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VIGOROUS DENUNCIATION OF THREE-FIFTHS CLAUSE

Rev. Ben Spence Tells Annual Convention of Ontario Alliance That It Blocks Temperance Legislation—No Improvement in Enforcing of Liquor License Law

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Feb. 25.—Five hundred delegates representing almost all parts of Ontario, gathered in Massey Hall this morning at the annual convention of the Ontario Alliance. Rev. Canon Green presided, and seated on the platform were Bishop Carman, Jos. Gibson, a past president, and Rev. R. J. Patterson, of Arnprior, Ireland, the founder of the "catch my pal" society.

The most important business was the presentation, by Rev. Ben Spence, of the executive committee's report revealing the work of the past year throughout the various provinces in the Dominion. Cheers greeted the announcement that the postmaster-general had decided not to allow liquor to be carried in the parcel post. The speaker ridiculed the "personal Liberty League," which was fighting local option with its highly-paid staff, as the old liquor party in a very thin disguise.

Denounce Three-Fifths.

The now famous three-fifths clause in

the Ontario license act came in for vigorous denunciation as a "grossly unjust progress-hindering clause, the stronghold of the liquor party in this province." He cited figures from local option contests to show that for seven times that it was of any benefit to the cause, in 255 times it had blocked temperance legislation. Hon. W. J. Hanna had been quoted as saying that as soon as it could be shown that the three-fifths clause was not necessary to secure permanency to local option, it would be removed from the statute books. The Government were in honor bound to repeal this law at once in view of the facts laid bare.

"The enforcement of the liquor license law in Ontario showed no improvement," said the speaker. "We have tabulated the returns from 95 districts and found six very good license inspectors, 22 colorless, 28 bad and thirteen very bad."

"The dining cars on the railways were

Western Ontario's Municipalities To Be Well Represented

Many Signifying Their Intention of Sending Delegates to Big Radial Field Day Here.

Industrial Commissioner Gordon Philip, who is making the arrangements for Western Ontario's radial field day to be held in London on March 5, has received many replies from municipalities which have been invited to send representatives, and everything points to a very large and enthusiastic attendance. In his mail this morning Commissioner Philip received a dozen or so acceptances, coupled with expressions of sympathy in the project, and a desire to see it pushed ahead as rapidly as possible. Sarnia will send Mayor J. B. Dagan and Councillor J. Ross Geddes; Markham, A. F. Wilson; Guelph, J. W. Lyon; Downie Township, Reeve George Castner and Councillor John McKay; North Oxford, Reeve Leslie and Councillor Richard Elliott; Biddulph, Reeve Ryebrant; Bosanquet Township, Reeve McIntyre; Delaware, Reeve Duncan Gordon and Councillor Alton Ryckman; Elgin County Board of Trade and Publicity Association, D. H. Price; Springfield Board of Trade, President M. Mac Black and D. Ostrosky; and Arkona, D. J. Dickinson, C. J. Ready and J. L. Fuller.

The Masonic Hall has been engaged for the function. On arrival the delegates will be welcomed by the mayor, controllers and aldermen, and will then be shown the waterworks, the hydro department, under the chaperonage of Chairman Philip Pocock and General Manager H. J. Gault. At six o'clock a dinner will be served in the banquet hall of the Masonic Building, and later Hon. Adam Beck and other well known men will address the delegates with reference to the radial railways project.

Anglican Church Cannot Nominate

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Feb. 25.—In refusing to lead a movement started by a Methodist committee on good citizenship, Bishop Farthing, head of the Church of England, in this diocese, says that the Anglican church could not officially or through her representatives, take any part in nominating particular candidates for any civic office.

The bishop, however, promises that the church will do all it can to arouse members to conscientiously use their citizenship so as to establish a good administration in the city hall at the civic elections in April.

CITY DADDIES ALSO HAVE TO "PAY UP"

In some quarters it has been questioned whether or not Mayor C. M. R. Graham and Controllers J. P. Moore, W. G. Coles, Hubert Ashplant and G. E. Rose would be liable for income tax on the salaries they receive from the municipal corporation. At the assessment department today, The Advertiser was told that all persons, including even senators and members of Parliament, are supposed to pay the tax on their complete income from the public. The mayor and controllers make affidavit in the usual way as to their total sources of income and the amounts obtained.

Mammoth New Press For The Advertiser To Meet Enormous Business Growth

Remarkable Success of the Morning Edition Calls For Enlarged Equipment, Which Will Be of the Most Modern Type.

The remarkable success of The Morning Advertiser within the first two months of publication has led the directors to decide upon the installation of a mammoth Hoe quadruple press, a contract for the purchase of which was signed yesterday.

The installation of the new press means that The Advertiser will make a radical change in style, appearing as soon as the new press has been installed as an eight-column paper. The Advertiser will be the first morning paper in Ontario west of Ottawa to take this advanced step. In so doing it is following the advice of specialists in newspaper production in the largest centers. Within the last few months no less than five of New York's great newspapers have installed eight-column presses and the change has been adopted with striking results by most of the advanced newspapers of the United States. Several Toronto papers are about to decide upon eight-column pages. The Advertiser has for years been in the vanguard of newspapers with modern equipment. It was one of the first papers in Canada to install linotype machines. Its aim is to be always in the front-rank.

EIGHT-COLUMN PAGE. The eight-column press involves the addition of one column to each page of the paper, the style at present being seven columns. Greater space for news will be afforded and the display of advertisements will be enhanced. The effect on the appearance of the paper will be invaluable, and The Advertiser has no doubt that the change will be appreciated by its tens of thousands of readers.

Although The Advertiser is well-equipped with press facilities for a city of the size of London, the recent inauguration of a morning edition in addition to the noon and evening editions has made it imperative that the press facilities be more than doubled, and at once. The present presses have a capacity of 12,000 papers an hour. The new press of The Advertiser will have a capacity

of 60,000 circulation with a speed of 25,000 papers an hour.

FAITH IN WESTERN ONTARIO. The agent for R. Hoe & Co., the largest makers of newspaper presses in the world, was in conference with the directors and management on several occasions recently, and the problem of enormous future growth was faced and met at large expense. The simple reason is that The Advertiser has faith in London and in Western Ontario and believes that no newspaper field in Ontario equals that in which it is located. That the people of London and Western Ontario are loyal to a clean, sane and progressive home newspaper, providing a world service equal to that secured by any metropolitan newspaper and covering its city and district thoroughly, has been demonstrated by the thousands of new subscriptions that have been received. Many old friends at a distance who could not secure The Evening Advertiser on the day of publication are coming back gladly to the morning edition, and every day new territory is opened that yields rich results.

TWO PRESSES IN ONE. The installation of the eight-column press with a range of pages extending to 32 pages, will be made as soon as the New York branch of the Hoe Company can deliver the great machine. The announcement is made as a recognition of the increased business with which this newspaper has been favored, and as an evidence of the improvement that may be expected. For along every line the facilities of The Advertiser will be enlarged to meet the demands of a larger paper. The press will be the largest in Western Ontario, being practically two presses, either of which can be run separately, but both of which will be required to turn out the three editions. The growth of The Advertiser is a good index of the growth of London and Western Ontario. Abounding faith in the district has built this newspaper into one of the largest in Canada, and there are abundant prospects of even greater strides in the future.

Sir Geo. Still Critical; Sir Jas. Must Retire

Toronto, Feb. 25.—Sir George Ross is still in a very critical condition, and is causing his friends great anxiety. There is no sign of improvement today.

Sir James Whitney is now fully recovered, and is expected to leave the hospital in a few days. He has been notified by his physicians, however, that he must not contemplate returning to public life.

Wearing Dead Birds Endangers Integrity of the Psychic Aura



[Special Correspondence of The Advertiser.] London, Feb. 25.—The psychic aura, or soul halo, as it is called, has certain reactions upon the inner soul, and hence when exposed to the degenerative influences of dead birds, the psychic aura is endangered. The psychic aura is the inner soul, and hence when exposed to the degenerative influences of dead birds, the psychic aura is endangered. The psychic aura is the inner soul, and hence when exposed to the degenerative influences of dead birds, the psychic aura is endangered.

BELFAST PASTOR MARRIES FORMER PARISHIONERS HERE

Irish Sweethearts Brought Together in London By Force of Circumstances—Joined in Bonds of Matrimony by Their Own Minister.

When Rev. William Thompson, a young Presbyterian minister of Hunter, South Dakota, left home last week to meet his sweetheart from Ireland, from whom he had parted three years ago in Belfast, he intended to meet her in Montreal. Moreover, he did not know that their former pastor, Rev. John Pollock, of St. Enoch's Church, Belfast, was in Canada, much less that they would meet in London, and that Rev. Mr. Pollock would be the officiating clergyman at the wedding.

Unavoidable and unexpected delay detained Rev. Mr. Thompson in this city, and he wired to his fiancée, Miss Jeanie Pollock, to come on to London to be married here. Sunday night while about to take tea at the home of a member of St. Andrew's Church, he heard that Rev. John Pollock was to preach that evening in St. Andrew's Church. It was, indeed, the minister who had hurried to church without waiting for supper.

Miss Pollock arrived in London last night, and was pleasantly surprised when her fiancée informed her that they were to be married by the pastor of their old home church, which they had attended together in Ireland. The wedding was celebrated this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the residence of Rev. W. J. Knox, M. A., 237 Hyman street. Rev. Mr. Thompson was pastor of a Presbyterian Church in Canada for one year before receiving the call to Hunter, South Dakota.

The fact that Rev. Mr. Pollock has the same surname as Miss Pollock interested Rev. Mr. Thompson Sunday evening in inquiring where the minister who was to preach in St. Andrew's came from, and all three were delightedly surprised at meeting here, and on such a happy occasion.

TORCH CAUSES \$8,000 BLAZE AT DOMINION METER WORKS

Ignites Gas After Melting Solder Off Meter—Building Guttled by Flames, and Many Meters Damaged—Firemen Work in 6 Degrees Below Weather.

Thawing out a gas meter with a gasoline torch was responsible for a fire that completely gutted the plant of the Dominion Meter Works, Garfield avenue and Wortley road, this morning and caused damages, estimated by Manager J. S. Moore, at between \$8,000 and \$10,000. The loss is covered by insurance.

The torch melted the solder off the meter allowing the gas to escape and ignite from the flame. In a second a blazing tongue of fire, six feet long, was eating its way into the wooden joists and rafters.

Employee Burned. R. Court, an employee of the Meter Works, who was the first to discover the flames, had his hands and forehead burned in an attempt to turn off the stop cock at the side of the meter.

The presence of the gas made it a hard fight for the firemen who labored in a six degrees below zero temperature to check the ravages of the flames. There were no outside cut offs for the gas main, the only one being located immediately

beside the meter and in the very heart of the flames.

Brown Out Blaze. Deputy Fire Chief Charles Scott, who was in charge of the firemen, directed two streams on the blazing tongue of gas and after a stubborn fight succeeded in drowning it sufficiently to allow the shut off to be turned off with a monkey wrench.

It was 8:20 when the alarm was first turned in and it was two hours later that the apparatus was able to leave the building.

Hard to Estimate Loss.

After the fire had been extinguished Manager Moore declared to The Advertiser that it would be impossible to estimate the exact loss until a thorough inspection of the building's contents had been made. A large number of partially completed meters are suspected of having been badly damaged and until these are examined the total loss will remain unknown.

"The loss will be at least \$8,000," declared Mr. Moore, "and may possibly run up as high as \$10,000."

J. FROST PUT DEGREE TEAM THROUGH THE THIRD DEGREE

Train Two Hours Late and Station Closed—Party of London Oddfellows Stalled on Platform While Thermometer Flirted With Zero.

With the thermometer bobbing round the 16th notch below nothing, 25 members and friends of Harmony Encampment, No. 3, I. O. O. F., degree team, and a party of Londoners who had been dancing at Komoka, had a cold reception accorded them in the wee small hours of this morning as they waited at Komoka station for the early C. P. R. express.

Out in the Cold. The team visited Mount Brydges en-campment last night, and all went as the proverbial marriage bells all the return trip was started. Arrangements had been made to stop the early C. P. R. train at Komoka, so off the team went to the latter station. Once there the joy of the evening's entertainment began to dawn that there were warmer

The station was locked and the train was late. To be exact, it was two hours late. The team did not realize this when it first arrived. As the minutes passed and the cold intensified, the fact began to dawn that there were warmer places than the platform of the C. P. R.'s Komoka station. The waiting-room door was tried. It was locked. Likewise the windows. They were locked. Finally, driven desperate by the cold, the door of the baggage-room was forced and an entry effected to the waiting room. The team had a little heat from the fire and much heat from their conversation, the benighted travelers awaited the train's arrival.

Ear Muffs Helped. Among the party, which numbered 24, was John M. Parsons, who has been an overcoat in ten years. His friends persisted that he called for one last night, but this he declined, as he wanted to produce a set of ear muffs, however.

QUEBEC'S WINTER THE COLDEST EVER KNOWN

On Jan. 13 It Touched 27 Below at Montreal—Coldest of Century.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Feb. 25.—With the approach of milder weather, the Province of Quebec nears the end of the coldest winter ever recorded. Statistics compiled by meteorological experts show the following weather balance sheet since January 1:

Days always below zero, 10; days partly below zero, 26; days always above zero, 20; days when it thawed, 6. The present spell followed a colder period, which, however, was of shorter duration. The coldest day of the century was recorded on January 13, when the thermometer touched 27 below zero in Montreal, and lower points in the rest of the province.

THE WEATHER.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London for the 12 hours preceding 8 a.m. today: Highest, 16 above; lowest, 13 below. The official temperatures for today: Highest, 6 above; lowest, 6 below.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND MILD. Toronto, Feb. 25.—8 a.m. Forecasts.

Moderate to fresh southwest and south winds, fair, with rising temperature. Thursday—Fair and comparatively mild.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	50	26	Clear
Calgary	40	16	Cloudy
Winnipeg	22	12	Clear
Port Arthur	22	12	Cloudy
Parry Sound	14	6	Cloudy
Toronto	16	6	Clear
Ottawa	4	10	Cloudy
Montreal	2	4	Cloudy
Quebec	6	12	Cloudy
Father Point	4	10	Cloudy
Minus (—) minus below zero.			

Weather Notes. The weather is fine and cold from Ontario to the Maritime Provinces, and is comparatively mild in the West. The outlook is still favorable for milder conditions generally.

LIVE ISSUES FOR CONVENTION OF BOARDS OF TRADE

Ontario Association Gathered in Annual Convention at Queen City.

CONSERVE WATERPOWERS

Resolution Made Favoring a Government Labor Bureau and Extension of Hydro.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Feb. 25.—A scheme to conserve the waterpowers of the province for hydro-electric development and extension was presented by F. F. Black, of Sudbury, at the conference of Associated Ontario Boards of Trade here this morning. He suggested that the hydro commission proceed with the development of power in New Ontario, and that the Federal and Provincial Governments adopt this policy at an early date. He wants the commission to have power to make contracts with mining and manufacturing firms in the great nickel, silver and pulp districts, where immense waterpowers are going to waste that could be utilized in those industries.

Reforest Waste Land.

A resolution from the Belleville board to reforest waste lands was approved. F. E. O'Flynn advised that the matter be pressed on the local member in every constituency. No action was taken on a resolution presented in favor of compulsory government of cities. A report will be presented at the next meeting.

Five boards, Port William, Port Arthur, Sault Ste. Marie, Steelton and North Bay, united in a resolution favoring governmental assistance in mining and treating iron ore with a view to keeping this trade in the Dominion.

