.

It is proposed to have conferences of representatives of each trade affected. Thus far eleven such conferences have been arranged.

BURLINGTON RADIAL SERVICE IS RESUMED AT INCREASED FARES

Hamilton City Will Still Take a Vote on Purchase by Hydro.

HAMILTON, Feb. 5.—The radial electric service between Hamilton, Burlington and Oakville, which was discontinued some weeks ago, because Burlington would not consent to an increase in the rate of fares, was resumed at 1:10 this afternoon. The Hamilton radial company, in an official statement, says that it does not expect to make any money, but that it wants to be square with other interested municipalities which were content to let the matter of fares rest with the Dominion railway board. The town by-law is to be suspended for one year, and in the meantime increased fares will be in effect.

This will not prevent Hamilton voting on the hydro taking over the radial road as part of the hydro provincial electric railway system. The bylaw, the city was advised today, will be similar to the one that was previously voted on and defeated here.

WILL DISCHARGE ALIENS.

VANCOUVER, Feb. 5.—The Metal Trades Employers' Association, at a meeting last night decided to refuse to employ any aliens, and if any are employed at the present time they will be discharged.

You Don't Read All the News Until You Read the WANT ADS.

BUY W-S-S WAR-SAVINGS STAMPS

Cost this Month $4.01

Next month War-Savings Stamps will cost $4.02, and so on until December, when the price will be $4.11. The extra cents represent the interest which is accumulating all the time. These, too, are the prices you can secure for your W-S.S. should circumstances make it necessary to realize on your investment before January 1st 1924, when the Dominion of Canada pays $5.00 for every stamp you own.

SOLD WHEREVER YOU SEE THE BEAVER-TRIANGLE SIGN

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February Furniture Sale

10% to 50% REDUCTIONS On Every Article In the Store

EXCEPT OSTERMOOR MATTRESSES.

The original price tags with prices marked in plain figures are on every article. February sale prices are marked in plain figures upon blue cards. Watch the blue cards and choose the bargains to suit yourself.

You Become Like the Things You Live With---

That is a startling statement. Yet nothing is more true.

It is said that people who love each other and who live together for many years grow to look like each other.

A home that is clean and beautiful helps greatly to produce characters that are also clean and beautiful.

Think for a moment of a perfectly furnished living-room. A living-room is the real centre of the home.

Here, especially during the long winter evenings, the members of the family sit and enjoy themselves together—reading, talking, knitting, playing games, laughing—enjoying to the full the finest kind of family life.

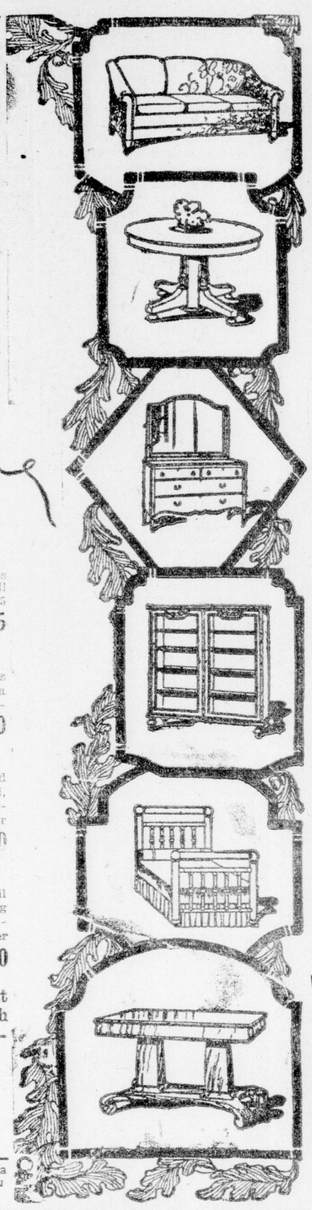
At the end of a hard day's work, comfort especially is essential.

You just ought to see the fine things we have for that living-room of yours. We really can't tell you about them in this advertisement.

Of course, we are telling you about a few pieces, but the best way for you to find out whether you want any of this furniture or not is to come right out here, tell us what you want and give us a chance to show our big stock at reduced prices.

Our store is out of the region of high rent—therefore, our prices are away down.

Give your home a chance to make you just as comfortable as possible by seeing our great February Sale Bargains in Furniture, Draperies, Rugs, Linoleums, etc.

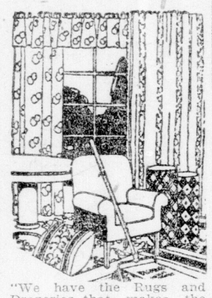


ONE-QUARTER OFF ALL COMPLETE DINING AND BEDROOM SUITES.



A pair of our "keep warm" Blankets will give you much comfort during the coming winter nights. A very splendid value tomorrow for $2.95

Extra thick Comforts in a big variety of colors well made, full-bed size, can be bought now at the remarkably low price of $3.98



"We have the Rugs and Draperies that makes the 'homey' atmosphere complete." On sale at 10 per cent to one-third off.

$10,000 Worth of Draperies on sale. Buy now while the prices are low.

SPECIAL DRAPERY BARGAIN. Knitted Madras, 50 inches wide, four colors and designs to choose from. Regular $1.00 a yard. Saturday, per yard 68c

SPECIAL WINDOW BLIND BARGAIN, EACH 79c

400 Factory Seconds; colors, green or cream. Same goods as regular $1.25 Blinds, except slight imperfections in manufacturing.

DRESSERS

We've on hand 67 odd Dressers in every period design and in all finishes, reductions are from 15 to 35 per cent, starting from a $20 Dresser at..... $13.75

CHIFFONIERS

Every odd Chiffonier, regardless of style, finish or quality, at a reduction of 25 to 40 per cent, beginning from a $22.75. Chiffonier at $18.50

BUFFETS

Odd Buffets, in golden or fumed oak, mahogany or walnut, Colonial, mission or William and Mary designs, at savings of 15 to 40 per cent. Starts from a $38 Buffet, now at $22.50

TABLES AND CHAIRS

Many extension tables, in all designs and finishes, starting from a $17.50 table at $12.75. Dining Chairs in solid and leather seats, starting from a $3.50 Chair, at $2.80

LIBRARY TABLES ONE-QUARTER OFF. Sale prices start at ..... $10.75 each

KEENE BROS.

125 and 127 KING STREET. AWAY FROM THE HIGH-RENT DISTRICT.

Keene Bros. will hold any selections if you so desire, providing you make a small deposit the day you select the goods. Delivery will be made when you are ready.

SPARTACANS ARE BOMBARDED OUT OF BREMEN CITY

German Government Guns Cause Great Havoc and Many Deaths.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 5.—German Government troops entered Bremen last night after heavy fighting and occupied the town hall and the stock exchange. The Spartacans have retreated to Groepsingen.

The Government troops made their entrance after the city had been bombarded. Many persons are reported to have been killed in the bombardment. Armed Spartacans from Bisenach and Gotha are on their way to Groepsingen to support the Spartacans there.

MUCH DAMAGE IN BREMEN.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—During the bombardment of Bremen the old cathedral, the bourse and the city hall were damaged and many houses partly destroyed, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Copenhagen.

ITALY HAS HOPES OF FINANCIAL AID FROM BRITAIN AND U. S.

Former Premier Luzzatti Says Allies Are Strong and Generous.

ROME, Feb. 5.—(Associated Press).—Italy's national debt is now more than $12,500,000,000, whereas when she entered the war it was about $2,750,000,000, declared Luigi Luzzatti, former premier, and a leading Italian financial authority, in a statement today, urging financial aid to Italy. He said that when pensions, government bills to manufacturers and other necessary expenditures had been paid the national debt probably would total $16,000,000,000.

"Italy, I am sad to say, leads the whole world in the relative height of its war debt," he said. "Subtracting Italy's losses in men and money, her national wealth is only about $20,000,000,000. If all the war loans of the Entente should be thrown together in one concentrated sum Italy and France, whose efforts and losses in men and substance have been the greatest, will be compensated by bearing a smaller proportion of the war debt.

"The United States and Great Britain are not only strong, but generous, and they will acknowledge that Italy and France, the two principal centres of Teutonic slaughter and devastation, should be supported financially, therefore, with correspondingly greater help."

3 Vessels Sunk by Mines With 25 Casualties

British, Norwegian and Swedish Ships Are Lost at Sea.

SOUTH SHIELDS, England, Feb. 5.—The British sloop Penarth is reported to have been sunk by a mine 23 miles off the Tyne River. Two trawlers have picked up 40 members of the crew.

TWO SCANDINAVIAN SHIPS.

COPENHAGEN, Feb. 5. — Two ships, a Norwegian fishing steamer and a Swedish steamer, have been sunk by mines with the loss of 25 lives, according to reports received here.

The Norwegian vessel was blown up outside the Norwegian port of Stavanger, and eight fishermen were killed.

The Swedish vessel sunk was the steamer Sphynx of 1,572 tons. It was on its way from England to Sweden with coal, and went down near Coquet Island, off the coast of Scotland, with the loss of seventeen members of its crew.

CAMLACHIE WOMAN BURIED.

