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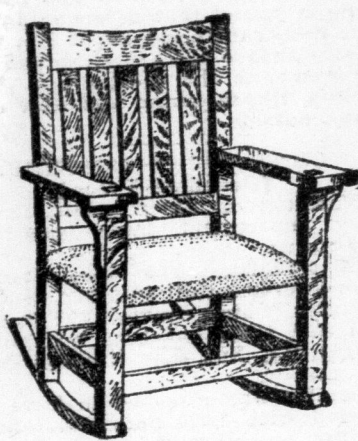
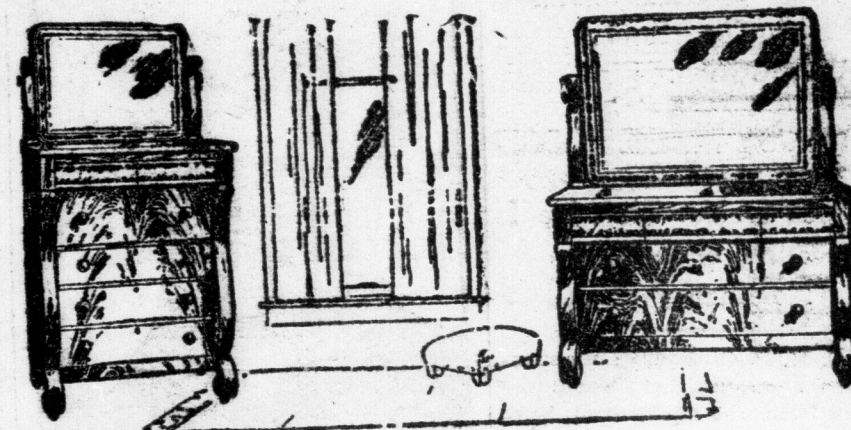
STORE CLOSSES SATURDAY AT SIX

# Christmas Suggestions for the Home

## Visit the Smallman & Ingram Furniture Gift Section

—THIRD FLOOR—

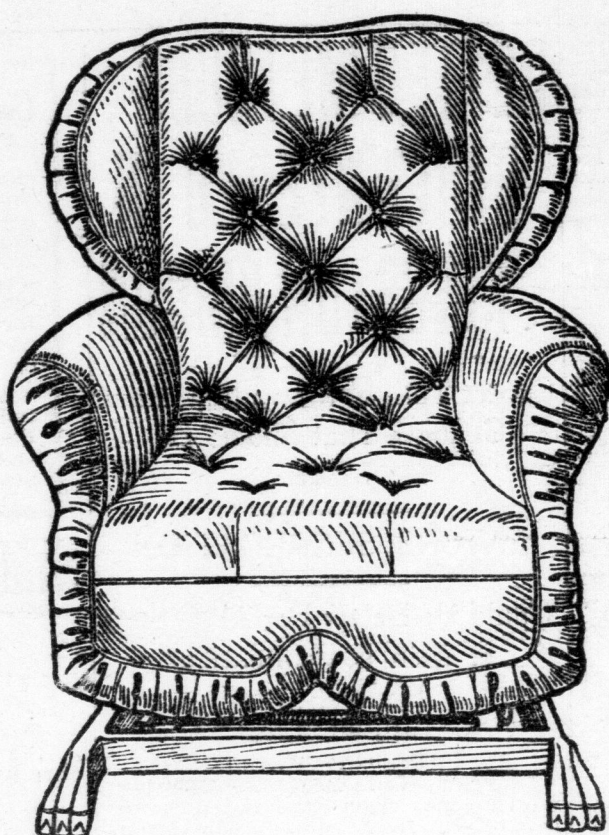
This is one of the most attractive sections in the whole store this season. Here are gathered hundreds of small artistic pieces of mahogany and other beautiful woods from the best factories in Canada and the United States. The products of Berkey & Gay, Grand Rapids, Michigan, are represented here, and other renowned makers of high-class furniture whose goods cannot be found elsewhere in this city. Hundreds of pieces are specially adapted for holiday presentations, many pieces at special prices. A gift of furniture is useful, long enduring, handsome, and as acceptable to a good friend as to a member of your own family.



DEN ROCKERS.  
\$6.50 TO \$25.00.

### Furniture Gifts FOR THE HOME.

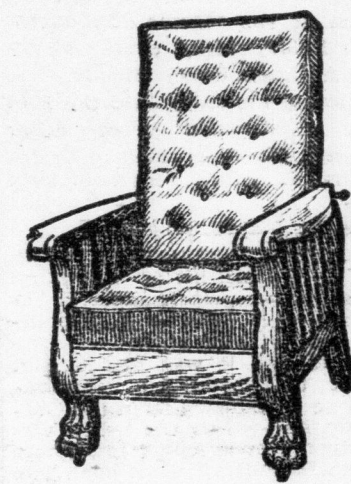
Choose now. We will hold your gifts for delivery later.  
Arm Chairs and Rockers—Handsome designs, solid quartered oak, fumed finish, auto cushions, genuine leather upholstered backs. Each ..... **\$12.00**  
Arm Chair and Rocker—Heavy design, solid quartered oak, fumed finish, full upholstered back and seat in solid leather. Price ..... **\$12.00**  
Big Arm Chair—Solid quartered oak, fumed finish, auto cushion seat and back. Price ..... **\$18.00**  
SPECIAL—All upholstered, big and comfortable chair, something far from the ordinary in genuine buffed leather. Price ..... **\$40.00**



A GIFT SUGGESTION—SPECIAL, \$10.50.

### The Furniture Store Where Moderate Prices Prevail

Morris Chairs in heavy frame quarter-cut oak, fumed finish, imitation leather. Price ..... **\$10.00**  
Massive frame solid quartered oak, fumed finish, imitation leather, loose cushions. Price ..... **\$12.00**  
Handsome frame, solid quarter-cut oak, fumed finish, upholstered in genuine leather, loose cushions, two styles. Price ..... **\$15.00 and \$18.50**  
SETTEE in solid quartered oak, fumed finish, massive frame, heavy loose cushions, 5 feet 6 inches long, genuine leather ..... **\$35.00**  
ARM CHAIR AND ROCKER TO MATCH. Price, each ..... **\$21.00**

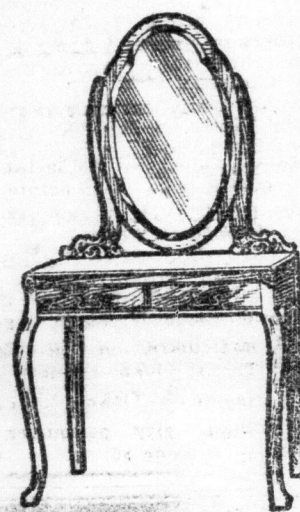


MORRIS CHAIRS,  
\$10.00 TO \$40.00.

### COCOA DOOR MATS

A necessity for every home. Get one for each entrance door. They are made from pure cocoa fibre and are not affected by being left outdoors.  
PRICES ..... **65c, 75c \$1.00 to \$5.00**

### Ladies' Dainty Dressing Tables

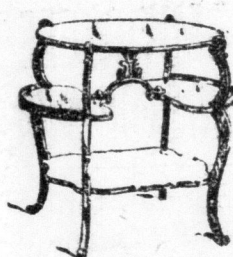


DRESSING TABLES,  
\$12.50 TO \$45.00.

Mahogany top and front, front shaped and beautifully finished, size 30x18. Mirror, 22x18. Price ..... **\$12.50**  
Also in solid mahogany, top and front handsome design, size 38x20 inches. Oval mirror, 24x20 ..... **\$19.00**  
Birdseye Maple Table, double shaped front, beautiful design. Case 33x19 inches. Mirror, 28x16. Price ..... **\$13.50**  
SOLID MAHOGANY, dull finish, Sheraton design; case 36x20 inches. Mirror, 28x16 inches. Price ..... **\$30.00**  
SOLID MAHOGANY, Colonial design, dull finish. Case 34x22. Mirror, 24x20 inches. Price ..... **\$31.00**

### Special Sale of Cork Linoleum

Only four designs in pretty green floral, tile and conventional effects. About 500 yards. This is our regular 50c quality, and at **39c** is exceptional value. Designs are suitable for kitchen, bedroom or dining-room. A room 12x12 feet only costs \$6.24. Special ..... **39c SQUARE YARD**



TEA TABLES,  
\$7.00 TO \$19.50.

### Tea and Serving Tables

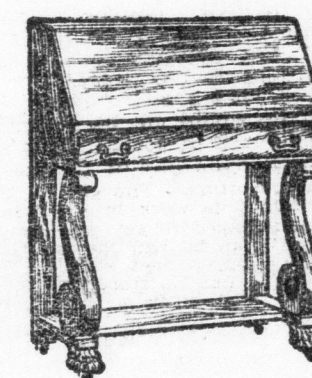
Solid Mahogany Tea Table, with separate serving tray, oval with four shelves inlaid ..... **\$19.00**  
Solid Mahogany Serving Tables with two drop leaves and drawer inlaid. Price ..... **\$17.00**  
Also Solid Mahogany Serving Table with two drop leaves and two drawers, pedestal base ..... **\$19.00**



GIFTS FOR THE HOME.

### Writing Desks

Solid quartered oak, golden or fumed finish; very neat design. Price ..... **\$8.00**  
Also Early English finish, with book rack under desk ..... **\$9.00**  
Plain Birch Mahogany Desk, nicely finished ..... **\$8.00**  
Square colonial design, beautifully made, solid quartered oak, fumed finish ..... **\$13.50**  
Three styles in fumed and mahogany finish; all have book racks ..... **\$15.00**  
Solid Mahogany Ladies' Writing Table, one drawer. Price ..... **\$19.00**  
Heavy pedestal design Solid Mahogany Desk. A handsome piece ..... **\$35.00**  
Solid Mahogany Desk with closed bookcase top and open cabinet bottom ..... **\$45.00**



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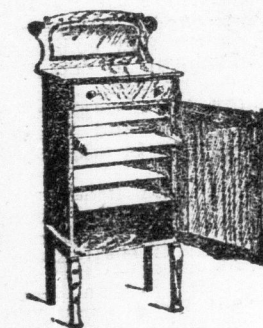
**Bissell's Sweepers** No other cleaning device, pneumatic suction or vacuum, can gather the miscellaneous litter that the Bissell's Sweeper simply swallows up without effort. An ideal gift for the home. Prices ..... **\$2.60, \$2.75, \$3, \$3.25, \$4.50**



SENSIBLE, USEFUL GIFTS.

### Library and Den Tables

Solid quarter-cut fumed oak, with drawer and magazine racks on each end, size 43x27 inches. Price ..... **\$14.00**  
Solid quartered fumed oak, with one drawer and magazine rack on each end and book shelf bottom, heavy extension legs, size 46x29. Price ..... **\$20.00**  
Solid quartered oak, fumed, with desk combination; one top drawer, one open drawer and two small stationary drawers, drop magazine cabinets in each end, and book shelf. Size 49x30 inches. Price ..... **\$29.00**



MUSIC CABINETS,  
\$7.25 TO \$20.00.

## Would a New Floor Rug Bring Christmas Cheer Into the Home?

### Special Sale of Axminster RUGS for Christmas Gifts

These are identically the same rugs that we advertised and sold hundreds of a few weeks ago. They are pure wool and the designs are new. Regular \$2.50, for each, only ..... **\$1.69**

**SANDRINGHAM AXMINSTER CARPETS**—This is the carpet de luxe of the English loom, in rich Persian designs, royal blue with ivory and rose medallion. Also designs for the living-room, dining-room and hall. (Borders to match). Yard ..... **\$3.50**  
**CROWN AXMINSTER, IMPORTED**—Some of our most effective and artistic designs are shown in this quality. (Borders to match). Yard ..... **\$2.50**  
**IMPERIAL AXMINSTER**—Floral, Turkish, conventional and Persian designs, suitable for any room in the home, 27 and 36 inch. (Stairs to match). Prices, per yard ..... **\$1.60, \$1.75, \$2.75**  
**SPECIAL WILTONS**—The Wilton is the carpet that will stand hard wear. Designs suitable for parlor, living-room, hall, stairs and bedrooms. Prices, per yard ..... **\$1.75, \$2.00, \$2.35, \$2.75**  
**IMPORTED BRUSSELS**—In full 5-frame, 4-frame and 3-frame quality. We are showing over 50 new design in Brussels, representing thousands of yards, and in a wonderful variety of designs suitable for every room in the home. (Stairs and body to match). Yd. **\$1.50, \$1.35, \$1.25, \$1.10, \$1**  
Rugs of any size or shape can be made from the above carpets. Measurements taken and estimates given free of charge.

**CROSSLEY'S VELVETS.**  
2 1-3 by 3 ..... **\$15.00** 3 2 by 4 ..... **\$27.50**  
3 by 3 2 ..... **\$18 to \$20** 3 2 by 4 2 ..... **\$35.00**  
3 by 4 ..... **\$20 to \$22** 4 by 4 ..... **\$32.50**

**IMPORTED WILTON RUGS**—No carpet is more durable than the Wilton. Our stock includes rugs from Crossley's, Templeton's, Humphries, Harrison, and Bond & Worth's. All makers with world-wide reputations.  
9 by 9 ..... **\$25 to \$50**  
4 ft. 6x6 ..... **\$10.50 to \$15** 9 by 10 6 ..... **\$25 to \$55**  
4 6 by 7 6 ..... **\$10.50 to \$18** 9 by 12 ..... **\$27.50 to \$85**  
4 6 by 9 ..... **\$15 to \$21.50** 11 3 by 12 ..... **\$42.50 to \$70**  
6 9 by 9 ..... **\$18.50 to \$40** 11 3 by 13 6 ..... **\$47.50 to \$85**  
**IMPORTED BRUSSELS RUGS**—Our Brussels Rugs are from the same reliable makers as our Wiltons, and are guaranteed for hard wear. Designs for parlor, living-room, hall, den, library and bedroom.  
6 ft. 9 by 9 ..... **\$15.00** 9 by 12 ..... **\$20 to \$30**  
9 by 9 ..... **\$13.50 to \$25.00** 11 3 by 12 ..... **\$25 to \$35**  
9 by 10 6 ..... **\$18 to \$27.50** 11 3 by 13 6 ..... **\$35 to \$45**  
Tapestry Rugs in all standard sizes ..... **\$6.50 to \$20**

**UPHOLSTERY WORK FOR CHRISTMAS.**  
Orders given now will be delivered before Christmas. Goods called for and delivered without extra charge. Have you any worn chairs to recover? Our prices for this work are very moderate. Excellent materials at **\$1.25 and \$1.50** a yard up to **\$5.50**. Orders must be in at once for Christmas delivery.

**WOVEN ROOM RUGS**—Axminsters, richly colored, in medallion, floral and Persian designs. These rugs are woven by experts from the finest materials.  
3 1/2 x 4 ..... **\$32.00 to \$54.00**  
2 1-3 x 3 ..... **\$25.00** 3 x 3 2 ..... **\$25.00 to \$45.00**  
3 x 3 ..... **\$20.00 to \$27.50** 3 x 4 ..... **\$27.50 to \$50.00**

### Christmas Gift Hints From Bedding and Drapery Sections Fourth Floor.

A visit to this floor may solve the hardest problem in gifts for the home. Useful gifts such as new Portieres, Curtains, Bedroom Boxes, Settees, Bedspreads, Blankets, Comforters, etc. Here is a brief list:  
Portieres made of velour, single or double edged with cord or applique for average height door. At ..... **\$15.00** pair up  
Rope Portieres for archways, from **\$5 to \$10.50**  
Tapestry Curtains, at pair ..... **\$1.98 to \$15.00**  
Side Curtains and Valances, complete. **\$5.00 up**  
**BEDROOM BOXES AND SETTEES**—Made from your own selection in cretonnes. **\$4.50 to \$10**  
**BEDSPREADS**—White or colored. **85c to \$5.50**  
**DOWN COMFORTERS**—From **\$5.00 to \$27.50**  
Cotton-Filled Comforters, from **\$1.50 to \$7.50**  
White Wool Blankets, pair ..... **\$2.95 to \$14.00**  
**THREE SPECIAL BLANKETS NOW ON SALE.** \$4.50, \$6.50 and \$9 Blankets, pair. **\$3.45, \$5.25, \$7.50**  
Sanitary Feather Pillows, all steam dressed, from, pair ..... **\$1.10 to \$6.50**

### Special Hearth RUGS for Christmas Gifts

An assortment of Hearth Rugs that includes Orientals, Wiltons, Axminsters, Mohairs, Velvets, etc. and represents every size. There is always a place in the home for one more pretty Hearth Rug. Prices, **\$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50 up to \$35.**

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London Advertiser

Founded in 1863. ADVERTISER BUILDING, Dundas Street, London, Ont.

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HOME PRODUCTS. London rose above a factional, narrow, small-town spirit as never before in its history at the "Home Products" banquet Friday night.

Men of every shade of opinion gathered in a neighborly spirit and broke bread together. The long tables that accommodated more than 400 citizens were as one great family table.

It may be said, paradoxically, that the exalting influence of feasting is a great leveller. Feasting often precedes important directors' meetings, when great movements are in the air.

London has always had the men with the heads on their shoulders. But a complete organization "with everyone working together for the good of the city" has been lacking.

In Gordon Phillip the city has a man who can transform enthusiasm into productive energy. He is well supported by a committee of industrious businessmen, headed by Lieut.-Col. Gortshore.

The new bureau should be the clearing-house for London's ideas and energy. The virus of optimism inoculated into the minds of 400 businessmen Friday night will never die.

MILITARY UNIVERSITIES. By reports from Ottawa it would seem that our irrepresible Minister of Militia has evolved another scheme.

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large expenditure for military purposes will be enormously increased. 3. The training of a number of university students in special classes, with special provision for their comfort, and under the influence of a special form of social life, will tend to develop a military caste among young Canadians whose chief aim in life would be military service.

4. As the scheme will, if successful, turn out several hundred trained officers each year, and as a staff of officers without an army would be an absurdity, there must be an extension of military training among the younger generation attending our public schools.

This proposed system of university military education is of such great importance, not only for what it proposes, but for what it suggests, and what may be its logical conclusion, that it demands most careful consideration.

Over in the States there has been an uprising of the Navajo Indians under Chief Be She She. If there is anything in a name, this might be taken as an indication that Mrs. Pankhurst's recent visit is bearing fruit among the aborigines.

At a Methodist conference in North Carolina it was decided that the ministers in its jurisdiction could go on smoking, but "without encouragement." If any smoker needs encouragement in order to keep on smoking he might as well swear off.

The Montreal Daily Mail says that any charges of disloyalty against Sir Wilfrid Laurier is "not worthy of the consideration of reasonable Canadians." Quite so, but there must be, then, a large number of unreasonable Canadians among the Conservatives.

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The institution has been of great service to Western Ontario. Not only has the Anglican Church profited, but the pertinacious struggle of Huron College against financial straits and its triumph over adverse conditions have been an example to those London educationists who have worked for a university. In fact, Huron College has largely brought the university into being, just as the needs of Presbyterianism gave Queen's its start.

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hurricane deck, these car boats are dangerous at any time. It is inviting death's embrace to run them through the early winter blizzards, before the ice has frozen.

Canada's outgoing Christmas mail is the biggest in years. And they are not writing home for money, either.

Mayor Graham and Theodore Roosevelt are distinctly different types, in that T. R. ran for a third term and C. M. R. declined.

"A Cabinet of Strong Men," says a barrel organ of Whitney and Whiskey. Gadzoos, it refers to the Ontario cabinet! The strong drink men, perhaps.

A young lady in the United States is suing in one of the courts for \$5,000 for a kiss. This is too modest. If the article was worth anything it was worth more than that.

Andrew Broder, M. P. says that nearly every article of food is cheaper now than it has been. If some of the merchants who supply him with food would start branch stores in London they would do a good business.

The Montreal Star tells its readers "there is no doubt Alsace is the most dangerous spot in Europe." Has the Star finally, totally, forever, and for the last time, and in conclusion, given up the North Sea as the centre of danger?

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ABE MARTIN



What's become o' the feller who used t' be willin' t' work at anything till Bud was found unconscious in a alley south o' his home last night. A Kieffer pear tied up in a handkerchief wuz found hard by.

take home the kind of chop and chuck he takes on his patrons. By the same token a bartender may reasonably be expected to imbibe of the exhilarants which he pushes across the counter.

"Peanut politics" has long been a phase of a certain opprobrium, although few people know just why. It generally has been accepted on the ground of the common idea of the insignificance of the peanut, but if tradition coming from the southern part of the state may be trusted, this is not altogether the foundation.

The names may be fictitious or they may be genuine, but the story goes that Ike Crawley, now said to be a venerable old clerk, having received a nomination for the office back in the "eighties" ran short of funds wherewith to make his real campaign.

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LONDON'S EXPANSION

Acting President Mitchell, of Board of Trade, Gives Interesting Figures.

In his address at the Industrial Bureau banquet in the Masonic Hall on Friday night, Acting President E. C. Mitchell, of the London Board of Trade, presented an interesting array of figures concerning the development of London along various lines of commerce. Mr. Mitchell's address was on the subject of "Trade Expansion," and he went into the matter fully.

Bank clearings in 1908, \$56,785,041; in 1909, \$62,098,387; in 1912, \$84,526,961; or an increase in five years of \$27,741,920, or about 50 per cent. The increase over 1911 was nearly \$14,000,000, or 15 per cent.

The customs returns show an increase from \$743,312 in 1908 to \$1,232,449 in 1912, or an increase of \$489,137, or 67 per cent.

Inland revenue receipts jumped from \$300,000 in 1908 to \$529,356 in 1912, or an increase of more than 60 per cent.

London assessments for the same period, 1908-1912, show an increase from \$24,665,715 to \$31,694,805, or 29 per cent.

Building permits increased from \$801,170 to \$1,136,108, or 40 per cent, with the year just closing far ahead of any previous year.

Real estate transfers have increased in the same period from \$1,294,659 to \$1,923,235, or 50 per cent.

The population, while not maintaining the increase of such cities as Toronto or Hamilton, has been steady and of a permanent type.

In manufacturing London has steadily forged ahead, and now has up to 240 factories, representing a capital expenditure of \$15,000,000, employing 12,000 hands, and having an annual payroll of over four millions and a half.

The last census of Canada shows that London is the seventh city in the Dominion as a manufacturing centre, and fourth in the province.

Wonderful Wholesale Centre. London is the second wholesale distributing centre in Ontario, and the largest in the Dominion in proportion to population.

DUGALD McTAVISH DIED UNEXPECTEDLY. Prominent Dunwich Farmer Had Gone Away to Undergo Operation.

Dutton, Dec. 13. — A telegram received this afternoon, announced the very sudden death at Rochester, Minn., of Dugald McTavish, aged 46, one of the most prominent farmers of Dunwich.

He had been ill for about six months with stomach trouble, and only left a short time ago to have an operation performed by the famous Mayo brothers.

On the scores of able writers attached to the staff of the London Advertiser, probably none gained a wider reading public than C. B. Lewis (M. Quad), who worked in London in the latter vined back "The Lime Kiln Club" was perused by millions.

THE VOICE OF THE PEOPLE

Mr. Pocock on Separation. To the Editor of The Advertiser:

I request the privilege of replying through your columns to statements made by Ald. Richter concerning the separation of the waterworks and electrical departments as reported in your paper of last Saturday's issue.

Ald. Richter admits that it is his intention to leave the Horton street station under the sole control of the water utilities commissioners owing to the intimate relation between the two departments at this place.

He goes on to state, however, that Springbank is really quite a separate station and working under different conditions. This is absolutely incorrect.

The electrical and waterworks functions of the Springbank station are as closely knitted together as are those of the Horton street station.

There is \$184,000 of equipment at Springbank owned by the electrical department, and designated as electrical sub-station No. 3.

This is used to operate circuits feeding the parks, Byron and Sasser, but more particularly for load and for power factor correction.

For load factor correction the pumps must not be operated at times when the demand for electricity in the city is at a maximum.