The resolution was adopted. Government Labor Bureau. W. P. Gundy, of Toronto, introduced a resolution favoring a Government labor bureau as it exists in Great Britain, New Zealand and Australia. E. C. Kingsmill, of Hileybury, said there was plenty of work in the north this winter. Government control of the exportation of fish was favored by Belleville. The convention also favored Government grants to good roads rather than to railways. A resolution favoring the extension of the

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MADE BIG BLUFF AT HAVING MONEY TO SECURE BRIDE

Flashed a \$2,000 Check With Nary a Cent To Back It Up.

FATHER WAS SUSPICIOUS

Romance of a Couple at Montreal That Came to an Abrupt Conclusion.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Feb. 25.—A romance that came to an abrupt conclusion when the lady concerned learned the character of her suitor, arises in connection with the arrest of Abraham Crownstein in Ottawa yesterday. Crownstein is charged with having raised a check from \$20 to \$2,000, and was remanded for a week when he comes up for trial.

The check was almost the means of securing for him a very pretty and well-situated bride in the person of Miss Jessie Jaslow, aged twenty, stepdaughter of A. Rootenberg, a well known storekeeper at 30 St. Urban street, says the Daily Mail.

Crownstein was introduced to Mr. Rootenberg as "Mr. Nelson" by a man said to be living on Papineau avenue. This man intimated that his friend would be a good son-in-law, as he was a very wealthy man from Saskatchewan, in which province he was held in high esteem by all who knew him. Crownstein finally stepped forward and asked for an introduction to Rootenberg's stepdaughter. The desired introduction was finally obtained. Informing the lady that he was a guest at the Windsor Hotel, and a half-fellow-well-met with all the big businessmen of the city, "Mr. Nelson" departed for Ottawa. This was Tuesday morning, and he telegraphed Montreal that night to tell his prospective bride that he would be in the city the next night. On that very day, however, the cautionary words of the sum of eight cents from the friend upon whose recommendation he was introduced to Miss Jaslow; moreover, the sum has not yet been paid back.

Suspicion Aroused.

True to his word he was on deck at night, but as "lovers" ever run before the clock, he was an hour early. He repeated the assertion that he was staying at the Windsor Hotel, and gave Miss Jaslow a check upon the Montreal City and District Savings Bank for the sum of \$1,000, asking her to meet him before he returned to Ottawa next day. At this juncture Mr. Rootenberg became suspicious and telephoned the Windsor, asking for Mr. Nelson.

"Nobody here by that name, sir," was the reply, and "Nelson stock" fell several points in the market.

Miss Jaslow sent the check he had given her to the bank, asking that it be investigated. It was found that Nelson had no account there.

PARCEL POST TOO HEAVY FOR ONE LONE MAIL CART

The quantity of mail matter via parcel post that arrived in London on one train this morning was sufficient to cause one of the mail wagons to break down. With the wagon loaded to capacity all went well until the street railway tracks were reached at Queen's avenue and Richmond street, here an axle broke and dumped the load on to the street. Three cars were held up for a few minutes while the driver gathered up the scattered bags of mail.

ORDERLIES MURDERED.

Neisse, Germany, Feb. 25.—The decorated bodies of two orderlies of the infantry brigade here, were found today on the railroad tracks. The soldiers had died after assaulting the general, who had reprimanded them for rising late.

BECKER UNLIKELY TO FACE A JURY A SECOND TIME

Generally Believed That He Will Go Free and Seek Reinstatement.

MR. WHITMAN IS SILENT

Second Trial Might Mean That State Witnesses May Face a Murder Charge.

New York, Feb. 25.—Charles Becker, former police lieutenant convicted of instigating the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, who has just been granted a new trial, was visited in the death-house at Sing Sing Prison today by his attorney, Joseph A. Shay. Tomorrow, the attorney told Becker, he expects to serve the remittitur of the court of appeals on the prison warden. Becker will then leave the death-house, where he has been confined since the fall of 1912, and he returned to a cell in the Tombs prison here, until the final disposition of his case. The four gunmen convicted of the actual killing of Rosenthal will be executed next month, unless the governor grants an executive clemency. The opinion was expressed by the attorneys and friends of Becker that he would never be tried again as the instigator of the murder of Rosenthal, and there was also much talk that Becker, if he eventually goes free, will seek reinstatement on the police force.

Whitman Silent. District Attorney Charles S. Whitman, who will determine whether Becker shall be tried again, has thus far refused to say what further action he will take in the case. It is known, however, that Mr. Whitman believes that a second trial would be futile in the face of the court's appeal decision. That decision in effect stamps "Sam" Schoppa, one of the principal witnesses for the state, as an accomplice in the murder plot which "Jack" Rose, "Bridgie" Weber and "Harry" Vallon confessed, implicating Becker. The decision, it is pointed out, also leaves the district attorney in an embarrassing position with reference to Rose, Weber and Vallon, who might be certain circumstances of a new trial, be held and tried for the murder of Rosenthal. Becker's stay of sixteen months in the death-house has resulted in his improvement in health and his makeup is that of an athlete in training. Also he has read a great deal—the Bible, Shakespeare and many works of literature. Continued on Page Eleven.

BRITAIN IS TAKING NO CHANCE WITH GEN. VILLA

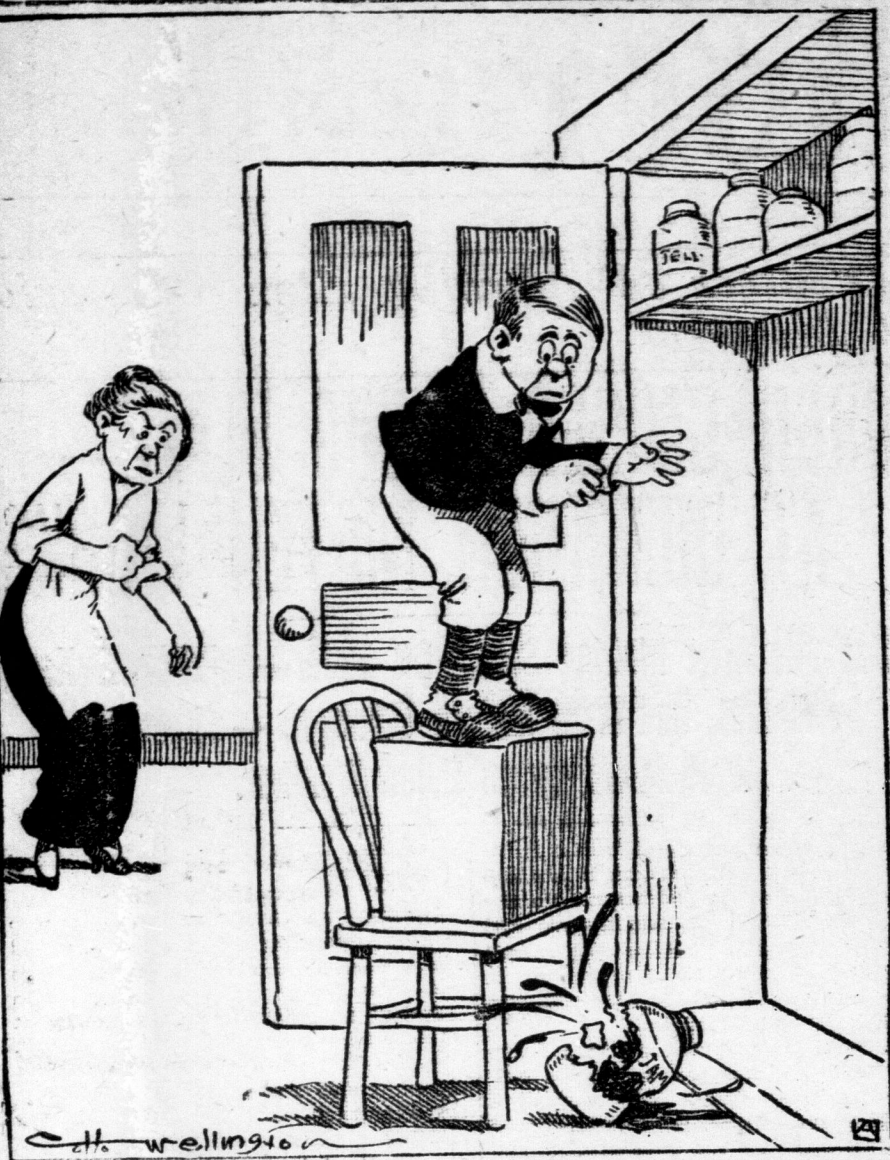
Will Not Send Consul Into Mexico Until a Safe Conduct Is Received.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Feb. 25.—The British Government, it was announced today, is still awaiting an answer from the State Department at Washington to its request to the United States Government to secure a safe conduct from General Villa to enable Consul Perceval, of Galveston, to participate in the investigation into the death of William S. Benton at Juarez.

Francis Dyke Acland, parliamentary under secretary for foreign affairs, stated today in the House of Commons that the foreign office was not prepared to order Consul Perceval to leave El Paso for the "generous districts of Mexico until it had received some assurance that he would be safe in doing so."

---and the Worst Is Yet to Come



PIPER HANDED HAGGIS AT SCOTTISH FUNCTION

Banquet, Lecture and Program in Hamilton Road Kirk, Prove Big Success.

A Scottish banquet, a lecture and musical program, were given in Hamilton Road Presbyterian Church last night, by the Young People's Guild of the church.

The menu of the banquet was "real Scotch," and the haggis was brought in by the piper. There was the real thing in Scotch haggis, gingerbread, and oat cake and Glasgo shortbread, that made the old people think of bygone days, and gave the youngsters rare treat.

After the banquet, the pastor, Rev. Dr. D. L. McCrae, lectured in the church on "The Wit and Wisdom of the Scotch Ministers of the Olden Time." The Scotch are the most humorous people in the world," said Dr. McCrae, and then went on to prove it. Judging by the loud applause, and almost continuous laughter, all through the lecture, the speaker was decidedly successful.

Following the lecture, a chorus of the church choir, with pipers, rendered "Scots Wha Hae" with excellent effect; Miss Edna Westcott, "Annie MacDonald" and was encored several times. The members of the chorus sang "Comin' Thro' the Rye," "The Bonnie Boat," and "The Bonnie Broom." Mayor C. M. R. Graham, who was to have given an address, was absent, and the chair was taken by C. R. Summers.

STARVATION WILL NOT CURE DYSPEPSIA

But a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet Will Enable You To Eat Your Meals Without Suffering After Doing So.

Every person knows that to live in a healthy, happy manner we must eat. Diet, starvation, predigested food, etc., are not the correct methods of eliminating digestion disorders.

Many dyspepsia sufferers know that they must eat and so they go to their meals in a half-hearted manner. When they see food before them they are made miserable. Their judgments tell them to eat, but their stomachs revolt at the idea and so whatever food they consume does them more harm than good.



"If I Were Sure This Meal Would Not Injure Me I Would Eat, for I am Losing Weight Every Day." In cases of dyspepsia, catarrh of the stomach, gastritis, heartburn, rash, foul breath, bowel complaint, stomach trouble, etc., a Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablet taken after each meal will do more good than anything you have ever tried.

You simply cannot realize how these little dyspepsia tablets put away a meal, without effort, pain or distress, and at the same time so build up the digestive apparatus as to make the next meal more easily taken care of.

To understand what Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are composed of is to realize that when they reach the stomach they dissolve into digestive juices just as desired by Nature. They hold ingredients which the healthy stomach is supplied with and the unhealthy stomach lacks.

These natural qualities have a great digestive influence upon all food. One grain of one ingredient contained in Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is sufficient to digest 2,000 grains of food.

When you have given this a single thought consideration you will then understand why it is that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are the greatest stomach and dyspepsia remedy known today.

Thousands of stomach sufferers all over this country, who have been relieved of all kinds of digestive diseases are the influences which have made these tablets sold by druggists in every city, town and village in this country. Go to your druggist today and obtain a box. Price, 50 cents.

REJECTS PLAN TO GIVE HELP TO UNEMPLOYED

Ontario Government Refuses to Investigate Conditions — Hanna Jeers at Idea.

Toronto, Feb. 24.—After a debate lasting until eleven o'clock tonight, Mr. Rowell's amendment to the address in reply to the speech from the throne calling for the appointment of a minister of labor and an investigation of the conditions of unemployment in Ontario was defeated by a vote of 58 to 19. Allan Studholme, the labor member from East Hamilton, voted with the opposition. There were a number of absentees on the Government side.

The adjournment of the debate was moved by Mr. W. Proudfoot (Centre Huron), who will move a further amendment on Wednesday regretting the failure of the Government to bring in any anti-treating legislation, and it is expected that a further amendment on tax reform will also be moved.

Hanna Pokes Fun at Suggestion. Hon. W. J. Hanna, containing the debate on the address in reply to the speech from the throne, stated that the opposition had not been able to find any cause of "regret" in his honor's speech, and had been forced into new fields to find argument for criticism. They had advocated a minister of health, and a minister of municipal affairs and now wanted a "minister of unemployment." (Laughter.)

Mr. Rowell's remarks, he said, had left the impression that conditions in Ontario were worse than actually was the case. With regard to social legislation he said that Ontario was not behind other countries. The workmen's compensation act would be a model for other countries. The public health act had been commended far and wide.

"I want to say this," Mr. Hanna went on. "I do not think the conditions of agriculture in Ontario have ever received greater assistance, greater encouragement, greater help from any government in this Province than they have in recent years and particularly are receiving today under the present minister of agriculture." (Applause.)

Sam Clarke Replies. Sam Clarke (Northumberland) prefaced a characteristic reply to Mr. Hanna with a salvo of congratulations to the provincial secretary on his speech, the member for North Lanark (Hon. R. P. Preston) on his elevation to cabinet rank, and Hon. L. B. Lucas on his succession as provincial treasurer.

He was not inclined to agree with Mr. Cameron's (North Grey) remarks that the Whitney Government had rid the Province of electoral corruption and went on to show that the "simon pure" protestations of Government members were not all warranted. At the sittings of the public accounts committee a year ago the Opposition probe had struck the edge of irregularities. "We just had the pick in the real thing, and they said 'so far shalt thou go and no further' and we had to stop."

Mr. Clarke, continuing, said the failure of any promise of anti-treating legislation emphasized the fact that the Government had more than an alliance with the liquor interests. The abolition of treating would reduce the consumption of liquor by 50 per cent, and if the three-fifth handicap was removed over \$5 per cent of the Province would be dry in five years.

Dodging the Issue. It was not sufficient, said Mr. Marshall (Monck) to point to the progress that had been made in prison reform and one could not help contrasting the condition of the few who were in prison with the same thousands of unemployed throughout the Province who were suffering on account of social conditions that were now existing. The Government had turned a deaf ear to the widespread demand for tax reform.

The hydro-electric development had so far only served to make life in the cities more attractive and had been no help to the farmer, while all the Government could report in the matter of radial railways during the past year was that information had been given to many municipalities.

The debate was concluded by Mr. J. W. Johnson (East Hastings) and Mr. Allan Studholme (East Hamilton).

PORT LAMBTON.—Mr. W. H. McDonald sold a large stack of hay to Mr. Angus Smith, of Algonac, and the ice bridge is so solid now that Mr. Smith's teams have been hauling very large loads across the river during the past week. The largest and heaviest combined weight (teams, sleigh and hay) weighed over 5 tons.

WALKERTON.—John Scanlan, of Brant township was married in the Roman Catholic Church yesterday to Miss Lynn, of Formosa.

LEGUIA AS PRESIDENT Has Arrived, From England, at New York, En Route to Lima. [Canadian Press.]

New York, Feb. 24.—Robert E. Leguia, first vice-president of Peru, arrived here today on the Carmania from England, en route to Lima, ostensibly to fill out the unexpired term of President Billinghurst, recently exiled by the junta.

A presidential election is to be held early in the summer.

SEVERE SENTENCE FOR SUFFRAGETTE Must Serve Eighteen Months at Hard Labor. [Special to The Advertiser.]