CAMLACHIE, Feb. 5.—The death occurred in St. Thomas on Sunday, February 2, of Ada Harrison, daughter of James Harrison of this place. Miss Harrison was stricken with influenza about a month ago, followed by an attack of pneumonia, and acute appendicitis. Surviving are her father, four sisters, Mrs. J. Smith of Sarnia; Mrs. R. W. Bright and Mrs. Fred Maloney and Miss Rose of Plympton, and two brothers, Robert of Petrolea, and John of Sarnia Township.

The funeral took place from the home of Fred Maloney to Errol Cemetery.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Wm Hyslop, Jos. Shaw, Warner McRoberts, Wm. Mitchell, Phelps Symington and Fred Smith.

"Cascarets for Mother's Pets"

Careful mothers know that Cascarets in the home mean less sickness, less trouble, less worry, less cost. When one of the kiddies has a white tongue, feverish breath, sour stomach or a cold, a Cascaret quickly and harmlessly "works" the poisons from the liver and bowels and all is well again—only 10 cents a box.



TO MOTHERS! While all children detest castor oil, calomel, pills and laxatives, they really love to take Cascarets because they taste like candy. Cascarets "work" the nasty bile, sour fermentations and constipation poison from the child's tender stomach, liver and bowels without pain or griping. Cascarets never disappoint the worried mother. Each ten cent box contains directions for children aged one year old and upwards.

DIES AT HIGHGATE.

HIGHGATE, Feb. 5.—The death occurred Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Robert Lambert, Highgate, of Mrs. Johnston, aged 83 years. The funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at 1:30.

Catarrh Of the Stomach Is Dangerous

"Thousands Have It and Don't Know It," Says Physician, Frequently Mistaken for Indigestion—How To Recognize and Treat.

"Thousands of people suffer more or less constantly from furred, coated tongue, bad breath, sour burning stomach, frequent vomiting, rumbling in stomach, bitter eructations, gas, wind, and stomach acidity and call it indigestion when in reality their trouble is due to gastric catarrh of the stomach," writes a New York physician.

Catarrh of the stomach is dangerous because the mucus membrane lining of the stomach is thickened and a coating of phlegm covers the surface so that the digestive fluids cannot mix with the foods and digest them. This condition soon breeds deadly disease in the fermented, unassimilated food. The blood is polluted and carries the infection throughout the body. Gastric ulcers are apt to form and frequently an ulcer is the first sign of a deadly cancer.

In catarrh of the stomach a good and safe treatment is to take before meals a teaspoonful of pure Bisurated Magnesia in half a glass of hot water as hot as you can comfortably drink it. The hot water washes the mucus from the stomach walls and draws the blood to the stomach while the Bisurated Magnesia is an excellent solvent for mucus, and increases the efficiency of the hot water treatment. Moreover, the Bisurated Magnesia will serve as a powerful but harmless antacid which will neutralize any excess hydrochloric acid that may be in your stomach and sweeten its food contents. Easy, natural digestion without distress of any kind should soon follow. Bisurated Magnesia is not a laxative, is harmless, pleasant and easy to take and can be obtained from any local druggist. Don't confuse Bisurated Magnesia with other forms of magnesia, milks, citrates, etc., but get it in the pure bisurated form (powder or tablets), especially prepared for this purpose.—Advt.

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(Modes of Today.)

A smooth, hairless skin always follows the use of a paste made by mixing some water with plain powdered delatone. This paste is applied to the hairy surface 2 or 3 minutes, then rubbed off and the skin washed, when every trace of hair will have vanished. No pain or discomfort attends the use of the delatone paste, but caution should be exercised to be sure that you get real delatone.—Advt.

PEACE HEADS FACE CHANCE OF DEADLOCK

Small Nations Present Obstacle To League.

SECOND HAGUE TO REPEAT?

Demand For Full Equality on World Council Might Submerge Great Powers.

PARIS, Feb. 5.—Although the five great Allied and associated powers which are directing the peace conference have turned over much of the work to commissions, the society of nations question, especially with reference to the smaller nations, is becoming rather a knotty problem.

The smaller nations, it is declared, want full equality in a society of nations and also greater powers than the plans already outlined give to them. The great powers, on the other hand, are faced with a situation that if each state is given a member on a supreme court of nations they might find themselves in the minority, although their interests might be much greater and probably would be.

May Be Deadlock.

It is not believed that the great powers would consent to an arrangement of this sort, and a situation similar to that at the second Hague peace conference appears to be in the making.

The experts on the society of nations question are hopeful of finding a way to get the smaller states to agree to the plan so that it will not fall as Elihu Root's scheme for a supreme court of nations failed of approval at the second conference at The Hague.

League Preamble Adopted.

The preamble and two articles of the constitution of the society of nations were provisionally agreed upon last night by the commission of the peace conference appointed to deal with that subject, it was officially announced today. Satisfactory progress was made with other parts of the task.

The question of adding representatives of other powers to the commission, it was added, is being discussed.

The peace conference committee on reparations met this forenoon and exchanged views regarding the principles covering reparations for damages caused by the enemy and based on memoranda which will be presented by the delegations of the countries affected. The memoranda will be discussed at the next meeting of the committee, which will be held on February 10. Louis Klotz, the French minister of finance, presided at the meeting today.

Italian-Slav Claims.

The Italian delegation has agreed upon a memorandum which it will present to the peace conference embodying the Italian views regarding the disposition of the Adriatic states formerly belonging to Austria. This memorandum will be made public after representatives of the Jugo-Slavs are heard by the supreme council, which was expected to be this afternoon or tomorrow.

The Jugo-Slavs have likewise prepared a memorandum containing six alternative plans for settling their differences with Italy.

According to the first plan, Jugo-Slavia would obtain the entire territory east of the Isonzo River, including Gorizia, Triest, Istria and the whole of Dalmatia.

Claims Scaled Down.

In the succeeding five plans the claims are gradually scaled down, the final one asking only for the eastern part of the Istrian peninsula, Fiume and Dalmatia minus Zara.

M. Trumbitch, the Jugo-Slav foreign minister, and Dr. Wesnitch, the Jugo-Slav minister in Paris, will deliver addresses before the commission of the great powers in support of the views contained in their memorandum.

The Italian delegation has decided not to enter any discussion with the Jugo-Slavs, at least at present, but to set forth the Italian viewpoint to their colleagues of the great powers, leaving the latter to judge between the conflicting claims.

An official communication issued this evening says:

"The Allied peace delegates on February 5 heard M. Kramarz and M. Benes on the claims of the Czecho-Slovak republic. A commission of two members to be elected each for France, Great Britain and the United States, will be appointed to untangle the technical aspects of the question."

The Labor Committee.

George Nicoll Barnes, the British labor delegate to the peace conference, and M. Colliard, the French minister of labor, were elected vice-presidents of the peace conference committee on international labor at its meeting Tuesday. The committee agreed to adopt as a basis for discussion the British proposals for the establishment of a permanent organization to deal with international labor questions.

TWO DIVISIONS OF BOLSHEVIKI ARE ANNIHILATED

General Gaida Administers a Severe Defeat to Enemy in Siberia.

Omsk, Monday, Feb. 3.—Two divisions of Bolshevists have been virtually annihilated by Siberian troops under Gen. Gaida at Kungur, fifty miles southeast of Perm, according to official statement issued here today.

ANNUAL MEETING OF ONTARIO ATHLETIC UNION SATURDAY

Toronto, Feb. 6.—President Tom Brownley and Treasurer Murdoch MacDonald of the Ontario Amateur Athletic Union will not stand for re-election at the ninth annual meeting of the association, which will be held here on Saturday afternoon. S. H. Armstrong of Toronto, and J. W. Ward of Hamilton, are candidates for the presidency.

FOREIGNER FINED $1,000 FOR "ILLICIT TRAFFIC"

HAMILTON, Feb. 5. — Police Magistrate Jelfs remarked this morning that the English-speaking people were obeying the Ontario temperance act, but the foreigners were carrying on an illicit traffic. Petro Bracci was fined $1,000 for violating the act.

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DOCTOR GIVES OWN BLOOD THAT VICTIM OF CROSSING ACCIDENT MIGHT BE SPARED

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 5.—Miss Mary Deechan, the survivor of the railway crossing accident yesterday, is reported tonight to be resting easier, although it has been found necessary to amputate her left leg above the knee. She is also injured internally, and it may be necessary to remove her eye, it is so badly injured. Dr. J. A. Campbell, who operated, made a transfusion of blood last night, heroically giving his own blood in order that her life might be spared.

A sad yet strange coincidence in connection with the accident is the fact that C. A. Purcell, the father of Miss Hazel Purcell, who died last night from injuries sustained, was an eye-witness of the occurrence. He was passing nearby on a Michigan Central train, of which he was engineer. He proceeded to St. Clair Junction before he learned of what had happened. The inquest into the death of Miss Purcell will be resumed on Tuesday night next at 7:30.

Poles and Czechs Sign Armistice and Cease Fire

Diplomatic Parley Has Begun on Siberian War Front.

BASLE, Feb. 5.—An armistice between the Polish and Czecho-Slovak forces, which have been fighting on the Silesian front, was signed on February 3, according to advices received here.