This maximum or peak occurs at varying times of the day and of the early evening; the operator in charge of the Horton street station watching the maximum demand meter mounted there, telephones instructions from time to time to the Springbank operator directing him to pump or when to stop.

The department is not aware of any case where it has broken a permanent pavement in order to lay mains. Perhaps the statement is wrongly quoted; I would, therefore, suggest that Ald. Richter fully state the case for separation in the columns of your valued paper, and I would appreciate the privilege of replying thereto in the same manner.

Some Notable "Advertiser" Graduates. From Toronto Saturday Night.

Messrs. Melville W. Rossie and Charles O. Smith, who on Dec. 1st took possession as joint owners of the Fort Arthur Daily Chronicle, the former as editor and the latter as business manager, are two representatives of the newer school of Canadian journalism who may be expected to give a good account of themselves.

Both are young men and both are graduates of the London Advertiser, a journal which has the reputation of having turned out many competent newspaper men.

Mr. Rossie entered The Advertiser in the early thirties, and after passing through various grades of the news department, became assistant editorial writer under the late John Cameron, one of the founders of the paper.

Mr. Smith joined the reporting staff of the Toronto Mail and Empire, returning to the Advertiser two years later, on the retirement of Mr. Cameron, to the comfortable berth of the postmaster.

Mr. Rossie became manager-editor, a post which he has held to the present time. Mr. Smith joined The Advertiser in 1899, and after passing through various grades of the news department, became assistant editorial writer under the late John Cameron, one of the founders of the paper.

WONDERFUL OPERATION WILL SAVE LINEMAN

Hip Joints Had Grown Together, But Bones Were Opened and Scraped.

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Over four years ago Robinson first felt the trouble, and ultimately it was discovered his hip joints had grown together.

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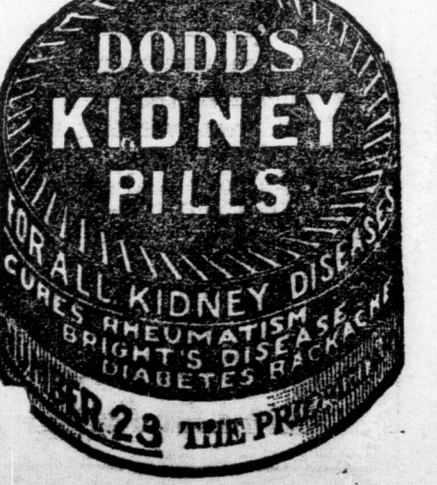
BRALEY'S POEM TODAY

The Perversity of Fate

When I want to stay home and be quite at ease, Just to loaf as I wish and to dress as I please, And I settle myself in my big easy chair, To read or to slumber with never a care, The telephone rings and I'm offered a chance To go to a show or a supper or a dance, Or the voice which at other times gives me delight Says, "Can't you come over and see me tonight?"

But when I am eager for something to do, All dressed up to kill in my clothes that are new, And when I go forth with a heart that is gay, Just longing for someone to share in my play, There is nary a soul anywhere I am at Who hasn't engagements or something like that, And if there's a party my luck's so brightened On occasions like this I am never invited; Wherever I go and however I roam There's no one to play with, there's nobody home, So back to my room I must drearily creep, And cry myself sadly and slowly to sleep.

BERTON BRALEY.



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FOR THE WOMAN OF TODAY

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ENGLISH YULE-TIDE CAKES AND PUDDINGS

[BY MRS. EMILY RIESENBERG.] "Let good appetite wait upon digestion."—Shakespeare.

Those who favor the custards of old England will fancy cakes and puddings of a substantial order...

English Seed Cake.

Ingredients—One-half cup butter, one cup granulated sugar, four eggs, two cups sifted pastry flour...

English Plum Pudding.

Ingredients—Two cups dry, grated bread crumbs, two cups raisins and currants, one-half cup sugar...

It is cooled, brush off all loose or dark particles, and do not ice the dark cake until it is to be used or iced will turn dark.

English Plum Cake.

Ingredients—One and one-half cups butter, three cups powder sugar, four eggs, four cups sifted pastry flour...

rub through sieve; now add the syrup and stir until mixed. Place in greased pudding mold, filling mold two-thirds full...

Sea Foam Pudding Sauce.

Ingredients—One and one-half cups water, four tablespoons strained lemon juice, four tablespoons cornstarch, three-fourths cup sugar, one tablespoon butter...

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- Doilies, Centres, Traycloths, Stand Covers, Tea Cloths, Etc. Remember our sale of Fancy Linens last year? Well, this sale is a clearing of \$600 worth of Christmas stock from the same importer...

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Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a limited space, and all letters have to be answered in turn. No letters can be answered privately.]

Dear Miss Grey—I am fourteen years of age and have been reading your columns, and have found them interesting and very helpful. Will you please answer the following question? How to remove a black tea stain out of a gray cloth dress. BUNNY.

Dear Miss Grey: Would you kindly furnish me with a recipe for best Ontario fruit cake, and you will greatly oblige, yours very truly, M. E. D. I do not know a recipe of the name you mention, but here is one you will find perfectly reliable. I am sure: One cup butter, 2 cups sugar, 1 cup molasses, 6 cups flour, 1 cup sour cream or milk, 3 eggs, 1 large teaspoon soda, 1 pound raisins, 1 pound currants, 1/4 pound mixed peel, 1 pound dates stoned and cut in half, 1/2 nutmeg grated, level teaspoon cloves, a heaping teaspoon of cinnamon, 1/4 pound walnuts, 1/4 pound almonds, blanched. This makes one large cake or two small ones.

Dear Miss Grey—I come to you for a little information, like the rest. Thanking you in advance. 1. You have no doubt heard and knew of the square dances having a gentleman to call them off (or giving instructions). Could you tell me where I could purchase a book of same? 2. What will close the large pores in the nose? 3. What will take fruit and grease stains out of satin? Oblige, A READER.

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Dear Miss Grey: Having received help from reading your column I now

Bad Blood is a poisonous and dangerous thing. It affects every organ and function and brings about that low condition that predisposes to most diseases and ailments. HOOD'S SARSAPARILLA corrects it and makes pure blood.

OUR ASTROLOGER HOROSCOPE SATURDAY, DEC. 13, 1913. Mars doth blaze With kindly rays. Astrologers read in the skies omens of ill luck today. Saturn and the sun are in aspects strongly adverse...

John? Thanking you in advance, we remain, E. F. G. M. A.—1. Personally, I think it is just a superstition. 2. I suppose it should be the one who has given offence, but sometimes it pays for the other person to make the advances. 3. No harm in giving some trivial gift, as a book, small picture or calendar. 4. A princess, heroine, victory, pleasant, lovable, charming, blooming, happiness, peace.

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RED STOCKING CLUB. They are commencing to arrive! Who? Which? What? Why? The Advertiser Red Christmas Stockings, of course. Every day they are being returned to The Advertiser office, these cheery "Christmas" stockings, crammed to the limit with all sorts of good things, toys, dolls, and, well, everything that a Christmas stocking should contain.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE. Mount Brydges Members Heard Fine Report of Toronto Convention. [Special to The Advertiser.] Mount Brydges, Dec. 13.—The Mount Brydges Branch of Women's Institute met at the home of Mrs. McKenzie, with a large attendance of members and visitors. One of the principal numbers on the program was the report of the convention held in Toronto, given by the president, Mrs. Coy.

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DAINTY NIGHT ROBES. Have you noticed the lovely night-gowns fashioned of crepe de chine? If purchased in the shops they are extremely expensive, but can be made at home for about one-half the price asked. Select a good quality of white, pale pink or blue crepe de chine and a pattern. Using this as a guide, cut out the crepe de chine and baste the sec-

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ALL THE NEWS THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

Yes, Jeff Is Somewhat Hazy On Spanish Pronunciation

By "Bud" Fisher



MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE WILL OPEN ON JANUARY 6

McClary's and Gaste's Will Play Opening Game—Schedule Will Be Drawn Up Shortly—List of Players Handed In.

McClary and Gaste will play the opening game in the Manufacturers' Hockey League on Jan. 6, while Lawson & Jones and the Greene-Suffs will provide the second attraction. The Perrins and McCormick teams will meet in the first game on the following Thursday. The schedule will be completed by a committee composed of Messrs. Rhodes, Perry and Gill, and will be published in full shortly.



HERZOG TO MANAGE THE REDS; TINKER SOLD TO BROOKLYN

Charles H. Ebbets Paid \$25,000 for the Former Cub Shortstop—Biggest Price Ever Paid for Player—Herzog Has Been Traded to the Reds by the Giants.

New York, Dec. 13.—Though that part of the deal has not yet been announced, Charlie Herzog, third baseman of the New York Giants in the past two world series, and star pitcher on either side, in that of 1912 will be the next manager of the Cincinnati National League Club, succeeding Joe Tinker. Already he is property of the Ohio club, a deal that has been hanging fire for two or three days being completed tonight. But Garry Herrmann, president of the Reds, refused to confirm the story that Herzog will lead his team. The Cincinnati manager left for home tonight, and presumably wishes his directors to take action before any official statement is made. It is a fact, however, that he has been conferring with Herzog, during the meeting, and asked his advice on several offers for Joe Tinker.

PITTSBURG AND ST. LOUIS PULL OFF BIG TRADES

Pirates Get Konetchy, Harmon and Mowrey for Five Players From Cardinals.

New York, Dec. 12.—Before the season had concluded discussion of the Cincinnati, New York and Brooklyn clubs had figured, following the conclusion of the National League meeting, the Pittsburgh and St. Louis managements made announcement of a trade that overshadowed in interest all of the others. Four men and \$25,000 in cash were involved in the transaction referred to. But the Pirates and Cardinals put through a deal that gives new uniforms to eight ball players, and that will change the lineups of two teams next season.

EASTERN ASSOCIATION OBJECTS TO OTHER NAME

Protests Against the League Being Called the Eastern League.

New Haven, Conn., Dec. 13.—President James O'Rourke, of the Eastern Association, has protested the proposed change of name of the New York-New Jersey League to the Eastern League. In his protest sent yesterday, Mr. O'Rourke points out the liability of players and patrons to confuse the two organizations, to the possible disadvantage of the Eastern Association, which for many years was the Connecticut League.

TINKER DECLINES TO SAY WHETHER HE WILL SIGN

Could Not Conceal His Surprise When Told He Would Get \$10,000 Out of the Deal.

Chicago, Dec. 12.—Joe Tinker, deposed manager of the Cincinnati club of the National Baseball League, is "considering" whether he will accept \$10,000 cash for reporting to the Brooklyn club. Tinker has failed to conceal his surprise when told of the offer that had been made for his services. He declined, however, to state whether he would agree to the deal or not until he had received an official account of the transaction.

CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE WILL LET DOWN BAR TO O.H.A. PLAYERS

Western University Enters Team and League Will Meet on Monday Night Draw Uu Schedule.

The City Hockey League will hold a meeting in the Orient Club rooms on Monday evening at 8 o'clock, and some important developments are expected. The Western University will enter a team with the proviso that O. H. A. players be admitted to the league, and as a consequence it is likely the league will let down the bars to O. H. A. men, and the Orientals will come back into the fold.



LESTER PATRICK, of Victoria Hockey Club, who was injured at practice, and may be out of the game for a month.

SARNIA JUNIORS NOW IN GROUP WITH LONDON

Four Teams in Local Junior O. H. A. District—Certificates Mailed to Clubs.

The Coldwater club will play Junior O. H. A. Instead of intermediate, and has been transferred from group No. 11, intermediate, to group No. 11, Junior. The Sarnia Juniors were omitted in the original grouping, but have been added to group No. 2, a division with London, Ingersoll and Woodstock College.

RITCHIE AND MURPHY TO MEET FEBRUARY 22

Champion Is Still Being Treated For Abscess in His Nose—Condition Is Favorable.

San Francisco, Dec. 12.—Willie Ritchie will be ready to defend his lightweight championship title in this city against champion Tommy Murphy on Washington's birthday. This announcement was made this afternoon by his manager, Harry Foley.

SARNIA BEAT DETROIT IN CLOSE, ROUGH GAME

Border Town Team Scores Goal in the First Minute of Play—Door a Star.

Detroit, Dec. 12.—Sarnia's O. H. A. intermediate team defeated the Arena seven here tonight by the score of 2 to 1 in a fast game. The Canadians, augmented by Prout and Farlow, of last year's Detroit team, played a good game. They scored the first goal of the game ten seconds after the puck had been faced off. Dorr doing the trick. Dorr was the pick of the Sarnia team, and he was the best man on the ice. The score at half-time was 1 to 0. In the second period Detroit evened it up when Meyers scored, but Farlow came back some minutes later with the goal that won the game. Prout played a remarkable game in goal for Sarnia, and his work was undoubtedly a major factor in a defeat. The play was in Sarnia territory three-fifths of the time, and Pelletier had little to do. The game was rough one at times, both teams landing out stiff body checks. The line-up: Detroit—Goal, Pelletier; point, Black; cover point, Emory; rover, Grady; centre, Meyers; right wing, Johnson; left wing, Kennedy (captain). Sarnia—Goal, Prout; point, McCart; cover point, Granmary; rover, Farlow (captain); centre, Lesueur; right wing, Dodge; left wing, Dorr. Referee—"Suddy" Sutherland, Detroit.

Charleston Results

First race, 2-year-olds, selling, purse \$300, 5/8 furlongs—1 Bastante, 2 Deposit, 3 Green Base. Time, 1:29 3/4. Second race, all ages, selling, purse \$300, 5/8 furlongs—1 John Marris, 2 Sir Caladore, 3 Whis. Time, 1:30. Third race, all ages, selling, purse \$300, 5/8 furlongs—1 Ancon, 2 Chartier, 3 Chas. Caneel. Time, 1:28 4/5. Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, purse \$300, 1 1/4 miles—1 Over the Sands, 2 Ella Grane, 3 Outlan. Time, 2:10 1/2. Fifth race, 3-year-olds and upward, selling, purse \$300, 1 mile—1 Harcourt, 2 Fairy Godmother, 3 Plain Ann. Time, 1:44. Sixth race, 3-year-olds and upward, selling, purse \$300, 1 mile—1 Michael Angelo, 2 Skande, 3 Coropsis. Time, 1:44 3/5.

Juarez Results

First race, 6 furlongs—1 Augustus Helme, 2 Dr. Abiley, 3 Droll. Time, 1:12 2/5. Second race, 1 1/16 miles—1 Sigurd, 2 Cordie P., 3 Robert. Time, 1:47. Third race, 5/8 furlongs—1 Bing, 2 Mangano, 3 Edith W. Time, 1:36. Fourth race, 1 mile—1 Manasseh, 2 John Reardon, 3 Bert Getty. Time, 1:37 1/5. Fifth race, 5/8 furlongs—1 Miss Sly, 2 Janus, 3 King Radford. Time, 1:36 4/5. Sixth race, 5/8 furlongs—1 Pay Streak, 2 New Haven, 3 Mack B. Eubanks. Time, 1:05.

CROSS AND ANDERSON SIGN FOR JANUARY 1

Will Battle Twenty Rounds at 135 Pounds in Vernon Arena on New Year's Day.

Los Angeles, Dec. 12.—Leach Cross and Bud Anderson in a 20-round boxing bout, at 135 pounds two hours before the fight, will be the New Year's attraction at the Vernon arena. Sam Wallace and Dick Donald, managers of the two fighters, came to this agreement late this afternoon after a lengthy wrangle. A compromise was finally effected and articles were signed.

SIX TEAMS LEADING IN SIX-DAY GRIND

Several Teams Have Withdrawn, While New Combinations Have Been Formed.

New York, Dec. 13.—Riding in new combination as a result of pairing after team withdrawals early today there were six leaders in the six-day bicycle race at 8 a.m. the 12th hour, tied with 2,481 miles 7 laps. The former record was 2,469 miles laps. The leaders were: Goulet-Folger, Hill-Ryan, Verri-Brocce, Root-McNamara, Magin-Lawrence and Drobach-Hastead. The Mitten-Thomas and Cory-Walker teams were only a lap behind the leaders. A lap behind them were Carman-Cameron and Breton-Packebusch. The racing teams necessitating new combinations were: Pervich-Breton, Appichans-Packebusch, Clark-Walthour, Kopye-Keefe.

Old Saws

"Success is what we call luck in the other fellow, good judgment in ourselves." Seely's After-Shave is lucky for both of us, keeps the face young and fresh.

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Advertisement for Starr Figure Skates. Text: 'The Charm of the Ice Waltz. With its alluring turns and swings is easy to understand and the delicate and graceful performances of the Figure Skater are the admiration of all. The full pleasure of fancy skating is made possible to all who use "STARR" Figure Skates. They are best in every way—design—material—construction and finish. Runners are specially tempered and welded—require very little sharpening. "STARR" FIGURE SKATES are the most moderately priced of their kind on the market. The "STARR" "G. B." Figure (on the left) is a favorite with expert fancy skaters. The "STARR" Figure (on the right), one of the most approved styles, has curved runners specially adapted for dancing and difficult figures. All "STARR" Skates are unconditionally guaranteed—if they break bring them back and get a new pair free. All Good Dealers sell them. Write for Illustrated Catalogue and Dept. STARR MFG. CO., LIMITED DARTMOUTH, N.S. Branch: 122 Wellington West, Toronto, Ont. 1134'

LONDON CHURCHES GET TOGETHER AND ORGANIZE DENOMINATIONAL BODY CONTROLLING ATHLETICS

Organization Will Be Known as the Inter-denominational Athletic Association and It Will Govern All Church Athletics—Officers Elected and Constitution Drawn Up at Big Meeting Held Last Night.

The Interdenominational Athletic Association became a reality at a meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. last evening, which was attended by several representatives from different churches throughout the city.

Article 4—No player shall be eligible for team representing a Sunday school which is other than the church of which the player is a member.

The following churches were represented at last night's meeting: St. James (Anglican), Askin Street Methodist, King Street Presbyterian, Adelaide Street Baptist, Colborne Street Methodist, Christ Church (Anglican), Dundas Street Methodist, Talbot Street Baptist, St. Andrew's Presbyterian.

Article 5—Each team shall give to the executive before the opening of the season such entrance fee and forfeit deposit as may be decided upon by the executive.

The constitution of the organization was passed upon and the officers elected. A committee to deal with the securing of rink and the other arrangements necessary before the hockey league is gotten under way was also formed.

Article 6—No player shall play in any game without having first presented to the referee when demanded a permit from the executive, signed by the president and secretary.

Thought Nothing But Death Would End Her Misery. WAS TROUBLED WITH Heart Disease. Mrs. J. D. Talbot, Owen Sound, Ont., writes: "I have been a great sufferer from heart disease, and leaking valves. I have had recourse to every kind of treatment I could think might help me, including the skill of several doctors.

Table with columns: Ply. Won. Lost. Dwn. Pts. Famous... 7 5 1 1 11, Saskatoon... 8 5 2 1 11, Marine... 8 5 3 0 10, Radium... 8 5 3 0 10, Gladstone... 8 5 3 0 10, Bell... 8 5 3 0 10, Ladies' Aid... 8 4 4 0 0, Kootenay... 8 4 4 0 0, Pandora... 8 3 4 1 7, Maryboro... 8 3 4 1 7, Sunbom... 8 3 4 1 7, Sunshine... 8 3 3 0 6, Chef... 8 3 3 0 6, Champion... 8 3 5 0 6, Regina... 8 2 4 1 5, Patry Queen... 8 2 5 1 5, Magnet... 8 2 6 6 4, Kitchener... 8 2 6 0 4.

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Details of Biggest Deal Day in Years At League Meeting

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BOARD OF WORKS SPENDS \$217,437 DURING YEAR 1913

Ald. B. W. Bennett and His Committee Set Record in 'Improvements. STREET OILING EXPENSIVE City Engineer Issues Interesting Statement of the Year's Accomplishments.

The board of works under the progressive chairmanship of Ald. B. W. Bennett has this year established a record in the amount of improvements work done.

The estimated expenditure as authorized out of current revenue, has exceeded, but to an infinitesimal extent for the work done.

Now Under Construction. Bylaws have been passed for the following work, which has not yet been completed:

Estimated cost \$14,687 14. Sewers, 128 ft., \$5,613 00. Sidewalks, 1,500 ft., 500 10. Curbs and gutters, 500 ft., 7,073 35. Gravel roads, 1,673 ft., 1,480 24.



CARLING LAGER

Add to the Christmas Cheer. The best is none too good to offer your guests at the holiday season, so order an extra good supply of CANADA CLUB LAGER. It stands FIRST in the favor of EVERYBODY as the most fitting of all Holiday Beverages.

yards of brick paving repairs were made over a length of 423 feet on Talbot street.

An area of 492,891 square yards was oiled during the year, a mileage of 27,200 at a total cost of \$11,250.51, which amount was made up as follows:

Cost of oil, \$10,071.56; cost of labor, \$1,178.95; cost of equipment, \$1,000.00. Total, \$12,250.51.

Wharfnell road bridge construction: Abutments and pier contract, \$7,441; steel superstructure contract, \$18,750; total cost, \$26,191.

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Butcher bulls, good, 2.50 to 3.00. Feeders, 1,000 lbs., 2.00 to 2.75. Feeding bulls, 4.00 to 4.75.

Butcher hogs, 800 lbs., 5.25 to 6.25. Stockers, medium, 4.00 to 4.50. Stockers, light, 3.50 to 4.00.

Milkers, choice, each, 60.00 to 90.00. Milkers, common, medium, 35.00 to 45.00. Hogs, off cars, 8.00 to 9.00.

LOCAL O.H.A. SCHEDULES TO BE ARRANGED MONDAY

Convener Vining Calls Meeting of Teams for Monday Afternoon in Woodstock—Three Schedules.

Secretary Barney Vining, of the London hockey club, convener of Intermediate Group 7 and Junior Group 8, has called a meeting of representatives from each team in these groups for Monday afternoon in Woodstock, to arrange the schedules for the coming season.

The local district has been augmented by the Sarnia team, making four teams in A division of Group No. 8, and three teams in B division. Three schedules will have to be arranged, one for the intermediate district and one each for the two divisions in the junior group.

HEALTH ASSOCIATION HEARS MONTHLY REPORT

38 Patients Now in Byron Sanatorium—Receipts Total \$1,146.53.

The London Health Association met Friday in the city hall with Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore presiding in the absence of Hon. Adam Beck, president. Reports of the resident physician of the Byron Sanatorium showed the number of patients to be 38, ten of whom were from municipalities outside of London and Middlesex, fifteen of whom were private patients, twelve of the remainder being city patients, and one being from the County of Middlesex.

Revenue from all sources for the month, including Government grant furnished by the city, totalled \$1,146.53. The sanatorium visiting nurse made 65 home visits during the month.

CHOOSE HON. GEO. LAWRENCE. [Canadian Press.]

Killarney, Man., Dec. 13.—Killarney Conservatives unanimously nominated Hon. George Lawrence, minister of agriculture, to be once more their candidate next provincial election.

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ST. JOHN'S MEN'S CLUB ELECTS NEW OFFICERS

Ray Lawson, Selected President—Debt on the Church Subscribed For.

Mr. Ray Lawson was elected president of the Men's Club of St. John's Church at a largely-attended meeting Friday evening, W. A. Johnston was elected vice-president, and the new secretary-treasurer will be Milton Jackson.

A pleasing feature of the meeting was the announcement that, owing to the good work of the men's committee, promises had been secured from members of the congregation to contribute an amount sufficient to wipe out the entire debt of the church.

Rev. R. W. Norwood lectured to the members of the club, and the large number of their friends who were present on "Browning." He gave a splendid interpretation of Browning's famous poem, "Abt Vogler," pointing out the genius of the poet in so ably outlining the character of the old master of harmony, and his idea as to the place of music in the life of the human race.

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SUNDAY SERVICES. SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON SUNDAY, DECEMBER 14 "THE SIN OF ACHAN" Joshua vii.