London, Feb. 24.—Phyllis Brady, a militant suffragette accused of arson, was sentenced to eighteen months' imprisonment at hard labor by a magistrate at the London Sessions today, despite the jury's recommendation of mercy on the ground that she had been led astray by older militants.

Miss Brady was arrested Jan. 17 last.

Here Is the Secret of Long Life

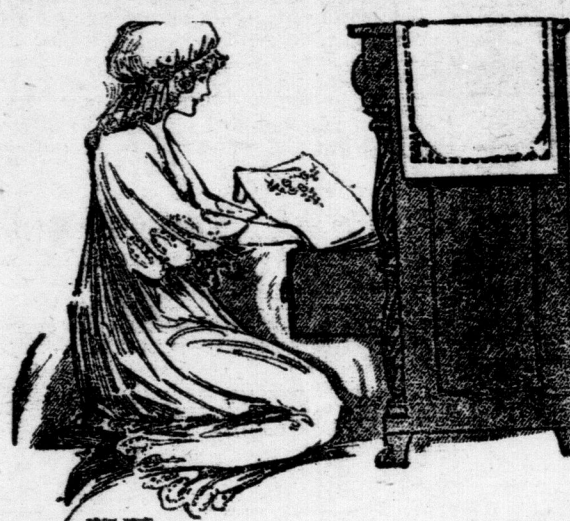
While looking forward to health and long life it is possible that you are unaware of the conditions necessary to attain healthful old age. Careful eating, and consequent preservation of the health and vitality of the digestive and excretory organs, is of the greatest importance.

Overeating is the usual cause of torpid, sluggish liver action, and when the liver fails additional work is thrown on the kidneys and they break down. Kidney disorders are the great source of suffering in old age. Rheumatism, bodily pains, aching arms and legs, backache and lumbago are the result.

By the use of Dr. Chase's Kidney-Liver Pills to regulate the liver, kidneys and bowels, as occasion requires, you not only overcome the suffering, inconvenience and unpleasantness of attacks of biliousness, indigestion and constipation, but you actually prolong your life by keeping these organs in good, healthful condition. The medicine is a wonderful source of comfort for people in old age.

Phone Forty-Four Hundred | SMALLMAN & INGRAM, Ltd | Store Closes at Six p.m.

Month-End Clearing of Fancy Linens Many Less Than Half Price Thursday Morning



in the lot, we will briefly list the quantities, sizes and prices. Come early for your choice.

Table Napkins Special \$3.50 dozen

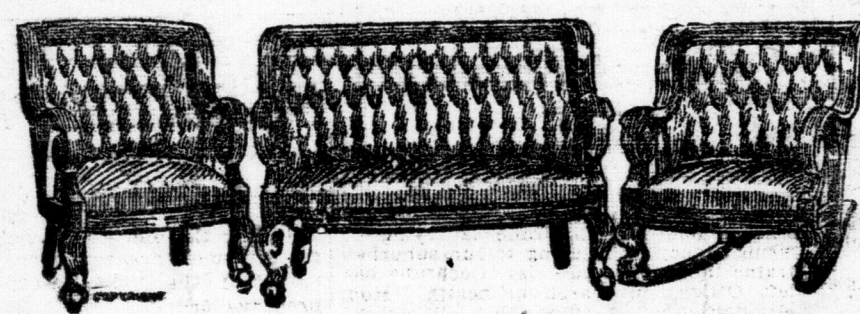
Extra value in Dinner Size Napkins. Large 24-inch, grass bleached, every thread pure linen, good weight for hard wear, in pretty fleur-de-lis design. Special, dozen.....\$3.50

Cream Irish Damask

Extra Good Firm Quality Pure Linen, made specially for our trade, will stand hard wear, 62-inch. Yard.....40¢

Beautiful, Silky Finish Double Faced Velours, Etc.

We are showing a most desirable range of these Drapery Fabrics, in all the wanted colors, which we find are particularly appreciated because of their fastness of color, even in the lighter tones, and also for their rich and luxurious appearance, and are always in good taste for the apartment, house or public institution. We will be pleased to advise you in securing an individual effect in your decoration arrangements, and our prices for materials as well as making up are very moderate.



Last Days of Furniture Sale

This week will end the February Sale. Many special final clearing lots will be offered Thursday, Friday and Saturday not advertised. Visit the Furniture Section. Make your selections. We will hold your Furniture if you wish until spring housecleaning is over. Big savings this week.

Third Floor.

REPPS—Plain and figured, yard.....60¢ to \$1.00
PRINTED LINENS—For side curtains, portieres, etc., at, yard.....75¢ to \$2.25
PRINTED CRETONNES—For same purpose, price, yard.....40¢ to \$1.50
GASPE CLOTHS—50-inch, handsome effects.....50¢ and \$1.25
PRINTED SERGES—Reversible, for portieres, side curtains, valances, etc., 50-inch, yard.....75¢
WOOL ART SERGES—In plain green and blue, 50-inch, yard.....60¢

Bordered Repp Portieres

All ready to hang. We carry a good variety of these effective hangings all ready to put up. Green, olive and brown, applied, with tapestry borders on one side and across bottom. These are very striking effects, in great variety of prices. Pair.....\$6.50, \$7.00, \$7.50, \$8.00, \$8.50, \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00
Draperies—Fourth Floor.

GET THE BIG BAR Pure French Castile Soap, full weight, 22c bar, at Toilet Counter.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

GRIDDLE CAKES With Maple Syrup and cup of Tea or Coffee, 3 to 5:30, 15c.

on the charge of being one of the suffragettes who set fire to the residence of Lady White, widow of Field Marshall George White, in Surrey, on March 29, 1913. She is 24 years old and graduated at Cambridge University with honors in mathematics and economics.

BECKER CONVICTION REVERSED ON APPEAL [Canadian Press.]

Albany, N. Y., Feb. 24.—The conviction of Charles Becker, a former New York police lieutenant, of the murder of Herman Rosenthal, the gambler, was reversed and the convictions of the four gunmen for the same crime was affirmed today by the Court of Appeals.

Justice Goff, the court held, had erred in many of his rulings at Becker's trial and appeared to be prejudicial in his attitude toward the defendant.

The reversal was based solely on these grounds.

CREW SAVED AT SEA. London, Feb. 24.—The crew of the British steamer County of Devon, from Norfolk February 14th, for Rotterdam, were saved at sea on February 20th by the German tank steamer Deutschland, bound from Philadelphia for Copenhagen. This information was conveyed in a wireless dispatch received from the Deutschland today.

JUST ESCAPES WRECK. Brookville, Feb. 24.—The Grand Trunk Limited, coming east yesterday narrowly escaped a serious wreck at Lansdowne when the combination baggage and second-class passenger coach jumped the track. The engineer discovered the mishap and by application of the emergency

HOW TO PREVENT ACID STOMACHS AND FOOD FERMENTATION

By a Stomach Specialist.

As a specialist who has spent many years in the study and treatment of stomach troubles, I have been forced to the conclusion that most people who complain of stomach trouble possess stomachs that are absolutely healthy and normal. The real trouble, that which causes all the pain and difficulty, is acid in the stomach, usually due to, or aggravated by, food fermentation. Acid irritates the delicate lining of the stomach, and food fermentation causes wind which distends the stomach abnormally, causing that full, bloated feeling. Thus both acid and fermentation interfere with and retard the process of digestion. The stomach is usually healthy and normal, but irritated almost past endurance by these foreign elements—acid and wind. In all such cases—and they comprise over 90 per cent of all stomach difficulties—the first and only step necessary is to neutralize the acid and stop the fermentation by taking in a little warm or cold water immediately after eating, from one to two teaspoonfuls of bisulphate of soda, which is doubtless the best and only really effective antacid and food corrective known. The acid will be neutralized and the fermentation stopped almost instantly, and your stomach will at once proceed to digest the food in a healthy, normal manner. Be sure to ask your chemist for the bisulphate of soda, as I have found other forms utterly lacking in its peculiarly valuable properties.—F. J. G.—Adv.

GET OUR PRICES FOR Tin, Lead, Zinc, Babbitt, Solder, Sheet Lead, Lead Pipe The Canada Metal Co., Limited FACTORIES: Toronto, Montreal, Winnipeg.

THE HOME BANK OF CANADA

A deposit of one dollar is sufficient to open a savings account with the Home Bank. There are many hundreds of prosperous savings accounts in the Home Bank that started from an original deposit of one dollar. Full compound interest allowed.

Head Office and Branches in Toronto JAMES MASON General Manager Branches and Connections Throughout Canada. LONDON OFFICE 394 RICHMOND ST. W. J. HILL, Manager. DELAWARE, ILDERTON, KOMOKA, LAWRENCE STATION, MELBOURNE, THORNDALE.

brakes brought the train quickly to a standstill. After detaching the derailed coach the train came through without further incident.

TO PROBE MONTREAL'S WATER. Montreal, Feb. 24.—The board of control's long delayed probe into the civic water situation will commence tomorrow. Engineers Jamieson, Lee and Hecker have put in their revised report, but the document will be considered in private. The probe will be held upon exactly the same footing as if some minor official was being called on the carpet to answer for some trivial breach of discipline.

Make-Man Tablets

MEAN PURE BLOOD. 50c each; 6 for \$2.50. Geo. A. McLachlan 390 RICHMOND STREET.

Prominent Figures at Big I. O. O. F. Gathering



Donald E. Leslie,
Noble Grand of
Sarnia Lodge 126



D. D. G. M. Williams,
Grand Master of
St. Clair District.



W. J. Batten, Who
Is Secretary of
Sarnia Lodge 126

THE HOLLOW OF
HER HAND

By GEORGE BARR McCUTCHEON
Author of "Graustark," "Truxton King," Etc.

CHAPTER XII.

The Approach of a Man Named Smith. Mr. Redmond Wrangell, gray and gaunt and somewhat wild, rode slowly through the leafy lane, attended some little distance behind by Griggs the groom, who slumped in the saddle and thought only of the sylvan dell to curse it with poetic licence. Ever since Mr. Wrangell had been thrown by his horse in the park a few years before, his wife had insisted on having a groom handy in case he lost his seat again, hence Griggs. It sometimes got on Mr. Wrangell's nerves, having Griggs loiter along like that, but there didn't seem to be any way out of it, nor was there the remotest likelihood that the groom himself might one day be spilled and broken in many places while engaged in this obnoxious espionage. Mr. Wrangell was gray because he was old, he was gaunt because he was old, and he usually was somewhat wild for the same reason. He nourished the lament that he had grown old before his time, despite the sixty odd years that lay behind him. He was always a trifle annoyed with himself for not having demanded more of his youth, and one whom he was a physical insult, anyway you looked at him; his very presence in the road behind was a blatant, house-top sort of provocation that he, Redmond Wrangell, was in his dotage, and that was something Mr. Wrangell would never have admitted if he had had anything to say about it. Today he was riding over to Southlook to visit his daughter-in-law and one whom he looked upon as a prospective daughter-in-law. It was Wednesday, and the family had been in the country since Monday. His wife and son had motored over on Tuesday. They were letting no grass grow under their feet, notwithstanding a sudden and angry quarrel, and he had departed without proposing to Miss Castleton, an oversight which deprived his mother of at least two weeks of activity along obvious lines. Naturally, it was quite impossible to discuss the future with Miss Castleton under the circumstances, and it was equally out of the question to discuss it with security in the very constricted circle that Mrs. Wrangell affected in the country. It really was too bad of Leslie! He should have known better.

Half way to Southlook, Mr. Wrangell, turning a bend in the road, caught sight of two people walking some distance ahead, a man and a woman. He pulled his horse down to a walk, a circumstance that for the moment escaped

NERVOUS TROUBLES
ON THE INCREASE

They Are Due to an Impoverished Condition of the Blood.

Nervous exhaustion—or neurasthenia, as medical men call it—is one of the greatest evils of the present day, for it is decreasing the life and energy of thousands of men and women, or worse, driving them to insanity. The causes of this trouble include overwork, mental strain, worry, indiscretions, and sometimes it follows a grippé. The signs of this trouble are usually great weakness after any exertion, nervous headaches, trembling hands, shakiness in the legs, irritability of temper, weak digestive power, insomnia. The life of the sufferer becomes full of miseries. The true treatment for this trouble must consist of a building-up process, for the above signs mean that the exhausted nerves are calling for more nourishment from the blood supply. Dr. Williams' Pink Pills make new, rich blood that feeds the starved complaining nerves, and in this way they have cured thousands of times neurasthenia, neuralgia and other nervous disorders, and have restored strength and nerve-energy to despairing people. Mrs. Isaac Wilson, Calabogie, Ont., gives thanks for having been restored to health through the use of this medicine. She says: "When I began using Dr. Williams' Pink Pills I was a nervous wreck; I couldn't do any work, could not sleep at night, suffered from nervous headaches, and the least noise would completely upset me. Only those who have suffered from nervous trouble can tell what I endured. I doctored for time, but did not get any benefit. Then I learned of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and sent for a half-dozen boxes. By the time I had used these I was almost well, and a couple more boxes completely restored my health, and I have had no return of the trouble. I can cheerfully recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to those who suffered from any form of nervous trouble."

If you are weak, nervous or out of health begin to cure yourself today with Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. You can get them from any medicine dealer or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

SUFFERERS
FROM PILESZAM-BUK HAS CURED
THESE!

Friction on the hemorrhoid veins that are swollen, inflamed and gorged with blood, is what causes the terrible pain and stinging and smarting piles. Zam-Buk applied at night will be found to give ease before morning. Thousands of persons have proved this. Why not be guided by the experience of others?

Mr. Thomas Pearson, of Prince Albert, Sask., writes: "I must thank you for the benefit I have received from Zam-Buk. Last summer I suffered greatly from piles. I started to use Zam-Buk and found it gave me relief. I continued it and after using three or four boxes I am pleased to say it has effected a complete cure."

Mr. G. A. Dufresne, 183-185 St. Joseph street, St. Roch, Quebec, P. Q., writes: "I can highly recommend Zam-Buk to everyone who suffers from piles."

Magistrate Sanford, of Weston, King's County, N. S., says: "I suffered long from itching piles, but Zam-Buk has now cured me."

Mr. William Kenty, of Upper Nine Mile River, Hants County, N. S., says: "I suffered terribly from piles, the pain being almost unbearable. I tried various ointments, but everything I tried failed to do me the slightest good. I was tired of trying various remedies, when I heard of Zam-Buk. I tried this balm a trial. After a very short time Zam-Buk effected a complete cure."

Zam-Buk is also a sure cure for skin injuries and diseases, eczema, ulcers, varicose veins, cuts, burns, bruises, chaps, cold sores, etc. Fifty cents a box from all druggists and stores, or sent free from Zam-Buk, Inc., Toronto, for price. Refuse harmful imitations.

ILL ONLY TWO MINUTES
AYLMER RESIDENT DIES

John F. Mitchell Seized With
Acute Indigestion—Born
in Sparta.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Aylmer, Feb. 25.—Acute indigestion caused the very sudden death this morning of John F. Mitchell. He was one of the most successful business men in the town, and his death was a great loss to the community.

[To be Continued.]

ST. JOHN AND HALIFAX
TO GET THEIR TRAINS

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Feb. 24.—Can the Government run suburban trains or carry out its pledges? Those were the questions which the opposition asked the Government to-day. Mr. A. K. MacLean asked for the restoration of suburban trains to Halifax.

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BIG DEMAND FOR CATTLE
BUT ANIMALS ARE SCARCE

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Blair, Feb. 24.—A very successful auction sale was held at Denfield when Mr. James Stanley disposed of 30 head of milk and farrow cows for Messrs. Sangster and Williams.

The cattle, which were brought from Ingersoll, were a choice lot of animals displaying good breeding qualities and the best of dairy points. The proceeds of the sale exceeded \$1,900. The average price paid being about \$60.