The armistice is effective for seven days, and is renewed automatically for the same period, unless either party chooses to renounce it, in which event 24 hours' notice must be given. The opposing troops will retain the positions held on January 22.

Diplomatic representatives of both parties are permitted to travel by railroad over territory occupied by troops of either party.

BRANTFORD FIRMS ARE LETTING OUT FOREIGN WORKERS

General Exodus From City Results—Veterans Placed

500 MEMBERS WANTED

Big Objective For Chamber of Commerce Soon To Be Reached.

BRANTFORD, Feb. 5.—It was announced here today at the Soldiers' Employment Bureau that a general policy had been adopted in Brantford factories of releasing foreigners from employment. A general exodus from the city has been the result, and the bureau reports success in placing large numbers of returned men in all the larger establishments of the city.

REFUSES BONUS.

Governor Charles Jones of the Brant County jail, has notified the county council that he will not accept the bonus of $100 recently voted him. Governor Jones asked the council for a substantial salary increase, and was given a bonus instead. In his explanation of refusal to the council he stated that he should not be required to become an annual supplicant for more money when living conditions necessitated an increase.

BIG DRIVE ON.

In the Chamber of Commerce drive here today a total membership of 213 for the two days' of hustling was secured. The drive ends Friday night and the workers are confident of reaching the 500 objective.

3,000 UKRAINIANS ARE KEEN TO LEAVE CANADA

HAMILTON, Feb. 5. — That there will be no need for the War Veterans' agitation to rid Canada of aliens if the Government will only provide the means of transportation for these people to reach their native lands was the statement made by representative foreigners here today. Three thousand Ukrainians in Hamilton have already appealed to Ottawa to provide them with a way to leave the country. A. Yarosh, court interpreter, says that most of the 5,000 Poles in the Niagara district are also anxious to depart.

PANAMA ROUTE NOT FOR WESTERN SOLDIERS

LONDON, Feb. 5.—Canadian Associated Press.—The fact that recently a number of western troops were returned home direct via the Panama Canal on the Empress of Asia has aroused the impression that this means of sending back westerners can be systematically adopted. The Canadian Associated learns that such an impression is unwarranted and likely to cause disappointment. The sailing of the Empress of Asia to Vancouver, via the Panama Canal, was simply because she was being returned to her owners on the Pacific by the British ministry of shipping.

VETERANS ANGRY AT GUELPH OVER USE OF ALIEN LABORERS

Trouble if Not Settled, Say G.W.V.A. Members.

GUELPH, Feb. 5.—The employment of alien labor in local manufacturing establishments was the chief topic of discussion at the regular meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association. The meeting was very largely attended, and some strong opinions were expressed.

One veteran said this morning: "The boys are in an angry mood, and unless the authorities take up this alien labor question and settle it to the satisfaction of the returned men there is liable to be some trouble. The men do not like the idea of foreigners, men who have not taken out their British citizenship papers, holding down good jobs in the city, while they are compelled to walk the streets, and they intend to do something about it.

"They also claim that these aliens, many of whom were alien enemies during the war, are working for much less wages than Canadians are willing to work for, and they think that this, too, should be remedied."

It was finally decided to hold a public meeting, in order to let their views on this question become more widely known. Several new members were received, and a resolution was passed asking the Government to pay all men who are asked to lose a day's pay because of his being called up for re-examination before a medical board $4 a day, instead of $1.10, which they receive at present. The president, Capt. MacKintosh, James Cassidy and Dr. Wing were appointed to represent the G. W. V. A. on the soldiers' memorial committee.

STRUCK BY MOTOR IN DETROIT, FORD RESIDENT SUCCUMBS

William Belknap Dies of Injuries Received When Hit by Auto.

WINDSOR, Feb. 5.—Struck by an automobile while crossing Jefferson avenue, in Detroit, last night, William Belknap, aged 49, whose home is at Ford, Ont., died in a hospital at midnight. The driver of the machine says Belknap darted from the sidewalk, apparently to board a street car, and that there was no time to stop.

FISHERMEN WORRY AT CEDAR SPRINGS OVER LACK OF ICE

CEDAR SPRINGS, Feb. 5.—A great deal of anxiety is felt by the fishermen along the lake at the poor prospects there are for an ice harvest, as there is no sign of the lake beginning to freeze yet. It will require two or three weeks' cold weather before the ice will be thick enough for packing.

At the last meeting of the quarterly official board of the Cedar Springs circuit of the Methodist Church, Rev. G. W. Butt received a unanimous invitation as their pastor for another year, which has been accepted, subject to the stationing committee of the conference.

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BUYERS PAY 42 CENTS FOR EGGS; RETAIL HIGH UP

No Indication on Chatham Market of Cut in Price as Yet.

CHATHAM, Feb. 5.—Local egg buyers report that the price is steadily lowering, but there has not been much indication of it on the retail market as yet. Two weeks ago the price paid by representatives of large packers was 58 cents a dozen, but this week the price quoted in London to the buyers is 42 cents, and the buyers have to find the crates and pay freight charges, so they are quoting a lower price when buying. More chickens in the country and the milder weather are given as the cause of the large supply of eggs this year.

ST. MARYS COUNCIL MAKES APPOINTMENT OF TAX COLLECTOR

Name Road Supt. Later—Death of Noted Educationist, Dr. J. W. Baird.

ST. MARYS, Feb. 5.—At the regular meeting of the town council held Monday evening, tenders were opened for the positions of tax collector and road superintendent. H. C. White was appointed tax collector for the year.

Only two tenders were received for road superintendent, one from John Murray, 1018 superintendent, offering his services for $4 per day, and from M. H. Black, a returned soldier, offering his services on a yearly basis of $1,000 per year. Both tenders were referred to board of works committee for consideration.

The matter of contracting for the delivery of 4,000 gallons of Tarvia for the business streets and a quantity of road oil for the other streets of the town, was left with the board of works committee, with power to act.

Superintendent H. M. Miller of the water, light and heat board, addressed the council, and outlined the present condition of waterworks and the fire protection, and claimed that by abandoning the old steam plant that a saving of between two or three thousand dollars a year had been made; that the hydro auditors who went over the past year's accounts, show a surplus of some four or five hundred dollars above working expense; that he would have a statement to that effect published; that tenders for a cement concrete water basin or reservior was advertised, and if the tenders were satisfactory the water would be improved by filtering, and also better fire protection.

The clerk was instructed to write a Petrolea boiler expert regarding putting the steam fire engine in good order.

The town council is to go in a body to attend the provincial highway meeting to be held at Stratford on February 11. The board of works has purchased a gravel pit and intends to rent a stone crusher and use the crushed gravel on the streets.

Messrs. Weir & Weir wrote asking for better fire protection. The rumor regarding the purchase of the lot that has the bandstand adjoining the market square is to be looked into to see if it is true that a private individual had bought it, as the town council had made an offer for it, but had not got any reply.

Salem Welcomes Three Brothers as Veterans of War

WROXETER, Feb. 5.—A reception was held in the Salem Methodist Church for the three Westlake brothers, recently returned from overseas, Ptes. Fred, Robert and Frank. Each young man was presented with $25 by Salem friends. In the absence of the Rev. F. Stride, owing to illness, the position of chairman was taken by the Rev. Mr. Sinclair of Belmont.

W. H. Kerr, editor of the Brussels Post, occupied the pulpit in the Salem Church on Sunday.

The annual business and congregational meeting of the Presbyterian Church was held Monday afternoon. There was a large attendance. After the business had been transacted a tea was served in the basement of the church. Rev. Chas. Malcolm is the minister in charge.

GUELPH JUNCTION LINE A PAYING PROPOSITION

Guelph, Feb. 5.—That last year was a record one in this city's ownership of the Guelph Junction Railway, which was built years ago by the city to connect with the main line of the Canadian Pacific Railway, and which became part of the Canadian Pacific Railway line to Goderich when the latter was built, was revealed at the annual meeting of the board this morning. Guelph's percentage of the gross revenue over its section of the road last year amounted to $57,575, which is equal to a dividend of 33⅓ per cent on the city's investment.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

THE LOCAL MARKET

Wheat took a drop in price on today's market and is now quoted at $3 to $3.33 per cwt., and $1.80 to $2 per bushel. Potatoes also took a big drop in price. One farmer on today's market was offered $1 per bag for his seven bags and accepted it. The price that is quoted for potatoes per single bag, retail, is $1.25 and $1.15 per bag, wholesale, and it is expected that they will come still lower in price. Dry onions are selling at 75c per bushel, and $1.25 per bag. Turnips are selling at 25c to 30c per bushel. Dressed hogs are quoted at $20 to $21.50 per cwt. There is a slight increase in the price of lamb, which is selling at $24 to $26 per cwt. No other changes in prices are reported.