Adelaide St. Baptist Church Rev. James H. Boyd, Pastor. Services tomorrow: 11—Preacher, Rev. W. C. Riddford. 3—Bible School and Adult Classes. 7—Preacher—Rev. J. Bailey, secretary Dominion Alliance. Full chorus choir under the leadership of Mr. Frank Weaver. Strangers and visitors always welcome in this church.

First Presbyterian Church Rev. W. J. Knox, M.A., Minister. 11 a.m., "The Meaning of the Lord's Supper"; 7 p.m., "Childhood and Maturity in the Christian Life." Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be dispensed at the evening service.

Askin St. Men's League MR. S. W. FAWCETT Will speak tomorrow at 10 a.m. on a live issue. All men welcome.

Ryatt Avenue Methodist Church Rev. J. E. J. Millard, Pastor. Morning—"Church Prosperity." Evening—"The Conversion of Paul." Good music. Courteous ushers. Everybody welcome.

MEETING FOR MEN Under the auspices of the Men's Federation will be held in ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, HAMILTON ROAD, CITY, from 7 to 9 o'clock. SUNDAY AFTERNOON, Dec. 14. Speaker, Rev. R. W. Norwood, M.A.; subject, "The Christian in the Twentieth Century." Soloist, Mr. Chris Pink. All men, whether or not members of the Federation, are cordially invited to attend. Come.

KNOX CHURCH, SOUTH LONDON—Pastor, Rev. J. G. Stuart. Morning, Rev. Dr. D. L. McCrae will preach; subject, "The Judgment Evening, the pastor will preach; subject, "The Test of Love." KING STREET PRESBYTERIAN Church—Rev. W. R. McIntosh, B.D., minister. Morning, Rev. F. C. Harper, B.D.; evening, the minister, "The New Incarnation," a Christmas sermon.

EDWARD HESSELBERG Renowned Russian Pianist, and MARIE THOMPSON, Violinist, Auditorium, Thursday evening, Dec. 18. Regular tickets, \$1.00; students tickets, 50c. Plan opens at the London Conservatory of Music Monday morning, Dec. 15. 95k

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CANADIAN CLUB LUNCHEON Monday, 15th Dec., at 12:10 o'clock p.m. Tecumseh House. Guest of Honor, DR. H. MATHER HARE.

ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL FAIR, AT ST. Peter's Parish Hall, Richmond street. Dinner from 12 to 2; supper from 6 to 8; meals, 25 cents.

DR. H. MATHER HARE, OF THE Grenfell Laborer's Mission, will give an illustrated lecture in the First Presbyterian Sunday school, Monday evening, Dec. 15. Silver collection. 1u

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CATHEDRAL ST. PAUL'S—HOLY COMMUNION, 8:30 a.m. morning service, 11 a.m.; evening service, 7 p.m. Preacher, both services, the rector.

CENTENNIAL METHODIST CHURCH—Rev. H. A. Graham, minister. Sunday, Dec. 14, 10 a.m., union classes; 11 a.m., "The Wonders of Redemption"; 3 p.m., Sunday School; 7 p.m., "The Christian and Amusements."

CHRISTADELPHIANS, CASTLE HALL, Sunday, 7 p.m. "The Spirit in Prison: Are They the Disembodied Immortal Souls of Dead Men?"

CHALMERS PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH—Rev. Frank C. Harper, B.D., minister. Morning, Rev. W. R. McIntosh, B.D. Evening, the minister.

CHRIST CHURCH, CORNER WELLINGTON and Hill streets—C. B. Gunner, rector. Services as usual.

CHURCH OF THE REDEEMER—HOLY COMMUNION, 8:30 a.m.; Matins, 11 a.m.; Evensong, 7 p.m. Rev. H. E. Ashby, pastor.

Croydon Memorial Church ANNIVERSARY SERVICES Holy Communion, 8:30 a.m. Matins, 11 a.m. Evensong, 7 p.m.

Rev. Canon J. M. Almond, M.A. Rector of Trinity Church, Montreal, will preach at both services.

COLBORNE STREET METHODIST Church—Pastor, D. N. McCamus. Rev. Professor J. Hugh Michael, at 11 a.m., and Rev. John Graham, B.D., at 7 p.m. Collections and subscriptions for educational fund. Good music and a cordial welcome.

Dundas Centre Methodist Church Pastor, Rev. A. J. Johnston, B.A. 11 a.m., second of series, "Was Jesus, God, in Bethlehem, the Divine Son of God?" 7 p.m., "Christmas and Women's Rights." Good music at both services. Mr. J. C. Fowler will sing in the morning, and Miss Gwen Ware in the evening. Men's League at 10 a.m. Sunday School at 2:45. Farnell Morris, Organist and Choirmaster.

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Union Evangelistic Meeting EMPIRE THEATRE Dundas Street, Near Adelaide. SUNDAY NIGHT, 8 O'CLOCK. Speaker, Evangelist H. E. Wilson. All welcome. No collection.

Empress Ave. Methodist Church Rev. T. Wesley Cosens, Minister. 11 a.m.—Pastor's subject, "The Fruit of the Spirit"; 7 p.m., address by Mr. H. W. Lyons, Secretary of the Men's Federation, Come.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH—Rev. H. D'Arcy Wilmore, minister. 11 a.m., subject, "The Testimony of Christ"; 7 p.m., Rev. H. Noehren, Bible School at 3 p.m.

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First Methodist Church EDUCATIONAL SUNDAY 11 A.M., Rev. J. W. Graham, D.D. Secretary of Education. Anthem—"The Heavens Are Telling." Haydn Contralto Solo—"Abide With Me" (request). The Testimony of Laddie Anthem—"Sanctus".....Gounod Soprano Solo and Chorus—"They Love As a Father".....Gounod Soloists, Miss Hunt, Miss Laymon, R. Habbeshaw, E. A. Webster, Mrs. A. D. Jordan, Organist.

HAMILTON ROAD PRESBYTERIAN Church—Dr. D. L. McCrae, minister. 11 a.m., Rev. J. G. Stuart; 7 p.m., Dr. McCrae.

Maitland Street Baptist Church Rev. J. E. Hawkins, B.A., Pastor. Morning subject, "The Hours of the Day"; five-minute address to children. Evening subject, "Moral Insanity." All welcome.

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

SOUTH LONDON BAPTIST CHURCH—Pastor, W. M. Walker. Morning, "Preparing God's Way"; evening, "By-Ends and His Companions." All welcome.

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ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH—MR. McFARLANE will preach at both services. In the morning the Sacrament of the Lord's Supper will be observed; subject, "Remembering the Evening subject, "A Cup of Cold Water."

Talbot Street Baptist Church Rev. H. H. Bingham, B.A., Pastor. "The Child and the Church." 3. Sunday School, men's mass meeting, 7. "A Great Mystery." Baptism at close. All welcome.

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EAST LONDON—2-story red pressed brick, 4 bedrooms and den, modern, gas and electric light; lot 11x18 1/2 feet, new barn. Price \$3,700.

EAST LONDON—1 1/2-story brick, 3 bedrooms, bathroom, gas and electric light; lot 41x140 feet. Price \$2,400.

EAST LONDON—Frame cottage, 3 bedrooms, electric light; lot 40x100 feet. \$450 cash, balance to suit purchaser. Price \$1,450.

TO RENT—Adelaide street, 4 bedrooms, bathroom, \$20 per month; Central avenue, 4 bedrooms, modern, furnished, \$50 amtl water rates; Adelaide street, 2 bedrooms, bathroom, \$18 and water rates; 55 Tecumseh avenue, 3 bedrooms, modern, \$15 and water rates; Elmwood avenue, 4 bedrooms, modern, \$15 and water rates; Richmond street north, 6 bedrooms, modern, \$30 and water rates; Springfield, 4 bedrooms, modern, \$15 and water rates per month.

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\$1,800—South side, 2-story brick, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences.

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\$2,100—North side, brick cottage, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences; will exchange for \$200-acre farm.

\$2,200—7 rooms, bathroom complete, modern conveniences; will exchange for \$200-acre farm.

\$2,300—Central, 1 1/2-story frame, 4 bedrooms, modern conveniences.

\$2,500—Princess avenue, 1 1/2-story brick, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences.

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\$3,200—Brick cottage, 3 bedrooms, three-quarter acre land.

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\$4,500—2 1/2-story red pressed brick, tile vestibule, large living-rooms, dining-room, kitchen, square landing upstairs, 4 bedrooms, attic finished, 2 grates and mantels.

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\$1,100—1 1/2-story frame house, London South, 7 rooms, 3 bedrooms, electric light, on car line, new stable, lot 60x185.

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## SHOT GUN EXPLODED AND FARMER MAY LOSE HIS ARM

Earl Ramey, of North Ekfrid, Was Pulling the Weapon From Under the Buggy Seat When It Discharged—The Patient Was Rushed to Victoria Hospital

Earl Ramey, aged 19, a young Ekfrid farmer, is in Victoria Hospital with a large part of his right arm between the wrist and elbow shot away. He was out rabbit hunting yesterday near Melbourne, and when pulling his loaded shotgun out from under the buggy seat it discharged. The bullet

enters completely through the lower part of his left arm. Unless blood-poisoning develops, the attending physician hopes to save the entire arm, but at the first sign of complications, it will be amputated at the elbow. Ramey is a son of Thomas Ramey, of North Ekfrid.

## DOLLAR A POUND FOR MEAT IN 10 YEARS, SAYS MR. HANNA

Eat Fish, Urges Provincial Secretary—Ignores Radial Lines and Hydro—Government Sees Need of Cheaper Food Advocated by Sir Wilfrid.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Sarnia, Dec. 13.—Hon. W. J. Hanna, provincial secretary, was the chief speaker of the Conservative Association here last night. Mr. Hanna spoke on the health of Mr. Borden, and then branched off onto the high cost of living, good roads, and "this big fish story."  
He explained that good roads would get the grain to market cheaper, and that cheap fish would help to down

the price of meat, which might go as high as \$1 a pound ten years from now.  
Mr. Hanna, while talking on cheaper food for the people, failed to say anything about radial lines, and the help that they would be in getting food-stuffs into the markets.  
Another point which was not touched on at all by the speaker was the question of hydro-electric power for the town, in spite of the fact that a plebiscite vote was carried here last January by a big majority.

## PLANNING CAMPAIGN TO EXTEND CHURCH WORK

Members of St. Paul's To Make a Thorough Canvass Shortly.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Ingersoll, Dec. 13.—Important work to increase interest among the congregation of St. Paul's Church will be commenced on Jan. 12. The matter of awakening a deeper interest on the part of all the members of the congregation was dealt with at a well-attended men's meeting. The outcome was that a committee was appointed to make a thorough visitation of the members. Mr. R. A. Paterson is the chairman of the committee, and the work will be carried on with much zest.

Yesterday the Santa Claus fund inaugurated by the Children's Aid Society had reached \$58.50. There has been a very generous response to the appeal, and it is expected a substantial amount will be placed in the hands of the Children's Aid Society for the benefit of the poor children of the town.  
The funeral of David Gordon Hill was held yesterday afternoon from the residence of his brother, Mr. Robert Hill, Tunis street, to the Ingersoll rural cemetery. A large number of relatives and friends attended, and the floral offerings were indicative of esteem and sympathy.  
Difficulty between two young men of Salford was ventilated in the police court yesterday. The defendant, who was charged with assault, was found guilty, and fined \$10 and costs.

## MEMORIAL CHURCH TO CELEBRATE ITS 40TH ANNIVERSARY

Sunday Will Mark Birthday of the Big Anglican Congregation.

GROWTH HAS BEEN STEADY

Church Has Kept Pace With the Eastern Development of London.

The Cronyn Memorial Church celebrates its fortieth anniversary Sunday. Special services will mark the occasion, the special preacher being Rev. Canon J. M. Almond, M. A., rector of Trinity Church, Montreal. A congregational reunion is to be held Monday night.

The forty years of the church's history have been years of progress and faithful service to the community in which it stands. It was erected to the memory of the late Right Rev. Benjamin Cronyn, D. D., by members of his family, and was opened and consecrated for divine service

## Present Rector of Forty-Year-Old Memorial Church



REV. R. W. NORWOOD.

on Sunday, Dec. 14, 1873, by the Right Rev. Isaac Heilmuth, D. D., then Bishop of Huron.

Wagon Outskirts.  
At that time the district surrounding it was on the outskirts of the growing city, and it was not long until the congregation began to increase. After the summer of 1880, when Goose entertainment was given, at which Little Jack Horner presented the children with candles, Jack and Jill with the Goose, and Santa with dolls, and Santa with toys of all kinds. The young ladies, as well as the little tots, spent an enjoyable evening.

Remembrance Children.  
The "Other" Class of Dundas Centre Sunday school gave tea to about 25 little children, whom it was afraid would be missed by Saint Nicholas this year in the Sunday school, on Thursday evening last. After the supper, a musical Mother Goose entertainment was given, at which Little Jack Horner presented the children with candles, Jack and Jill with the Goose, and Santa with dolls, and Santa with toys of all kinds. The young ladies, as well as the little tots, spent an enjoyable evening.

Had Splendid Year.  
Forest W. A. M. A. Held Twenty-Sixth Annual Meeting and Elected Officers.  
[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Forest, Dec. 13.—The 26th annual meeting of the W. A. M. A. of Christ Church was held at the rectory recently. The secretary's and treasurer's reports showed a very successful year. The officers for next year are: President, Mrs. (Rev.) D. J. Cornish; vice-president, Mrs. Alvin Rawlins; secretary, Mrs. J. J. Cornish; treasurer, Mrs. Kemp; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. Pierce; delegate to annual meeting, Mrs. Cole.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE  
Harrietsville Members Enjoyed Splendidly Varied and Practical Program.  
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## News of City Churches

Class Anniversary.  
The men's Barba Bible class of the Talbot Street Baptist Church celebrates its third anniversary tomorrow by holding a men's mass meeting at 3 o'clock in the church, when Rev. H. H. Bingham will deliver an address on "The White Life." Special music will be rendered by a male quartet.

Two Visiting Preachers.  
Adeleide Street Baptist Church will have two preachers in its pulpit tomorrow. In the morning Rev. W. C. Riddiford, of the Egerton Street Baptist church, will be the preacher, and in the evening Rev. J. Bailey, of Toronto, the representative of the Dominion Alliance, will speak. The praise service will be led by a full chorus choir.

J. F. Chapman, who has just completed his second year as tenor soloist at St. Andrew's Street Methodist Church, has been re-engaged for another year.

To Inaugurate Worship League.  
A prayer union to aid in starting a boys' and girls' worship league, in the Talbot Street Baptist Church, Rev. H. H. Bingham, the pastor, will preach tomorrow morning on "The Child and the Church." In the evening the theme will be "A Great Mystery," with a baptismal service at the close.

Educational Anniversary.  
Rev. Dr. J. W. Graham, Toronto, will preach in the First Methodist Church on Sunday morning, Rev. Prof. Michael Bell will be the preacher, and the service, it is educational anniversary, and the special services are part of the annual program. Special music will be rendered.

Service for Men.  
A service for men, under the auspices of the Men's Federation, will be held tomorrow afternoon in All Saints' Church, Hamilton road, Rev. R. W. Norwood, M. A., rector of Cronyn Memorial Church, will give an address to the members of the church in the evening. The service will be under nominal, and the singing led by a male choir. All men, whether or not members of the federation, are invited to attend.

College Appointments.  
Huron College appointments for Sunday are: St. James' Bible Class, and Huron College chapel, morning, Rev. Principal Waller, D. D.; St. Paul's, Brantford, A. S. H. Cree; St. Paul's, Stratford, H. C. Light; Churches of the Redeemer, London, C. W. Foreman; Beachville, H. E. Metcalf; Melbourne, C. Simpson; Belmont, W. B. Moulton and E. H. Stephenson; Aged People's Home, A. E. W. Ingram and W. F. D. Smith.

Remembrance Children.  
The "Other" Class of Dundas Centre Sunday school gave tea to about 25 little children, whom it was afraid would be missed by Saint Nicholas this year in the Sunday school, on Thursday evening last. After the supper, a musical Mother Goose entertainment was given, at which Little Jack Horner presented the children with candles, Jack and Jill with the Goose, and Santa with dolls, and Santa with toys of all kinds. The young ladies, as well as the little tots, spent an enjoyable evening.

Had Splendid Year.  
Forest W. A. M. A. Held Twenty-Sixth Annual Meeting and Elected Officers.  
[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Forest, Dec. 13.—The 26th annual meeting of the W. A. M. A. of Christ Church was held at the rectory recently. The secretary's and treasurer's reports showed a very successful year. The officers for next year are: President, Mrs. (Rev.) D. J. Cornish; vice-president, Mrs. Alvin Rawlins; secretary, Mrs. J. J. Cornish; treasurer, Mrs. Kemp; corresponding secretary, Mrs. E. Pierce; delegate to annual meeting, Mrs. Cole.

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## LIBRARY INSTITUTE TO MEET IN LONDON

Annual Meeting of the District Will Be Held on December 16th and 17th.

The fifth annual meeting of the London District Library Institute is to be held in the London public library on Tuesday and Wednesday, Dec. 16 and 17. There are 23 libraries in the district which comprises the county of Middlesex and the eastern portion of Elgin County, and some forty delegates are expected to be present.

On Tuesday afternoon there will be addresses by the president, Rev. N. A. Campbell, of Inwood, on "The Ontario Farmer and the Library"; Dr. C. S. Sawers, of Napier, on "Starting a Library"; and J. C. S. Loyne, of Inwood, on "Making the Library Income Grow."

Tuesday evening W. E. Moore, of Dundas, president of the Ontario Library Association, and George H. Locke, chief librarian of Toronto, will deliver addresses, the public being invited to the evening session.

The election of officers is to take place on Wednesday morning, and in the afternoon addresses will be made and papers read by T. W. Strachan, of Belmont; Miss Phyllis Thompson, of Port Stanley; Mrs. Granville Haight of Aylmer; William Tait, of Parkhill, and Dugald G. Gray, of Colborne.

BURIED AT GODERICH  
Victim of Recent Lake Disaster Was Never Identified.  
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Goderich, Dec. 13.—Owing to the condition of the body the unidentified victim of the Great Lakes disaster picked up on the shore near Kintail of the boys, who were buried in the unidentified plot donated by the town council, in Maitland Cemetery, Friday afternoon, Rev. Geo. Ross officiated. It is thought the body was one of the crew of the Carruthers.

SELL OWN WORK  
Boys of Memorial Church Successful in Novel Money-Raising Effort.

The sophomore members of the Boys' Club of Memorial Church tried a novel plan of raising money for the purposes of their club, and were successful in raising a substantial amount. Each of the boys, who were given manual training as part of their school curriculum, brought a piece of his own handiwork to the club rooms, and a sale was held in which nearly every article was disposed of. The many little novelties exhibited, showed excellent workmanship, and as they were useful as well as beautiful found a ready sale among the number of people who came to see the exhibit.

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## SEVENTH HEADS LIST OF TRAINED SOLDIERS

Leads City Corps of the District—Average Attendance Not as Great, However.

Some interesting figures are contained in a table of statistics issued from military headquarters for the first division, regarding the showing made by the various city corps during the annual training.

The Seventh Regiment of this city will add to the list of trained soldiers within its ranks with a total of 25 officers and 296 men. Its authorized establishment is 539 officers, non-commissioned officers and men. The average attendance was not so high, however, as some of the regiments have a smaller establishment. In this particular the Twenty-second Regiment heads the list with an average attendance of 54.9 per cent. It also takes premier honors in the stretcher section competition with a total of 8,225 marks out of a possible 10,000. The Twenty-fourth Regiment, of Chatham, is a close second with a total of 8,200. In signalling the local regiment appears to be extremely weak, being able to obtain only a percentage of 33.91, while the leaders, the Twenty-first Regiment, obtained 98.85 per cent. The detail shows that the

## Notice to Creditors and Claimants

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the statute in that behalf, that all persons having any claims or demands against the late Alexander W. Smith in his lifetime of the Township of McGillivray, in the County of Middlesex, Ontario, deceased, who died on or about the tenth day of October, A. D. 1913, are required, on or before the twentieth day of December, A. D. 1913, to send by post, prepaid, or to deliver to The Canada Trust Company, Richmond Street, London, Ontario, the sole executor named in the last will and testament of the said Alexander W. Smith, deceased, their names and addresses, and particulars of their claims, and statements of their accounts duly verified, and the nature of the securities, if any, held by them. Take notice that after the twentieth day of December, A. D. 1913, the said The Canada Trust Company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have had notice, and that the said The Canada Trust Company will not be liable for the said assets, or any part thereof, to any persons of whose claim they shall not then have received notice.

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Solicitors for the said Company.  
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## Take Notice

1.—That the votes of the electors qualified to vote at municipal elections within the City of London shall be taken on the said question: "Are you in favor of operating street railways on Sundays at the same time and at the same places as the annual election for the Municipal Council, and the deputy returning officers appointed to hold said election shall take the vote."  
2.—No person shall be entitled to vote more than once on such question.

## Notice to Creditors

All creditors or other persons having claims against the estate of Bridget Cox, late of the City of London, who died on or about the 22nd day of July, A. D. 1911, are hereby notified to file with the undersigned their claims with particulars showing items and dates and verified by affidavit on or before the 20th day of December instant, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the estate of the deceased, having regard only to such claims as shall have been then filed.

Dated this 9th day of December, A. D. 1913.  
E. W. M. FLOCK,  
Carling's Block, Richmond St., London, Ont.,  
Solicitor for the Executor.

## Assignee's Sale of Real Estate

On Monday the 22nd day of December instant, at the hour of 12:30 o'clock p. m., at the law offices of Flock & Flock, Carling's Block, Richmond Street, London, Ont., there will be offered by public auction, the dwelling house and premises situated at No. 44 Cranford Street, London, the property of the estate of W. D. Miller, insolvent.

## AUCTION SALE

Farm, farm stock and implements, lot 11, con. 4, Delaware, next to Delaware cheese factory, on Wednesday, Dec. 17, 1913. Farm consists of 60 acres. Sale at 1 o'clock sharp. Richard Evans, proprietor; J. W. Laidlaw, auctioneer.

## Important Auction Sale of Choice Furniture

For Mr. Lawrence Stevenson, at 87 Carling street, on Tuesday, Dec. 16, at 1:30: Parlor suite, large chairs and rockers, rugs and carpets, one organ (piano), one table, one extension table, one chair in massive oak, secretary, centre table, contents three bedrooms, iron and brass bed, mattress and springs, dressers and stands, chiffoniers, dishes, pictures, kitchen cabinet, one large range (nearly new cost \$38), some other robes, 4% off for cash. W. Sangster, proprietor.

FOR SALE BY AUCTION, 26 DAIRY COWS, Lot 12, Con. 2, London Township, on Tuesday Dec. 15, commencing at 2 o'clock, south of Adelaide street bridge, W. J. Poole, proprietor; Thos. Clarke, auctioneer.

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London regiment has only five signalers out of an establishment of eleven and of these none hold first-class certificates. Four are second-class men, and one is still in training. The value of this branch of military training was well illustrated during the manoeuvres last August, and it is likely that next year will see a big improvement in this work.

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The finance committee of the city council at its last regular meeting on Friday afternoon disposed of a large quantity of routine business.

The water commissioners' bill for the year was passed. The bill was passed by a vote of 12 to 10.

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LATE LOCAL NEWS

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Give Christmas Cheer.—The St. George's Society has donated \$10 and the Lobo Women's Institute \$5 as Christmas cheer to the Home for Incurables.

Engagement Announced.—Mr. and Mrs. John W. their daughter, Winifred, to Mr. Maxwell M. Smith. Marriage to take place Christmas week.

Pots Start Boiling.—The salvation Army Christmas pots of the season were placed in position today, and four of them are already boiling at various corners of the city.

Welsh—Daily.—A quiet wedding took place this morning at St. Peter's Cathedral, when Rev. Monsignor Aylward united in marriage Miss Anna Welsh and Frank R. Daly.