Although this price is considered high it is not by any means the limit. Recently at a sale held in Lucan the average was seventy-five dollars per head, and this price is likely to be higher, as the supply is not as good as the demand.

Many farmers who were forced to thin their herds on account of scarcity of feed will have to stock upon again in the spring, which is significant that prices will be considerably fluctuated when the grass comes.

Hangman Seeks
Job While Trial
Is in Progress

Wites to a Quebec Sheriff to
Know If His Services
Are Needed.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ste. Scholastique, Que., Feb. 24.—Sheriff Prevost received a letter today from Hangman Arthur Ellis, at present in Vancouver, inquiring whether his services might be needed here.

The letter follows: "If your court has returned a verdict of guilty in the recent murder trial held in your district, will you kindly write Sheriff Lemeux at Montreal. He will then give you my address. Should you require my services please let me know at your earliest convenience."

The letter had reference to the McGibbon murder trial now in progress. Melville McGibbon was one of the stand all day testifying in defence of his brother, accused of the murder of their cousin, on August 21 last.

FAMINE STALKS ABROAD
IN NORTHEAST JAPAN

Many People Without Food, Money or
Means of Making a Living.

[Canadian Press.]
Washington, Feb. 24.—The State Department has received an appeal from the Famine Relief Society, composed of religious workers at Hachinohe, Aomori-Ken, Japan, asking that publicity be given to the critical condition existing in northeastern Japan.

"This year's unseasonable weather," said the society's appeal made public today, "because of the failure of the rice crop and as a result many people are without food, money and the means of making a living."

The Red Cross has already sent \$10,000 to famine and earthquake sufferers in Japan to be expended through a special Japanese committee organized to carry on relief work among the victims of both calamities.

ADOPTS TUNGSTEN LAMPS

Windsor Council Selects That Make for
Greater Efficiency.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Windsor, Feb. 25.—The Windsor council last night received a report from the Ontario Hydro Commission upon an investigation of the merits of tungsten lamps, which resulted in the council adopting that sort of lamps for the city streets. The saving will be \$75 per year per lamp. Also the machinery required for their distribution will be less expensive.

NOT GUILTY OF MURDER

Young Italian Girl Justified by Jury for
Shooting Husband.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Marie Masio, aged 18, who in one year was graduated from a grammar school, married, became a mother, killed her husband, and was imprisoned on a murder indictment, was acquitted in ten minutes last night by a jury in Long Island City.

Immediately after leaving school Mrs. Masio was married to Tony Masio, 22 years old. After the baby's birth Masio, it was testified, sought to drive her to the streets, that he might receive her earnings. She refused to go, and when she was in bed with her baby, he beat her with a broom handle, she testified. Reaching under his pillow she obtained his revolver, secreted it in the folds of her nightgown, and with her baby started to leave the room. When Masio intercepted her, she shot him, and he died the next day, she told the jury, which acquitted her in ten minutes.

BRITISH NEWCOMERS FEWER

Effect of Lloyd George's Bill Is to
Keep Farm Laborer on the Soil.

[Canadian Press.]
Montreal, Feb. 24.—Inquiries in shipping circles here reveal the fact that the effect of Lloyd George's land bill is to keep the agricultural laborer on the soil in Great Britain, and this is militating against emigration.

"The effect of Lloyd George's land bill is to keep the agricultural laborer on the soil in Great Britain, and this is militating against emigration," said one official this morning. "In the industrial world in Europe business is better than it has been, so that the attraction of Canada is not so strong as formerly. There will probably be a big drop in the number of newcomers into Canada."

CAPT MCINTYRE CENSURED

Toronto, Feb. 24.—Captain Robert McIntyre, of the steamer Acadia, of the Canadian Interlake Line, Limited, Toronto, was censured by the board of inquiry on Feb. 24, for neglecting his duty on Nov. 9 last, while en route from Cleveland to last.

Port Arthur with a cargo of general merchandise, is censured by Commander Henry St. George Lindsay, Dominion wreck commissioner, for his error and neglect in assuming that he was within three miles of Thunder Bay without verifying his position. On account of the captain's subsequent conduct respecting the salvaging and refloating of his vessel his certificate is restored to him.

DIED AT AYLMEY.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Aylmer, Feb. 25.—Seodoc Gordon, 71-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leaman Hawley, of Malahide, died on Tuesday after one day's illness. The funeral will be held on Thursday. Service will be conducted at St. John's Church, and interment will be made in Luton Cemetery.

FOREST.—A: the regular meeting of the council of the Forest and Range Association, held at the Hotel Mcintosh and R. Bailey were named as delegates to attend the hydro gathering in London on March 4.

Just Take a Glass of
Abbey's
Effervescent Salt
25¢ and 60¢
At All Druggists and Stores
Take ABBEY'S VITA TABLETS

IF CONSTIPATED OR
BILIOUS "CASCARETS"

For Sick Headache, Sour Stomach, Sluggish Liver and Bowels.

Get a 10-cent box.

Take a Cascaret tonight to cleanse your Liver, Stomach and Bowels, and you will surely feel great by morning. You men and women who have headache, coated tongue, can't sleep, are bilious, nervous, upset, bothered with sick, gassy, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out, are you keeping your bowels clean with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passage every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil?

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour, undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the constipated waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels.

Remember, a Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning. A 10-cent box from your druggist means healthy bowels, clear head and cheerfulness for months. Don't forget the children.

HEAD STUFFED? GOT
A COLD? TRY PAPE'S

"Pape's Cold Compound" Ends
Colds and Grippe in a
Few Hours.

Take "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until you have taken three doses, then all grippé misery goes and your cold will be broken. It promptly opens your clogged-up nose, soothes the inflamed lining of the head; stops nasty discharge or nose-running; relieves the headache, dullness, feverishness, sore throat, sneezing, soreness and stiffness.

Don't stay stuffed up! Quit blowing and snuffing! Ease your throbbing head—nothing else in the world gives such prompt relief as Pape's Cold Compound, which costs only 25 cents at any drug store. It acts without assistance, tastes nice and causes no inconvenience. Accept no substitute.

Reading.

RETURNED TRUE BILLS

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Chatham, Feb. 24.—True bills were returned today against Currie and Smith, charged with murder and robbery. Currie and Smith will be tried tomorrow at the close of the civil case of Coyle vs. G. T. R. This is a suit of damages claimed on account of the accident to the Eastern flyer on Sept. 26, 1912. The evidence for the plaintiff was about half in at 6 tonight when court adjourned.

DRY IRRITATING HACK OF BRONCHITIS,
INSTANTLY RELIEVED BY "CATARRHOZONE"

No Failure, Cure in Every Case
Treated By Catarrhozone.

Catarrhozone can't fail to cure Bronchitis; it's so healing, soothing and balsamic that every trace of the disease flies before it. When you inhale the pure piney vapor of Catarrhozone, you send healing medication to the spots that are diseased and sore.

Isn't it rational to apply medicine where the disease exists? Certainly, and that's why Catarrhozone is so successful; it goes where the trouble really is, gets where a spray or ointment can't penetrate. For the relief and complete cure of bronchitis, asthma, catarrh, throat trouble, we guarantee Catarrhozone in every case. You don't take medicine—you don't where.

SOAP ON HAIR CAUSES DANDRUFF,
SCALP GETS DRY, HAIR FALLS OUT

Girls! Get a 25-Cent Bottle
and Try a "Danderine
Hair Cleanse."

After washing your hair with soap always apply a little Danderine to the scalp to invigorate the hair and prevent dryness. Better still, use soap as sparingly as possible, and instead have a "Danderine Hair Cleanse." Just moisten a cloth with Danderine and draw it carefully through your hair, taking one strand at a time. This will remove dirt and excessive oil. In a few moments your hair will be amazed. Your hair

will not only be clean, but it will be wavy, fluffy and abundant, and possess an incomparable softness and lustre. Besides cleansing and beautifying the hair, one application of Danderine dissolves every particle of dandruff; stimulates the scalp, stopping itching and falling hair. Danderine is to the hair what fresh showers and sunshine are to vegetation. It goes right to the roots, invigorates and strengthens them. Its exhilarating and life-giving properties cause the hair to grow long, strong and beautiful.

Men! Ladies! You can surely have lots of charming hair. Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter and try it.

**Child Had
Bronchitis**

Once people get acquainted with the wonderful control which Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine exerts over bronchitis, whooping cough, croup and colds it is not easy to persuade them that anything else is "just as good." This is why the imitators never get very far.

In 1902 Mrs. Eugene Her, King street, Truro, N. S., wrote as follows: "From an infant one of my children was troubled with bronchitis, and the least cold would aggravate the trouble. We could not get anything to help him, and were often greatly alarmed. Hearing of Dr. Chase's Syrup of Linseed and Turpentine as a treatment for bronchitis, we used it, and are glad to state that it effected a complete cure. If any of the children take a cold or cough I give this medicine, and have never known it to fail to bring relief."

Mrs. Her now writes that she has since proven this medicine to be a cure for whooping cough, and would not be without it in the house.

**AFTER MEASLES
Whooping-Cough
or Scarlet Fever**

is a critical period—weakened throats, delicate bronchial tubes and unsteady lungs often follow; sometimes impaired sight or hearing.

But if SCOTT'S EMULSION is taken promptly and regularly after the fever subsides it quickly restores pure blood and strengthens the lungs. Its nourishing force restores appetite, strength and energy.

SCOTT'S EMULSION contains just the elements nature requires to restore sound health; it is totally free from alcohol or harmful drugs. Children relish it.

Every Reader Will Find
Cynthia Grey's Column
An Interesting Miscellany

FOR THE WOMAN OF TODAY

Follow the Horoscope.
Daily Pattern Service.
Women at Work and Play.

179 DUNDAS STREET.

PHONE 1274

THE SATISFACTORY
STORE

Thomson's

Ladies' and Children's
Ready-to-Wear Store

**February Clearing Sale
Still in Progress**

Spring Suits Spring Coats Spring Skirts
First Shipment Open for Your Inspection.

We are putting forth every effort to make the last week in February a record-breaking SALE WEEK of all winter goods. Odds and ends in all departments. Big Dollar Bargains. Big Fifty-Cent Bargains, and Many Special Bargains. Something new every day.

Ladies' 75c English Cape
Gloves, spring weight, to be
sold this week for... 50c pair
Infants' \$1.50 and \$1.75 Bear
Cloth Perambulator Covers, with
pockets, cleared this week
at... \$1.15
See our Spring Suits at \$11.50,
in navy, black and brown.

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Created by a New York designer, for a
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suit of serge green moire, the bolero is
after a late Parisian idea, while the style
of the tunic and front drapery, which
gives the full line about the hips and the
narrowing about the feet, is ultra fashion-
able.

**Songs We Used to
Whistle and Sing**

Copies of "There's a Package of Old
Letters" have been kindly sent by "A
Seafarer," "Lambeth," "A Reader,"
and "C. A. D." who says: "I think it
is lovely of you to print those old songs.
I feel sure that one and all enjoy seeing
them in print once more, and I hope
others are doing as I am, cutting them
out and saving them."

PACKAGE OF OLD LETTERS.

1. In a little rosewood casket
That is resting on the stand,
There's a package of old letters
Written by a cherished hand;
Will you go and bring them, sister,
And read them all tonight?
I have often tried and could not,
For the tears would blind my sight.

2. Come up closer to me, sister;
Let me lean upon thy breast;
For the tide of life is ebbing,
And I fear would be at rest.
Bring the letters he has written,
He who's voice I often heard;
Read them over, love, distinctly,
For I've cherished every word.

3. Tell him, sister, when you see him,
That I never ceased to love,
That I, dying, prayed to meet him
In the better world above.
Tell him that I was supported,
When he was laid to rest;
But his silence and his absence
This poor heart hath well nigh broke.

4. Tell him that I watched his coming,
When the noontide sun was high;
And when at eve the angels
Set their starlight in the sky.
But when I saw he came not,
Tell him that I did not chide;
But I spoke in love about him,
And I blessed him when I died.

5. And when in Death's white garments,
You have wrapped my form around;
And have laid me down to slumber,
In the quiet churchyard ground;
Place the letters and the picture
Close beside my pillow;
For years have been together,
And in death we will not part.

6. I am ready now, my sister,
You may read my letters o'er;
I will listen to the words of
Him whom I shall see no more.
Fall asleep in death—and wake not,
Should I calmly fall asleep—
And e'er you shall have finished,
Dearest sister, do not weep.

WINTER SALVES.
For the chapped lips that winter is
sometimes responsible for, an excellent
remedy is a cream having mutton tallow
as the basis. Mix enough to make two
tablespoonfuls, strain through cheese-
cloth, and add a teaspoonful of sweet
almond oil and a pinch of powdered
camphor. Beat up together till nearly
cold, and put into a pot for use.
A good cream has four ounces of mutton
tallow, strained, with four ounces of
almond oil, one teaspoonful of spirits of
camphor, ten drops of carbolic acid,
one ounce of peroxide of hydrogen, and,
if liked, a few drops of perfume. The
daily use of this tends to whiten and
soften the skin.

WIVES OF MRS. NEWLYWED



2.—I buy twice as many cushions
as you do," pouted Mrs. Newlywed.
"My dear, you should boil them for one
half hour, and it would insure them
against weather conditions, as well as
keep them from sagging," Mrs. Newlywed
replied.



DRESS FABRICS

THIS WEEK Should Start an Avalanche of Dressmaking Among the Women of London

Now is the time when you should be busy on
clothes for spring, now when you have to be
indoors, rather than later on when it will be
bright and sunshiny outside. Clothes for yourself
and for the children—they should be begun now.

Now is the best time to pick your materials. Our
dress goods department on the second floor, where
stocks are now complete and where everything in
dress materials that is new and up-to-date may be

found, is the ideal spot to plan your spring wardrobe. And remember
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Countrywomen Dreams of Floral Joys to Come—Writes "Nomad," a Bit of Appreciation

Dear Nomad,—Your kindness to the
poor colleen has brought her back
round your ears again. But this time
it is in a spirit of appreciation, for I
want to add my humble voice to those
praising the "Old Song" column of the
page.

Appreciates Old Songs.
I have seen lots of "old favorites"
conducted by different newspapers, but
none that some way seemed to reach
home and touch the heart-strings like
yours. I think this is so because so
many "mother's songs" are asked for.
One in particular I watched for, and
when at last it was printed, I had a
day of pleasure and pain mingled, for
the words came back on the notes of
the dear voice that has been stilled on
earth so many years, and she seemed
so dear and so near, that I know that
time does not sever, nor cause us to
forget. The mystery of our loved dead!
Do they see our faithful tears? and the
baptisms they never dreamed of,
who bear their features? Six inches could
only have lived till I became a mother,
then I could have realized what she
was to me, and paid back a little for
her years of love labor for me. I am
not crying because I want her to come
back—but just because I want her.

Imaginary Flowers.
Dear Nomad, I haven't an idea in
my head, so you don't need to publish
this, for I don't think it would help
out anybody, country or town. But I
wanted just to ask you: Do you ever
make flower beds in the winter? I can
sit with my feet on the register and
make my front yard blossom and bloom
like the rose, and the winter outside,
blowing like a young cyclone at the
same time. All I need is a seed cata-
logue, and I have flowers the like of
which are never seen round this Irish-
man's shanty. On the sunny side, where
my wee bulb bed lies hidden under
one inch of snow, I have golden
manure, I can see "a host of golden
daffodils," not to be compared, of
course, to the thousands that glad-
dened my eyes the last time I took a
short-cut through Victoria Park, but
then, they are my own. Later on all
sorts of roses bloom along the fence—
to be sure, they haven't done any
blossoming to speak of yet, and such as
did struggle out, were soon hidden
from sight by reason of the rose-bugs
seated on them—but my hopes are
bright—in February. By the way, is
there anything that will discourage

THE HOROSCOPE

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 25, 1914.