Grain, Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt.	$1 75	to	$1 80
Wheat, per cwt.	3 00	to	3 33
Barley, per cwt.	2 25	to	2 35
Grain, Bushel—			
Oats, epr bu	59½	to	61 1-5
Wheat, per bu.	1 80	to	2 00
Barley, per bu.	1 08	to	1 10 4-5
Vegetables—			
Cabbage, per doz., wholesale	40	to	60
Cabbage, each, retail	5	to	10
Potatoes, bag, retail	1 25	to	1 25
Potatoes, load, bag	1 15	to	1 15
Potatoes, retail, peck	35	to	40
Lettuce, per doz.	50	to	75
Beets, per bu.	50	to	50
Sage, savory, doz.	40	to	40
Dry onions, bag	1 10	to	1 25
Dry onions, bu.	75	to	75
Parsley, per doz.	30	to	40
Carrots, per peck	20	to	25
Turnips, per bu.	25	to	30
Parsnips, per bu.	50	to	65
Rhubarb, per doz.	1 00	to	1 00
Fruit—			
Apples, per bbl.	2 75	to	3 00
Spies, per bbl.	3 50	to	3 50
Apples, per bag	75	to	1 25
Hay and Straw—			
Hay, perton	16 00	to	18 00
Straw, per ton	8 00	to	9 00
Dairy Products, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	57	to	58
Butter, dairy, lb.	53	to	55
Butter, crocks, lb.	52	to	55
Eggs, per doz.	55	to	55
Dairy Products, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	53	to	54
Buter, dairy, lb. rolls	50	to	52
Butter, crocks, lb.	50	to	50
Eggs, crate lots, doz.	50	to	50
Eggs, basket lots	52	to	52
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Spring chickens, each	1 60	to	1 50
Chickens, per lb.	30	to	35
Spring ducks, dressed	1 10	to	1 50
Ducks, per lb.	26	to	29
Geese, per lb.	30	to	30
Geese, each	2 50	to	3 50
Turkeys, per lb.	45	to	45
Live Stock—			
Hogs, dressed, cwt.	20 00	to	21 50
Fat sows, cwt.	12 50	to	12 50
Live hogs, cwt.	15 50	to	15 50
Small pigs, pair	14 00	to	15 00
Steer, per cwt	18 00	to	22 00
Veal, per cwt	20 00	to	23 00
Heifer beef, cwt.	20 00	to	22 00
Lamb, per cwt	24 00	to	26 00
Hides and Wool—			
Calfskins, per lb.	25	to	30
Country hides, lb.	15	to	16
City hides, lb.	17	to	17
Sheepskins, each	1 00	to	2 00

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Feb. 6.—Activity in cattle featured the market at the Union stockyards this morning, and prices ruled strong in most lines. Sheep and lambs were steady, calves firmer and hogs sold about 25c higher than yesterday. The receipts were 523 cattle, 40 calves, 991 hogs and 121 sheep. Quotations:

Cattle—Exporters, choice, per cwt, $15@16; do, medium, $12 50@14 50; do, bulls, $9 50@10 50; butchers, choice, $10 50@11 75; do, medium, $9 50@10 50; do, common, $5 50@8; cows, choice, $8 25@10 25; do, medium, $7 50@8; do, canners, $5@5 50; do, bulls, $8@9; feeding steers, $9@10 50; stockers, choice, $8 50@9; do, light, $6 50@7 50; milkers, choice, $85@125; springers, choice, $95@145; calves, $16 50@17.

Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $9@10 25; bucks and culls, $5@9; lambs, $15 25@15 75.

Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $16 75; f. o. b., $16.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 6.—Cattle—Receipts, 300; strong.

Calves—Receipts, 50; $1 higher, at $5@20.

Hogs—Receipts, 800; good steady; light 25c to 50c lower; heavy, $18@18 25; mixed and yorkers, $18 50; light yorkers, $18@18 25; pigs, $17 75@18; throw-outs, $12@16; stags, $10@13; Canadians, $18@18 25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,000; steady and unchanged.

GRAIN

Winnipeg, Feb. 5.—Oats closed 1½c lower today for May, and July finished at 63c. Barley finished 2¼c less expensive for May and July. Flax wound up the session 3½c sheaper for May.

Futures:	Open.	Close.
Oats—		
May	$ 65½	$ 64
July	..	63
Barley—		
May	82⅞	81
July	..	82¼
Flax—		
May	3 06	3 03

Cash grain:

Oats—No. 2 C.W., 65c; No. 3 C.W., 58c; extra No. 1 feed, 60c; No. 1 feed, 56½c; No. 2 feed, 52¾c.

Barley—No. 3 C.W., 76¾c; No. 4 C.W., 71¾c; rejected and feed, 63¾c.

Flax—No. 1 N.W.C., $2.59½; No. 2 C.W., $2.92½; No. 3 C.W., $2.72.

TORONTO.

Wheat—Ontario, No. 1 winter, $2.14@2.22; No. 2 winter, $2.11@2.19; No. 3 winter, $2.07@2.15; No. 1 spring, $2.09@2.17; No. 2 spring, $2.06@2.14; No. 3 spring, $2.02@2.10, f.o.b. shipping points, according to freight; Manitoba, in store, Fort William (not including tax): No. 1 northern, $2.24½; No. 2 northern, $2.21½; No. 3 northern, $2.17; No. 4 wheat, $2.11½.

Oats—Ontario, No. 2 white, new crop, 59@62c; No. 3 white, 58@63c, according to freight, outside; Manitoba, No. 2 C.W., 65c, in store, Fort William; No. 3, 58c; extra No. 1 feed, 60½c; No. 1 feed, 56c; No. 2 feed, 52¾c.

Barley—Manitoba, in store, Fort William, No. 3 C.W., 76¾c; No. 4 C.W., 74¾c; rejected, 65½c; feed, 63½c; do., malting, 73@78c.

Corn—American, new crop, No. 3, $1.52; No. 4, $1.49, prompt shipment, on track, Toronto.

Peas—No. 2, $2, according to freight, outside.

Buckwheat—No. 2, $1, nominal.

Rye—No. 2, $1.25, nominal.

MONTREAL.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—At the close of the market carlots of No. 3 Canadian western oats were quoted at 73c; extra No. 1 feed at 74c; No. 1 feed at 71c; No. 2 feed at 67c; Ontario No. 2 white at 70c, and No. 3 white at 68c per bushel, ex-store.

WALL STREET.

New York, Feb. 6—Wall street, 10:30 a.m.—Coppers and related metals were the only prominent exceptions to an otherwise strong opening on the stock market today, adding substantially to their general reversal of the previous session. These losses were balanced by advances of 1 to 2 points in peace specialties and other speculative issues, notably Mexican Petroleum, Pan-American Petroleum and Sumatra Tobacco. General Motors also extended yesterday's belated rise, and American Sugar was bid up at the expense of the short interest. Changes among rails were nominal.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

Thomson & McKinnon, brokers, Royal Bank Building, report fluctuations in New York stocks for The Advertiser as follows:

	New York, Feb. 6.			
Trunk Lines and Grangers—	Open.	High.	Low.	1:30.
Baltimore & Ohio.	46⅛	..	..	..
Erie, com.	16	..	..	..
Great Northern	92½	92⅞	92½	92⅞
New York Central	72⅜	72⅜	72½	72½
Rock Island	23⅛	23⅛	23	23
St. Paul	37	..	..	..
Wabash, A.	31¼	..	..	..
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Atchison, com.	92½	92½	92¾	92¾
Canadian Pacific	159¾	159¾	158¾	158¾
Missouri Pacific	24⅛	..	..	..
Southern Pacific	99	99¼	98⅝	98⅝
Southern Railway	26¾	26¾	26½	26½
Union Pacific	127⅞	128	127¾	127¾
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio.	55½	..	..	..
Lehigh Valley	55	..	..	..
Pennsylvania	44⅜	..	..	..
Reading Railway	79	79	78¼	78¼
Tractions—				
Brooklyn Transit.	72	72¾	72	72½
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers	31	31	30¾	30¾
Alaska Gold	3	..	..	..
Am. Beet Sugar	69	69¼	67½	67½
American Can	46¾	47⅜	46	46¾
American Car	89	87	87¼	87½
American Hide	17	..	..	..
Am. Hide, pfd.	88	88⅜	86¼	86½
American Sugar	115¾	115¾	115	115
Am. Smelters	63½	63¾	62¾	63
American Steel	78¼	78¼	73¼	73¼
Am. Tel. & Tel.	100¼	100½	100¼	100½
American Wool	46	..	..	..
Atlantic-Gulf	97⅜	..	..	..
Baldwin Loco.	68⅜	68⅜	66⅜	66⅜
Central Leather	58¼	58½	58	58
Corn Products	48⅜	48¾	48	48
Distillers	53⅜	54⅛	53½	53½
Dome Mines	12¼	13	12	12⅜
General Electric	148⅜	149	148⅜	149
General Motors	132⅜	134	131¼	132¼
G. Northern Ore	38⅜	38⅜	37⅜	37⅝
Inter. Poper	37	37½	36⅞	36⅞
Inter. Nickel	25⅜	26	25⅜	26
Maxwell Motor	31¼	..	..	..
Marine, com.	22	22	21	21⅜
Marine, pfd.	97	97¼	95⅝	95½
U. S. Rubber	75½	76	75⅜	76
Western Union	80⅝	..	..	..
Westinghouse	42⅜	42⅜	42	42
Willys-Overland	25⅝	25⅝	24⅞	25
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper	57¾	57⅞	56⅜	56⅝
Chino Copper	33	33½	32⅝	32⅝
Inspiration	43¼	43⅜	42½	42⅞
Miami Copper	22¼	22¼	22	22
Nevada Con.	16⅜	16⅜	16⅛	16⅜
Ray Consolidated	20⅛	20⅛	19⅜	19⅝
Utah Copper	68	68	65¼	65⅝
Oils—				
Am. Cotton Oil	42⅜	..	..	..
Cal. Petroleum	24¼	..	..	..
Mex. Petroleum	168⅛	170	165	165¾
Pan-American	69¼	69¼	67	68
Sinclair Oil	34⅜	34⅞	34½	34½
Texas Oil	180¾	183½	180¾	180¾
Steels—				
Bethlehem, B.	59¼	59½	59⅜	59¼
Crucible Steel	53⅛	53⅜	53	53
Lackawanna	64⅛	..	..	..
Pressed Steel Car	62⅜	62⅞	60½	61
Republic Iron	72⅜	..	..	..
Railway Steel	72⅛	72¼	70½	70⅝
Sloss-Sheffield	49	..	..	..
U. S. Steel	90⅜	90⅝	89⅝	89½
Bonds—				
Anglo-French 5's.	97⅝	..	..	..