Losses Paid.—The annual Christmas dinner at the Home for Incurables was held at the Home for Incurables, when the annual Christmas dinner was held at the Home for Incurables.

Remnants to Charity.—The food left over from the Industrial Bureau for the year was today distributed to deserving persons by Caterer C. J. Leach.

Dr. Hare to Lecture.—Dr. E. Mather Hare, superintendent at Harrington Hospital, one of the most important institutions in Labrador, and who is to address the Canadian Club on Monday afternoon, will speak Monday evening in the First Presbyterian Church.

Local Pharmacists Pass.—At the recent College of Pharmacy examinations, the results of which are published today, Donald Fry, of Lunenburg, Nova Scotia, was successful in passing the requirements of the faculty.

Notes for Women.—An executive meeting of the London Suffrage Association was held today at the home of Mrs. J. W. Rogers, when the members of the new London and Port Stanley Railway Commission have several names under consideration for the position of secretary.

Interesting Compositions.—A poem written by a little girl who is a ward of the society, inclosing a poem written by a little girl who is a ward of the society, inclosing a poem written by a little girl who is a ward of the society.

Melee on Street Car.—A quartette of twelve youths made things unpleasant for passengers on a Normal street car on Friday night, and after some time several passengers were remonstrated with by the conductor.

Hamilton Road Election.—The Hamilton Road Election, which has been held for the following officers for the ensuing year: President, Mr. G. S. McCrae, vice-presidents, Mrs. J. A. Collier and Mr. C. Battersworth.

Commercial Traveller Was Stricken Suddenly on Way Home.—A commercial traveller was stricken suddenly on his way home from a business trip, and died shortly thereafter.

Deaths and Funerals.—Mrs. Rendall dies. The death occurred this morning of Mrs. Emma Rendall, at the family residence, 344 Burwell street.

Boys' 200 L. O. L.—New officers for Boyne Lodge, No. 298, L. O. L., elected Friday night, are: Worshipful Master—Bro. S. L. Gless.

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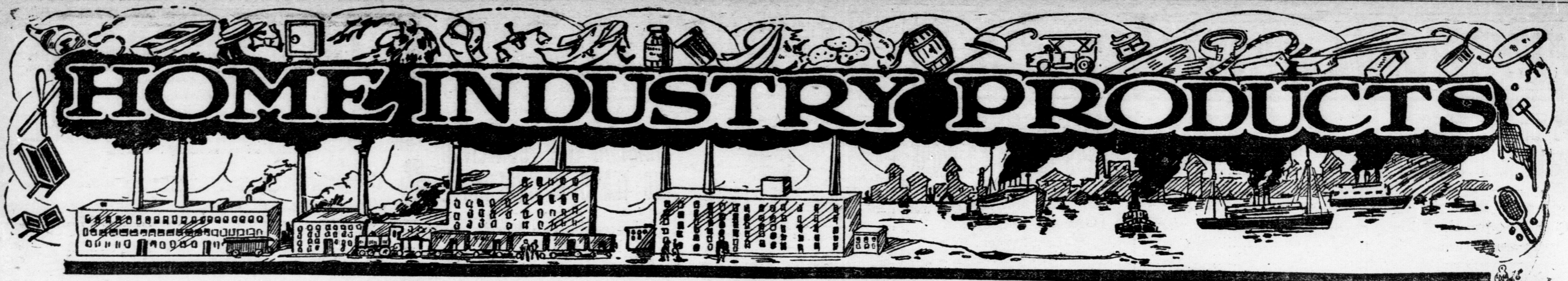
IN THE POLICE COURT. Gets One Month. In view of his past record Magistrate J. C. Judd sentenced Charles Evans to one month in jail for the theft of a gold watch from H. L. Rogers.

VETERAN PRESENTED WITH GOLD UMBRELLA. Squire W. H. Chittick surprised by a handsome gold-headed umbrella by a number of veterans of the British Army.

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NOT a useless intoxicant, but a wholesome beverage, with dietary and medicinal uses.

Made as good as we can make it.

LABATT'S STOUT HAS SPECIAL QUALITIES.

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## BALED HAVANAS

THE SMOKE OF THE SATISFIED SMOKER

Why not purchase HIM a box for Christmas? You'll not be sorry.

FOR SALE AT ALL STORES.

Jose Gaste Company,  
LONDON, MAKERS.

## You May Rest Assured

That the meat you eat is free from disease if it comes from our plant. Every piece is GOVERNMENT INSPECTED and bears the Government stamp.

PATRONIZE BUTCHERS THAT SELL OUR MEATS FOR GOOD VALUES.

YOU MAY INSPECT OUR PLANT AT ANY TIME.

## Dominion Abattoir Co.

Phone 440

## Grand Mogul Tea Is Pure Tea.

The only Tea that is packed in London. It is selected from the choicest Tea grown in Ceylon. Is packed in pound and half-pound packages and sold at

25c, 30c, 40c and 50c per lb.

GRAND MOGUL was used exclusively at the London Industrial "Home Products" Banquet.

CAN BE OBTAINED AT ANY GROCERY STORE.

THE Biscuits and Cakes for the "Home Product Banquet," held in the Masonic Temple, December 12th, were supplied by

D. S. Perrin & Co.,  
LIMITED

These goods were a sample of their daily output, and are procurable at all first-class dealers.



### CLUB HOUSE BRAND SPANISH OLIVES

Have become a necessity from Newfoundland to British Columbia.

Packed in London by a CANADIAN HOUSE for the CANADIAN PEOPLE.



Gorman, Eckert & Co., Limited  
London, Canada.

## HOME PRODUCTS DINNER FORMALLY INAUGURATES NEW INDUSTRIAL BUREAU

"Made-in-London" Menu Appetizing Repast for 400 Merchants and Manufacturers.

London's big men completely out-distanced all previous efforts Friday evening on the occasion of the "Home Products" banquet in the new Masonic Temple. Never in the history of the Forest City has there been such a gathering of representative and enthusiastic men united for the common cause of advancing the interests of their city. Never before, perhaps, have the various callings of life, the professions and the trades, been so well represented at any similar function.

The banquet was unique in the history of the Forest City, and it will go down in history as marking the commencement of a new era of development and commercial enterprise, a development that bids fair to make London even a greater city than she is today, to place her in the very foremost rank of Canadian municipalities.

### Four Hundred Present.

In the neighborhood of four hundred men answered the invitation of Industrial Commissioner Gordon Philip and his associates in the movement, and the formal organization of London's newest boosting organization, the London Industrial Bureau, was completed before the evening was over. This new institution proposes to make London's place on the industrial and commercial map more prominent than it has been in the past. It will work in co-operation with the various civic bodies, the board of trade, the trades and labor council, the builders' exchange, and numerous others who have for their ultimate purpose a greater London, but who have been handicapped in the past through a lack of united effort.

The new bureau will fill a long-felt want; it will bring the representatives of the different bodies into close touch with each other. It will show the world in general what a desirable place London is, from every possible standpoint, and it will demonstrate to the people of London a thousand and one reasons why they should remain in Ontario's fairest city.

### Banquet Was Unique.

It has been said that the banquet was unique, and it was so for more than one reason. A prominent one was the fact that the extensive and elaborate menu consisted entirely of products grown, manufactured or prepared in London. The decorations on the tables, the waiters, the music by the Tony Cortese Orchestra, the food, the cigars—all were of London, and Londoners enjoyed them to the fullest. If it served no other purpose the banquet demonstrated the extent of the commercial enterprises of this city, and the folly of buying goods manufactured or produced in other places. As was tersely stated on the menu card, "No goods purchased abroad are cheap which take the place of our own labor and our own materials."

Another unique feature of the banquet, and a leading feature of the bureau for the organization of which the banquet was held, was the absence of all political feeling. Liberals and Conservatives worked together, hand in hand, for the one purpose, the advancement of London. "A thoroughly representative non-partisan and semi-official civic body, devoted to co-operative plans for London's advancement," read the announcement, and if the banquet on Friday evening may be taken as a criterion, such the new organization will be.

### Justified Fullest Hopes.

Industrial Commissioner Philip, Acting President Mitchell, of the board of trade, and their associates, spared neither pains nor expense in preparing for the banquet, and their fullest hopes were justified. London's big men responded to the call and did their duty nobly.

The splendid banquet hall of the new home of the Masonic craft in this city was in excellent shape for



GORDON PHILIP, Commissioner who Staged "Home Products" Banquet Last Night.

the function. The tables presented a most charming appearance, the decorations being simple but artistic. There was an abundance of good things to eat—plenty and then to spare—the dinner being one of the finest ever served in London. Everything eaten, everything drunk, everything smoked, was of London production, donated by generous and public-spirited London manufacturers and dealers. From soup to cigars, the dinner was perfect, and it put the guests in rare good humor.

The addresses were delivered in the large auditorium over the banquet hall, and many citizens who for various reasons were unable to attend the dinner came in to hear the vigorous and enthusiastic speeches in explanation of the formation of the new bureau.

Mayor L. M. R. Graham, after thanking the citizens for attending in such large numbers, showing thereby their interest in the efforts being made to further the growth and development of London, said the people of the city were only beginning to awake to its possibilities. It was true, he said, that there were many who thought a great deal of money had been spent by the city council during the past several years, but he claimed that it was money well spent, and he felt that the citizens were not averse to spending funds on what would accelerate the development of the city.

The mayor complained of a spirit that had been rampant in the past, of condemning a thing first, and then, if it over afterwards. He claimed for the council that he had presided over as mayor the credit for much of the awakening to the needs and opportunities of the city. It was the last opportunity, he said, for him to express his indebtedness to the aldermen of the past two or three years for supporting measures for the benefit and development of the city. There had been a great many conjectures in the past few weeks regarding the municipal situation, but he wished to take the opportunity of announcing to the ratepayers that he would not be a candidate for the mayoralty in 1914.

After paying a glowing tribute to the capability and civic patriotism of Lt.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, who had consented to head the London Industrial Bureau, which it was his duty (the speaker's) to launch that night, Mayor Graham enunciated the ideals and purposes of the new organization, and he explained a series of views of Winnipeg Industrial Bureau, which were thrown on the screen by Dr. H. A. Stevens.

### Col. Gartshore.

Lieut.-Col. Gartshore, the next speaker, said he was very glad to be present at such a non-sectarian, non-partisan and unpessimistic gathering. He referred to the optimistic attitude of western cities. Their citizens came from the east, and he sometimes thought the optimists went west and the pessimists stayed at home. But he felt that there were plenty of op-

Businessmen Exceed Previous Efforts in Official Launching of the New Association.

timists present. Pessimism could accomplish nothing, he said, and often worked a great deal of harm.

The speaker was of the opinion sometimes that the men who named London had done the city a harm. A more distinctive name would have been better. He would have liked to have seen it named Tecumseh. As it was now, Londoners had always to explain that it was not another London that they came from.

### Beginning of the Movement.

Ald. Wm. Spittal referred to the beginnings of the industrial bureau movement. In common with Mayor Graham and other speakers, Ald. Spittal paid tribute to the energy and zeal of the industrial commissioner, Gordon Philip, and the helpful co-operation of the officers and members of the London Board of Trade.

Slides showing the organization, committees and working of the new organization were shown, and various plans for securing and encouraging new industries were explained, including the Williamsport and Davenport plans. The former consists in guaranteeing by public subscription, loans advanced to new industries by the banks. The latter plan consists of underwriting the stock of concerns assured of success.

### Rounds of Applause Followed.

Rounds of applause followed Ald. Spittal's reference to the indorsement of good roads leading into Windsor and Chatham by similar organizations in other cities.

### Home Reunion Plan.

The home reunion guarantee plan to bring to the city the wives and families of British immigrants was explained, Ald. Spittal pointing out that wherever the plan had been tried out, the guarantors had never been called upon to pay any of the amounts guaranteed. Ald. Spittal concluded by announcing that he was not a candidate for aldermanic honors in 1914.

### Trade Expansion.

E. C. Mitchell, vice-president of the board of trade, spoke on the subject of "Trade Expansion." He illustrated with figures the increases in local bank clearings, customs and revenue returns, assessment figures, building returns, real estate transfers, manufacturing importance and wholesale distributing.

"To increase her industries," he said, "London would have to advertise, her advantages, as a shipping centre, her water, and her situation in a fine agricultural community. By patronizing her home industries, London's large population could do a great deal to increase her industries. Her factories would run full time, and their employees would be in a better position to meet their obligations."

When he referred to the large amounts spent by London citizens on wearing apparel in American cities, he said that he knew he was treading on thin ice.

### New Rink Needed.

The advantage of encouraging athletics and sports, and the need of a large skating rink for hockey with artificial ice, was pointed out, and met with strong applause. The securing of excursions to London by churches, Sunday schools and societies of Western Ontario, would, he said, bring large sums of money to the city to be spent in local stores, hotels and restaurants.

In concluding, he spoke of the good work done by Industrial Commissioner Philip since coming to London, and he pointed out the extent to which the newspapers can aid in advertising the advantages of a city, paying incidentally a warm tribute of praise to the London press.

### Advertising and Truth.

Arthur White spoke on "Advertising," the first principle of which, he said, was truth. Sixty per cent of advertising was wasted, he said, and one of the reasons was the lack of truth in it. The second principle was attractiveness, and the third, centralization. Mr. White referred to the advantages London possesses in the Western University. The Western University, he said, with 1,000 students, would be of greater value in advertising London than any two factories. He did not doubt that the industrial bureau would

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## McCORMICK'S High-Class JERSEY CREAM SODAS and FANCY BISCUITS

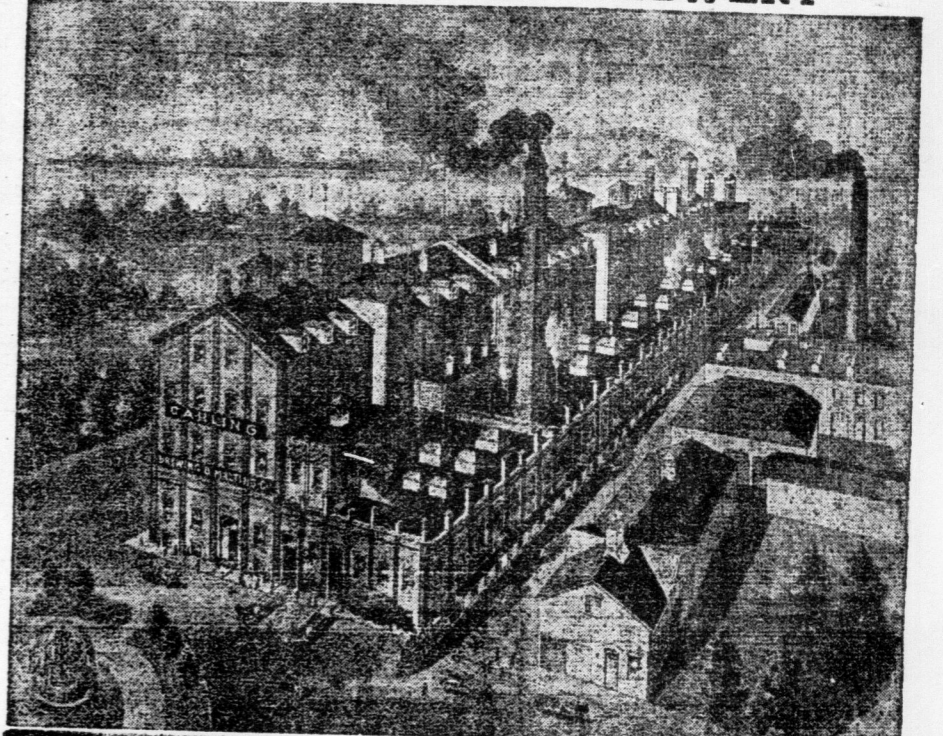
Are made in London, but they are famous all over Canada for their rich flavor and PURITY.

In the London factory 1,500 varieties of CANDIES AND BISCUITS ARE MADE.

YOU OUGHT TO TRY THEM AND BECOME CONVINCED

Factory at London; Branches—Montreal, Ottawa, Hamilton, Kingston, Winnipeg, Calgary, St. Johns and Port Arthur.

### CANADA'S MODEL BREWERY



## CARLING'S ALE, PORTER & LAGER.

## For Banquets or Dinners

SILVERWOODS' MILK-FED CHICKENS AND CREAMERY BUTTER are unexcelled.

SILVERWOODS' BUTTER, used at the "Home Products" Banquet and on the majority of the best tables of London, is made daily in our specially equipped sanitary creamery. We also sell meats of all kinds, eggs, poultry, cheese, and lard. Our store is the only place in the city where you can purchase your poultry, have it drawn ready for the oven and delivered at your door, without extra charge.

FOR PROMPT DELIVERY, TELEPHONE 3121, 3122

SILVERWOODS' MARKET  
441 King Street

## PARNELL'S WRAPPED BREAD

Was served at the Home Products banquet, and was enjoyed by all. Why don't you try some? IT'S DELICIOUS AND NOURISHING; also protected from dust and dirt by our special wrapper.

We deliver it to your home.

Telephone 929 for a trial loaf.

## JAP CIGARS

HAVE THE LARGEST SALE OF ANY INDIVIDUAL 10c BRAND IN CANADA.

John McNeer & Sons,  
Makers—London and Windsor.

A box of Japs will mark the highest form of Christmas Appreciation.

## The Result of Public Ownership in London:

The purest of water at lowest prices. Increasing waterworks surpluses. 6,600 customers for HYDRO by Jan. 1, 1914, after only three years' operation.

8,000 H. P. Sold. \$45,000 Net Surplus for 1913.  
Support Your Own Business

Call at the Sales Department and see our collection of most suitable Christmas gifts, such as Irons, Toasters, Vibrators, Vacuum Cleaners, Warming Pads, Percolators, Hair Dryers, Curling Irons, Heaters, Chafing Dishes, and especially Electric Stoves. All at lowest prices.

London Hydro-Electric Department



## INGERSOLL CREAM CHEESE

WHAT YOU CAN DO WITH Ingersoll Cream Cheese

A Cream Cheese that is really a cream cheese affords you many delicious ways of serving it. Ingersoll is ideal because of its smooth, rich consistency; the result of its being made from the richest cream. It contains no ingredient that is not absolutely pure, and the wholesome, nutritious qualities which Ingersoll Cream Cheese possesses make it nourishing for old and young alike.

# Home Products Dinner

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make the Western one of the planks in its platform. Recapitulating the points made in his address Mr. White said that advertising should be truthful, attractive and artistic, centralized, and to the point.

### Chairman Dennis Absent

Trustee A. M. Hunt, of the board of education, read a letter of regret from E. R. Dennis, chairman of the board, who, through illness, was unable to be present. Mr. Dennis in his letter, assured those present of his hearty approval of the industrial bureau idea, and promised his complete support. He pointed out that one of the matters to be considered by the bureau was that of extending the use of school buildings as social and intellectual centres.

### Cleveland Man Speaks

Edwin Baxter, industrial commissioner of Cleveland, and the chief speaker, in beginning his address referred to the good feeling existing between his city and Canada. Many Canadians had met with fortune and success in Cleveland.

In the question of industrial expansion, the point had been raised whether mere "bigness" was a thing worth striving for. But the cities had either to grow forward or backward, and he pointed out that the importance of most cities was an industrial one. The basis of industrial importance was a basis of evolution. Because one par-

ticular industry was successful in a city, it was easy to finance other similar industries in that city. Industrial growth through encouraging existing industries was much easier than attracting industries from other cities. Mr. Baxter emphasized the importance of right living conditions in a city. The laboring man would not remain where living conditions were not right; where there were not good schools, good churches, amusements, good housing accommodation, and healthful conditions.

Good sites, reasonable taxation and other commercial advantages were required to attract the manufacturer.

Centralized advertising to attract just the industries that are desired, would accomplish more than aiming to reach a great many manufacturers. Special inducements and cash bonuses were seldom advisable, and the industry attracted by these was likely to prove to be a "weak sister."

It was a great advantage, he said, to have buildings to lease or rent to new manufacturers, large buildings adjacent to railways, and also buildings with space available for light manufacturing purposes. It was a reasonable request for a manufacturer to ask for local stock subscriptions. No matter how wealthy a local subscription might be, local subscriptions to his stock would give him de-

sirable local connections. Plans for providing money to take care of the fixed capital requirements of new manufacturing industries were also very necessary.

Mr. Baxter expressed the opinion that London, for its size, was as far advanced along most lines as any city with which he had ever become acquainted.

Referring to the London Industrial Bureau organization, he said that the form of organization was not so important as the spirit. The improvement of civic and local conditions through the work of committees on municipal sanitation, architecture, benevolent organizations and playgrounds had done very much to make Cleveland the sixth city of the United States.

Mr. Baxter's remarks were very well received. Lieut.-Col. Gartshore, in closing the meeting, expressed the hope that a new era in London's growth had begun.

### The Bureau Officers.

The provisional officers selected for the Industrial Bureau are as follows: Honorary Directors—Hon. Adam Beck, M. L. A., Sir George Gibbons, K. C., and the mayor of London. President—Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore.

Vice-Presidents.—Ald. Wm. Spittal, E. C. Mitchell and Philip Pocock. Secretary—Industrial Commissioner Gordon Philip.

Treasurer—E. H. Nelles. These appointments are subject to the approval of a meeting of the representatives of all affiliated bodies.

### The Men Behind.

The men and firms who guaranteed \$100 each for the home reunion fund, which has for its object bringing the wives and families of deserving men to join the wage-earner here, are as follows: W. C. Allen, Ald. B. W. plant, Hon. Adam Beck, Ald. B. W. Bennett, Col. A. Campbell, W. G. Coles, E. R. Dennis, John Dillon, M. D. Fraser, E. C. Fitzgerald, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, Gorman, Eckert Company, Sir Geo. Gibbons, Graham Bros., John C. Hodges, Chas. B. Hunt, Thomas H. James, P. E. Leonard, Ray Lawson, A. A. Langford, E. C. Mitchell, Ald. J. P. Moore, John Murphy, John M. Moore, John McClary, London Advertiser, London Free Press, Thos. P. McCormick, L. M. Metcalfe, Philip Pocock, L. H. Martin, T. H. Purdom, F. G. Rumball, W. F. Roome, Geo. M. Reid, Silverwoods, Limited, Somerville Box Company, Limited, Ald. Wm. Spittal, J. C. Spence, Spittal Bros., W. T. Strong, A. Talbot, D. R. Wood, E. H. Willson, Ald. J. F. White, A. Westman, Wright, Sons & Co., Webster-Harvey Company, Limited.

### Organization Fund.

It is desired to raise a fund of not less than \$5,000, to be known as the businessmen's organization fund, and which will be for the purpose of carrying on the work of the bureau. The following subscriptions were received some time ago, and are expected to be largely augmented as the result of Friday night's banquet: 150 subscribers—The McCormick Manufacturing Company, Limited; Argyle Lang Company, Limited. 100 subscribers—McClary Manufacturing Company, Gorman, Eckert Company; C. S. Hyman Company, Limited; Silverwoods, Limited; 50 subscribers—Hon. Adam Beck; McConnell-Ferguson Company; Parke's Printing Company; Somerville Paper Box Company, Limited; A. M. Smith & Co.; Ray Lawson; London Rolling Mills Company; Kellogg's Corn Flake Company; N. C. Eckert; 250 subscribers—Dennis Wire and Iron Works, Limited. 25 and under—T. H. Purdom, K. C.; Sir George C. Gibbons, K. C.; L. H. Martin; George Haycock; J. F. Walkes; Fraser & Moore; John H. Chapman Company; Darch & Hunter Seed Company; A. A. Langford & Co.; Eggert & Co.; John Cottam; R. A. Bayly; Steele Fruit Company, Limited.