Eclipse of the Moon.
Brings Troubles Soon.

The new moon of this date is a solar
eclipse, which is visible over the South
Pacific. As it falls near the cusp of the
fourth house it is read as presaging ero-
sions to the seacoasts, high tides, and
floods. Many deaths from drowning are
indicated.

Reforms in railways and postoffices
are foretold, while agriculture will
flourish.

An unusually wet spring is prophesied.
Storms that cause damage to farming
lands are likely.

Accidents in places of amusement are
said to be indicated by the stars.

The culmination of Saturn will affect
the President of the United States, who
will be criticized for certain extraordi-
nary trade conditions.

For this day the planets are variable.
While Jupiter, Venus and Uranus are in
benefic aspect, Neptune and Saturn are
evil disposed.

The signs are favorable for selling.
This applies to brokers and speculators
as well as to merchants. Real estate
dealers, however, should be cautious, as
Saturn is forbidding.

Women should benefit by this configura-
tion, which is favorable for romance and
marriage, but danger of deception is not
to be overlooked, even though Uranus is
friendly.

Actors, painters and musicians prob-
ably will have good luck, while the stars
are posited as they are during this
figure.

Conditions are most encouraging for all
social entertainments. Theatres and
music halls should enjoy large patron-
age under this astral sway.

Dancing is subject to a sway, which
presages an increase in the vogue, but
an improvement in the character of the
dances.

Nurses are said to be especially fa-
vored by the stars today. They should
find lucrative employment or gain money
under this configuration.

Persons whose birthdate it is may have
many ups and downs in the next year.
They should not run any risks in busi-
ness. Women have an encouraging omen
for domestic affairs. The young will have
love affairs. The anniversary is especial-
ly lucky for surgeons, and all persons en-
gaged in electrical, chemical and me-
chanical vocations.

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ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTSLARGE GATHERING OF FANS
DISCUSS NEW HOCKEY CLUB

About Thirty Local Enthusiasts Gather at Y.M.C.A. To Talk Over Reorganization of Club To Oppose Present Hockey Management.

About thirty local hockey enthusiasts gathered at the Y. M. C. A. last evening to discuss the proposed reorganization of the London Hockey Club. The meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. hall, and was attended by a large number of local hockey fans. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the proposed reorganization of the club, which has been proposed by the present management. The meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. hall, and was attended by a large number of local hockey fans. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the proposed reorganization of the club, which has been proposed by the present management.

Prospect for New Club Bright. The meeting opened with Mr. Gatehouse in the chair, and he outlined the purpose of the gathering. The management of the present club has been criticized for its failure to secure a team to play in the London Hockey League. The meeting was held in the Y. M. C. A. hall, and was attended by a large number of local hockey fans. The purpose of the meeting was to discuss the proposed reorganization of the club, which has been proposed by the present management.

Some Advised Less Haste. Among those present at the meeting were several who thought the move to form another club here and oppose the present organization was a little hasty, and that some arrangement could be made with the present management whereby a bigger and better club could be organized to include members of the London Hockey Club.

University Wants It. The Western University was largely represented, and Dr. Wilson suggested to the meeting that the team be run under the university name and that members of the university faculty and student body be placed on its board of executive. The university was seriously considering the question of putting in an O. H. A. team next season, and it had

already applied to the Ontario Hockey Association for membership. Mr. Gatehouse read out a list of officers who had been elected, and in order to put a motion that they be elected, resigned the chair in favor of Bert Perry. George Little was elected secretary pro-tem, and the motion was made. Dr. Wilson moved an amendment to the effect that the election of officers be left over until it was decided whether to run the club under the university's name.

Committee Appointed. This latter amendment was voted on and carried. A committee composed of Dr. Stephens, W. Hadden and A. Gatehouse was elected to interview the present O. H. A. management with a view to arranging an amalgamation with them. Mr. Gatehouse stated that he knew positively that two members of the present London Hockey Club were going to withdraw, and he believed the other members could be approached with a view to joining the new club. "If they don't care to join," he said, "we don't need to bother with them, for we can force them out of local hockey."

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IN MEMORIAM

THE CUBS OF 1908.

Reulbach—Now with Brooklyn.
Brown—Now managing St. Louis Federals.
Overall—At home in California.
Priester—Retired.
Lundgren—Retired.
Moran—Coaching the Philadelphia Nationals.
Chance—Managing the New York Highlanders.
Evers—Traded to Boston.
Steinfeldt—Retired.
Tinker—Managing Chicago Federals.
Sheppard—Cleveland American Association manager.
Slagle—Retired.
Hofman—St. Louis Nationals or St. Louis Federals.
Schulte—The last of the Mohl-Cubs.

Head of New
Baseball League

JAMES A. GILMORE, president of the Federal League, who has offered Christy Mathewson his own terms to manage the Brooklyn Federal League club.

FEDS. WIRE "BIG SIX"
OWN TERMS TO SIGN

Want Mathewson to Manage Brooklyn Federal Leaguers.

NO REPLY RECEIVED YET

"Matty" Is Said To Be on His Way to Join Giants' Recruits at Marlin.

New York, Feb. 24.—The Federal League has made Christy Mathewson, star pitcher of the New York Nationals, a proposition to manage the Brooklyn Federal League at his own terms. President Gilmore has wired Mathewson as follows: "Will you manage the Brooklyn Federal League? You may name your own terms."

No Still Says Gilmore. "This is no still," said Gilmore today. "We want a big man to manage Brooklyn, and have failed to get Stahl. We honestly want Mathewson if there is any possibility to get him, and he can play with Brooklyn at his own terms. He is not yet signed up with the Giants, and we will gladly give him twice as much as he received from the Giants last season."

No Reply Yet. Gilmore has not yet received an answer from Mathewson. According to the New York Club management Mathewson is on his way from Los Angeles to Marlin, Secretary Foster of the Giants said Mathewson had not yet signed a contract, but that he was waiting to get out of the new form of contract, and was willing to sign as soon as a few slight details were straightened out.

FINALS IN CHURCH LEAGUES
A WEEK FROM FRIDAY

Two or Three Groups Still Remain To Be Decided—Games For Balance of Season Arranged.

The final scheduled games in the Church League have been arranged by Secretary Lyons, who announced this morning that the final games of the league will meet in the first game at the Simcoe rink Thursday night; Wellington and Adelaide Street Juniors will meet in the second game, and Colborne and King Street Juniors will meet in the final game of the evening.

On Friday night, St. Georges and Dundas Centre Seniors will play the first game; St. James and Askin Street Seniors will meet in the second, and St. James and Askin Street Juniors in the third game. The last two games are play-offs to settle ties in the respective groups.

The Church League finals will be played off a week from Friday night.

WILL OFFER \$1,000,000
FOR THE CHICAGO CLUB

New Syndicate Purposes Making Frank McNichols President.

[Canadian Press.] Chicago, Feb. 25.—A new syndicate of prospective buyers of the Chicago National League Club, the fourth to enter the bidding, has been announced. The syndicate was formed by a group of directors scheduled for Harrisburg tonight, was called off by President Tener, after it was learned that Barney Dreyfus and Harry Ackeland, representing the Chicago club, were the only ones that could attend.

The governor then decided to call a meeting of the National League to be held in this city on March 6, when the famous Evers-Sweeney-Perdue trade will be settled.

"THE SCENE HAS CHANGED"

No Longer Is "Von Egg" Ruling Monarch of the Quick Lunch.

Ever notice it? The trend of the times and the change in the diet of those who frequent the quick lunch counters in London, are synonymous. What was popular a scant year ago in the "cats" line, has passed quickly into oblivion. The "ragu" dishes of that antiquated age are, figuratively speaking, on the shelf.

To illustrate: There was once a brand of "cats" half so popular as the "von egg" of Grecian fame. Gazing down the line of hungry Londoners perched jauntily before the counters at the numerous cafés, one could see a score of "von egg" on bread, before as many men, was an accustomed sight. More, it was a standardized procedure. To enter a restaurant without ordering the hen product and bread, was to betray the fact that the meal-seeker was a novice at the game. No person, once initiated into the mysteries of quick lunch eating, would dream otherwise.

But there came a change. Gradually among the nicely arranged, carefully labelled traditions, something "bust." For a time all was chaos. Then slowly out of the labyrinthine complexities of miscellaneous menu dainties, another leader appeared. Gradually it asserted itself. It was the beef and start something. It was the beef sandwich.

For three full months it held blisful, undisputed sway. At times there were indications of a tyrant rising to wrest the title of king of the counter from the once usurper. But the "beef and start" was found a place in the hearts—or rather the palates, of quick lunch patrons. But the limited monarchy was again to be overthrown. Another aspirant for honors burst like a meteor on the horizon of the dinner world. This was a combination of the others. It was egg, beef and other things rolled into one—then baked to give stability.

Reference is here made to the meat pie which has usurped the place of all other favorites. Just how long it will hold sway is an unknown quantity. That another will rise from oblivion and trample the monarch to the list of "don't care" is almost assured. Meanwhile, to be up to the minute and in the swim, the meat pie is the only thing for the down-town, noonday, repast.

JACK BRITTON WON
FROM FRANKIE MADDEN

New York, Feb. 24.—Jack Britton, of Chicago, easily defeated Frankie Madden, of New York, in a ten-round bout here tonight. Britton weighed 137 pounds; Madden, 139.

INTER-LEAGUE WAIVER
RULE GOES INTO FORCE

Cincinnati, Feb. 24.—The National Baseball Commission today officially promulgated the inter-league waiver rule that was made an application of the Players' Fraternity at the commission's recent meeting in New York.

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Canadian League Season Opens
Here May 7 With Toronto Team

Schedule Meeting Arranges Open Dates—
Sunday Games at Ottawa and Erie—
Schedule To Be Drawn Up Shortly.

Toronto, Feb. 25.—The Canadian League Club representatives met yesterday afternoon at the Prince George Hotel to discuss the schedule and make suggestions in regard to it for the guidance of President Fitzgerald, who will start immediately to prepare it.

These representatives were present: Peterboro—E. T. Denham. Erie—George O'Neill. Toronto—Percy Kerwin. Hamilton—M. R. Robinson. Brantford—T. Nelson and R. Brown. London—S. Stevely. St. Thomas—C. O. Stanley.

The season will open on Thursday, May 7th, and close on Labor Day, September 7th, during which time 112 games will be played. The season is one week longer than last year. Sunday games will be played at Ottawa and Erie. Toronto will open at London, Ottawa at St. Thomas, Hamilton at Brantford,

Peterboro at Erie. London will train at Marietta, Ohio; St. Thomas at Charlotte, Mich.; Peterboro at Youngstown, Ohio; Erie, Hamilton and Toronto at home, and Brantford at Mount Clemens, Mich.

Manager "Doc" Reising has ordered the London team, which has 15 players under contract, to report April 15th at Marietta. They will train there seven days, after which they will play a series of exhibition games at Huntington, Va., Portsmouth, Ohio; Irontown, Ohio; Dayton, Ohio, (three games); Adrian, Mich.; Jackson, Mich., and Detroit, the latter being a Sunday game on May 4th. An exhibition game will be played in London on the following Monday.

President Kerwin announced that the Toronto team would have grounds in the city.

President Fitzgerald expects to have the schedule drafted in a couple of weeks.

CHRISTY MATHEWSON
CONSIDERING THE OFFER

Will Think Over Proposition to Manage Brooklyn Federal League.

[Canadian Press.] Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 25.—"I have received the Federal's offer and I will give it careful and serious consideration," Christy Mathewson said last night in regard to the proposition made him to manage the Brooklyn Federal League team at his own terms.

"It is not only the salary. There are a number of other considerations which enter into the matter," he said.

KING GEORGE AT BASEBALL GAME.

London, Feb. 25.—King George and some other members of the British royal family are to be present tomorrow at the baseball game, the first for the King, between the New York team, representing the National League, and the Chicago team, representing the American League, which is to be played at the Chelsea football grounds. A number of prominent persons, who always follow his majesty's lead, will attend, together with the staffs of the American embassy and the consulate general.

The two teams were the guests of honor at luncheon today of the American business colony. Consul-General Griffiths presided.

SHARKEY MUST SERVE TIME.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Feb. 25.—"Tom" Sharkey, former pugilist, will have to serve out term of thirty days in the Tombs and pay the fine of \$500 inflicted on him for maintaining a disorderly house. Justice Cohan refused yesterday to grant a certificate of reasonable doubt to Sharkey.

MEETING CALLED OFF.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Feb. 25.—It was announced from National League headquarters here this morning that the meeting of the board of directors scheduled for Harrisburg tonight, was called off by President Tener, after it was learned that Barney Dreyfus and Harry Ackeland, representing the Chicago club, were the only ones that could attend.

WINGHAM BONSPIEL
REACHES THE FINALS

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wingham, Feb. 25.—The Wingham Curling Club's bonspiel has narrowed down to the finals, with Skips Porter and Crawford being the contenders for the prizes. Three rinks are still in the consolation event, L. Hinkley, D. Fortune and J. McKie being the skips.

The skips who took part in the bonspiel are Messrs. A. M. Crawford, A. E. Porter, L. Hinkley, D. Fortune, J. McKie, C. Knechtel, J. Mason, V. R. Vanstone, C. Knechtel, N. Giffen, A. J. Alderson, Dr. J. McDonald, C. Elliott, S. Elliott, Peart, D. F. Porter, E. Small, J. McKie.

The local club has a membership of 75, the youngest member being 15 years of age. The bonspiel has proven a huge success and it will no doubt be a yearly fixture.

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Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk Railway detectives stationed in London are today posting notices in different sections of the yards to the effect that from now on all persons found trespassing on railroad property will be arrested.

Petty thievery around the railroad property has been going on at intervals and the detectives are taking this measure of putting it to an end.

"The amount of coal stolen in London reaches into the thousands of dollars every year, and it is not at all taken by people who cannot afford to buy it, and we are putting a stop to the wholesale scale that some people have been taking it away," stated one detective.

IN POLICE COURT

Canadian Pacific Yard Detective John Langley came across George Stephens attempting to secure a night's lodging in a box car Tuesday night. Stephens refused to give an account of himself and was brought down to police headquarters.

In court this morning Magistrate J. C. Judd found Stephens guilty of trespass and gave him the option of paying \$5 or spending 10 days in Castle Carter. Stephens, after much meditation, decided to take the days.

George Morris, arrested by Acting Detective Harper on a charge of a breach of the liquor act, was remanded for one week.

Nellie Green, a young north end girl, thought her home was not good enough. She moved to a boarding house but was unable to pay her board. Nellie then returned home. In court this morning she promised to pay the board and was allowed to go by Magistrate Judd on condition that she pay within two weeks.

Tom Burr, the Chicago pitcher signed by Chance, ought to stick.

ORILLIA PUTS WIARTON
OUT OF THE RUNNING

Beat Northern League Champions by Score of 5 to 1.

WINS ROUND BY ONE GOAL

Both Teams Played Fast and Furious Game—Winning Goal Result of Last Desperate Attack.

Orillia, Feb. 24.—In the intermediate game here tonight between Orillia and Wiarton. Orillia won by the score of 5 to 1. As a result of this game, the local team wins the round with Wiarton by one goal and qualifies for the finals. Tonight's game was fast and furious at all stages, both teams playing great hockey. The winning goal came in the last few minutes of play when Orillia was making a most desperate spurt to win out. The line-up:

Orillia. Goal. Corbould. Porter. Ashby. Right wing. Reid. Frock. Left wing. Dupp. Simmie. Rover. Carter. Ashby. Centre. Ross. Sproule, of Toronto, referee.

ASKIN STREET JUNIORS
DEFEATED ST. JAMES

Exciting Junior Struggle at Simcoe Street Rink in Church League Last Night.