Sales to noon, 206,100 shares.

HAY

Toronto, Feb. 5.—Hay—Baled, track, Toronto, carlots: No. 1, $22@23; mixed, $20@21 per ton.

Straw—Carlots, $10@11.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—There was a good demand today for baled hay.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, car lots, $23.

New York, Feb. 5.—Hay—Weak; No. 1, $1.35@1.40; No. 2, $1.20@1.30; No. 3, $1.05@1.15.

FLOUR

Toronto, Feb. 25.—Flour—Manitoba, war quality, $10.85@11.35, Toronto; Ontario, war quality, $10; Toronto-Montreal, $10, new bags.

Millfeed—Carlots, delivered, Montreal: Shorts, $42.25; bran, $37.25; feed flour and middlings not quoted.

Montreal, Feb. 5.—The condition of the flour market was unchanged.

A good steady business continued in mixed carlots of millfeed for both local and country account, and the tone of the market was firm, with no change in prices to note. A very unsettled feeling continued in the market for rolled oats.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, war grade, $11.25@11.35.

Rolled Oats—Bags, 90 lbs., $3.90@4.50.

Bran—$37.25.

Shorts—$42.25.

Moullie—$68.

MONEY.

New York, Feb. 6.—Bar silver, $1 01⅛ per ounce.

London, Feb. 6.—Bar silver, 48 7-16d per ounce.

BANK CLEARINGS.

Toronto	$70,412,545
Ottawa	7,731,207
Halifax	5,052,443
Hamilton	5,455,835
Windsor	1,212,124

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Forty-Ninth Annual Report
1869-1919

The following is a summary of the 49th Annual Report submitted to the policyholders at the Annual Meeting held at the Head Office, Waterloo, Thursday, February 6th, 1919:

SUMMARY STATEMENT

Income	$ 7,021,103	Gain over 1917	$ 596,588
Paid to Policyholders	3,291,418	Iucrease over 1917	777,427
Assets	34,755,737	Gain over 1917	2,590,305
Ratio of Expense to Income	16.84%	Decrease from 1917	.81%
New Assurances	21,541,069	Gain over 1917	1,417,506
Assurances in force	137,640,614	Gain over 1917	14,129,300

War and Pestilence. In the long history of life insurance the Companies have never borne a heavier burden than during the year 1918. Through that fateful year of war and pestilence The Mutual Life of Canada has come with unimpaired stability, having met all claims—foreseen and unforeseen—and yet the Company has been able to maintain the distribution to policyholders of the liberal dividends of past years.

Intrinsic Prosperity. The adverse conditions of war and a virulent epidemic have not been without compensations. The great value of life insurance has been demonstrated as never before, resulting in a very marked impetus to the business and an enlarged sphere of usefulness and service for the Company. The new assurances procured during the year were the largest in the history of the Company.

Notable Progress. During the five-year war period just closed the Company has enjoyed a marked expansion of business, the new assurances written being 63.5% greater than in the preceding five year pre-war period. And this was achieved without any increase in the percentage of the income required to meet the general expenses of administration.

Victory and Peace. Not only have the exactions of the war period been met, but the Company, like the nation of which it forms a part, has come to the close triumphant, with the brightest prospects of prosperous development during the ensuing years of peace.

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YEAR	INCOME	ASSETS	PAID TO POLICYHOLDERS	BUSINESS IN FORCE
1878	$ 59,278	$ 142,619	$ 12,451	$ 1,885,311
1888	393,075	1,297,587	122,894	12,041,914
1898	923,941	4,126,132	360,398	23,703,979
1908	2,546,141	12,983,674	827,749	54,603,882
1918	7,021,103	34,755,737	3,291,418	137,640,614

A copy of the detailed Report will be mailed to every policyholder in due course.

CHAS. RUBY, General Manager. E. P. CLEMENT, President.

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HEAR PROFESSOR A. P. SAUNDERS, Hamilton College, Clinton, N. Y., on "The Peony," London's proposed civic flower, Normal School, on Saturday, at 8:15 p.m. The London Horticultural Society cordially invites you and your friends to attend. No admission. 13c

UNION MOTHERS' CLUB MEETING, Friday evening, Feb. 7, 8 o'clock, Chesley avenue school. Speakers, Inspector Edwards, women trustees and woman member of board of health. Members urgently requested to attend. b

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Mr. George Rush of Toronto and City Clerk Mr. S. Baker will address the vegetable growers of London and vicinity in the county building, Saturday evening, February 8, 8 p.m. The former on "Organization"; the latter on "Market Bylaws." Everybody welcome. 13u

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JARVIS—At Buffalo, N. Y., on February 4, 1919, Mrs. G. E. Jarvis, formerly of Byron, Ont.

Funeral from N. J. Griffith's undertaking parlors on Thursday, February 6, at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30. Interment at Brick Street Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. *12u

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DAILY PAGE FOR EVERYBODY

Secrets of Health and Happiness

Prompt Removal of Growths Best Preventive of Cancer

By DR. LEONARD KEENE HIRSHBERG.
A. B., M. A., M. D., (Johns Hopkins University.)


DR. HIRSHBERG

Cancer can be prevented, according to Professor Joseph Colt Bloodgood, one of the great cancer experts of the world and surgeon at the Johns Hopkins University.

Surgery offers the probability of a permanent cure. Practically everything else is worthless for internal growths.

Since cancers occur more often in women than in men, a prompt and frequent examination will help to reduce the number of these death-dealing invasions.

The great drawback to the reduction of cancer is the matter of teaching and impressing upon everyone the facts regarding this malignant malady and then putting the facts into deeds.

The causes of cancer remain to be discovered. Meanwhile any irregularity, deformity, nodule of tumor in tissues subject to cancert must be done away with. Local treatments and other makeshifts to postpone the inevitable operation only invite the cancer they wish to prevent.

Delay Is Dangerous.

When growths are immediately removed, half the cancers of the breast, for instance, are prevented. Only one in every hundred lumps in the breast are cancerous under 25 years of age.

Ninety-six in every hundred adenocancers of the breast, if the surgeon amputates the affected area, will be cured. If a wide and complete operation is carried out on hard and cystic cancers of the breast 86 per cent will be permanently cured.

The knife—which was once feared, but no more—is the magical and only weapon which brings about so many cures of cancer. The chances, however, for recovery grow less and less with delay.

Fatty tumors and other harmless growths under the skin in any part of your anatomy are abominations to be sent into limbo by the surgeon's scalpel. While they may do no more harm than a pimple, their removal with a wide area of healthy tissue around is the best possible insurance against malignant sarcomata."

Points to Remember.

Rough teeth, toothpicks and sores are apt to start trouble on the inside of the mouth, the lips and the tongue, which may become cancers. The pre-cancerous conditions usually consist in the appearance of one or more white spots or patches or ulcers. On the lip they may be a burn, a black area, a thickening or a wart.

Discomfort and pain come after the cancerous change has begun. It is wise never to delude yourself, as most people do, into the belief that "If it doesn't hurt it isn't serious." If you wait until pain has set in serious harm has already begun.

Take time by the forelock and be beforehand with preventive surgery. Smoking must be immediately given up, the dental house set in order, all the teeth thoroughly cleaned and saleratus used as a mouth wash. If these things do not heal the sore in two to three weeks the affected spot must be thoroughly cut away by a particularly competent surgeon.

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SEALED TENRERS, addressed to the Postmaster-General, will be received at Ottawa until noon on Friday, the 7th day of March, 1919, for the conveyance of His Majesty's Mails, on a proposed contract for four years, six times per week, over Byron No. 1 Rural Route, from the 1st of July next. Printed notices containing further information as to conditions of proposed contract may be seen and blank forms of tender may be obtained at the Postoffice of Byron, Lambeth, Hyde Park Corner, St. James' Park, Tambling's Corners and at the office of the Postoffice Inspector, London. Postoffice Inspector's Office, London, 24th January, 1919. Chas E. H. Fisher, Postoffice Inspector. Feb.6,13,20

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NOTED AUTHOR DIES.