### Mr. Philip's Work.

Too much cannot be said in praise of the work of Industrial Commissioner Gordon Philip, who was responsible for the splendid function on Friday night, and for the inauguration of the new bureau. Mr. Philip has worked unceasingly for many weeks on the work of the bureau, and has been capable, and permeated with that spirit of progressiveness, acquired, no doubt, during his newspaper and industrial experience in the Canadian and abroad. The commissioner demonstrated very amply on Friday evening his ability to make good, and he was repeatedly congratulated upon the success of his efforts by speakers and guests.

## THE MENU

### "Home Products" Menu

Where to buy provisions to keep London May

TABLE DECORATIONS (10 pieces & set. 10)

"Soup" (10 pieces & set. 10)

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### RELAPSE PROVED FATAL.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wallaceburg, Dec. 13.—The funeral took place to Wallaceburg Cemetery on Friday afternoon of Mr. L. Boucher.

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BARN WAS BURNED. [Special to The Advertiser.] Paris, Dec. 12.—Last evening the large barn on Timothy O'Brien's farm was totally destroyed by fire.

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MRS. FLORA LEITCH WAS PIONEER OF METCALFE

Funeral Held at Kilmartin Cemetery Was Very Largely Attended.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Walkers, Dec. 13.—The funeral of Mrs. Flora Leitch, held at Kilmartin Cemetery, was very largely attended. The services were conducted in Burns Church by Rev. Dr. Fraser Smith.

Mrs. Leitch was one of the pioneers of Metcalfe. She was born in the township of Aldborough in 1827, and moved with her parents, the late Mr. and Mrs. Neil Leitch, to the township of Mosa in the year 1830. She was married in 1848 to the late Archibald Leitch, and settled on the farm, lot 14, concession 13, Metcalfe, where she died. Her husband died twenty years ago. Mrs. Leitch raised a family of nine children, three of whom predeceased her. Those now living are: Neil A., of Alvinston; William A., of Dunwich; John A. and Dan A., on the old homestead; Mrs. A. McCallum, of Walkers, and Mrs. Joseph Howes, of St. Thomas. She also leaves five sisters and two brothers: Mrs. Janet Munroe, Mosa; Mrs. Margaret Munroe, Inwood; Mrs. Isabel McLean, Alvinston; Mrs. Mary Leitch, Glencoe; Miss Sarah Leitch, Detroit, and Alex. and John, of Mosa. Mrs. Leitch was an active member of Burns Presbyterian Church.

INSTALL OFFICERS

Royal Arch Masons Had Big Gathering at Harriston.

[Canadian Press.] Harriston, Dec. 13.—At the regular convocation of Enterprise Chapter, Royal Arch Masons, the following officers were installed for the ensuing year, by W. D. McLellan, past Z., assisted by Past Z. Malcolm Yeo and Past Z. John Bain: Z.—S. Leybourne. H.—J. L. Patterson. J.—H. R. McCullough. Treasurer—J. Prain. Scribe—C. Scudmore. J. S.—S. Freeland. J. S.—A. Master. Janitor—F. Blirt.

ELECTED OFFICERS

Harriston Masons Were Installed By W. D. McLellan. [Special to The Advertiser.] Harriston, Dec. 13.—At the regular meeting of Harriston Lodge, 262, A. F. and A. M., P. M. Bro. W. D. McLellan installed the following officers for the ensuing year: I. P. M.—Bro. Harry Huks. W. M.—Bro. Anson Spotton. S. W.—George Morrell. J. W.—F. G. Blecker. Secretary—E. W. Lambert. Treasurer—W. A. Glenney. Chaplain—Rev. C. Scudmore. Tyler—Frank Biers. S. D.—F. McMurtre. J. D.—G. L. McDougall. I. G.—E. Johnson. S. S.—James Bruce. J. S.—John Mundy. D. of C.—Allan Patterson. Trustees—P. M. John Prain, P. M. W. D. McLellan and P. M. A. J. Stewart.

MET AT HARRISTON

Mrs. J. Meiklejohn Elected Regent of Daughters of the Empire. [Special to The Advertiser.] Harriston, Dec. 13.—General Wolf, Chapter, Daughters of the Empire, has elected the following officers for the ensuing year: Regent—Mrs. J. Meiklejohn. First Vice-Regent—Mrs. J. McMurtre. Second Vice-Regent—Mrs. H. E. Burrows. Recording Secretary—Miss B. Richardson. Corresponding Secretary—Mrs. W. A. Glenney. Treasurer—Mrs. A. Spotton. Standard-Bearer—Miss Jessie Laube.

SAILORS HOME

[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, Dec. 13.—Nearly all of Sarnia's sailor men have returned from their work on many of the great lakes ships. They are receiving warm welcomes from hosts of friends who were anxious for their safety during the past month of stormy weather on the lakes. The steamer Rhoda Emily has been released from her position at Harbor Beach, and will be brought to the Wolverine drydock in Port Huron, where repairs will be made to her bottom.

FOUND 72 BODIES.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Goderich, Dec. 13.—Seventy-two bodies from the recent lake disaster have been recovered, according to R. A. Harrison, of the Lake Carriers' Association. All except five of the bodies were identified.

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CHURCH UNION TO BE BOUGHT AFTER COUNTRY-WIDE SURVEY

Presbyterian Committee Has Decided To Work on an Amended Basis and Principal Gandier's Resolution Will Be Carried Out.

Toronto, Dec. 12.—Church union on an entirely new basis will be sought as a result of the following resolution by Principal Gandier being carried after the Presbyterian committee had been three days deliberating the question: "That having considered further amendments to the present basis of union and alternative proposals, as sent in from presbyteries, sessions, congregations and individuals, we do now, in accordance with the instructions of the General Assembly, and in the hope that union may be consummated without delay, ask our sub-committee to confer with representatives of the other negotiating churches, with a view to common agreement on an amended basis. That the sub-committee be further instructed to bring before the joint committee the desirability of a complete survey of the present basis of union throughout the dominion, that before any vote is taken, our people may know the facts. The resolution was seconded by Rev. F. J. Day.

To Consider Survey. After some further discussion, Mr. J. W. Flavell proposed, and Mr. Henry O'Hara seconded, that Principal Gandier, representing the Presbyterians, Dr. T. Albert Moore, representing the Methodists, and Rev. Frank J. Day, representing the Congregationalists, be a committee to consider the details of the proposed survey, and to report to the proper authorities of the various churches. The proposed survey will be of a very comprehensive character, and will deal with the question of the whole religious outlook in Canada, point out where districts are insufficiently served, and where there is overlapping, and the desirability of a joint committee of the most hopeful character, and there was a splendid spirit evident throughout the whole of the proceedings, all being anxious to push forward the cause.

Fully Gone Into. At the Presbyterian Church union committee, the general question of church union was long and carefully considered, and a motion proposed by Dr. E. Scott and seconded by Mr. W. G. Brown was to the effect that the committee reaffirm the great truth of the essential unity of all true Christians, and asking that the present negotiations for organic union be, in the meantime, discontinued, leaving the church free to pursue without distraction the great work that lies before it, and leaving the question of organic union to the leadings of Divine Providence in the days to come. Greetings to the other churches and the desire for the greatest measure of Christian unity were also embodied in the motion. Not Sufficiently Strong. Dr. Herridge moved an amendment,

seconded by Principal Gordon, which stated: "That while we do not regard the voice of the church as sufficiently pronounced as yet to warrant immediate action towards the consummation of organic union, yet we shall welcome this issue as soon as the way seems prepared for it." It further stated that the result of the deliberations of the committee should be sent to the other churches, to congratulate them on the progress they have made, and reaffirm the belief that the closest possible relations should continue to exist, and recommended that in order to ascertain the actual necessities of the case, in view of the common work, a joint committee be appointed to visit as far as possible all the parts of the country, and to report the result of their investigations through the union committees to the governing courts of the respective churches."

Dr. Herridge's amendment was carried over the motion by a vote of 31 to 8. Principal Gandier then moved his amendment to Dr. Herridge's motion, seconded by Dr. Ramsay. Dr. Herridge stated that he had submitted his motion in the hope of securing unanimity, and that since this object had not been attained he would with the consent of the committee, withdraw it. Permission being granted, a vote was taken on Dr. Gandier's motion, which was carried by 70 to 7. Rev. R. G. MacBeth, of Paris, on behalf of those who agreed with him, then put in a minority report.

A National Church. It was agreed to recommend to the joint committee on church union that the basis of union contain the following statement of the attitude of the united church towards a wider union: "It shall be the policy of the united church to foster the spirit of unity everywhere, both in its own mind and, so far as it can, in other Christian churches, in the hope that this sentiment of unity may in due time, so far as Canada is concerned, take shape in a church which may fittingly be described as national." The following sub-committee was appointed to confer with similar committees representing the Methodist and Congregational Churches: Dr. W. J. Clark, President Murray, Dr. Ramsay, Dr. A. S. Grant, Dr. Drummond, Christiana Crawford, and J. J. Donaldson, Principals; Falconer, Principal Gandier and Dr. Herridge. The representatives of the Methodist Church present included: Dr. A. Carman (who presided), Dr. T. Albert Moore, Dr. W. H. Hincks, Dr. N. Burwash, Mr. N. W. Rowell, K.C., M. P. E., Mr. J. W. Flavell, Hon. Justice MacLaren, Hon. Thomas Crawford, and the Congregationalists: Dr. Hugh Pedley (Montreal), Rev. F. J. Day, Rev. Dr. Wariner, Rev. J. W. Pedley and Mr. Henry O'Hara.

BANISH THE BAR IS FIRST STEP IN SOCIAL REFORM

Leader Rowell Gave Fine Address Before McMaster University Literary Society.

LEADING MEN QUOTED

Strong Views by Lloyd George and Premier Asquith on the Liquor Question.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, Dec. 13.—That the great leaders in social reform recognize that their efforts will largely fail unless the evils of the liquor traffic can be reduced to a minimum, was one of the important points enunciated by Mr. N. W. Rowell on Friday evening in his speech to the Literary Society of McMaster University. Mr. Rowell quoted from a number of the leaders most prominently connected with the work of social reform in England, including Lloyd George, Samuel, Keir Hardie and Right Hon. John Burns. The following are some of the quotations given by Mr. Rowell: Lloyd George: "I am sure that the Government would fail abjectly in its duty if, through any base fear of any force or combination of forces, it would shrink from doing all in their power to cut out from the social organization this most malignant growth which drains the vitality of the nation."

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grapple with the evils of intemperance, carried the bill through the House of Commons in 1908 by a majority of over 200, which would have cut off over 30,000 licensed places in England and Wales, and would have provided for the redemption of the wine and spirits licenses, but the Conservative Opposition in the House of Lords defeated the measure. This year a measure for temperance reform was passed by the House of Commons and finally accepted by the House of Lords. This act is the most advanced temperance measure that Scotland has ever secured.

Not Sufficiently Strong. Although he spoke in the highest terms of the value of local option, Mr. Rowell declared that it has never been the view of the social reformers of Great Britain or of Ontario that local option alone was a sufficient and satisfactory method of dealing with the liquor traffic. Right Hon. Mr. Samuel on this point says: "It has been more clearly recognized that local option might prove an ineffective weapon and be enforced least often in the localities where reform is needed most for where the public houses have the greatest number of patrons, there also they are likely to find at the poll the greatest number of voters." It was significant of Mr. Rowell's attitude that the liquor traffic always fought against the introduction of a local option law, but when once it had been adopted they always used local option as an argument against a general law and, declared Mr. Rowell, "they are sometimes able to deceive even the very elect."

The subject of Mr. Rowell's address was "Social Reform in Great Britain and Ontario," and in the course of his remarks he referred to the social reforms already accomplished in Great Britain and Ontario, and emphasized the fact that Ontario's legislation record in many aspects of social reform was far behind that of Great Britain.

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URGENT LEGISLATION TO STOP ANY MORE LAKE DISASTERS

Requests Pour In On Marine Department to Make Navigation More Safe—Question Will Come Up at Coming Session of Parliament.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Dec. 12.—The department of marine and fisheries still continues to receive communications from shipping owners, bereaved relatives of men who were lost in the recent great storm, and members of Parliament, asking that some action be taken at the coming session to render navigation more safe. The matter will come before Parliament, but it is not clear what action can be taken.

New Legislation. The Government has been urged to pass legislation compelling shipowners to regard storm signals, and preventing them from ordering out their captains in the face of such signals. It is not believed here that such legislation could be passed, and the recognition of signals made compulsory. Signals are simply in the nature of a warning, and in many cases the storm which is presaged in the signals does not come off.

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**TO TELL OF LABRADOR**  
Dr. Mathew Hare Will Address Canadian Club on Grenfell's Work.

The Canadian Club will hold a luncheon at the Tecumseh House at noon on Monday, at which Dr. H. Mathew Hare will address the members on the work of the Grenfell mission in Labrador. There is no one better qualified to speak upon this interesting topic than Dr. Hare, who for years has been associated in the work with Dr. Grenfell.

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## OFFICER APOLOGIZES FOR HIS LANGUAGE

Sergeant and Complainant Make Concessions—Other Charges Fell Through.

R. Warren, employed as engineer at Carling's brewery, appeared before the police commissioners on Friday afternoon and charged Staff-Serjt. Birrell with having used abusive language to him. Both the officer and the citizen apologized to each other and the matter was settled.  
The Chinamen who filed a complaint against Acting-Serjt. McCullough and P. C. Singleton, and charged them with breaking into his shop without the proper authority, said he had no desire to press the charge, and the case was dismissed.  
R. W. Burrell, a night watchman, failed, it was said, to substantiate the charges he made against P. C. Ewan. The latter satisfied the commissioners that he was justified when he took the man to the cells.

## CO-OPERATION PROVES PROFITABLE TO GROWERS

Better Prices Secured by the Association Than by Individuals Previously.

The annual meeting of the London branch of the Middlesex Fruit Growers' Association was held at the Department of Agriculture, King street, Friday afternoon, and there was a record attendance present.  
C. W. Baker was elected chairman of the meeting, and reviewed the progress of the association's work. He stated that the growers would profit from their experience in shipping apples this fall. They had, however, done exceptionally well and realized better prices for their apples as an association than they could have individually. He praised the exceptionally fine work done by Manager Sharman. It was through his efforts the association had done so well.  
I. B. Whale gave the growers some solid advice. He had done his best to help the association, and would continue to do so. He would again like to emphasize the importance of taking more care of the orchards. Vast improvement would have to be made before they would get a large percentage to No. 1 fruit. The demonstration orchard at Lambeth proved what could be done by spraying and pruning. He was sorry that more growers had not attended the demonstration. Let the growers work hand in hand in the future for the association's welfare, and he predicted excellent results.  
The grower, he said, who does not belong to an association is away behind the times. Co-operation alone would solve the difficulties that beset them, and he was pleased the growers present recognized this important fact.  
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The cardiograph, an extremely sensitive and delicately-constructed instrument used to determine the regularity of the action of the heart, has had to be removed from Toronto General Hospital to the medical building of the university on account of the interference of the vibration caused by the street cars and other vehicles on College street. By means of a wire, the instrument is carried to the bed in the hospital is carried to the Medical College, where they are recorded on smoked paper by the cardiograph. The instrument consists of a drum, to which a lever is attached, the end of which writes on the paper while it is in motion.  
The cardiograph is not in use in the local hospitals, but Victoria Hospital is equipped with a curious instrument along somewhat similar lines. It is known as a blood-pressure instrument, and is used to show the pressure on the arteries of patients. It does not record the pressure, but it can be easily read from the movement of a column of mercury as it is affected by the pulsations of the arteries.

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**LITTLE BEING SAID BY COMMISSIONERS**  
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The members of the new London and Port Stanley Railway Commission are lying low and saying little, while Engineer F. A. Gaby, of the hydro-electric commission, is preparing estimates prior to the call for tenders for the electrification of the road.  
Just where the offices of the commission will be located has not been decided. Some people have been so unkind as to suggest that they will be in Hon. Adam Beck's hat, but this suggestion is not taken seriously. The temporary city hall is too crowded now to admit of any more officials taking up residence there, and quarters will have to be secured elsewhere.  
Ald. William Spittal is secretary pro tem. of the commission, but it is likely that City Clerk Samuel Baker will be permanently appointed to the position. In this event, Mr. Baker would be in a position at all times, to keep the city council in touch with the doings of the commission.  
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Thrilling Story of the Great Lakes Storm Related By An Advertiser Reporter Who Passed Through It

CAPTAIN TO AVOID DANGEROUS COAST DROVE HIS BOAT INTO THE OPEN AND FOUGHT IT OUT WITH MONSTER WAVES

[The following story of the recent Great Lakes storm, the most disastrous in Canadian inland marine history, is the actual experience of a member of The Advertiser editorial staff. The steamer on which he sailed is one of the best-known carriers on the lakes, and for obvious reasons is not published. It is a vivid pen-picture of the great gale that took toll of more than 250 lives and caused a property loss of six million dollars. The S— was one of two or three boats, which, unable to get shelter in the early hours of the storm on Lake Superior, was obliged to run for the open and fight it out. The Harry B. Smith and the Leifield, two other big freighters, were not so successful, and went down with all hands.]

was so dull, and had I not been buoyed up with false hopes by optimistic bums, I would have wired home for a small sum to tide me over. But the lateness of the day made that procedure futile, as I had learned that no telegraphic money orders were cashed after 6 p.m. It was already well onto 5 p.m., then, so I resigned myself to my fate and sunk sullenly into the slough of despond.

Both Were Broke. The Swede's financial resources were tantamount to mine—he didn't have a farthing. From his conversation, I gathered that he had gotten off a boat three days previous with \$38 in his possession, but like all flesh he was weak and had an ungovernable penchant for rum—hot rum, at that—such as that Gargoyle Quilp was so fond of.

"Have you got a room?" he asked me. "Yes, I have the governor's suite at the Iroquois," I replied, making a feeble attempt to conceal my sarcasm. "Well," he went on, "I know the second mate on a boat that's lying down at the Peavey elevator, and if we can see him, he can square things with the steward, and we'll get our victuals and perhaps a place to sleep in."

So without further ado, I expressed a willingness to attest the benevolence of his friend, whoever he might be, and we forthwith set out for the Peavey elevator.

An 18-Karat Mate. The second mate in question proved to be eighteen karat. He not only ushered us into a savory confines of the messroom, where we feasted on "cornbeef and," but he secretly piloted us to that portion of the ship reserved for owners and shareholders, where he told us we could sleep until 5 o'clock in the morning, providing we promised to remove the snow-white sheets and sleep on the bare mattress, and not scratch the mahogany.

We slept like a couple of mummified Pharaohs, and in the morning our benefactor took us back to the messroom, where we breakfasted on griddle cakes and "shrimp" for work. We then set forth towards the shipping office, bent on getting out that day, or jumping off the first dock we came to.

Now the Swede was a fireman, and it was close to dinner time, when the shipping master, a massive fellow, loomed authoritatively on the threshold of the door that led into his private office, and bellowed: "One wheelman, two firemen, an oiler, and three deckhands for the S—." There was a wild scramble, and the Swede and I were among the vanguard that almost rushed him off his feet.

Our books were made out and we were soon on our way to the dock where the S— was lying. Our wretched contrage was renewed with the thought of being wage-earners once more, and already the Swede's eyes were staled with merriment at the anticipation of making \$45 per month and the rum it would buy him.

A Big Freighter. The S— was at the Pennsylvania dock, and she was almost unloading. She was 360 feet in length, with a 56-foot beam, and she was equipped with all the modern complements, such as patent hatches, side-tanks in her cargo hold, and an inclosed pilot-house. When we climbed the ladder and reached her decks, the Swede and I parted company, temporarily. He went aft to the engine room. I went forward, where the first mate accosted me, and assigned me to my room, which was shared with the wheelman on the opposite watch. As I was on the after-watch, I was told to wash up for supper and go below until midnight, when I would be re-

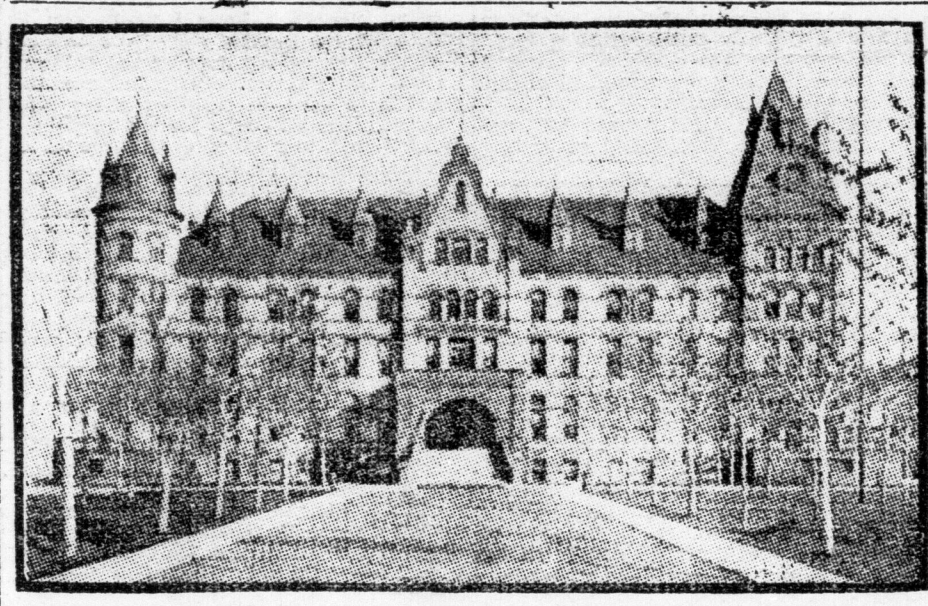
quired to stand watch until 6 o'clock in the morning—three hours at lookout duty and three hours at the wheel, bound for Duluth.

When I was called later, the slow-measured throb of the screw conveyed to me that the S— was under way. We were bound light for Duluth, where we were to load ore for South Chicago, and as nothing untoward or unusual happened, suffice it to say that for five weeks I worked six hours and slept six, and waxed fat. Occasionally I saw the Swede. He was behaving nobly and from the two round trips we had made he had saved the sum of \$37 out of a total of \$74.

It was on the morning of Nov. 7 that we lay at the Mesabo ore docks at Duluth, with our hatches battened down securely, and all in readiness for our departure to the central furnace at Cleveland. The S— was trimmed fore and aft. She carried 8,000 tons of ore, and was loaded dangerously deep for that time of year. Her sides only protruded a scant seven feet above the surface of the water, as she drew 19 feet 3 inches of water aft, and 19 feet flush at her head.

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UNION PRINTERS HOME AT COLORADO SPRINGS



This magnificent home and hospital for the "men who work that you may read," is a magnificent monument to the fraternal spirit that dominates the International Typographical Union. It is situated high up in the American Rockies, and many a sick printer has been restored to health and happiness by a sojourn there, while the aged and incapacitated have found a home in the truest sense.

TORTURE OF MIND AND BODY WAS FOR MANY MONTHS THE DAILY EXPERIENCE OF BEILIS

Repeated Attempts Made To "Cook" Up a Confession to Alleged Ritual Murder —Pathetic Story by Central Figure in the Famous Trial at Kiev.

The graphic stories of prison life in Russia by Tolstoy and other famous authors may be accurate in most of the essentials, but they can not be like narratives from a person who knows from experience what it means to be incarcerated as a religious or political suspect in one of the Czar's jails. The novelists do not exaggerate, however, they only write in a less intimately personal vein. Proof of this fact is found in Mendel Beilis's story of the persecution that he was subjected to pending his trial at Kiev on a charge of killing Andrew Yushinsky, a Christian boy, to get blood for sacramental purposes. Beilis talked with a correspondent of the Philadelphia Public Ledger shortly after his acquittal. He said:

In March, 1911, the body of the Yushinsky boy was found in the brickyard where I was employed. I had been busy all day and did not pay much attention to the discovery, in fact it was not until the day of the funeral that my attention was really brought to the case. On that day, a friend of mine, Mr. Zucharenko, who owns the house where Vera Cheberiak lives, said to me: "Mendel, I have just been to the funeral of the Yushinsky boy, and when there I saw a lot of handbills distributed and they said that the Jews had killed the boy."