Askin Street Methodist juniors and St. James' seniors played the games in the Church League at the Simcoe rink last night. Talbot Street seniors and Dundas Centre were to have clashed, but only four of the Baptists showed up and the Talbots defaulted the game.

Askin Street Wins. Askin Street won from St. James in the first half of fast counter by notching two tallies, while their opponents were held scoreless. In the second half the St. James' team annexed a lone tally by a determined rush, but the bell rang with the score in favor of Askin Street by 2 to 1.

The teams: St. James—Reid, goal; Bailey, point; Hamilton, coverpoint; Murray, rover; J. Reid, centre; H. Stuart, right; Lee, left; Askin Street—Smith, goal; Downs, point; Templeman, coverpoint; Walters, rover; Reynolds, centre; F. Horne, right; W. Horne, left.

King Street Lost. Another easy one was the game between St. James' juniors and King Street Presbyterians. The "Jims" gathered in three tallies in the first half, while their adversaries notched a lone counter. After the bell had ushered in the second half the Saints literally swept the King Street aggregation off its feet. The final score was 3 to 1.

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FOR CHICAGO STOCK

Other Two Syndicates Waiting to See What Happens.

FEDERALS OPEN APRIL 25

Stands and Grounds of Most of Its Cities Will Open at the Same Time.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Only one syndicate has been left in the field of those who sought control of the Chicago National League Baseball Club. The bid of \$700,000 offered by the Behan group for 51 per cent of Club stock caused the other two syndicates to assume a waiting attitude until Charles P. Taft, owner of the majority of the stock, has passed on the Behan proposition. It was said that a coterie which proposed to put John P. Harding at the head of the club would have a representative in Cincinnati tomorrow, however. The Pugh-Thompson-McCulloch group has withdrawn from active participation, Charles A. McCulloch announced.

Louis J. Behan, who is handling the offer of the six men who compose one syndicate, left for Cincinnati tonight. The Federal League will not open its playing season until April 25th and the stands and grounds in most of its cities will be ready by that time, it was said today by Charles Weegman, president of the Chicago Club. The Brooklyn Federal Club manager has not been named. Sam Crawford, the Detroit outfielder, President Gilmore intimated, might be named manager. Catcher Wingo is also a possibility.

JOHNNY EVERS FEARS
FOR THAT \$20,000 BONUS

Is Afraid He Will Not Get It If Sweeney and Purdie Do Not Report to Chicago.

Chicago, Feb. 24.—Fear that some slip may occur to prevent his getting the \$20,000 bonus said to have been promised in the deal whereby he was sold to the Boston Club, was expressed tonight by John J. Evers, deposed manager of the Chicago National League Baseball Club. Evers came here to pack his things preparatory to joining the Boston team at Macon, Ga. He was worried about the \$20,000 he said.

Evers said he was pleased with the \$10,000 salary he was to have, but added that the contract would be void unless the bonus was given him. The bonus hinged, he said, on whether the Boston club, Sweeney and Purdie reported to the Chicago Club for this season. Evers asserted he suspected one of them might fail to report.

The score for two nights stands: Hoppe, 1,000; Sutton, 574.

Hoppe's high run was 250. This did not approach the world's record of 307, however, held by him.

CHICAGO WHITE SOX
DELAYED ON TRIP

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FENCING CHAMPIONSHIPS.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Feb. 25.—The junior championships of the Amateur Fencers' League of America were decided last night at the Fencers' Club of New York. In the opening event for duelling swords from a field of fourteen entrants, Stedford Pitt, former captain of the Columbia team and junior foil champion, representing the home club, came through, after tying with Dr. L. W. Cairns, of the same club. The other event, the junior sabre championship, was won by J. B. Parker.

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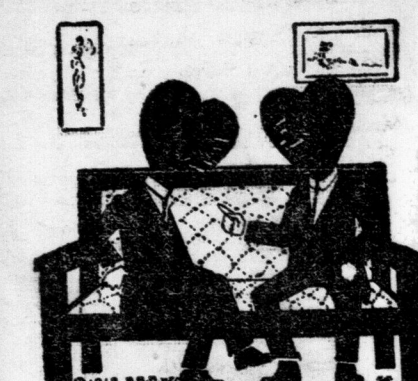
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MEETINGS.

CANADIAN CLUB

SECOND INFORMAL LUNCHEON, At Teuneh House, at 12:15 on Friday, Feb. 27, Prof. James W. Robertson, Chairman of the Royal Commission on Vocational Training, will address the club on "Vocational Training," a subject which at the present time is attracting much attention. Tickets at Mills' or Secretary, P. H. Greenleaf, secretary, phone 1160. 62c

ORDER OF EASTERN STAR

The Postponed Meeting of Forest City Chapter, No. 13, O. E. S., will be held in the new Masonic Temple, this evening at 8 o'clock. Miss Ada Heath, Secretary. 62c

ST. JOHN'S ROYAL ARCH CHAPTER—Regular convocation this (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. M. E. M. degree. Visitors welcome. Charles Gilbert, Z. O. Ellwood, S. E. 62c

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BIRTHS.

GRANT—In Theford, on February 18, to Dr. and Mrs. A. J. Grant, a daughter, b. MARTIN—To Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Martin, Wednesday, February 18, 1914, a daughter, Olive Isabelle.

LANDREVILLE—On February 20, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. E. Landreille, of 30 Cadfrase Crescent, a daughter.

DEATHS.

ANDERSON—At her late residence, 359 Dundas street, on February 24, 1914, Margaret, widow of the late Peter Anderson, aged 82 years, mother of Mrs. M. E. Leonard and Miss Ada Anderson.

Funeral private from the above address at 3 p.m. Services at 2:30. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

LITTLE—At his late residence, 706 Richmond street, on Tuesday, February 24, 1914, Thomas B., beloved husband of Martha Little. In his 70th year.

Funeral private from the above address on Friday, February 27, at 2:30 p.m. Services at 2 o'clock. 64u

BURDICK—At his late residence, Knollwood Park, Monday, February 23, 1914, Smith Burdick, beloved husband of Sadie Burdick.

Funeral private, on Thursday, February 26, from above address, at 2 o'clock. Services at 1:30. Please omit flowers. Interment at Bostick Cemetery. 62u

JENNINGS—At his late residence, 551 Richmond street, on Tuesday, Feb. 24, 1914, Isaac Jennings, in his 38th year.

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SAGE TEA TURNS GRAY HAIR DARK

It's Grandmother's Recipe To
Bring Back Color and
Lustre to Hair.

That beautiful, even shade of dark, glossy hair can only be had by brewing a mixture of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Your hair is your charm. It makes or mars the face. When it fades, turns gray, streaked, and looks dry, wispy and scraggly, just an application or two of Sage and Sulphur enhances its appearance a hundredfold. Don't bother to prepare the tonic; you can get from any drug store a 50-cent bottle of "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Hair Remedy" ready to use. This can always be depended upon to bring back the natural color, thickness and lustre of your hair and remove dandruff, stop scalp itching and falling hair.

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IF KIDNEYS ACT BAD TAKE SALTS

Says Backache Is Sign You
Have Been Eating Too
Much Meat.

When you wake up with backache and dull misery in the kidney region it generally means you have been eating too much meat, says a well-known authority. Meat forms uric acid, which overworks the kidneys in their effort to filter it from the blood, and they become sore and paralyzed. Leggy, your stomach sour, tongue is coated, and when the weather is bad you have rheumatic twinges. The urine is cloudy, full of sediment, channells often get sore, water scalds, and you are obliged to seek relief two or three times during the night.

Either consult a good, reliable physician at once or get from your pharmacist about four ounces of Jad Salts; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to clean and stimulate sluggish kidneys, also to neutralize acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder weakness.

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Scratching Made it Pain so Badly
Lost Many Nights' Sleep. Could
Not Do Work at All. Cuticura
Soap and Ointment Cured.

Box 605, Valleyfield, Que.—"My hand would get full of little white blisters and when I would scratch it would pain me so badly I lost many nights' sleep. My hand was one mass of sores. I more than suffered and talk about itching! When I rubbed my hand it would burn. I had it about six years. I could not do any work at all. If you had seen my hand you would have said there was no cure. I used to cry and get so discouraged. I was never troubled with it in the summer but as soon as the cold weather started my hand got sore.

"I tried all that was given me and was treated for three months and every night I washed my hand in —. It had spread all over my hand. I started to use the Cuticura Soap and Ointment and I got relief. One cake of Cuticura Soap and two boxes of Cuticura Ointment completely cured me." (Signed) Mrs. Sarah Mercer, June 11, 1913.

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Wreck of the C. W. and L. E. Powerhouse Following an Explosion of Gas at Chatham



SUFFRAGISTS REFUSE TO ENTER INTO BONDS

Women and Men May Be Im-
prisoned For Six
Months.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Feb. 25.—Five prominent suffragists were charged before the police magistrate at Bow Street today with obstructing the police during last night's demonstration in Parliament Square, when they protested violently against Premier Asquith, who had refused to see them.

The prisoners were Laurence Housman, author and artist; Henry W. Nevins, war correspondent; Mrs. D. A. Thomas, wife of the Welsh coal magnate; H. D. Harben and Miss K. Haig. The magistrate ordered them all to be bound over in a bond of \$25 each to be of good behavior for six months. The prisoners all refused to enter into the bond.

In the ordinary course, offenders refusing to be bound over remain in prison for six months.

ONE HUNDRED AUTOS DESTROYED IN FIRE

Employee of Factory Missing,
and Dozen Firemen
Injured.

[Canadian Press.]
Lynn, Mass., Feb. 25.—Nearly 100 automobiles were lost in a fire which destroyed the Essex Garage, a three-story brick building on Broad street, today, causing a loss of \$275,000. Stephen Athus, an employee, is missing. Two firemen were seriously hurt when the second floor fell, and ten others were injured in a hot-air explosion. The cause of the fire is not known. Athus was last seen on the third floor. The loss on the automobiles was estimated at \$200,000.

FOUND FROZEN TO DEATH IN A MONTREAL NOVEL

Joseph Lebel Drinks Himself
Into a Slumber From Which
He Never Awakes

[Canadian Press.]
Montreal, Feb. 25.—Frozen stiff, the body of Joseph Lebel, 55 years old, was found last night by Lieut. Trudeau and Constable Morlette on the floor of a hotel in the rear of Beaudry street. On a table beside which the body lay was a bottle half-filled with whiskey.

Lebel, together with an old woman named Lacoste, had occupied the place for a long time, but the old woman, who was found by some of the neighbors to be ill, was sent to the Notre Dame Hospital a couple of weeks ago. The police say she was but a few days in the hospital when she died.

Since the old woman was taken to the hospital, Lebel had lived alone. He had evidently drunk himself into a slumber and had been frozen when the fire went out.

BRIDE SHOT DEAD BY FORMER SWEETHEART

[Canadian Press.]
San Francisco, Feb. 25.—Disappointed in love, Abraham Pepper, of Tacoma, Washington, called Mrs. Dorothy Johnson, his former sweetheart, who married F. L. Johnson, of Tacoma, one week ago, to the door of a room in the hotel here where she was spending her honeymoon, shot her dead and then shot himself.

BRINGS BIG CARGO OF ANIMALS AND BIRDS

[Canadian Press.]
New York, Feb. 25.—From Hamburg, the world's greatest animal market, the steamer President Lincoln brought today one of the largest cargoes of birds and quadrupeds that ever reached New York. There were 5,000 canaries, 6,000 pheasants, and a large variety of assorted birds, six elephants, ten panthers, nine tigers, and a few porcupines and monkeys.

MAYOR IS CANDIDATE.

[Canadian Press.]
Winnipeg, N. B., Feb. 25.—The Liberals of Russell constituency have nominated Donald C. McDonald, mayor of the town of Russell, as their candidate for the Manitoba Legislature.

HAVE LOOSE VIEWS ON RELIGIOUS TEACHING

Hon. S. H. Blake Speaks His
Mind About University Pro-
fessors and Teachers.

[Canadian Press.]
Toronto, Feb. 25.—The proposal to introduce religious instruction in the public schools, which has precipitated a heated controversy all over the province, has aroused Hon. S. H. Blake. In an interview this morning he expressed himself in his usual vigorous style.

"Seventy years ago in Upper Canada College, the Bible was used as a textbook," remarked Hon. S. H. Blake, in speaking on the proposal to introduce the study of the Bible into the schools of Ontario.

"In the classes," he continued, "it was read verse about by the scholars. If the Roman Catholics desired it, they were at liberty to use their own Douay edition of the sacred volume. It was made the subject of examination, and rewards were given for Scripture learning. The true incentive to the study of the Book was thus given to each pupil in the college."

In a letter to Dr. John Seath, Mr. Blake agrees that the department of education would not be justified in introducing the exposition of the Scriptures to the teachers of our schools. He states that the teachers are influenced by "the loose views of university professors and teachers," and adds: "How can you expect a godly reverence on the part of our students or the teachers in our schools when one of its professors publicly reads at a dinner given to one of his fellows a song from which the following is taken: 'Then follow four verses of a song in which Methusalem and Melchizedek are introduced for purposes of comparison with the guests of the evening, and the last line is 'Corks poppin', champagne fizzin'.'"

LEGAL QUERIES

SUBSCRIBER.—I have a tenant who rents by the year. When year has now run its course, can I seize her goods for full time?

Answer.—Yes.

2. What time notice must I give her now to vacate premises? Rent is at rate of \$120.00 a year.

Answer.—Six months, expiring with the end of the yearly tenancy.

BRITISHER CHOSEN TO PILOT NEW AIRSHIP

New York, Feb. 24.—It is announced that Lieut. John C. Porte, of the royal naval flying corps of Great Britain, will be the first pilot of the proposed transatlantic airship to be financed by Rodman Wanamaker. He is confident that the flight can be made as planned.

HOW BOTHWELL PASTOR OBTAINED NEW MANSE

Got Members To Pay for It in Three
Years—Is Asked To Stay.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Bothwell, Feb. 24.—At the quarterly board of the Methodist Church, held recently here, the pastor, Rev. R. J. Currie, was given a unanimous call to return for a fourth year. Rev. Mr. Currie's three-year term here has been rather strenuous, but successful.

On his arrival here the church home was in a sadly dilapidated condition, and rather than fix it up, Mr. Currie suggested buying a fine residence adjoining the church property, promising to remain until it was paid for, which, he said, could be done in three annual payments given by the members, the last payment coming due in November last. These obligations have been met by the members with but few exceptions, and the new parsonage is nearly paid for.

The church also has a new furnace, due to the efforts of Mr. Currie, and the finances of the church are in a prosperous condition.

Spiritually as well as financially Rev. Currie has done his duty, holding special meetings twice at his outside appointment, Armstrong, and once in the church here, and a goodly number were added to the church roll.

GIVE HER A SHOWER.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Oakdale, Feb. 23.—An enjoyable evening was spent on Feb. 21 at the home of Tom Summers, Oakdale, when between fifty and sixty young people gathered to present his sister, Miss Jessie Mae, who is shortly leaving for the west, with a miscellaneous shower. A social evening was spent, and dainty refreshments were served by the ladies. The young people dispersed after singing "God Be With You Till We Meet Again," and wishing Miss Summers every prosperity in her new home.

"WET AND DRY" CONTEST BRINGS OUT WOMEN

Majority of Places, However,
Few Took Advantage of
Suffrage.

[Canadian Press.]
Chicago, Feb. 25.—Comparatively few women yesterday took advantage of their first opportunity to vote under the provisions of the new state suffrage law. Returns tabulated here today indicated that more than two-thirds of the registered women remained away from the primary elections held in many cities and towns of the state.