LONDON, Feb. 5.—William Michael Rossetti, the author, died here today. He was born in September 25, 1829, and in 1874 married Emma Lucy Brown, herself an author and painter. He was the author of several biographical works on famous poets, and was the editor of many books of poems, among them those of Shelley, Blake and Dante, and Christina Rossetti.

Answers to Health Questions

A. F. B., LONDON, Q.—Kindly advise me what to do for headaches.
A.—There are several bakers' dozens of different kinds due to need of eyeglasses, to constipation, gluttony, excessive eating, gall stones, fear, a bad night's rest, colds, and many other causes. One grain of caffein, with 30 drops of aromatic spirits of ammonia, will usually relieve you for a few hours until the source of the mischief is removed. Popular tablets, pills, powders, capsules and "sure cures" are often dange ou to the blood and heart, though they relieve you at once.

MRS. P. L. K., SEBRINGVILLE. Q.—Kindly advise me what to do for chilblains.

A.—Apply a little of the following to the feet each night:

Ichthyol	1 dram
Tannic acid	1 dram
Benzoin	1 dram
Rosewater	1 ounce

Take internally two teaspoonfuls of compound syrup of hypophosphites in water at bedtime. In severe cases the patient should be put in bed, have feet elevated, and toes wrapped with cotton wool. Massage is beneficial. Calcium lactate in 15-grain doses three or four times a day, is effective.

E. R. H., LONDON. Q.—Kindly advise me what to do for boils.

A.—A little ammoniated mercury usually cures mild boils. Apply a cloth which has been wet with hot boric acid to the boils. This will bring them to a head, then a drop of carbolic acid will empty them, and ammoniated mercury ointment will do the rest.

A READER. Q.—Kindly give me a formula for a good cleansing cream.

A.—A little of the following is excellent:

White vaseline	1 ounce
White wax or paraffin	1 ounce
Oil of sweet almonds	5 ounces
Rosewater	1½ ounces
Boric acid	20 grains
Oil of lavender	8 drops

C. S. Q.—Kindly advise me what to do to make my hair stiff. It is very soft and oily.

A.—If you will use a wash containing quinine it will help to reduce the amount of oil.

T. M. A.—If you will send a self-addressed, stamped envelope with your query repeated I shall be glad to answer your question.

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

MY SOLDIER HUSBAND

ADELE GARRISON'S CONTINUATION OF

REVELATIONS OF A WIFE

What Lillian Told Madge When They Met.

Lillian met me in answer to my telephone message at the railroad station, Marion, wife-weary and excited by her side. She hurried me to a waiting taxi.

"The old town has simply gone wild," she said. "We would never get back to Fifth avenue if we tried to walk. And Fifth avenue is the centre of things just now."

"Oh, Auntie Madge!" Marion was fairly jumping up and down in excited glee. "Isn't it wonderful the war is over, and now Uncle Dicky-bird can come back and Uncle Robert, too."

"Uncle Robert!" I echoed, turning in startled inquiry toward Lillian, for I had heard nothing about Robert for months. Whenever I'd thought of him I had pictured Lillian's artist friend in his lonely mountain home, waiting quietly, devotedly for any chance to serve her.

Lillian is rarely embarrassed, and I was surprised to see a faint flush on her face.

A Story To Come.

"I'll tell you about it later," she muttered hurriedly, and I realized that she had been purposely concealing from me the fact of Robert Savarin's presence on the other side.

There was no time for query or speculation, however. Even if the kaleidoscopic movement outside our limited windows had not held our own interest as it did, Marion's wild enthusiasm and startled ejaculations would have compelled our attention to the exclusion of anything else.

A Premature Celebration.

"You must see the signs, Auntie Madge," Marion carolled, as our taxi, temporarily blocked by the press of hundreds of other vehicles, stopped in front of one of the great department stores. Following her pointing finger—for which her mother had prudently refrained from reproof—I saw spread against the magnificent window curtain of one of the large windows this legend:

"Too happy to sell things. Come tomorrow."

"That's one of thousands, all similar in import, yet each original in phraseology, scattered all over the city," Lillian observed as our machine started on again. "There never was such a spontaneous outburst of happiness as this since the world began."

A newsboy dashed through the crowd with a bundle of papers, calling something incoherently which I couldn't understand. A man seated by the driver in a taxi abreast of ours called to the boy, who made his way to the side of the slowly-moving machine, and handed up a paper in exchange for a coin. As the man unfolded it I caught sight of the big, black headlines:

"Report of Armistice Signing Unfounded!"

For a long, agonized moment the black headlines of the paper merged into the buildings and the street in one swirling darkness of misery. Then as my eyes cleared I turned to Lillian.

"Oh, what does it mean?" I asked. "It cannot be that this is all a mistake."

She put her hand over mine, firmly, reassuringly.

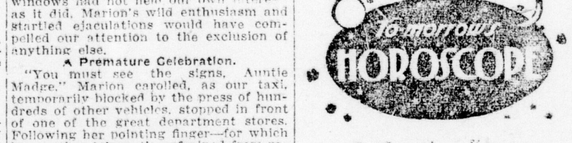
"Even if it should be, and I strongly suspect that the news hasn't yet been confirmed," she said gravely, "don't you know that this culmination is only a matter of days, perhaps hours? It is too bad, of course, if it should turn out to be a premature announcement, for the spontaneity will be taken away from the reception of the real news. But the armistice is coming as surely as Fate, and in the meantime, well—suppose we imitate in our mild way the philosophy of the gentleman on the curb."

I followed her eyes to the pavement, where a large man in an advanced state of joyous bibulousness was capering a solemn jig upon the torn remnants of a paper bearing the same headlines I had seen.

"Nobody nor nothin' can spoil my celebration!" he was asserting noisily.

"That's my motto for the afternoon," Lillian said decisively.

But under my outward acquiescence lurked the throbbing anguish of knowing that my soldier husband was not yet out of danger.



By Constance Kew

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 7.

The sidereal promises for this day, while indicating great enterprise and activity, are not wholly encouraging. Some subtle forces are at work, endeavoring to defeat and undo through peculiar and inexplicable situations, which, however, are wholly astral in their nature, and which if so recognized may be converted into good. Those in employment should attempt no change, and may well be content to let matters remain as they are until a more auspicious occasion. Though Mercury is aspected by Jupiter, the aspect is equivocal, and those venturing upon commercial or literary adventure had better consult their personal nativities rather than follow the general daily aspectarian.

Those whose birthday it is may be an active yet perplexing year, with change. A child born on this day will be proud, active and persevering, but called on to overcome some perplexities.

Jimmy Coon and His Friends

The Adventures of the Little People of the Great Forest.

GIANT BEAR GIVES ANOTHER PARTY.

It was funny to see Jimmy Coon and Teddy Possum scamper home, yelling with pain at every jump, while those angry Bumblebees followed those two scamps and stung them at every step of the way. Giant Bear stood up on his hind legs and watched Jimmy Coon and Teddy Possum getting stung by those angry Bumblebees. And Giant Bear laughed heartily in his deep bass voice and chuckled aloud: "I wonder if those two rascals found my honey hot enough for their greedy mouths? I guess now they will stop laughing at me and calling me a coward!"

Then Cousin Bruin invited Dick Otter and Benny Mink to a dinner party, and those two rascals accepted the invitation, because they had not heard of the hugh prank that Giant Bear had played on Jimmy Coon and Teddy Possum. When Dick Otter and Benny Mink arrived at Giant Bear's house, he welcomed them with open arms and gave them both such a hug with his powerful arms that they both yelled out: "Oh, Giant Bear! Don't hug us so hard, you will break all our ribs!" (You see, Giant Bear is so strong he doesn't know how to play gentle.)

And Giant Bear took his two hungry guests, Dick Otter and Benny Mink, into his big dining-room, which was out of doors, as you remember, in the summer. And Giant Bear explained: "Now, Dick Otter and Benny Mink, I know you are both very hungry and are both very fond of meat. You see those three grey paper bags hanging up their on those alder bushes? Well, each bag is full of lovely meat; and when I count three each of us will have a race to see which fellow can get his bag of sweet meat first and eat it up. I have a prize for the one who beats in this race."

And the eyes of Dick Otter and Benny Mink twinkled with excitement, and they both ran out their red tongues and smacked their lips at the sight of the big grey paper bags, filled with the choicest meat. You would have snickered to see those three fellows toe a line, and to hear Giant Bear count, "One, two, three—go!" And how the dirt and leaves did fly as those three racers leaped to jerk those three grey paper bags off those alder bushes, so they could get the lovely meat inside for their dinner!

And what do you suppose was in those grey bags hanging on the bushes? For, of course, Giant Bear was only joking when he said there was meat inside of them. You see, he wanted to punish Dick and Benny because they, too, like Jimmie Coon and Teddy Possum, had spread the news that he was a coward. And they were to be punished now—that was certain!


Those Angry Bumblebees Followed Those Two Scamps.

Tomorrow—What the Grey Bags Held.

DIARY OF A FASHION MODEL

BY GRACE THORNCLIFFE.

She Discusses the Vogue For Big Hats With Evening Gowns.

The dinner gowns we're turning out are designed for wear with hats, big, flat, velvet hats, something like those Gainsborough, Romney and Reynolds used to paint.