Even then I did not pay much attention to my friend's words and forgot the matter entirely until some three months later.

Visited by Spies. It was then that the local prosecuting attorney called at my house, and examined the premises thoroughly. He also went to the brickyard and carefully went over the works and grounds. He went away without saying anything, but while there I saw a lot of spies, dressed as tramps, came to my house. They behaved like animals, talked about ritual murder and tried to frighten me in numerous ways. It was then that my friends began to tell me that Vera Cheberiak had been telling everybody that I had murdered the boy.

Some time elapsed before I received another visit from the local prosecuting attorney. He examined the house again and finally asked me why I did not have a mazana (Jewish talisman) and I told him that as I worked in the brickyard, where a lot of Christians were employed, I could not very well be strictly orthodox. He then left.

On July 22, 1911, I was awakened at 3 o'clock in the morning by a noise, which I thought at first was the explosion from a cannon. Finally I heard a terrific knocking at my front door, and I hastened to open it. When I did so I was greeted by a sight which frightened me nearly to death. Right at my door were a lot of policemen and behind them was a regiment of soldiers, while the prosecutor was standing beside me.

Placed Under Arrest. He said, "Are you Mendel Beilis?" and when I said I was, he said: "You are under arrest." I asked for what, but I received no reply. I was trembling like a leaf and my wife was fainting, and the children were crying and running about trying to hide, for they were terribly scared. I remembered they told me to dress, and that I was to be taken to prison. I was put in a cell away from the

other prisoners, but about an hour after I reached the prison I heard a boy crying and sobbing something. After trying for a few minutes I recognized that it was my son David, then 8 years old. My heart almost stopped beating and I pounded my head against the wall of my cell in my grief.

A few minutes later the governor of the prison came to my cell and said the little son of Vera Cheberiak says that he was playing with the Yushinsky boy in the brick-yard and your son says he was not. Your son is a big liar, and that is why he was arrested."

The governor refused to listen to my explanation. Finally I began to cry and ask him why I was in prison. The only answer I received was that I would be sent to Siberia if I did not tell the truth.

The man left me alone, and for several hours I could hear my boy crying, and at each sob my heart bled. All I could do was to think of my unfortunate family.

Sent Son Home. The next morning I rang the alarm-bell in my cell, and the governor came. He said, "Well, Beilis, so you want to make a confession." He either mistook my motive in ringing the bell, or was trying to frighten me. I told him that I had nothing to confess, and asked him what he wanted me to confess. He did not answer this, and I then told him that he could do whatever he chose with me, but for God's sake to have pity on my David. I told him that if he killed David the blood would be on his head, but the governor only laughed. However, he later sent David home in charge of a policeman.

I was full of joy and thanked God, for I believed he would help me through my trouble.

Several days later the prosecuting attorney asked me, "Is it true that the Jews required blood for the Passover cakes?" I told him I did not know of any such law. It was not until seven days later that I was informed of the hideous nature of the charge against me.

A few days later I was ordered removed to the chief prison, and as I was being taken through the streets by two policemen one of them noticed that I was half-starved and stopped and bought me some pears. He told me that although he was a Christian he knew I was innocent, but said the only thing I could do was to go to prison.

Imprisoned With Murderers. At the expiration of eight days, I was taken to another cell where there were thirty men—all murderers or burglars. They also knew all about my case. A majority of these men said they believed me innocent, but there were a few who said I was guilty. It was here I received my first beating. My feet were cracked and bleeding from the nails in the rough prison shoes, and I sat down on a bench near another prisoner. He hit me a stunning blow in the face, bringing blood to my mouth. I began to cry from the pain and the prison governor appeared, and when he saw the lump on my face, asked me what was the matter. I told him I had been hit, and he asked who did it. I pointed out the man and the governor knocked him down, and then he asked the prisoner why he had

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WEST LONDONER A VETERAN OF THE CRIMEA TELLS OF THE BLOODY BATTLE OF ALMA

Standing on the London market, week after week, year in and year out, offering the products of his farm for sale, either fruit, vegetables, or flowers, one will find Mr. A. R. Murdock, a

typical Scotchman, gardener, and Crimean veteran.

He may rightly be called one of Canada's grand old men, and Londoners should feel justly proud of him.

As one sees him on the market square, handing out this and that vegetable to a customer, few can realize that this fine old man, whose hair has turned to silvery gray, was in 1854 a dashing young soldier in the Royal Artillery, and on the battlefield of Alma in the Crimea was doing his gallant duty for Queen and Empire.

Bears Himself Like Soldier. And yet upon close observation, one can detect a soldierly bearing about him. The old campaigner still stands almost erect, in spite of his having passed the allotted span of life, and he is smart in all his movements.

Sometimes in his thoughts he lives the past again, even on the crowded market. An old friend of Mr. Murdock comes along, one conversation leads to another, and soon the veteran draws the curtain of the past aside and is all aglow relating some interesting and stirring episode of his soldiering days.

For a few moments the selling of vegetables and the cares of the business world are forgotten. In his vision he is a soldier again, proudly fighting for his country.

His Life Story. It was to hear the story of Mr. Murdock's life from the lips of this old Advertiser man paid a visit to his home in West London one recent afternoon.

Reaching his farm, I found the old gardener had just completed hitching up his horse to a democrat laden with cabbages and vegetables.

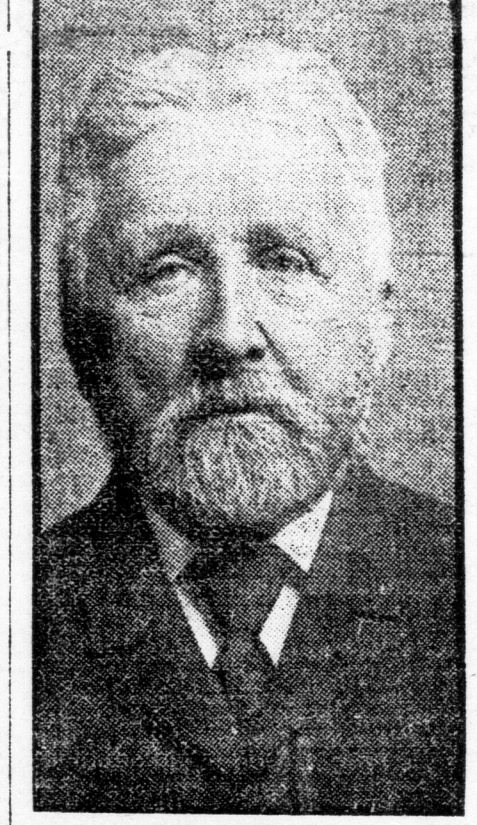
"How do you do, young man?" he greeted me, with a Scotch accent, which cold print cannot do justice to. "You want to learn the story of my life, eh? Well, I can tell you some real good stories. I have seen a few things in my time. But, you see, I am busy. I must take out this stuff right away. Look around this evening and I'll have some time to spare."

Not infrequently French, but rarely English. And no nationality is more anxious to learn English than the Jewish. "Where can we learn English? Are there night schools in your city?" they ask their first English-speaking acquaintances.

Some time ago the Arbeiter Ring (Workingmen's Circle) asked the board of education to co-operate in establishing night schools. If the board would provide the classroom, they would secure the teachers. The board of education offered them the use of the basement of Simcoe street school. The board members doubted the advisability of allowing the foreigners to use the regular classrooms.

The Arbeiter Ring. The Arbeiter Ring is a radical working-class organization. It is in no sense a national or racial organization, but it so happens that the membership of the local circle is almost entirely Jewish. It is, however, restricted to those who avow radical positions on labor and economic questions, who believe in a revolutionary economic creed. Members to be content must practically be either anarchists or socialists. These seemingly extreme and entirely opposed followings work harmoniously together in the Arbeiter Ring, which is doing a good work through its lending library, gymnasium and fraternal aid social departments. English as well as Yiddish and German books are circulated, and lectures and discussions are frequently held on Canadian government, Canadian politics and Canadian questions. The Arbeiter Ring is about to build a labor temple. When it is built it will have ample accommodation for

WAR VETERAN TO GARDENER



MR. A. R. MURDOCK, West Londoner, who participated in heavy fighting of Crimean war.

London Is a Melting Pot of Many European Nationalities

Assimilating the foreign immigration of non-English peoples is one of the big problems that London in common with other Canadian and American cities, is being called upon to face. Among most non-Teutonic and non-Celtic nationalities, locally represented, the number of residents in the city can, however, be counted in hundreds, rather than in thousands, and the problem is not nearly so large a one as it is likely to become in the next few years. But it is a problem that the teacher in the public school faces every day when she is called upon to start on the road to knowledge the child of immigrant parents, that is unable to speak a dozen words of English. And, strange as it may seem, once these young Canadians of foreign parentage get the merest grasp of the English language, their progress in all branches of the public school course is usually quite phenomenal, many of them frequently overtaking several grades in a single term. But while the children are rapidly learning to speak English fluently in the public school, the parents in the home rarely have given to them any opportunity to gain an extensive or a grammatical knowledge of the English language. Time and again, the need of night schools for adult foreigners has been pointed out in London, but so far the board of education has not seen its way clear to the establishment of such schools.



MISS CLARA COLESNIK is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Colesnik, 73 Maitland street. Although born in Russian Poland, and only two years in London, she speaks English fluently and perfectly, without the slightest accent. She also speaks Russian and her native Polish. In all three languages she is equally proficient and at home. Not quite 12 years of age, she is in the third class in St. John's R. C. separate school, Hill street, where she is one of the brightest pupils. There are in all seven Polish children attending St. John's school.

this respect, but by consent of all three denominations the work was left to be undertaken by the Baptists. Delays have taken place, but it is expected that some action in the matter will be taken at the meeting of the home missionary board of the Baptist Union, meeting now in Toronto. It is expected that Mr. Kolesnikoff, an expert in the English education of foreigners, will be appointed to take charge of the local field. If the Baptist home missionary board does not take this action, or similar action, the work will doubtless be undertaken by the Men's Federation, which has had under consideration for some time the establishment of classes for foreigners.

Secretary Lyons of the Men's Federation is of the opinion that the board of education should take the lead in such a matter, but in the absence of any aggressive policy on the part of the city, or, indeed, of any action at all so far, the Men's Federation, realizing the vital nature of the problem, is preparing to take some active part in the work of giving the foreign-born resident of the city a fair opportunity to learn the language, history and government of his adopted country.

Anxious To Study English. One of the leading nationalities represented in London is the Italian. No better or more highly respected race of citizens is to be found within the borders of the city. But many adult Italians, born in the old land, are anxious to derive a better knowledge of English. Not all of them, despite the remarkable success of their na-

tionality in business and their generally thrifty type of character, feel themselves in a position to engage private tutors at a heavy expense, nor are capable private tutors to be engaged readily. The Italians are mainly Roman Catholics, and their children are among the brightest pupils in the separate schools of the city. But many young Italian immigrants come to London and other cities who are anxious to study English.

Last year a well-attended and successful class for Italians was held under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A. This year there is no such class in the city. However, the needs of this nationality is not urgent. It is self-assimilating. English is the language spoken in the local Italian colony. They have a club of their own, the "Marconi," on Fullarton street, where they meet for social purposes; they mix freely with the native Canadian population in business and in art, and no other nationality in the city can boast so many artists in proportion to its numbers as the Italian, and in the main they are entirely capable of meeting their own needs. But the majority of them are ratepayers, and night schools for the assistance of their newcomers would be no more than their due.

Russians and Poles. Another leading nationality is the Jewish. All told, they number seven hundred or more, the great majority of whom are foreign born and largely of Russian or Polish birth. All of them are well educated in their own language. Many of them come to Canada with a university education. They speak Russian, Yiddish, German, and

not infrequently French, but rarely English. And no nationality is more anxious to learn English than the Jewish. "Where can we learn English? Are there night schools in your city?" they ask their first English-speaking acquaintances.

Some time ago the Arbeiter Ring (Workingmen's Circle) asked the board of education to co-operate in establishing night schools. If the board would provide the classroom, they would secure the teachers. The board of education offered them the use of the basement of Simcoe street school. The board members doubted the advisability of allowing the foreigners to use the regular classrooms.

The Arbeiter Ring. The Arbeiter Ring is a radical working-class organization. It is in no sense a national or racial organization, but it so happens that the membership of the local circle is almost entirely Jewish. It is, however, restricted to those who avow radical positions on labor and economic questions, who believe in a revolutionary economic creed. Members to be content must practically be either anarchists or socialists. These seemingly extreme and entirely opposed followings work harmoniously together in the Arbeiter Ring, which is doing a good work through its lending library, gymnasium and fraternal aid social departments. English as well as Yiddish and German books are circulated, and lectures and discussions are frequently held on Canadian government, Canadian politics and Canadian questions. The Arbeiter Ring is about to build a labor temple. When it is built it will have ample accommodation for

night schools on its own account, and these will be established, because the members of the Arbeiter Ring realize that it is to their advantage to be thoroughly proficient in the English language and literature and in the laws, government and affairs of Canada, even though they may not be in sympathy with the conservative political credo of the majority of English-speaking Canadians.

A Zionist Society. The Arbeiter Ring is the only local society of Jewish membership whose aims are not Jewish. The religious needs of the Jewish people are well looked after by the two local synagogues. A Zionist society is interesting a great many of them in Zionism, and Hebrew schools are instructing the young in the Hebrew religion, language and literature. But the Arbeiter Ring alone is working to bring the Jew into greater familiarity and harmony with Canadian life and affairs. Until recently a "Self-Educational Society" meeting regularly in Cullis' Hall, worked along somewhat similar lines. Under its auspices Emma Goldman, the noted anarchist speaker, lectured in this city several years ago. Cullis' Hall is almost historic as a local center of radicalism. The Jewish Young People's Literary Society, a social organization, is another Jewish association that deserves commendation, but its aims are not so wide nor so non-radical as those of the Arbeiter Ring.

Ambitious Chinese. Besides the Jews, another nationality keenly anxious to acquire proficiency in English is the Chinese. There are more than two hundred Chinese in London. In the last two or three years their number has more than tripled. Here, most of them are in Miss Sletton's

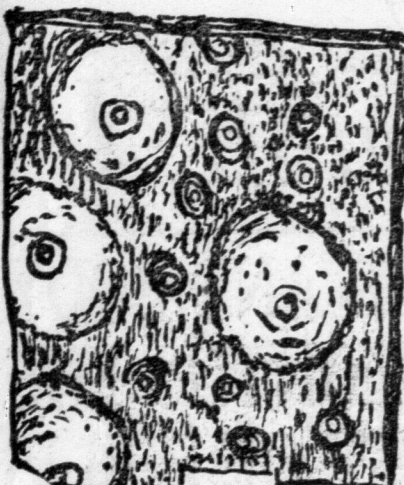


MISS GUSSIE GOLDIE BREEN, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Breen, 80 Wellington street, is a Russian. This strikingly beautiful little Jewish girl is one of the clever pupils of Simcoe street school, where she is in Miss Sletton's class, Grade VI. Her parents are natives of Russia.

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# LITTLE SAN JOSE SCALE IN SPRINGBANK PARK

BY PROFESSOR DEARNESS.



Specimen of bark from Springbank Park, showing presence of San Jose Scale.

The commonest scale insect in our orchards is the Oyster-Shell, which has a long, narrow, shell-like body, not very unlike a miniature oyster-shell, whence the name.

Its eggs and young are white. Next in prevalence comes the Scurfy Scale, whose females are whitish, and eggs and young reddish. Both species can easily be distinguished by the naked eye from the San Jose, which has thin roundish scales and yellowish young. Two other species, Forbes' and Putnam's, are so nearly like the San Jose that single individuals cannot be positively distinguished without the use of the compound microscope.

### WHAT IT LOOKS LIKE.

The drawings accompanying this article are from a bit of bark supplied by Mr. Farlow, of the Essex Fruit Growers' Association, as seen under a simple microscope. It shows four adults, fertilized females, and a number of young settled insects. The scales are grayish, nearly the color of the bark, and of the size of a pin-point, with a small circular nipple near the center, which in the adults is frequently yellowish. The inner layer of the bark and the cambium are reddened as is usually the case under the San Jose scale.

The minute yellow larvae, although developed as eggs which can be seen in the parent body, emerge after the mother's scale and seek a place to insert their sucking beaks or tongues into the bark. Presently they begin to secrete a shell or scale over their backs, absorb or lose their legs, and unless they are males never leave the spot and live.

### NOT MUCH IN PARK.

Judging by the reports the Byron people are unnecessarily alarmed so far as danger from Springbank Park is concerned. I know the park pretty well, and am sure that there is not much San Jose scale in it. As I stated before I found a little of it there two or three years ago, and traced it pretty certainly to an adjoining orchard, to whose owner I pointed it out at the time.

### BIRDS NOT TO BLAME.

Secretary Bartlett is in error in stating that birds can carry the scale at this time of the year. It is an impossibility for a bird to transfer living scale from one tree to another in winter; therefore, I repeat that there is no need to cut trees down in such haste as not to give time for a proper examination of them. It is as reasonable to cut outside trees down to save the park ones as to pursue the converse course of action. It was not the park trees that introduced the insect into the neighborhood. While it is true that birds can carry the scale at certain seasons of the year they are a smaller factor in distribution than other agencies, and hence the presence of a little scale in the park, which from these would be carried only by birds, has not probably ever affected any tree outside of the grounds. Of course, affected trees that are not worth spraying should be cut down. If cut at a time when the young are hatching they should be burned.

### THE BEST TREATMENT.

"What is the most approved treatment?" has been asked. To answer this question fully would make a long story. In brief it may be stated that a half dozen or more treatments that have been tried and recommended have all given place to the lime-sulphur one. The mixture may be made at home, but for most people it is best to buy the factory-made concentrated article, which costs eight or nine dollars a barrel, and with this give two or three thorough applications—a strong one, say one of the concentrated liquid to ten of water, just before the buds begin to swell in the spring, and one or two later sprays, one of one-third of that strength by the time the fruit is setting. There should be no guess-work about the lime-sulphur treatment. Learn to use the hydrometer to test strength and closely follow the directions. The advice of the district representative is to be had gratis, and a bulletin on the use of the lime-sulphur remedy can be got on applications to the Department of Agriculture, Toronto.

# TORTURE OF MIND AND BODY FOR MANY MONTHS BELLI'S EXPERIENCE

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hit me. The man replied that he hit me because "he killed a Christian child." I was then transferred to another cell, where there were but twelve men.

### Tore Out Hair.

A month later Bellis was taken before the prosecutor, who informed him that several black hairs had been found on the pants which had belonged to the Yushinsky boy. Another official tore out a handful of hair from Bellis's head and beard. The prisoner was told that the hair was to be examined, and he was then put back in his cell. To continue:

During all this time I had not heard a word concerning my family. A few days later a prisoner named Kasatskenko offered to smuggle a letter to my wife. I was frightened lest I should be discovered, but I wrote a short note asking how she was and telling her that I was alive and all right. A few days later I received a reply saying they were well. Kasatskenko then suggested I write another letter, but as my glasses had been taken away I told him I could not see. He offered to write what I dictated. I learned later that he wrote an entirely different letter from the one I told him to, because he was a spy. As a result of this letter I was put in a solitary cell, measuring four by three yards.

### A Dismal Cell.

It was terribly cold and damp in there, and the only furniture was an iron bench and iron table. There was a tiny window at the top of the cell, but I could not even see the sky through it. I could not sleep that night, for I was nearly dead from the cold. I walked to and fro in the cell until I must have had the cap of the bench exhausted. I was kept in that cell for ten months and suffered terribly, especially during the winter months. My one longing was to see the sky, but this was impossible. At length one of my feet became frostbitten, and I was taken to the hospital, where I spent a month and a half. At the end of that time I was returned to the little cell. It was at this time that I was first told I had been indicted for the murder of the boy. I read the indictment several times, and finally came to the conclusion that my case was not entirely hopeless, for I knew that I was perfectly innocent and that no evidence existed against me. From then on my hopes began to centre on the acquittal.

### Encouraged by Counsel.

After some days I was called before the governor of the prison, where I saw Margolin, the lawyer to whom my wife RUSS—TWO ao ain s a aim figga had appealed for help. I was fearfully excited when I saw Margolin, but he inquired me by saying that he had gone through the indictment carefully and had come to the conclusion there was no evidence against me. He promised to see me through my trouble. He also promised to secure permission for me to see my wife and children whom I had not seen for eighteen months. My heart beat with joy when several days later, I was taken to the room where the prisoners are allowed to see their friends. It was a large room in which were a number of wire cages in which the prisoners were placed in order that they might not reach their friends. A few moments after I was locked in one of the cages, my wife and children were led to the visitors' door. I thought my heart would burst with happiness, but my joy quickly turned to anguish. I noticed my wife's ap-

pearance. She was deathly pale and looked many years older than when I saw her last. Neither of us spoke a word, and for a time it seemed as though I must faint. I stood staring at my wife, while I shook with horror and the tears rolled down my face. Finally, the prison governor broke the spell by saying: "Go on, Bellis, don't lose any of the precious time. You will only have a few minutes."

I shall never forget those few minutes. I noticed my brother, who was with the party, was wearing blue spectacles, and when I inquired the reason he removed them, and I saw his eyes were red and swollen. He told me they had become so through crying for me. One incident of that meeting stands out clearly in my mind. Another prisoner was at the next cage to mine, and his wife was visiting him. Presently I heard her say to her husband, "Tell the know next to you that all the town is guessing who the murderer will be discovered." I started to thank her, but the governor stopped me.

### Trial Postponed.

One Friday, I remember the day well, Lawyer Margolin informed me the trial had been postponed. This was a terrible shock, and in despair I fell to the floor on the cell and implored him to hasten the trial, for I felt that if I were to be kept in prison much longer it would be better for me to die at once. He told me to have courage, and said the postponement was caused by one of the experts being taken ill. As soon as I heard the word expert, I realized the trial was going to be very complicated and that religious questions would be involved. I felt this my hope of being acquitted faded somewhat.

About this time Margolin secured permission for me to see one member of my family each Sunday. The sight of my wife and children, who took turns in visiting me, was the only thing that kept my spirits up. I fell into deep despair a few weeks later these visits suddenly stopped. I begged the prison governor to allow me to see my family, but it was not until after the special prosecutor of the ministry of justice at St. Petersburg visited the prison that I obtained

### Nerves Are Sore and Painful

Neuritis, or inflammation of the nerves, is the most painful of nervous ailments. You may feel the soreness or tenderness throughout the body, or it may be confined to certain nerves. In the head it is called neuralgia; in the hips and legs, sciatica; in the face, tic douloureux, and in the chest, intercostal neuralgia.

The application of dry heat affords relief from the lancinating pains, but the essential thing is to build up the exhausted nervous system by the persistent use of such a restorative as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food. You will have other symptoms to warn you of the nervous condition of the nervous system, and this is your opportunity to restore to the body the energy and vigor of health.

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permission for these visits to be renewed.

### A New Indictment.

Several weeks later the same prosecutor came to the prison and read me the new indictment which had been found against me. It was several hundred pages long and took him two days to finish reading it. I studied the document most carefully for a week, and while I found many names mentioned in it, I only found my name on the last page, very near the end. The indictment was so full of untruth that it affected my mind, and I was not able to concentrate my thoughts upon the real facts of the case. Had it not been for the Bible, which was allowed me, and which spoke to me like a voice in the wilderness, I believe I should have gone insane.

About this time another prisoner was put into my cell. He was a Pole, who had just been sentenced to eighteen years in Siberia. I saw at once that he was a man of the better class, and highly educated. From the first moment he entered the cell he talked about nothing but his innocence and the great injustice done him. I tried to comfort him, and told him the tragedy of my life. He listened intently, and when I had finished he replied: "Although I am a Pole and a Christian, I have lived among the Jews for years, and I know their religion, lives and habits, also their secrets. And I know there is no such thing as ritual murder among them."