In Chicago the total number of women who voted was 47,529, or about 30 per cent of the 158,524, who had qualified. The heaviest woman's vote in the state was at Galesburg, the scene of a "wet and dry" contest, where the women cast nearly one-half of the total vote.

DEATHS OF THE DAY

Late Isaac Jennings.
The death of Isaac Jennings occurred at his residence, 551 Richmond street, Tuesday night in his 38th year. The funeral will be held from the family residence at 2:30 o'clock on Thursday. Interment will be made at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

SINGLE TAX LEADER.
[Canadian Press.]
New York, Feb. 25.—John Sherwin Crosby, prominent as a single tax leader, died of a complication of diseases yesterday at his home in this city. He was 72 years old.

AMERICAN FISHERMEN ASK BETTER CONDITIONS

[Canadian Press.]
Gloucester, Mass., Feb. 25.—Better conditions for American fishermen in Canadian and Newfoundland waters will be sought by a delegation of Gloucester fishing captains and businessmen at a conference with Secretary Bryan at Washington tomorrow. The detailing of a revenue cutter to the fishing grounds to act as a hospital ship also will be suggested.

MORE RAILWAY AID

British Columbia Legislature Has Bill to
Guarantee Bonds.
[Canadian Press.]
Victoria, B. C., Feb. 25.—In the Legislature last night Premier McBride introduced a bill to further aid the P. G. & E. Railway, the most important provision of which was a guarantee of the bonds of that company for the extension of the road from Fort George to a point in the province inside the eastern boundary, a distance of 330 miles, at \$35,000 per mile.

COMMITTED SUICIDE.

[Canadian Press.]
Newark, N. J., Feb. 25.—Hayward A. Harvey, 45 years old, formerly state assemblyman, committed suicide in the Lackawanna Railroad station at Orange early today by shooting himself through the heart with a revolver. The deed was attributed to temporary insanity, resulting from ill health.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

London, Feb. 24.—Arrived: Steamer Minneapolis.
Plymouth, Feb. 24.—Arrived: Steamer President Grant.
Antwerp, Feb. 24.—Arrived: Steamer Michigan.
New York, Feb. 25.—Arrived: Steamers Rochambeau, Dinna Mare, Minnawaska, California, Ultonia, President Lincoln.

IS BRITAIN TIRED OF CANADA?

We don't think so, but we are sure no man has any chance of curing corns unless he uses Putnam's Corn Extract. It takes out root, stem and branch cures painlessly in twenty-four hours. Use only Putnam's, 25c, at all dealers.

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Missed
Something
If You've
Not Read
the Want
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MILITARY ENGINEERING LECTURES INTERESTING

Bridge Construction, Field
Telegraphy and Other Work
Being Taught by Experts.

Great interest is attached to the school of instruction now being conducted at the armories in connection with the Seventh Field Company of Canadian Engineers. Capt. Kilbourne, of the permanent staff at Ottawa, is giving the lectures and his addresses are illustrated with lantern slides and many practical exhibitions of the work accomplished by the engineering department of the Canadian militia.

Methods of constructing bridges, field telegraphy and other details of the work are being shown in the lectures which are held on Monday, Wednesday and Friday evenings of each week, and the instruction given is of a most practical and instructive nature.

The local company has an enrollment at the present time of 80 men, and the officers in charge are Major F. W. Fennell, Captain E. Y. Buchanan and Lieutenants Archer, Garratt and Healy. The officers are desirous of increasing the strength of the corps and are ready to receive applications from recruits at any of the evening sessions. Men of a mechanical turn of mind are wanted, as the work done by this branch of this service is of a distinctly mechanical nature.

ALL SAINTS' DRAMATISTS PRESENT SPLENDID PLAY

Give "Bill, the Coachman," Before
Enthusiastic Audience.

"Bill, the Coachman," a farce comedy in three acts, by John M. Francis, was capably presented Tuesday night by the Dramatic Club of All Saints' A. Y. P. A. Some 300 people crowded the lecture room of the church, and accompanied the play an enthusiastic reception.

Miss Ella Parsons, as Anna, the Irish maid, showed exceptional dramatic ability, and was applauded as the star of the cast, although Miss Gladys Phillips, as Eunice Brewer, played her part with almost equal excellence. Miss Lottie Martin, as Mrs. Susan Brewer, and Miss Annie Bradley, as Sarah Brewer, accomplished some exceptionally fine acting. John Hart in the title role of Williams Walters, or Bill, the Coachman, convulsed the audience with repeated rounds of laughter.

Good work was done by the other members of the cast, including George Langford, as Samuel Brewer; C. Stevens, as Reginald Depyster, and Clarence Parsons, as Jack Thornton.

SYLVIA REPEATED TO ANOTHER FULL HOUSE

The operetta "Sylvia" was given the second time by the Christ Church choir in the school room last evening to another full house. The glees, "Strike the Lyre" was also sung as a concluding number. The applause from the audience was a spirit of enjoyment and appreciation. After the performance was over the choir was invited to the rectory, where Rev. C. R. and Mrs. Gunne entertained them. The whole affair was a decided success, and much credit is due J. H. C. Woodward, the organist and choirmaster, for the excellent way in which the operetta was presented, and with the splendid finish with which everything was done. While at the rectory, C. R. Milligan moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Woodward, Mr. White, who entered into his part of Sir Bertram DeLacey with such interest and finished success; Bert Macnamara for his part in making it more effective by the land- scape painting and scenery, and Miss H. Gunne for her work at the piano, were also included in the vote of thanks, to which all responded to most heartily.

The same cast took the leading parts as on Monday night, including Miss Edith House, who was absent on Monday evening's paper.

TURNBURY FARMER LOST VALUABLE HORSE

Broke Its Leg and Had To Be Killed—
Still Putting Gravel in the
Turnbury Hole.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Wingham, Feb. 25.—Yesterday forenoon Charles Aikens, of Turnbury Township, a prosperous farmer, lost a horse valued at \$200 in a peculiar way. He had turned the animal out for water and exercise in the barnyard and went inside to feed the other stock. While he was absent the horse slipped on some ice and broke one of its legs, so badly that pieces of the bone were scattered on the ground where the animal lay. Dr. Calvin, V.S., could do nothing for the horse, and was obliged to put it out of misery. Mr. Aikens feels his loss, as he had recently bought the horse to mate another one he has.

FORMER GOVERNOR DEAD.

[Canadian Press.]
Portland, Me., Feb. 24.—Major General Joshua L. Chamberlain, surveyor of customs here since 1900, died today. He was born in 1828, and distinguished himself in the Civil War. At the close of the war he was elected governor, and at the end of this service in 1871 became president of Bowdoin College. His home was in Brunswick.

STICKS TO CONTENTION OF NO FIRE ESCAPES

Despite Government Official's Report,
Building Inspector Says City Hall
Has Enough.

Building Inspector A. M. Piper sticks to his contention that the temporary city hall is plentifully supplied with toilet accommodations and fire exits, despite the warning of Factory Inspector Harry A. Clark and Chief Inspector J. T. Burke, that the improvements demanded must be made.

The controllers have asked Inspector Piper for another report on the building, but it is likely that the document will be in line with the previous one handed in, viz., that the building is safe, and that the toilet arrangements are quite satisfactory and in conformity with the requirements of the law.

QUEBEC GOVT. KILLS MONTREAL FAIR BILL

[Canadian Press.]
Quebec, Feb. 24.—The Provincial Gazette, just published, contains the official cancellation of the Montreal fair bill.

The cause of the recent graft scandal, which led to the resignation of the Legislative Council of L. P. Beaudry, Achille Bergevin and L. O. Mousseau from the Legislative Assembly.

TAX TO PROVIDE WAR FUND

Huerta Making Capital From Moving
of the Crop.

[Canadian Press.]
Mexico City, Feb. 24.—An export tax on coffee, which will provide President Huerta with considerable amount of money for the prosecution of the war, is announced in a decree issued today. The tax amounts to three pesos per 100 kilograms (220 pounds), on unskipped coffee, and three and a half pesos on cleaned product. The tax becomes effective February 25. The coffee crop is now moving.

MOTHER FINDS FENIAN RAID VETERAN DEAD

Woodstock, Feb. 24.—Oliver Brown, the veteran West Oxford mail carrier, was found dead in bed at his home yesterday by his mother, who is 91 years old. Mr. Oliver had only retired from the mail-carrying recently and when in Ingersoll a few days ago caught cold and pneumonia developed. Death apparently came very unexpectedly from an attack of heart weakness and he was stricken as he was about to get up. Mr. Oliver was 65 years old and a Fenian Raid veteran. At one time he was a member of the West Oxford Township council. He was unmarried. The funeral will be held on Thursday.

CONSERVATIVE NOMINATED.

[Canadian Press.]
Winnipeg, Feb. 24.—Conservatives of Russell, of Foxwarren, as their candidate for the Manitoba Legislature.

AILSA CRAIG.

Ailsa Craig, Feb. 24.—Mrs. William Thompson, of the fourth concession of McGillivray, who underwent an operation recently, is improving. Miss Hazel Templeman, teacher of school section No. 3, McGillivray, visited her parents in London over the week-end. Little Gracie Riddale is able to be out and with friends in London. Mrs. F. M. Chisholm, a box-maker, is in London. Ailsa Brown was a London visitor on Monday.

LAMBETH.

Lambeth, Feb. 24.—Miss Alice Payne, of London, was a recent visitor with Miss Margaret Ramsey. Miss Edith Connelley is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Scott, at Ealing. Miss Louella Reddick spent the week-end with friends in London. Miss Louie Spurr, of Petrolia, was a week-end visitor with Miss Ruby Garbutt, of London. Mr. and Mrs. Storey, of Ingersoll, spent the week-end with Mrs. Eber Patrick. Miss Edith House is home from Sparta, where she spent the past two weeks.

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CURED A BAD ATTACK OF
ECZEMA.

All skin diseases such as Eczema, Salt Rheum, Tetter, Rash, Boils, Pimples, and Itching Skin Eruptions, are always caused from the blood being in a bad condition, and it is impossible to eradicate them from the system unless you put your blood into good shape. This you can very easily do without the slightest trouble by using Burdock Blood Bitters.

It drives out all the humor from the blood, and makes it pure and rich, and not only are the unsightly diseases removed, and a bright clean complexion produced, but the entire system is renovated and invigorated at the same time. Mrs. G. A. Day, Somerville, N.B., writes:—"Last spring I had a bad attack of Eczema. I tried several patent medicines as well as the medicine of a physician, but they seemed to make the disease worse. I was then advised to try Burdock Blood Bitters, and I did so with the result that in two weeks time the sores began to disappear. I continued to take it until I had taken three bottles and they worked a complete cure."

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A Physician's Advice.

Most thin people eat from four to six pounds of good, solid fat-making food every day, and still do not increase in weight one ounce, while on the other hand many of the plump, chunky folks eat very lightly and keep gaining all the time. It's all a matter of saying that this is the nature of the individual. It isn't Nature's way at all.

Thin folks stay thin because their powers of assimilation are defective. They just absorb enough of the food they eat to maintain life and a semblance of health and strength. Stuffing won't help them. A dozen meals a day won't make them gain a single "stay there" pound. All the fat-producing elements of their food just stay in the intestines until they pass from the body as waste. What such people need is something that will prepare their fatty food elements so that their blood can absorb them and deposit them all about the body—something, too, that will multiply their red blood corpuscles and increase their blood's carrying power.

For such a condition I always recommend eating a Sargol tablet with every meal. Sargol is not, as some believe, a patented drug, but is a scientific combination of six of the most effective and powerful flesh-building elements known to chemistry. It is absolutely harmless, yet wonderfully effective, and a single tablet eaten with each meal often has the effect of increasing the weight of a thin man or woman from three to five pounds a week. Sargol is sold by good druggists everywhere on a positive guarantee of weight increase or money back. —Adv.

THE EXAMINATION OF BENTON'S BODY IS VERY DESIRABLE

And Villa's Promises Do Not Specify That This Will Be Allowed.

WOULD TELL THE TALE Shows Whether Death Came From Pistol or Rifle Bullets.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, Feb. 25.—Difficulties in the way of obtaining a complete medical examination of the body of William S. Benton, British subject, appeared today to complicate the inquiry instituted by both the American and British Governments into the circumstances surrounding the recent execution at Juarez.

American officials were not sure that a promise by General Villa to permit an American representative to see the body after it was examined would be kept, and an opportunity would be afforded to examine it, and determine whether Benton died by a pistol shot, as his friends claim, or by rifle bullets fired by a squad as Villa asserts.

Will Press Villa. That the American Government's direct request for the delivery of the body had been denied, was another part of the situation which attracted attention in the official circles. It is believed further representations to General Villa, indicating the importance of turning the body over to the widow, will be made by the state department.

The promise of the United States Government to Great Britain, as cabled from London, was that every effort would be made to secure the exhumation and examination of the body.

Rebels Get Gunboat. Other overnight developments in the Mexican situation, which occupied the attention of officials, were the surrender to the constitutionalists of the Federal gunboat Tampico, giving them their first naval equipment on the west coast of Mexico, and reports of the capture of Mexican Federalists at Nuevo Laredo of Clements Vergara, an American citizen. Secretary Bryan had arranged to go before the Senate foreign relations committee during the week of his arrival, and he would be asked to give information concerning the Benton episode and other details of the Mexican situation.

UNCERTAINTY AS TO VILLA'S INTENTIONS

[Canadian Press.] El Paso, Texas, Feb. 25.—Uncertainty still prevailed here today as to what General Villa, of the Constitutional army, proposed to do regarding the request of the United States Government that he deliver to the widow the body of William S. Benton, the British subject whom he executed last week at Juarez.

Conflicting reports of the rebel general's proposed action have been received here. A message sent by Villa to the United States consul at Juarez, was translated to read that Benton's body would be delivered to the widow, but not at the present time.

However, Consul Letcher, at Chihuahua, where General Villa is making temporary headquarters, reported Villa declines to deliver the body, but that he will permit the widow or other relatives to visit the cemetery with American representatives, and that the body will then be reinterred in the grave from which it would be removed.

Respect to Dead. In a telegram to the widow's subordinates at Juarez, General Villa was reported as saying: "I will not give up the body out of respect to the dead. It was interred with all religious observances, and a cross erected over it, and I will not allow the sacrilege of its removal."

United States secret service operatives said they had received information, which they did not make public, indicated that General Villa, the missing German-American, has met a fate similar to Benton's.

Constitutionalists today expressed pleasure over the reported voluntary surrender yesterday of the federal gunboat Tampico, with its crew, to Constitutional officers at Topolobampo. The surrender of the Tampico gave the rebels their first armed vessel.

INVESTIGATION REPORT.

[Canadian Press.] Laredo, Texas, Feb. 25.—United States Consul Garrett at Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, last night dispatched an emissary to Hidalgo, Mexico, to investigate the reported execution by Mexican Federal Troops of Clements Vergara, an American citizen. Mr. Garrett refused to make a statement other than to say that the case would be investigated.

DESERTED BY HUSBAND

And Two Weeks' Bride Says He Carried Off Her Savings.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Feb. 25.—Deserted by her husband, to whom she had been married only two weeks ago, a young woman called on the police yesterday to ask them to try and locate her husband who had, she alleged, taken with him when he left \$170 of her own savings she kept in a cushion.

The couple, whose name was withheld by the police, came here from Boston early this month and roomed in Overdale avenue. It was on their arrival here that they were married by a local clergyman. The young woman said at police headquarters that her husband was supposed to be an engineer, and had formerly been in the United States navy. She had known him for about a year.

Judge Leet, who heard the story of the young woman, said that he would grant a warrant for the arrest of the husband for the theft of the \$170, but requested the police to try to locate the man before the warrant was issued.

FOLLOW EAST ENDERS

Many Storekeepers "Shut Up Shop" This Afternoon.