The war had a decided and definite effect on women's dresses. We no longer see the extreme decollette to which sleeveless gowns, supported only by the merest suggestion of shoulder straps, accustomed us some years ago.

There seems now to be one definite rule. All gowns have sleeves of some kind. They may camouflage the idea, but sleeves they are, nevertheless.

The vogue for picture hats for evening wear has been introduced by the higher decolletage of evening gowns in general, and for dinner gowns in particular. These hats follow the simple, paintable lines, and are devoid of aggressive trimming, such as an overabundance of ostrich plumes and the like. The trimming of these hats usually conforms to their lines. A beautiful paradise is sometimes used as a trimming with wonderful effect.

Possibly the kimono sleeve is most popular in the dinner gowns designed for wear with hats, because this type of sleeve gives an unbroken line to the lovely curve of the shoulders and lends itself to the high neck at the back. We owe the Japanese much for the kimono sleeve.

One of the loveliest dresses which we have car ies a kimono sleeve of grey chiffon cloth which continues into an overblouse and tunic. The irregular line of the tunic is accented by a broad band of grey squirrel. This fur in a narrower width also outlines the elbow-length sleeve.

The camisole blouse and skirt are made of charmeuse satin in tones of silver grey. Four rows of silver embroidery are used on the charmeuse, one rew encircles the top of the camisole, another appears just above the girdle, which is made of silver cloth. The third row of embroidery encircles the hips and the fourth tops the hem. This emb oidery will work up quickly in a combination of heavy silver thread and spangles.

This gown is very graceful, and its coloring is charmingly effective. Grey is becoming to any woman unless she carries an excess of weight. This dress, although youthful in its lines, will make a delightful costume for the "bride's mother" at a wedding.

The picture hat which is worn with the dress is a lovely shade of black velvet, slightly mushroom, yet rolled up in the centre front. The crown carries the simplest trimming in a lattice design of black chenille thread. Such a shape could be trimmed by any girl at little cost.

Chenille thread is used with beautiful effect on nearly every type of hat from sport to dress hat. Velour hats whose crowns are embroidered in oak leaves and acorns, or in garlands of fruit showing colors in rose and purple and yellow, are very smart and rather expensive. There is no reason why a girl couldn't add this embroidery herself to a moderately-priced velour hat.


This Charming Silver Grey Evening Gown Is Designed for Wear With a Black Velvet Hat.

Velvet hats are decorated with this embroidery, and they are also trimmed with crocheted flowers in both chenille and wool thread. Entire hats are crocheted in chenille now. A fine wire is carried along the thread as you crochet. This gives a certain amount of shape to the hat, which should be rolled to suit the contour of the face of the wearer. These hats sell from $25 to $50 in the shops. Sufficient chenille may be purchased to crochet one for about $5.

Good Night Stories

By Blanche Seland

MR. BLACK CAT AND GOOD LUCK.

One morning as Bobby was on his way to school, a great big black cat darted from the bushes on one side of the road and ran across to the other side right in front of Bobby.

"Oh, dear!" he exclaimed crossly. "Black cat—bad luck! I suppose I'll get bad marks in my tests today!"

"Just because a cat crossed your path?" laughed a squeaky voice, and Bobby's little old-in friend, Squeedee, hopped up beside him. "You don't mean it."

"Certainly!" replied Bobby crossly. "When a black cat runs across your path it always means that bad luck will follow you. If I had him I'd sure give him a good beating with this stick!"

"That's easy!" laughed Squeedee with a merry twinkle in his eyes. "Come here, Mr. Black Cat, and speak up for yourself."

Mr. Black Cat came back and perched himself on a log near Bobby, and began washing his face with his paws.

"What's that I heard you saying about me bringing you bad luck?" he asked.

"Why, all folks says the same thing," exclaimed Bobby meekly. "So I just supposed it was to let me know my marks would be poor in my tests today."

"Queer what funny notions folks have about us four-legged creatures," laughed Mr. Black Cat. "The only bad luck I can see in crossing anyone's path is the back luck of having a stone hurled at me, especially should the stone hit me."

At this both Bobby and Squeedee laughed heartily.

"It may sound funny to you," said Mr. Black Cat, switching his long black tail, "but there's nothing funny about it to me. Sometimes they chase me and I have to run a long way before I can find a place to hide."

"And the joke of the whole thing," laughed Squeedee, "Black cats are generally given magic power by the witch of Fairyland."

"Oh, dear!" laughed Bobby. "If the boys knew that they'd never chase them the way they do, at least I wouldn't."

Black Cat licked his paw and rubbed it over his face.

"Well, let me tell you one thing," growled. "When they chase me I chase away good luck, for I have been given the power to grant wishes by old witch. 'Black Cat—bad indeed!'

"And if I promise not to throw stones at any more of your friends you'll give me my wish?" exclaimed Bobby.

"I certainly will," replied Mr. Black Cat.

"All right, I promise," laughed Bobby. "I wish I may get good markings in my tests today."

"You certainly shall," replied Black Cat, and Bobby hearing the school bell, bade his friends good-by and ran on to school. Sure enough, Bobby got "excellent" on all his tests that day. Why do you really suppose that was?

So far as known, only one small insect—a wasp of the sphex family—among the millions of creatures belonging to a lower order than man, has ever employed the aid of a tool to accomplish a desired result. The mother wasp of this family digs a tunnel in the ground, deposits her eggs in it, and after the wasp has made its tunnel and deposited the egg, it finishes its task by ramming down pellets of earth, little stones, etc., into the mouth of the tunnel. This is the race habit of these wasps. It is recorded on undoubted authority that one inventive mother, when the mouth of the tunnel was covered to a level with the rest of the ground about it, brought a quantity of fine grains of dirt to the spot, and picking up a small pebble in her mandibles, used it as a hammer in pounding them down with rapid strokes, thus making the earth as firm and as like the surrounding surface. Then she departed, brought more dirt, picked up the pebble again and used it.

An example of efficiency in airplane assembling was the remarkably fast time of three hours and fifty minutes made in assembling an airplane by a crew of four privates and two non-commissioned officers.


"All Folks Say the Same Thing."

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THINKS LONDON CAN GET NEW CUSTOMS AND P. O. IN ONE

S. F. Glass, M.P., Says London Should Get Busy.

London will have a new postoffice at any rate, and if the citizens get busy immediately the city can have a combined postoffice and custom house, according to S. Frank Glass, M.P. Mr. Glass has written Hon. F. B. Carvell, minister of public works, pointing out the benefits of a combined building here.

"The Government is disposed to do all building possible this year to provide labor for the returned men," said Mr. Glass. "The department of public works has sent representatives here to look over the ground and take preliminary measurements in the Carling block with a view to preparing plans for the postoffice. If London gets busy the Government can be persuaded to erect a building that will be large enough for the custom house and postoffice.

"The present customs house is crowded, and part of the Carling Block is being used for customs purposes now. The postoffice building is also overtaxed, and something will have to be done soon. In the event of the Government building the postoffice alone it will possibly be a two-story building, spread over the Carling Block.

"There would be room for the customs house if the building were made five or six stories in height, and it would be a more suitable building for the city."

Mr. Glass thinks that the city does not need to worry about the disposal of the present customs house. This can be left to the Government.

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WEST ELGIN LIBS MEET ON TUESDAY

Outside Speakers Expected To Attend Meeting at Dutton.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 5.—The annual West Elgin Liberal Association meeting will be held at Dutton on Tuesday afternoon next. While nothing definite has as yet been announced, it is understood that there will be a number of outside speakers present, and many matters of importance will be dealt with, besides the election of officers and committees for the ensuing year. There will be a large delegation of local supporters who will journey to this well-known centre of West Elgin politics on Tuesday next.

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WANT INCREASED FARES

Council Will Again Be Asked To Sanction Higher Rates.

The financial statement for the year 1918 of the London Street Railway Company, which was presented at the annual meeting of the shareholders yesterday afternoon shows a net income for the year of $15,290.39, which was transferred to the surplus account. The statement makes no mention of any dividends. The net income before deducting anything for depreciation was $44,498.94, as compared with $47,477.20 for the year 1917.

The gross earnings for 1918 were $456,355.91, an increase of $38,493.55 over those of 1917. The operating expenses for last year were $373,123.78, being an increase of $42,029.43 over the cost of operation in 1917. There was a decrease in the power bill for 1918 of $1,648.34 over 1917.

It was decided to renew the request of last year for increased rates, and a statement is in course of preparation for presentation to the city council at an early date. Following are the officers of the company for the ensuing year: Charles Currie, Akron, president; C. H. Ivey, London, vice-president; C. B. King, manager; L. Tait, secretary-treasurer; board of directors, Charles Currie, R. R. Alexander, Cleveland; P. W. D. Brodrick, Toronto; H. S. Holt, Montreal; W. M. Spencer, London; C. H. Ivey, London; C. B. King, London.

WINNIPEG VETERANS HAVE ROW AMONG THEMSELVES

WINNIPEG, Feb. 5.—Having failed to secure a vote of confidence from the general meeting of the Great War Veterans' Association last night on a "show-down," members of the executive today were debating whether they should resign in a body.