I thanked him with tears in my eyes, and a great friendship grew between us. One day he was called before the prison governor, and when he returned I saw he was greatly excited. I asked the cause, and he replied that while he did not wish to upset me he must tell the truth. He said he was called to the governor's office, and he was questioned by several high officials. The first question was, "Are you a Christian?" The Pole answered that he was, and he was then told, "As you are a Christian you must assist us to solve the murder of the Yushinsky boy by one who drinks our Christian blood." The Pole said he was very anxious to help, but he did not see how he could.

"Perhaps Bellis has told you he committed the murder," said the governor. "You are with him day and night, and

perhaps his conscience has pricked him or maybe he talks in his sleep."

"I have listened very carefully," said the Pole, "and the only things I have noticed are the bitter tears of the Jew. I am convinced my cellmate is an innocent man."

"You were not asked that," yelled the official. "If you want to, you can get evidence from a sleeping man as you can awake."

Friend Sent Into Exile. Two days later the pole was taken to Siberia, and I shall never forget our farewell.

The greatest joy I had felt since being imprisoned, and for a few weeks later came to my cell one morning and told me that the hour of my trial was approaching. My prison clothes were taken away and the old blue suit, which I had not seen for two and a half years, was given to me, and I was told to make myself comfortable. The superintendent spoke so kindly that I could hardly realize that he was the same man who had previously treated me so abominably. He looked at me and evidently read my thoughts, for he said, "The truth will soon be known, and I see by the papers that there is no evidence against you, and that every one believes you will be set free. In the hour I want you to remember me kindly."

When I was led away by the soldiers I shall never forget my feelings as the great iron door in front of the prison swung open and I saw for the first time after many long months the glories of the sky and the sunshine. I was quickly hustled into the prison van, and the sight of so many people, for a crowd of men, women, and children gathered to see me, frightened me. As I was driven through the streets I looked through the small gathering in the side of the van and saw crowds of young men and young women students from the university, as well as hundreds of other persons who cheered and waved their hats as I passed by. When the crowd pressed so close about the van that the Cossacks drove them back with whips.

At last we arrived at the court house and I was taken from the van. As I was led up the steps to the trial-room I said to myself, "God, oh, God, show them the truth and defend me!" With these words I went forward to face my accusers.

# WEST LONDONER VETERAN OF THE CRIMEA TELLS OF BLOODY BATTLE

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Born in Highlands. Presently Mr. Murdock commenced the history of his own life.

"I was born in Aberdeenshire in the parish of New Deer, a beautiful country place, in 1837, and there my happy boyhood days were spent.

"My father was a tenant farmer and fairly well off. Of course, most of the farms are rented in Scotland, and it is harder to make the wheels of life go round than in Canada.

"At the age of 12 years I was apprenticed to gardening for three years with Major Duff, Hutton Castle, and there I learned the first laws of this branch of husbandry. When my time expired I went to Edinburgh and served three years in the nursery business, at the end of which time I was a practical gardener.

"The nursery business is different in Scotland to Canada. In the land of Burns a young man must serve a number of years' apprenticeship. Here a man thinks he is thoroughly experienced if he works a few months at one place.

"I believe if a youngster had to serve an apprenticeship here for a number of years on a garden he would benefit himself more than anyone else in the long run.

"Well, just as my time expired at the nursery, the Crimean war broke out. This was in 1854.

The Call to Arms. "The country's call for help was responded to in an extraordinary way. A great wave of patriotic fervor swept over the nation. The recruiting sergeants found their work the easiest possible in enlisting men. Hundreds, and thousands of Highland plowmen threw up their work and took the Queen's shilling, to do or die for their country's honor. In every walk of life men quit their work—lawyers, bankers and merchants, all alike. Husband and wife, young men their sweethearts. Each and all responded to the bugle call. Indeed, never before or since has such overwhelming loyalty been shown. The recruiting sergeant had no need to ask me a second time. I enlisted in the Royal Artillery, and am proud of the fact, proud that I was a healthy, strong young man, and able to be of some use to my country.

Off to the War. "We sailed from Leith to Southampton, and then took the transport to St. James' Gate, and from there we went to Varna and Odport, where we landed. This was on the 18th day of September, 1854. It was a fine day. In fact, the climate was very much like

Canada. We crossed the River Alma on the 20th of September, and about 10 o'clock in the morning the fight began. The British numbered about 25,000. The Russians must have had a fighting strength of over 75,000. They swarmed like bees everywhere. The country was alive with them.

A Terrific Battle. "It was a terrific battle, which I shall never forget. The bullets flew everywhere. The mighty boom of the cannons was deafening, and the very earth quaked under the awful fusillade. The French gunboats in the river helped us in our big task, and poured a deadly fire into the Russian lines. Under the able command of Lord Raglan, the British boys drove the Russians from their strongholds, and at 2 p.m. they were completely routed. British tactics, British bulldog courage, had won, and we did the trick in four hours.

"I composed a few lines on the battlefield. Let me see, oh, yes:

"Two thousand British, I've heard it said,  
Did fall upon that fatal day;  
And fourteen thousand Frenchmen lay  
In the bloody ground at Alma.

"Between the wounded and the slain,  
The Russians lost eight thousand men,  
And had three thousand prisoners taken  
Upon the heights of Alma.

"I came out of the battle without a scratch, thank God, but my brave boy found his last resting-place upon that blood-soaked soil. We would not have lost so heavily if more reconnoitering had been done.

"With the battle over, we commenced the arduous journey to Balaklava. This was a very trying ordeal, footsore and weary, we trudged along. Through glens and brushwood we heaved our way. We reached Balaklava two weeks after the battle of Alma, and I tell you, we were pretty well all in and mighty glad to get there. Our provisions had practically run out, and we knew what the pangs of real hunger felt like.

A Provision Fleet. "Out in the bay off Balaklava were 14 vessels laden with provisions and clothing. Owing to some piece of red tape, the boats would not discharge their precious cargo until next day. This was a shame and entirely uncalled for. That

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## LONDON IS A MELTING POT FOR MANY EUROPEAN NATIONALITIES

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all are the needs of the adult evident. There are less than a dozen Chinese children in London, and some of these are Eurasians, children of Chinese fathers and Caucasian mothers. In the public schools they are remarkably proficient. Several of them are regarded by their teachers as youthful prodigies. Adult education is what the local Chinese need most, and desire most, and to a large extent they are receiving it. Large Chinese classes in the Sunday schools of St. Andrew's Church, Dundas Centre Methodist Church, and the First Congregational Church are steadily growing. All the Chinese are ready to study English under Christian influences, and the majority of them are ready to embrace Christianity. No other non-Teutonic or

are the Russians and Poles. There are 200 or more Russians and a much larger number of Poles. They make very good citizens, however they are, in many instances, well educated in their own languages, and with fair opportunities of learning English become assimilated into the life of the city. The Methodist Church has undertaken the instruction of the local Russian colony in English. It is concentrated about the vicinity of Philip, Nelson and National streets. Russian classes have at different times been established by the Y. M. C. A. and have always been fully appreciated.

**Night School for Foreigners.**  
The Y. M. C. A. in 1910 established the first night school in London for foreigners. There was an enrolment of 22. In 1911, there were 52 enrolled in classes held at the McClary factory. The Y. M. C. A. first brought the attention of the board of education to the need of such classes under the direction of the city. The Association offered to co-operate by teaching citizenship and associated subjects if the board of education would supply teachers for the English and academic subjects. In 1912, the Y. M. C. A. established a class for Danes. This highly enterprising and sturdy, vigorous nationality had quite a number of representatives in London, and the Y. M. C. A. class was well patronized. This year the Y. M. C. A. is only teaching a few individual pupils in its nationalities class. The Poles are undoubtedly a nationality that has been greatly neglected so far. Their needs are imminent, moreover, because of the characteristic habit of over-population in their homes. On different occasions half a hundred have been found occupying one small boarding or rooming house. Too much cannot be said in praise of what the organized labor movement is doing towards the assimilation of the foreigner. No matter what country he comes from, any part of Europe, or the West Indies and no matter how very few the English words that he can understand, as soon as possible after getting work, the foreigner takes out his union card, and in the local he meets fellow-workmen, some of whom are English-speaking, others of whom are not. It was at the meeting of his union, to take part in the meetings of his union. Visit a trade and labor council meeting and you will be struck by the cosmopolitan character of its membership—Spaniards, Jews, Cubans, French, Germans, English, Irish, Scotch, Canadians, Americans, and others.

**Some From South.**  
The Spaniards and Cubans gradually pick up English in the cigar factories where they work, although they most often know only Spanish when they come to London. In the past, the chief cause of the alien labor has necessitated their attendance in Carling street, Spanish interpreters are nearly always required.

There are a large number of Germans in London, but the local Lutheran Church, with both English and German services, affords newcomers ample opportunity to mingle with Canadian-born Germans, from whom they readily acquire a good working knowledge of English. Social and fraternal organizations exist in order to make the immigrant from the British Isles feel at home in Canada, and speaking a language that has preceded him centuries ago, he has only the Canadian customs and Canadian viewpoint to learn.

The Greek nationality is one locally represented that must not be overlooked. The peanut monopoly, the shoeshine monopoly, and to a considerable extent the lunch counter and restaurant business are in their control. If night classes for the Greek were open to him, one cannot say what other lines of business he might not invade in London, as he has invaded them in many other cities.

Musical, shoe-repairing and fruit-stalling are the chief avocations of the local Italians. They were engaged in garment working, junk dealing, pawn-broking, and running stores that sell everything from kitchen cabinets, Turkish rugs and baby carriages to all sorts of goods in the installment plan. The Chinese are found in laundries, restaurants and hotel kitchens. The Sicilians—there are not many of them in London—keep the street railway to the city streets in a continual state of upheaval. The Poles also work on construction gangs. The Russians work in foundries and factories. It may be a good thing to segregate newcomers of certain nationalities in certain industries. Again it may not be a good thing. But certainly one of the chief causes of this segregation is the unfamiliarity of the foreigner with the English language. Help him to overcome this handicap and his assimilation into Canadian life and nationality will be so entirely unnoticed and unobtrusive that the problems and difficulties that now beset it.

**PASS THE MEDAL TO 'EM.**

**AFFIDAVIT: I HAVE NEVER LOVED ANYONE ELSE**  
Oim Carrie

Before getting married, a loving couple near St. Thomas recently swore an affidavit that they had never loved anyone else.

## TURBILLING STORY OF GREAT LAKES STORM RELATED BY A REPORTER

Continued From Page Seventeen.

**Signs of Storm.**  
The sky was black and ominous, and from the flagpole of the United States weather bureau office they hung two flags, a red and white. They pressed an approaching storm from the northeast, and there was something sinister in the unfurled warning they fluttered to the marliner's work.

The captain sat in his room. He was plunged in a brown study, for as he gazed at the barometer, he noted the glass was even falling, and he knew the sensitive mercury was a mentor he could ill ignore. At last he emerged from his cabin and paced the forecastle deck. He glanced at the sky and explored it from the mainmast to the horizon. He observed its blackness. He saw the two flags, and he noticed that the rulls flew low, and for the most part perched themselves on spikes which topped the shore.

**Head for Open Water.**  
All chance of making the Rock of Ages light was desperate, and our only hope lay in the possibility of heading for open water and scudding along before the wind. As we got further from shore both wind and snow smote us the fiercer, and soon we were in the very maw of the storm, and our vessel became the plaything of the billows.

**No Havens on Superior.**  
The captain returned to his room and the mate came below. We asked him what the "old man" was going to do, and he said he didn't know, but he appended his remark with the utterance that if he were sailing the boat he would never venture out. "While a real man would go on, because there ain't no havens on Superior that would be bad," reasoned the mate.

**All Hands Called.**  
All hands were called. The second mate and a lookout were ordered aft to sprinkle salt on the lines that held the lifeboats, so they would be pliant and fit to handle in case the emergency demanded it. They went down the life-line, which is extended on all first-class lighters, and along the deck. It is stretched from the forecastle to the smokestack, and is an endless line of rope.

**Ordered to Chango It.**  
As I have stated, we were loaded, so there was nothing to be done but to wait for the owners, who no doubt were then warmly ensconced at their favorite clubs.

**At the Top of the Gale.**  
And so it came. The wind howled across the waters like the wail of a dying monster, and the S— labored along, with her steel girders creaking and her deck and hull under the storm-veined, wind-driven craft, and her men weary and sullen.

**Captain Was Married.**  
We soon passed through the pier and were out on the open lake. No wind and the moon was hid. A puff of breeze played fitfully across the surface of Superior, and it came from the northwest. The captain appeared to be in a hurry, and he showed that the gale would be in all likelihood come from the northeast, and in that event it would be imperative to follow the shore on the American side of the lake, should the wind come from the northwest it would be equally necessary to follow the north shore in order to secure the lee of the land.

**At 6 o'clock** the mate relieved me, and as I went below I looked over our stern and saw the lights of another vessel which was following in the same direction. She was a big one, and she was slowly gaining upon us.

**Saw the Waldo.**  
The vessel I had sighted, an stern of us at 6 o'clock, was then abreast of us, and from the cut of her forward cabin and pilot-house the first mate made her out as the Waldo. This was the vessel that went on to Isle Royale, and hauled her load of iron ore, and with her keel broken in two and her stern broken in three, she was after-noon submerged. Her crew of 29 men clung to the teeth of a howling blizzard, before the life-savers could venture near enough to take them off.

**The Great Gale Breaks.**  
It was at 4 o'clock Saturday morning that the gale struck us with all its fury. Our skipper ran as close to the shore as he dared, but even then the wind was violent and the seas grew mightier all the time. They thundered against the vessel's side, and rumbled across her decks five feet high. The gudgeon, while to venture on deck was to risk one's life.

**Head for Open Water.**  
All day Saturday, and far into the night, the wind howled on like a cloyed hog. Her engines worked their hardest, yet her head was barely kept up to the wind. We were headed for the Rock of Ages light on the end of Isle Royale, and the captain was hopeful that should he gain the long strait between there and the mainland, he could take refuge from the blow until it abated. We were not making a good course, and this misfortune was attributed to shore attraction, which played hob with the

compass. The coast line of Superior from the Soo to Duluth is savage and rugged. It is highly impregnated with iron ore, and as iron has magnetic qualities it can readily deflect the needle of a compass. For this reason the captain was anxious of his exact position, and hoped that the snow would keep off until Rock of Ages was reached. But the fates had decreed otherwise, and early Sunday morning the snow came. It fell like a veil from the heavens until our own wheelhouse, and to add to the terror of it all we lost our log. The line parted beneath the weight of ice that sheathed it, and it broke off near the tabulator. We were unable to recheck our distance or what time we were making, and the snow hid the north shore and the lights that beamed their dusky rays.

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## SEA MYSTERY OF SEVERAL YEARS HAS BEEN SOLVED

Missing London Steamer Found In the Icepack of Arctic Waters.

Crew Took To Their Boats and Probably All Perished of Privation.

The shipping sensation of 1906 was the disappearance of the London steamer Centennial. A few days ago (says the Evening Standard) she was found wedged in the icepack in the wastes of the Okhotsk Sea, to the north of Saghalien. The news of the discovery reached England by the Cunard steamer Caronia. A Russian exploration expedition, when forging its way through the Okhotsk Sea, a dreary polar waste north of the desolate island of Saghalien, came across a battered steaming jammed tightly in the ice. She was the Centennial, which disappeared with all hands, 40 persons in all, while on a voyage from Aturovan, Japan, to San Francisco.

Her disappearance created a great sensation at the time, and seafaring men have speculated as to her fate. No trace of her crew or her passengers was ever found. From the moment she left Aturovan on Feb. 24, 1906, en route for San Francisco, all signs of her were lost. She was never spoken, and no wreckage was ever found. She was built at the famous shipbuilding yard, which was originally named the Delta. At the time of her disappearance she was running under the flag of Charles Nelson & Co., of San Francisco. The command of the Russian expedition which discovered her, Captain Hisber, has forwarded particulars to San Francisco. Naturally the members of the expedition were amazed to sight a steamer in the icepack, away from all shipping routes, and in such an unfrequented position. They set off to investigate. She was found, says the Russian officer, to be firmly wedged in thick ice, but considering the exposure to the weather she had undergone, and the length of time she had been in the ice, she was in good condition. Her side was rusted, but the lettering of her name on the bows and counter was sufficiently clear for the explorers to decipher the name Centennial without any difficulty.

All her lifeboats were missing, and there was no sign of anybody on the wreck or of anyone having lived upon it after the ship was deserted. From these facts it is pretty evident that the Centennial was disabled in some sterns, and that all aboard left hurriedly in the boats. Every man must have perished, for 10 survivors were ever picked up, and no lifeboat was found on the Japanese, Siberian, or Alaskan coasts. The abandoned steamer was driven out of her course northward, and caught in the ice, whose Johnnie jump-up see him "plant" a whole load of golden rods!

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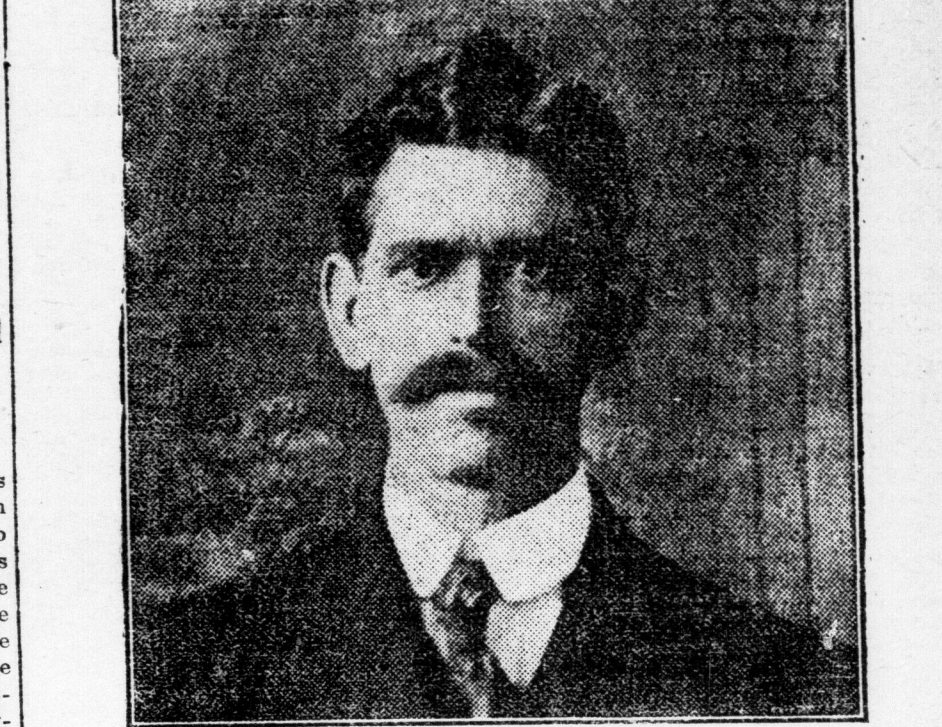
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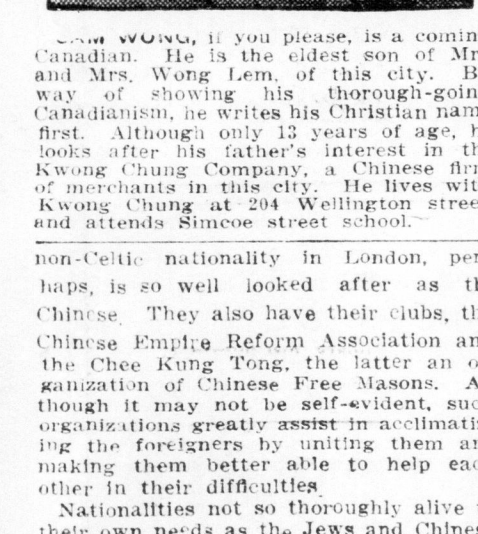
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# ULSTER WAR CLOUD IS PASSING AWAY

## No Surrender Declares Asquith, But He Leaves The Door Open For a Settlement By Consent

Mr. Asquith, as was anticipated, delivered a highly important speech at a great Liberal demonstration in the Leeds Coliseum on Nov. 27.

The Premier dealt with the armaments question in the spirit of his recent speech at the Guildhall.

Ireland, however, formed the burden of the address, and on the home rule issue Mr. Asquith's declaration was characterized by absolute firmness coupled with a candid reiteration of the policy of the open door with a view, if possible, to a settlement by consent.

Salient extracts are appended:

### Armaments:

A ministry of this country which, out of wantonness or levity, in a spirit of vainglorious rivalry or of reckless provocation, added as much as a pound to our expenditure upon these purposes would commit a national crime. We cannot plead guilty to that retrograde policy.

We are charged with a solemn trust, and in its performance it is our duty to maintain a vigilant watch on what the rest of the nations are doing, and to have always steadily and constantly in view the world-wide interests of which for the time being we are the stewards.

Speaking for my colleagues, and myself, when I say to you, is, you may rest assured that we shall seize every opportunity that we can discover to create, to promote a concerted alleviation of the burden and waste which press upon the hopes and the aspirations of mankind.

### Home Rule:

I see no ground whatever for the demand for a general election, and so far as I am concerned you may take it from me I shall not advise any such course.

We are not going to be frightened or arrested or deflected in the pursuit of that which we believe to be right and politic by the menace of civil war.

I have no reason to complain of the spirit in which the invitation (at Ladybank) was received by, amongst others, the responsible leaders of the Opposition.

Suggestive considerations have already come forward from many quarters, though I should be deceiving you and deceiving myself if I were to say that I saw at this moment a prospect of agreement. But I could not at all concur with some of our impatient critics, who say that time has been and is being wasted.

### Generous Land Policy:

When the prime minister arrived at the Coliseum he was received with a tremendous outburst of cheering from an audience numbering well over four thousand. Lord Alford presided.

Mr. Asquith, who was again received with loud cheers on rising to speak, prefaced his general remarks by thanking the National Liberal Federation for their general verdict of approval of a legislative and administrative record which now went back over eight years. He was quite content to put it side by side with that of any government that had held office for anything like the same space of time in this country within the memory of man.

They had by universal admission contributed at least their share to the maintenance of the peace of the world. (Hear, hear.) They had drawn more closely than they were ever drawn before, and by measures consonant with the best traditions of Liberal policy in the past, the ties which united us to our great self-governing dominions. (Hear, hear.) They had dealt with the greatest and most urgent of our social problems—the provision for old age—(cheers)—and insurance against sickness and invalidity. (Cheers.)

### Land Question in Hand:

"We are about," the premier went on, "to take in hand on the same broad and generous lines a third—I mean the whole group of grievances, urban and rural, which are connected with the ownership and use of land. (Cheers.) It is true that we were thwarted in our efforts to deal with such matters as education and licensing questions, the urgency of which I need not tell you we have not forgotten; but the obstacle which still confronted us in the early days of our ministerial life has now happily been removed—(cheers)—and we have succeeded in carrying into effect that which for the lifetime of a whole generation has been the aspiration of the Liberal party—the establishment of the constitutional authority of the representative House of the legislature. (Cheers.)

"There is, so far as I know, only one aspect of our administrative work

which checks your satisfaction as you survey the past. It is your disquietude at the growth of the national expenditure—(cheers)—and in particular that part of it which is devoted to the fighting services. (Cheers.) Do not suppose that I do not share that disquietude. If I cite one or two figures it may, I think, help to put the position of this country in its true perspective. In the first place, let me remind you that since we have been responsible for the national finances we have reduced the indebtedness of the state by an amount which at the close of the present financial year we hope will not fall far short—if, indeed, it falls short at all—of one hundred millions sterling. (Cheers.)

The great bulk of the debt which has been so redeemed, as I need hardly remind you, was incurred for war expenditure in the past. (Cheers.)

We have been meeting the bill which our ancestors drew upon posterity, and at the same time we have been endeavoring to avoid their bad example by paying our own way and curtailing within the narrowest possible limits borrowing for such purposes.