The example of Wednesday afternoon off for East End grocery clerks, which went into effect today, was followed by a large number of store owners throughout the city.

A great number of stores closed up shop at noon today, and will close up every Wednesday at noon now the year round. Some of the store owners state they will also close up on Saturday night at 7 o'clock, and Wednesday afternoon at 7 o'clock.

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RETAIL MERCHANTS ARE IN ANNUAL CONVENTION

A Proposal to Make False Advertising a Crime May Be Considered.

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Dominion Post President B. W. Ziemann, of Preston, replied to the address. President E. C. Matthews delivered the address, which dealt with questions of improving the trade of the retailer.

A banquet takes place in the evening. The retailers propose to prove that they are not contributory factors in the high cost of living.

Royal Arch Masons Will Convene Here

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THE TOWN IN REVIEW

City Clerk Baker appeared at a council meeting the other night all dolled up in a boiled shirt and other park harness. Heretofore Ald. Tanocle will wear his Prince Albert at all council meetings.

The weather's "comeback" stunt this week somehow or other reminds us of Charlie Graham's third-year leap. Colder than ever, as far as our municipal reporter is concerned.

Factory Inspector Harry Clark, with the assistance of his chief, is going to bring the city to time in providing fire escapes and necessary toilet accommodation.

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Mr. Thompson has been engaged in the drug business in Newfoundland, for 45 years. He will return to his home the latter part of the week.

TRAFFIC TIE-UP ON G. T. R.

Shunting Engine Leaves Rails in East End Yards.

Traffic on the main line of the Grand Trunk, in the east end yards, was tied up for more than an hour last night when a shunting engine left the rails at a switch near Eglinton street.

The locomotive was shunting several merchandise cars to a siding and in taking the switch had missed the points and slipped from the rails. As the International Limited was due at that time, strenuous efforts were made to clear the line before its arrival.

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NEWS

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Interest Marks Revival. — Great interest is marking the revival of the King Street Presbyterian Church, which was begun Monday evening. Last night Rev. Hugh McFarlane, pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, preached to a large audience on the subject, "Remember Jesus." Tonight Rev. P. E. Nichol of Chelsea Green Presbyterian Church, will preach.

Truck Beat Gallopers. — Firemen had a run to a new house on Hamilton road near Albert street at 7 o'clock last night. The dwelling had been recently blasted and a fire had been lighted to dry the coating on the walls. Steam from the windows was mistaken for smoke and an alarm sent in. The motor-truck made a record run to the scene, arriving well ahead of the horse-drawn vehicles.

MANY EVANGELISTIC SERVICES ARE PLANNED

Joint Committee Arranges For Three Weeks' Campaign in Methodist Churches.

Evangelistic services commencing Sunday, March 8, and continuing for three weeks, will be held simultaneously in ten Methodist churches of the city, according to arrangements effected by the central committee on evangelization, meeting in the First Methodist Church last night.

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A uniform hymnal was selected for use in all the churches. The members of the executive committee and Rev. G. N. Hazen and Rev. W. H. Harvey were appointed a committee to arrange for a united mass meeting of all the congregations during the campaign. The secretary, William Harvey, and Dr. C. Wilson were appointed a publicity committee.

In two of the churches, evangelists will assist the pastors; in the other eight churches, out-of-town ministers will assist. No special services will be held in Hill Street or Hyatt Avenue Methodist Churches, these churches having recently concluded a series of evangelistic services held independently.

The evangelists and ministers from out of town who will take part are: Rev. P. G. Oaten, Toronto, in Askin Street Methodist Church; Rev. John E. Brown, of Brooklyn, N. Y., in Wellington Street Church; Rev. G. W. Dewey, of Blenheim, in Ridout Street Church; Rev. W. L. Hiles, of Delaware, in Colborne Street Church; Rev. Mr. Morris, of Hamilton Conference, in Centennial Church; Rev. W. E. Millson, of Stratford, in Empress Avenue Church; Rev. C. A. Sykes, of Toronto, in the First Methodist Church; Rev. H. W. Crewes, of Woodstock, in Dundas Center Church, and Rev. J. W. Hibbert, of Wingham, in Memorial Methodist Church.

BRIDGE BLOCKED HOUSES

Must Be Taken Apart Before They Can Be Moved.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sunday Feb. 24. — Two or three days ago William Richardson, a farmer living a few miles east of the town, purchased two lots on Cameron street, and also made a deal for a couple of houses out in the country. The houses were put on sleighs with the intention of bringing them to Sarnia, and did not go well until the sleighs arrived at Perche Creek. Here a bridge loomed up as an impassable barrier, and they could not cross. It is the intention of Mr. Richardson to have the houses torn to pieces and taken across the bridge in that manner.

IN INTERNATIONAL BALLOON RACE.

New York, Feb. 24. — Three entries from the Aero Club of France and one from the Aero Club of Belgium were received here by the Aero Club of America today for the international balloon race to start from Kansas City on Oct. 6 next. Including three entries from the Aero Club of Germany and the three which will represent the United States, there are now ten balloons listed for competition for the \$7,500 in prizes offered.

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TO DECIDE SEWER QUESTION FRIDAY

Board of Control Will Make Its Final Decision Then.

APPROVE TWO-YEAR TERMS

Request to Make Municipal Apprenticeship for Controllers Thrown Out.

The board of control, in the absence of the mayor, took no action on the storm sewer project at its meeting last night, but will definitely deal with the matter Friday morning. It is planned to go ahead with the Colborne, Adelaide, Wharcliffe, Briscoe, Wellington and Ridout sections as soon as the weather moderates sufficiently. This work will cost approximately \$100,000.

At Friday morning's meeting it will be decided whether or not the work is to be done by private contract or by day labor. The city engineer advises the former. The Edgerton street storm and sanitary sewers are also to be proceeded with this year, and will cost in round figures, \$150,000, which means that work costing more than half the amount voted for storm sewers, will be, at least, commenced in 1914.

Seven and a quarter miles are to be covered in the six sections first mentioned, and pipe costing approximately \$29,000, will be used.

City Engineer W. V. Asplund told the board last night that the outlook for labor was not altogether bright.

Some reference was made to the Federal Square property and Controller W. G. Coles stated that the McCormick Manufacturing Company was to move out of its old factory in April. The old building will then be torn down and the bricks used in the construction of one hundred workmen's houses in the east end to accommodate employees.

"We're going to start this year," said Controller Coles, with reference to the Federal Square scheme.

"Start" in your head," retorted Controller Hubert Asplund.

"You'll see," replied the father of the scheme.

After Railway Extension.

C. H. Finch, Rev. S. E. McKegney, C. H. Finch and Richard Sanders appeared on behalf of the residents of Baling in opposition to an extension of the street railway tracks three-quarters of a mile further on Hamilton road. They called attention to the growing district which demanded an adequate railway service, and pointed out that if the line was extended there would be much additional building. Mr. Finch told of one property of fifteen acres upon which township taxes of \$55 were paid. This one piece of property will now pay \$300 in city taxes.

Contrast J. P. Moore, vice-chairman who presided, promised that the request of the east enders would receive every consideration, and added that it might be necessary to take a census of the city in order to compel the street railway company to give the mileage demanded under its franchise.

Mamas Thank Papas.

Mrs. W. A. Tanner, upon behalf of the Mothers' Clubs of the city, wrote thanks to the controllers for knocking out the market shows proposal, but expressing her regret that the shows were not to be completely eliminated from the city. She hoped for a "more sane and intellectual program" and pledged the support of the women.

Ald. W. A. Wilson's motion to go back to the old ward system of electing aldermen met with a flat turnout, the controllers intimating that to adopt it would be a retrogressive step.

The board reaffirmed its recommendation regarding two-year terms for controllers and aldermen but took no action on a motion introduced by Ald. J. P. White to demand one year's term for the municipal council of each candidate for the board of control. Ald. White was on hand to press the claims of both resolutions.

The city engineer reported that he was asking for tenders for approximately \$10,000. All the oiling is expected to be completed by June 15. Last year 110,000 gallons were used.

The city solicitor sent a cheque for \$74.47 from C. S. Hyman & Co. for its share of cleaning out the Mill street sewer. This account has been outstanding for some time and was recently placed in Mr. Meredith's hands for collection.

Hon. Robert Rogers, minister of public works, acknowledged the receipt of the board's resolution re Goderich harbor, and added that the necessary sums were placed in the estimates for the work.

CARNIVAL AT THORNDALE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Thorndale, Feb. 24. — The carnival held in the local rink was a great success, over 200 being on the ice, many in fancy costumes. Dr. McFadden and Mr. H. B. Moore acted as judges for the contest. The results are as follows:

Lady's costume—1, Miss Harris; 2, Miss M. Duffin.

Lady in character costume—1, Miss E. Woods; 2, Miss I. Stanger.

Best lady skater—1, Miss A. Alderson; 2, Miss Lena Henderson.

Couple in costume—1, Mr. and Mrs. D. Weston; 2, Miss L. Henderson; 3, B. Fox.

Gentleman's costume—1, Mr. T. Stevenson; 2, Mr. Wilbert Wheaton.

Gentleman in character costume—Master Matthews.

Best gentleman skater—Mr. Matthews; 2, Mr. Weston.

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The Last Week of the Big February Half-Price Jewelry Sale

New Bargains Put On the Cut Tables Every Day. This Will Be the Last Opportunity to Buy Diamonds, Watches, Cut Glass, Royal Crown Derby China, Walking Sticks, Umbrellas, Sterling Silver, Silver Plate, Clocks and Brass Goods AT JUST

ONE-HALF REGULAR PRICE

\$500 Worth of Royal Crown Derby China at Just One-Half Regular Prices

Diamonds, Half Price

This will positively be the last list of Diamonds offered during this February Sale at half price. Out-of-town orders must be accompanied by postoffice or money orders. We will refund the money if the goods are not satisfactory. All Diamond Rings mounted in 14k solid gold.

1 Gent's Flat Belcher, stones weigh 7/8, 1-32, 1-64. Regular \$170, for...\$85

1-16, Regular \$80, for...\$40

1 Gent's Flat Belcher, stones weigh 3/4, 1-16, 1-32. Regular \$140, for...\$70

1 Gent's Modified Tiffany, stones weigh 3/4, 1-16, Regular \$56, for...\$28

Lady's Diamond Cluster, regular \$100, for...\$50

Lady's Tiffany, stones weigh 3/4, 1-16, Regular \$105, for...\$52.50

Horseshoe Tiepin, stones weigh 7/8, 1-32, Regular \$87, for...\$43.50

Gent's Round Belcher, Regular \$35, for...\$17.50

Lady's Tiffany, stones weigh 3/4, Regular \$50, for...\$25

Lady's 2 Diamonds and Ruby, stones weigh 3/4, Regular \$80, for...\$40

Gent's Round Belcher, stones weigh 1, 1-32, Regular \$190, for...\$95

Lady's Modified Tiffany, stones weigh 1/4, 1-16, Regular \$40, for...\$20

Lady's Marquise, stones weigh 1, 1/8, 1-16, Regular \$125, for...\$62.50

Lady's Marquise with topaz centre, Regular \$100, for...\$50

Lady's Ring, Modified Tiffany setting, Regular \$60, for...\$30

Lady's Ring, Modified Tiffany setting, Regular \$66, for...\$33

Gent's Ring, round Belcher setting, Regular \$60, for...\$30

Lady's Ring, Tiffany setting, Regular \$80, for...\$40

Lady's Ring, 2 diamonds and 3 pearls, Regular \$36, for...\$18

Lady's Ring, 3 stones, weight 1 1/2, 1-16, Regular \$300, for...\$150

Lady's Ring, 4 stones, weight 2, 1-16, Regular \$360, for...\$180

Lady's Ring, Modified Tiffany, Regular \$65, for...\$32.50

Lady's Ring, Modified Tiffany, Regular \$80, for...\$40

Lady's Ring, round Belcher, Regular \$40, for...\$20

Lady's 3-Stone Cluster, Regular \$200, for...\$100

Lady's Cluster Ring, 1 ruby, 4 diamonds and 3 pearls, Regular \$50, for...\$25

Lady's Ring, Regular \$5, for...\$2.50

Gent's Ring, round Belcher setting, Regular \$30, for...\$15

Gent's Ring, flat Belcher setting, Regular \$15, for...\$7.50

Gent's Tiepin, Regular \$28, for...\$14

Lady's Marquise with sapphire centre, Regular \$100, for...\$50

Sterling Silver, Half Price

4 only Large, Heavy Dessert Spoons, Regular \$2.50, for each...\$1.25

One-half dozen Large, Heavy Dessert Spoons, Regular \$2.25 each, for...\$1.15

1 Cold Meat Fork, extra heavy, Regular \$5.75, for...\$2.90

1 Sterling Napkin Ring, Regular \$3, for...\$1.50

1 Sterling Napkin Ring, Regular \$3.25, for...\$1.65

1 Sterling Napkin Ring, Regular \$2.75, for...\$1.40

1 Sterling Buffer, Regular \$2, for...\$1

1 Sterling Napkin Ring, Regular \$1.50, for...\$0.75

Salve Jars, with sterling silver tops, Regular \$1, for each...\$0.50

Ebony at Half Price

Ebony Buffers, Regular 60c, for...\$30c

Ebony Buffers, Regular 75c, for...\$40c

Ebony Nailbrush, Regular 50c, for...\$25c

Ebony Hairbrush, Reg. \$2.50...\$1.25

Ladies' Military Brushes, Regular \$2, for pair...\$1

Ebony Clothesbrush, Reg. \$1.75...\$90c

1 Large White Mirror, Regular \$3.50, for...\$1.75

1 pair Military Brushes, Regular \$4.00, for...\$2.00

1 Clothbrush, Regular \$2.00, for...\$1.00

Watch Specials for This Week

1 only Gent's 18-Size Combination Time and Stop Watch, in nickel case, Regular \$12, for only...\$6

1 only Gent's 16-size Combination Time and Stop Watch, in gold-filled case, for...\$8.50

1 only Gent's 16-Size Combination Time and Stop Watch, in Fortune case, for...\$10

1 only 12-Size Gold-filled case with American movement, for...\$5.20

1 only 16-Size Gold-Filled case, with American movement, for...\$5.20

Boys' 12-Size Nickel Case, American movement, for...\$4

Gent's 16-size Nickel Case, American movement, for...\$4

16-size Stop Watch, in nickel case...\$6

1 only beautifully Enamelled Wristlet Expansion Watch. Sells regularly for \$17, for...\$8.75

Ladies' Gold-Filled Wristlet Watches, Regular \$15, for...\$7.50

Ladies' Gold-Filled Wristlet Watches, Regular \$18, for...\$9

Special—Gent's 16-size Gold-Filled Fortune Case, with 17-jewelled Waltham movement, for...\$12

Special—17-Jewelled Waltham, 18-size, patent regulator, Brequet hairspring, nickel-finished movement, in Fortune case, for...\$11

Gent's 12-Size Gold-Filled Case, with 17-jewelled adjusted movement. Sells regularly for \$30, for...\$15

Silver Plate at Half Price

1 Bonbon, Regular \$1, for...\$0.50

1 Bonbon, Regular \$1.50, for...\$0.75

1 Toast Rack, Regular \$2.50, for...\$1.25

1 large Bake Dish, Regular \$8, for...\$4

1 Clock Ornament, horse on stand, Regular \$3.50, for...\$1.75

1 Smoking Set, Regular \$7, for...\$3.50

Half dozen Butter Spreaders, Regular \$7, for...\$3.50

1 Biscuit Jar, floral design, Regular \$3, for...\$1.50

Mirror in silver frame, Regular \$3.50, for...\$1.75

Comb, Brush and Mirror, in case, Regular \$10.00, for...\$5.00

3 Cold Meat Forks, Regular \$1, for...\$0.50

1 Napkin Ring, Regular \$1