The trouble arose over the fact that a reading of the minutes of the previous meeting failed to show that the officeholders had put themselves on record in regard to the recent riots. It was generally felt among veterans that the executive should have taken some action in the matter. It is expected that a decision as to what steps to take will be made at next Tuesday's meeting.

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NAZIMOVA AS CHILD OF THE DESERT IN PLAY AT THE GRAND

Greatest Photodramatic Production of the Age at Grand Last Time Today.

Nazimova, conceded to be the most fascinating and talented actress on the screen, will be seen at the Grand today for the last time at 2:30, 7 and 9, in "Eye for Eye," a play of gripping, so intense that the beholder is transported with wonder. The story is taken from a French play, and the incidents have the merit of being unusual as well as exciting. Nazimova plays the part of an Arab girl, who saved the life of a French naval officer when he fell into the hands of her people. Later on, misfortune overtook the girl, and she became virtually a slave in the hands of a circus man.

Girl Is Rescued.

The naval officer rescued her and gave her a home in the French legation. The Arab girl became devoted to him, but a member of her tribe turned up with the story that her family had been killed by the crew of the cruiser commanded by the naval officer. She was forced to take an oath to be revenged upon her benefactor. She is torn between the code of the Orient, "An eye for an eye, a tooth for a tooth," and the code of the Frenchman, "Love your enemies." The working out of the story is exciting, and it holds the attention all the way. The role of the strange, wild creature, living in civilized surroundings, gives Mme. Nazimova an excellent opportunity, and her performance is a good one. This silent drama is a distinct departure from the commonplace tales found in the movies and as such it has proven to be very attractive to local photoplay fans.

Additional Features.

The balance of the bill will consist of a feature comedy, the latest Pathe News issue, and splendid musical score by the Grand orchestra.

LABOR COUNCIL TO BACK VETERANS IN OUSTING THE ALIENS

Not a Dissenting Voice Greeted Fred Young's Proposal.

WANT LABOR SUNDAY

Ministerial Alliance Will Be Asked To Take Up the Movement.

To back up the Great War Veterans' Association in its action to turn out, when the opportunity comes, the foreigners who are holding down jobs in this city while returned men are walking the streets without positions, was the decision of the trades and labor council at its meeting last evening. Delegate Fred Young asked that the council be ready to stand shoulder to shoulder with the returned men when the time comes. "It's up to us to get those aliens put out," he said. There followed a general outburst of applause, and when the motion was put, there was not a dissenting voice.

One soldier, it was mentioned, had left this city, in which he had owned a little cottage and garden. When he returned a foreigner was living in the house and the little garden in which he had worked before he went overseas was now being cultivated by the alien. This alien also had a good job, while the soldier, who was a true Britisher, and had fought and bled for his country on the fields of Flanders, was walking the streets.

Would Include Scabs.

Delegate R. H. Hessell thought that the motion should go so far as to include "scabs" who were holding down jobs which should be held by union men. He said that the work on the huts at Carling Heights was done by men who were working from nine to fourteen hours per day, and who were also working on Sunday. Some men from the G. T. R. carshops, he said, worked there in spare time. In other places the Government paid from 60 cents to 70 cents per hour, but when it came to London it knew it had the whip hand and did as it chose.

There was much opposition voiced in regard to Mayor Somerville's proposal to do away with the municipal coal yard. Delegates Hessell, Brennan and O'Dea all being strongly opposed.

Delegate Hessell contended that the municipal coal yard was a paying investment, in spite of the opposition from certain city hall officials. He declared that if the movement was to the advantage of a party of businessmen that the mayor would be in favor of it, but that everything on the labor slate was opposed at the city hall. As an illustration of what was being done, or, rather, not done, in regard to labor suggestions, he mentioned the movement for free textbooks, which was allowed to drop.

On the suggestion of Delegate O'Dea it was decided to protest the action of the mayor and to have No. 1 committee of the trades and labor council back up the protest.

Will Attend Church.

A resolution, heartily indorsing the action of and thanking Rev. W. R. McIntosh, Rev. D. C. McGregor and Rev. Byron Snell in their stand in backing up labor, was passed. Rev. Mr. McIntosh, it was stated, had jeopardized, by his action, the finances of his parish, but, despite the opposition which he had met with, he was proceeding to give his series of talks in favor of labor. It was decided to attend in a body his church, King Street Presbyterian, on Sunday evening, when he will speak on "The Church on the Job." All union men are invited. It was also decided to ask the ministerial alliance to inaugurate a Labor Sunday for all churches in the city.

The matter of whether or not union labor was in favor of the daylight saving plan was referred back to the various unions.

The council declared in favor of an eight-hour day without reduction of wages.

A mass meeting to promote the labor movement will be held in this city on Saturday, February 15. Although the place where it will be held has not yet been picked out, it is thought that it will either be held in the Masonic Temple or the auditorium. Among the speakers suggested by the mass meeting committee were: Bishop M. F. Fallon, Rev. D. C. McGregor, Rev. W. R. McIntosh and H. B. Ashplant.

Co-operative Store.

The committee which is investigating the matter of organizing a co-operative store here suggested that Sergt. John Glennie, a returned man, who at one time conducted one of these stores at Lethbridge, be invited to speak at the next meeting of the council. It was decided to act on the suggestion.

On the suggestion received in a communication, the council decided that the organization committee should help the telephone girls to organize. It was said that they had been hampered whenever they tried to organize.

The financial statement showed that the total income of the council amounted to $1,911.40; that the total expenses amounted to $1,143.64. The labor temple fund is now $2,212.64. The council owns $1,500 worth of Victory bonds.

A CORRECTION.

The announcement of the Ontario Spring Bed and Mattress Company in Monday's issue had no connection with the Ontario Spring Bed and Mattress, Limited, which is in liquidation. The present company occupies the same premises, and is continuing to manufacture a complete line of iron and brass beds, etc. The limited company is in liquidation, and it was for the purpose of winding up the estate that the business properties are being advertised. b

CHARMING PHOTOPLAY PLEASES PATRONS AT MAJESTIC THEATRE

"Little Women" Showing at Popular Playhouse Again Today and Friday.

Rich in pathos, humor and charm, "Little Women," an entertaining photoplay, pictured from Louisa M. Alcott's novel of the same name, was presented yesterday to capacity audiences at the Majestic Theatre.

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In the screen adaptation, few of the telling points of the story were sacrificed, and almost every title flashed upon the screen was some well remembered quotation from the book itself and, therefore, easily recognized by the spectators. The picture, admirably produced and acted, created a profound impression upon the audience.

Story of Play.

The story has been faithfully followed by the producers. It tells how Mr. March, a New England chaplain, has gone to the front in Virginia, leaving his wife and four daughters, Meg, Jo, Beth and Amy, with their mother in Concord, Mass. The girls are known as the "Little Women," and they are happy in their mutual love and in their reverence for their mother, whom they call "Marmee."

Mrs. March gets news that her husband is dangerously ill in a hospital in Washington, and she sends an appeal to Aunt March, an irascible old woman of wealth, for money to defray the expenses of her trip to Washington. Believing the appeal will be vain, Jo, who is a writer of promise, sells her luxuriant hair to a wigmaker for $25 and offers the money to her mother in triumph. It then develops that Aunt March had meanwhile relented and given Mrs. March ample money, so that Jo's sublime sacrifice was useless.

Mr. March is brought home to his family and one by one the girls are married, but Beth, an invalid, clinging weakly to life, finally succumbs, but not until she has embraced Meg's twins. The entire story deals with the pure home life, the joys and sorrows of the March family and their tender devotion to each other. Jo becomes famous as an author and finally is won as a bride by Prof. Baer. It is a classic of American literature, and in screen form none of its beauties are lost.

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By truly artistic photography, careful handling of the various characterizations, and an even tempo, this famous classic has been transferred to the screen with much of that atmosphere which will be heartily appreciated by all who have read the book. It is as a breath of spring—sweet and wholesome, and thoroughly delightful to every spectator.

A Mack Sennett comedy, "Hide and Seek Detectives," is replete with funny situations.

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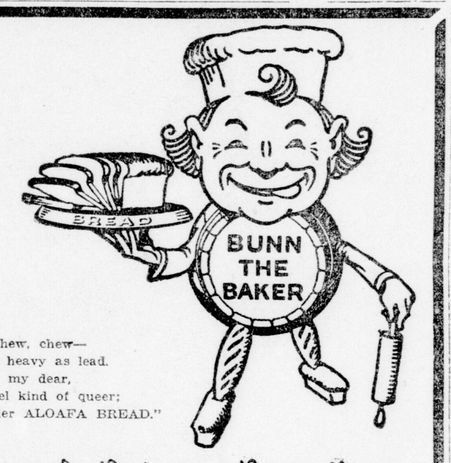
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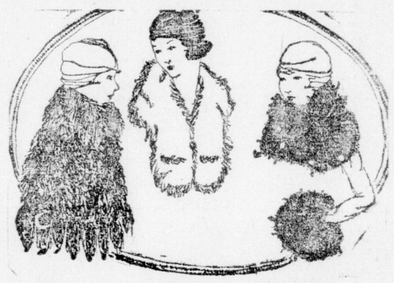
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