### Competition in Arms:

"Roughly speaking," Mr. Asquith proceeded, "the expenditure on the army during the last eight years has been fairly constant. It has neither risen nor fallen, while that on the navy has risen something like four million millions. But what has been happening at the same time on the continent of Europe? If you take the five great continental powers, and make a possible reservation for the difficulty of precise comparison owing to the different methods in which the amounts are got, I estimate that in the five years from 1908-9 to 1913-14, their military expenditure has risen by at least eighty millions, and their naval expenditure by at least thirty-five million. Those are figures which should be borne in mind when you are estimating the relative proportion of the additional burden which this kind of expenditure has caused the several nations of the world.

"And there is another basis of comparison which in fairness ought not to be left out of account. It is the relative share which our expenditure on armaments bears to the rest of our expenditure here at home in the present and in past years. I have had the figures carefully taken out, and I will give you just two or three. I am excluding from both sides of the account debt charges, both debt incurred for the army and navy, and on the other side our civil expenditure the expenditure of the postoffice.

### Comparison With Civil Side:

"Thirty years ago the army and navy, or, as I call it, armament expenditure, was 49.4 of the whole, and civil expenditure 50.6. That was in 1884. In 1906-7, the first year that we were in office, the two were exactly, or almost exactly, equal, 50 per cent. upon each. For the current year 1913-14 the percentage of expenditure upon armaments has fallen to 42.7 and the civil expenditure has risen to 57.3.

"These figures are worth bearing in mind, and you will see that great and lamentable—no one would, if he were at liberty, use stronger language than I could—great and lamentable as has been the increase in our own expenditure of armament, yet the percentage of the expenditure to the rest is substantially less in this country than it was thirty years ago. (Hear, hear.) We—and when I say we I mean my colleagues in the Government and myself, everyone of them without exception—we lament as much as any man in this hall this huge diversion all over the world of national wealth into non-productive channels. (Hear, hear.)

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"Are these things to go on for ever, until this ever-increasing leakage—for such it is—drains the material resources for social progress ever dryer and more dry? I took the opportunity a fortnight ago at the Lord Mayor's banquet to address a warning and an appeal both to the statesman and businessman of the world, but you say to me, words are well enough, but what is to be done? My answer, and I am neither a rhetorician, as you know—(laughter)—nor a sentimentalist, so I am told, and I am afraid it is the fact that nothing can really effectually be done without the co-operation of the great powers of the world, brought about by the demands of their peoples.

(Cheers.) I believe myself that every growing stress and strain of new taxation and of swelling indebtedness may accomplish, may succeed in accomplishing, what philanthropists and idealists have so far failed to do. Speaking for my colleagues and myself, what I say to you is, you may rest assured that we shall seize every opportunity that we can discover to create, to promote a concerted alleviation of the burden and waste which press upon the hopes and the aspirations of mankind." (Cheers.)

### Home Rule Issue:

Mr. Asquith then proceeded to deal with domestic topics, with special reference to home rule. "If you survey our domestic political situation," the Premier went on, "perhaps its most striking feature at this moment is the unanimity with which our political opponents are pressing for an immediate general election. (Cheers.) The case that they put forward is, I will not say, a strong one, but this: They tell us that a home rule bill which may and probably will lead to a civil war—(laughter)—is about to be introduced through the automatic operation of the Parliament Bill. Behind the backs of the British people. (Laughter.) So long," they say to us, "as you had a majority independent of the Irish vote, you had no home rule during the whole Parliament of 1906; you only brought it back into your program when you needed the Irish vote, and even so you had to make your compact with the Irish, you succumbed to the hoodwinked British electorate and kept them in the dark. (Laughter.) Let them now pronounce upon it, and if they are not satisfied they will withdraw the countenance which we are now giving the contingent armed rebellion, and if Ulster fights Ulster will have to fight alone."

### Plain History Restated:

"Let us go back for a moment to the general election of 1906. At that time, as we all remember, there was one great dominant issue before the electorate, the issue of free trade. The leaders of the Liberal party, and of all sections of the Liberal party, feeling that we were standing at a crisis in our national history, and at a verdict of the electorate went wrong. It was, I won't say the end, but the most serious menace to our industrial supremacy, and every one of our men of existence—they urged upon the electorate to concentrate entirely upon that point, and they solemnly pledged themselves before the country that if they obtained a majority in that Parliament that we would not use it for the purpose of carrying home rule.

"That is a simple historical fact. We got a majority, and we are now taunted for not having violated our pledges, and used it for the very purpose which in advance we repudiated. (Cheers.) We should have a very good precedent for doing so. (Laughter and cheers.) Most people here, I suppose, remember the election of 1900, and the patriotic appeals which were then made to Non-Confessionists and others to sink every conflicting interest, and to present a united front to the enemy of their country and bring the war to a successful termination. And what followed? Within two years a bill was introduced, passed by a majority in the House of Commons, passed into law with the connivance of the House of Lords, behind the backs, as we now say, against the will of the vast majority of the electors of England—(cheers)—which completely revolutionized the foundations of our system of national education. (Hear, hear.)

### Tariff Reform:

"What about tariff reform? (Laughter.) We have just been told in the most explicit terms by Mr. Bonar Law that if he and his colleagues are returned to power, although they are precluded for the moment from what is called the full-blown policy, yet they are going to start with a 10 per cent. impost, and a average 10 per cent. remember that, upon manufactured goods—the proceeds of which are going to be handed over to the farmers to compensate them for not getting their food. (Laughter.) Do you suppose you and I are going to allow a general election to be fought without bringing that up, that we are going to have tariff reform, or the first stage of tariff reform, or the statute book under the disguise of a home rule election?"

"It is the right and bounden duty of every elector to take all these things into account, and to decide what under the constitution in this country—which in this respect I trust will remain unchanged—under the constitution in this country of every country which acknowledges the principles of representative government, you send a House of Commons, you send the people's Chamber, for a term of years to represent you, and make laws for you, and not to be perpetually back-lash agents with a limited authority to ask whether or not they may pass these particular laws. (Cheers.)

### No General Election Now:

"I see, then, no ground whatever for this demand for a general election, and so far as I am concerned you may take it from me I shall not advise any such course. (Laughter and cheers.) Setting aside this plea for a general election as neither constitutionally necessary nor practically expedient, let me for a few moments approach the much-debated problem of which you read a great deal in the newspapers, of the possibility of a settlement of the Irish question by consent. There are two points in this connection which I wish, in view of misunderstandings, to make perfectly clear. I am supposed, as you know, to have had a recent lapse into ambiguity or obscurity of statement. (Laughter.) In the first place, if, as is the case, we have shown ourselves ready to consider the possibility of settlement by consent, it is not because we are in any way whatsoever dissatisfied with the Government of Ireland bill as it stands. (Cheers.)

Mr. Birrell said very truly in a speech I think he made this week, that we do not claim for it verbal inspiration. Like all or most of the products of human intelligence or human energy, it is no doubt susceptible to improvement.

"If the House of Lords, instead of twice in succession curtly rejecting it on second reading, had condescended to exercise in regard to it the appropriate functions of a second chamber in a democratic country, the function, I mean, of revision, of amendment, or of suggestion, it may very well be quite possible that some of the problems which are now exercising men's minds would by this time have been cleared out of the way. (Hear, hear.)

"But I am bound to say to you, in view of the things that are said, and apparently believed, that we consider the Government of Ireland bill to be not a merely mechanical and carefully constructed measure with the adequate safeguards against anything in the nature of either religious or political persecution. (Hear, hear.) It is especially designed to meet the exceptional historic and economic conditions of Ireland, and we do not say, and we have never contended—I have constantly disavowed—any or supposed that the system which it sets up in Ireland could be applied without substantial modifications to other parts of the United Kingdom. We look upon it as a merely mechanical problem, and in a country so complex and so varied as ours, if I may use the expression, you cannot standardize home rule.

### Firm Against Threats:

"That is my first observation. The next is this: We are not going—I assure you do not need the assurance—but we are not going to be frightened or intimidated or surprised or deflected in the pursuit of that which we believe to be right and politic by the menace of civil war. (Cheers.) It is threats of this kind—I am speaking in a sober and serious manner when I say so—it is threats of this kind, coupled and reinforced by hints such as even Lord Lansdowne thought it proper to give the other day, of their own volition, or of their own volition (shame)—which are in my deliberate opinion the most formidable obstacle at this moment to anything in the nature of an agreed settlement. (Hear, hear.)

"In many of the recent utterances, even of responsible statesmen like Lord Lansdowne, there is expressed or implied what I described some time ago as the whole gospel of anarchy. (Hear, hear.) If you once let down that the individual citizen has in his own bosom a dispensing authority which entitles him to offer armed resistance to the law of the land, and further, the servants of the state—their soldiers or police, be they officers or men—may

discriminate at will between the binding force of the various orders which from time to time they receive from those above them—I say, and I say it with all solemnity, once accept such a doctrine as that, do not be blind enough to suppose that its application will be confined to a particular case. (Prolonged cheers.) I hope it is not necessary, and I would give possible illustrations which will occur to everyone, but I say by such a doctrine as that deliberately put forward by men of responsible authority, you are mining both by your arguments and by your example the very foundations of democratic government and of civil society. (Cheers.)

"And let me add, that, great as my respect is for Sir Edward Carson—and I say quite unfeignedly that I believe him to be an absolutely single-minded man—great as my respect is for him, I think I know the British people better than he does, and I say to him and others who act with him that such an attitude as I have described is not in the least degree in the long run likely to impress either the imagination or the judgment of my fellow countrymen. (Cheers.) You can appeal with confidence to their sense of justice—(hear, hear)—and with equal confidence to their generosity. (Hear, hear.) You can appeal without hesitation to their common-sense, to their hatred of extremes, and to their ingrained political wisdom. But the one appeal to them that is sure to be an appeal to their fears. (Cheers.)

"I say once more, as I said the other day at Ladybank, and I repeat it here today in the plainest possible terms, that our attitude—and when I say ours I mean that of the Government, and I believe I may speak for my friends and followers in the party—(hear, hear)—our attitude in this matter now or hereafter has not been and will not be affected by a moment's doubt either as to the duty or as to the power of the state to ensure obedience to the law of the land. (Cheers.)

"Now gentlemen, these two misapprehensions being cleared once and for all, I repeat another thing which I said to my constituents the other day, that in my opinion, which is also that of my colleagues, it is from the point of view both of Ireland and of Great Britain of high importance if such a result can be secured that the new system in Ireland should not start upon the basis of civil strife, with the apparent victory of one section or the apparent defeat of another. It is equally important, again if it is possible without the sacrifice or surrender of some essential principle, that the decision come to should not be indeed beyond the reach of amendment which subsequent working experience may show to be necessary, but it should be regarded, if it is possible, by both sides and in all quarters as in substance a settlement, and to repeat the words I used the other day, beyond the risks of the electoral and parliamentary vicissitudes—(cheers)—otherwise the Irish question will continue to be the football of our party politics, to the finite injury of both Ireland and herself, and of the United Kingdom as a whole. (Cheers.)

## THRILLS IN COOKERY: FLOWERY FLAVORINGS

Having attacked nearly every settled idea in art, music, poetry, and dress, the Futurists are now trying to undermine our tastes in food, says the London Daily News. They began their conspiracy by telling us flatly that for over four centuries there has not been a new dish invented.

Mr. Jules Manicave, the Futurist chef, who is responsible for this declaration, comes of cooking stock. His father and grandfather were chefs, and his brother is a chef.

Chicken a la Lily. Mr. Manicave accuses ordinary exponents of the art of cooking today of having tied themselves up in the meshes of parsley, mint, thyme, and onions for flavorings, to the complete neglect of the rose, the violet, the lily of the valley, the lilac, and the verbena.

"In your imagination what a chicken a la lily of the valley is like," he cries in ecstasy—but it sounds highly appetizing.

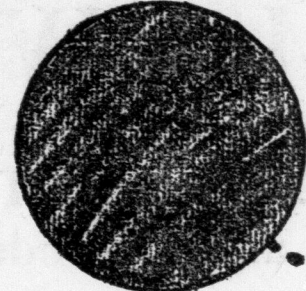
The Futurist chef has been advised by a doctor at Nice, where he is now cooking, to bring his new art to England. Perhaps he had better "wait and see" until the gourmets of the Tour de France have delivered judgment on the following idea, suggestions, and recipes of his:

The Idea. My cooking has for its principal object the bringing together of ingredients which, for some strange reason (like the blue and green in a lady's hat) are now kept apart, and by bringing them together to provoke new gastronomic suggestions.

The Suggestions. Mutton cutlets with crayfish sauce. Omelette with strawberries. Slice of beef cooked in kummel served with bananas stuffed with Gruyere cheese. Mashed herrings with raspberry jam.

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architects and other experts, according to a report of the New York city heights of buildings commission. Of 40 experts consulted, 37 declared themselves in favor of limiting the height of city structures. William Guerin, chief of the bureau of fire prevention, in favoring limitation, said that the fire department cannot readily rescue persons from the outside of a burning building at a greater height than six stories. Pleasanton is getting into line by announcing two \$20,000 purses for the fall of 1915.

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## SCHOOL DAYS — BY ALLMAN



## NO GENERAL ELECTION NOW

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# Story of the Panama Canal By the Man Who Built It

## Now It Is Finished, Col. Goethals Tells How It Will Be Used and Defended.

PART III.

BY COL. GEORGE WASHINGTON GOETHALS,

Corps of Engineers, United States Army, Chairman and Chief Engineer Isthmian Canal Commission.

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An earth dam across the Chagres at Gatun impounds the water of the river and creates the lake which constitutes the highest level of the Panama Canal. The dam is 7,500 feet long over all, measured along the top. It is 2,100 feet wide at the base, 268 feet through at the water surface, and 100 feet wide at the top, which is 115 feet above sea level. It crosses two valleys separated by a hill.

The dimensions of the dam have been criticised as excessive and unwarranted, but its designers considered it desirable, in view of the amount of material available, that the provisions be made against every force which may affect its safety, and that a barrier be made so that the layman, without engineering knowledge, would recognize its stability. It extends from the hill in which the locks are constructed to Spillway Hill, thence along the spur or hog-back of the hill on the west side of the valley.

**Locks Are in Pairs.**  
The locks are in pairs, so that if any lock is out of service navigation will not be interrupted. Thus, also, when all the locks are in use, the passage of shipping will be expedited by using one set of locks for the ascent and the other for the descent. The locks are 110 feet wide and have usable lengths of 1,000 feet.

The systems of filling adopted consist of a culvert in each side wall feeding laterals perpendicular to the axis of the lock, from which are openings upward into the lock chamber. This system distributes the water as evenly as possible over the entire horizontal area of the lock and reduces the disturbance in the chamber when the latter is being filled or emptied. The middle or separating wall contains a single culvert of the same area as the culverts in the side walls, which feeds in both directions through the laterals controlled by valves designed to operate against a head from either direction. This arrangement permits communication between the chambers of twin locks, so that water may be passed from one lock to the other of the pair, effecting a saving of water.

The entire lock can be filled or emptied, using one culvert, in 15 minutes and 42 seconds, and in 7 minutes and 51 seconds when both culverts are used.

The lock gates are of the mitering type, double leaf, straight gates, varying in height from 45 feet 7 inches to 79 feet; the length of each leaf is about 65 feet.

**Guarding the Gates.**  
It has been accepted as a fundamental feature of the design that each flight of locks there must always be two barriers separating the high level from the level next below. To carry this out, two sets of mitering gates are placed at the upper end of each of the lower end of each of the uppermost locks in each flight.

In addition, a chain device is used to guard the barrier gates against accident and so controlled as to be cap-

able of checking a ship of 10,000 tons moving at the rate of five miles an hour.

More than 95 per cent. of the vessels navigating the high seas are less than 600 feet in length, and this has been taken as the determining factor for the location of intermediate gates, which are introduced in the design to save both time and water. For the protection of the intermediate gates against vessels using a smaller length of chamber a chain barrier is to be installed.

Guide piers are provided both upstream and down, to which vessels will be before entering the locks. Electric towing machines will be used for towing vessels into and controlling their passage through the locks by means of lines or cables attached to what may be considered the four corners of the ship.

Even with all these precautions accidents may happen, and emergency dams are provided at the head of each flight of locks, consisting of swing bridges, which can be thrown across the locks in case of an accident which makes a connection between the top level and the level below; wicket girders are let down from these swing bridges, supported by a sill at the bottom and the horizontal truss work of the bridge at the top. These wicket girders act as runways for gates, which are lowered and gradually stop the flow.

**Duplicate Locks.**  
In the Pacific division the work consisted of the construction of duplicate locks at Pedro Miguel, overcoming a 30-foot difference of level, with the necessary dams; two locks, one flight, also in duplicate, at Miraflores, connected with the adjacent hills by one earth and one concrete dam; excavating the channels between the locks to the required depths, and the excavation of the channel to proper width to deep water in the Pacific.

The Miraflores locks are two in flight, overcoming the difference in level between Miraflores Lake and the sea level section. The maximum lift for these locks is about 65 feet.

The relocated Panama Railroad was pushed forward so as to keep pace with canal construction work.

Under the Spooner act the president was authorized to construct a canal through a commission consisting of seven members. In January, 1905, the Secretary of War, in a letter to the President, called attention to this faulty organization. In 1907 the President simplified matters by combining the duties of chairman and chief engineer in one person, and later the Secretary of War vested the powers of the governor of the Canal Zone in the same party, thus eliminating the friction that had previously existed between these three functionaries. Authority was still further concentrated by an executive order in January, 1908, and out of which the final organization resulted.

The chief engineer's office was divid-

ed into three divisions. The first had charge of designs of masonry and lock structures, including valves, lock gates and protective devices, operating machinery, movable dams and spillway. The second had charge of the designs and construction of drydocks and coaling stations, of all questions that arose concerning shops, buildings, municipal improvements, estimates, allotment of funds, rates of pay and cost keeping. The third had charge of meteorology, river hydraulics, general observations, reports of the construction divisions, and special investigations.

Reporting directly to the chairman were the heads of the departments of sanitation, civil administration, law, examination of accounts, disbursements, the quartermaster's and subsistence departments, and the purchasing department in the United States.

Generally speaking, employees were selected on account of their special qualifications for the work in hand and were then unhampered in their methods of securing definite results, thus bringing out to its fullest extent individual effort and brain power. As a consequence each man had a personal interest in the work and seemed imbued with the idea that the success of the enterprise depended on him. The spirit of enthusiasm and of loyalty among the canal workers strikes forcibly every one who visits the Isthmus and convinces the doubting how the canal was built.

**Nine Years To Build.**

The time required for completing the lock type of canal was estimated by the board of 1905, which made its report in January, 1906, at nine years, in accordance with which the work should be completed by Jan. 1, 1915, and this is still retained as the date for the official opening.

Much has been said and predicted as to the commercial value of the canal to the United States. It is to be remembered that the commercial shipping of this country never required the canal. The trip of the Oregon in 1838 settled the question of the advisability of constructing an Isthmian Canal, and had the canal been built at that time, thereby saving the trip around the Horn, there is no question that it would have been agreed generally that the canal, even at an expenditure of \$275,000,000, was worth while.

With properly regulated tolls, and with facilities for fully equipped, supplying and repairing the canal, a route would offer many advantages and bring to it a sufficiently remunerative return to pay not only for the operating expenses, but to gradually absorb the cost of the canal, even at an expenditure of \$275,000,000, was worth while.

It has been asserted in many quarters that the locks might be destroyed by one or two men placing dynamite or other high explosives in them. In order to accomplish the destruction of the locks it would be necessary to place the charge very carefully in the mitering of the person, and what would our men be doing in the meantime? One man could not carry a sufficient quantity to destroy the locks. You would have to place dynamite behind a gate and in a certain place behind the gate in order to disable the canal, and you must destroy the gates to destroy the canal. I cannot imagine what people are saying about the canal, even at an expenditure of \$275,000,000, was worth while.

The chief engineer's office was divid-

around him while he stirred the nitroglycerine, as cool and calm as though it were the proper place for him to do this work.

I made the first motorite in round bars and got them the proper size by stuffing them through a die. These rods of motorite were then varnished and sealed into steel tubes, so that when the rod was ignited on one end it could not fire down the side of the rod, but must be consumed from the exposed end only.

These rods, as I discovered later, contained longitudinal flaws, which were too small to be seen by the naked eye but which permitted the flame to enter under pressure and cause an explosion. Several of them exploded at the wrong time before I found out what the trouble was.

When I made the first test on the material the first two rods went off in the way I expected. The third exploded with the noise of a ten-inch gun. There were three of us near it, and we all thought it was the end for us. We found that the machine itself had not exploded, but had blown out through safety valves; but it was a close call for us.

Repeating the test, after making many changes in the machine and explosive that I thought would remedy the danger, I was almost done for again. This time a young Irishman and myself stood near the machine. I asked him if he were afraid to stay. He answered not if I was not—and a terrible bang. The machine was blown to fragments which were hurled in all directions around the room, some of them going through the walls. The windows were blown out, sash and all, but, fortunately, the young Irishman and myself escaped injury.

The next time I made the test it was in a specially constructed shop, where provision was made for touching off the charge without standing close to the test alone. The wicket was pressed and a fearful explosion followed. One piece of the machine came out at the floor and was imbedded in the barrier that protected us.

**How Defect Was Remedied.**

The test showed me the trouble and I was able to remedy the longitudinal flaws down the tube. I therefore made my tubes from circular disks cut from sheets of the material and sealed them together, building up the rods in that fashion. These rods were made in the same way and sealed into steel tubes, and the problem was successfully solved.

Another case of not being on the ground when an explosion took place was when, in the midst of my experiments on a torpedo apparatus, I was called to Morrisston, N. J., from my home at Lake Hopatcong, as an expert in a case being tried in court. When I returned home I learned at the station that there had been an explosion. It was my torpedo apparatus that had exploded. It was in charge of an experienced explosive man and an experienced electrician, and even though I had been there it might have happened just the same. The explosives man was killed and the shop was damaged.

Some time ago I was conducting experiments with detonators for my safety delayed-action fuse, since the service of the United States navy adopted by the United States navy as a high explosive projectile. I had some fulminate detonators made at the torpedo station of the navy and received notice that they had been received at Fort Lafayette. I was told to go to the Brooklyn navy yard, thence I would be taken in a tug to Fort Lafayette.

**Takes Trouble to Save Time.**

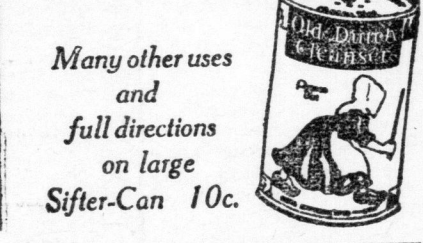
I procured the package according to the directions given me, but when I had it I concluded I could save time by going home by trolley car instead of by bus. I took the trolley car and found it perfectly safe to carry the fulminate detonators if handled in an ordinarily careful manner. Of course it would not do to jump or kick around, for in that case there would be sudden and surprising results.

I found a seat on the trolley car and put the package alongside of me. I kept my eye constantly upon it and that it did not fall off the seat and that no one touched it. I had scarcely arranged things to my satisfaction when a huge, determined man entered, brushing me aside. She discovered the small space occupied by my package, and since all the seats were occupied she decided that she would take it. She was so quick in her movement that I had barely time to throw my



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left arm out to protect the package. I am unusually strong, but I had all I could do to support her enormous bulk.

When she felt my arm beneath her protecting the package she was all the more indignant and determined to crush the package in order to teach me a lesson. She said not a word, but glared at me furiously. I succeeded in toppling her sufficiently to get my package away from her bulk by throwing the weight of my body against her shoulder. Then I removed the package with my right hand and let her sit down in the seat.

**Fate Missed by Angry Woman.**

She did not know what she missed, nor did the other passengers in the car, but it is safe to say that she would have arisen more rapidly than she sat down had her bulk been allowed to descend on the package of fulminate detonators.

The package was not a particularly large one, but there was enough high explosive in it to wreck the car, and while some of the people in it would have escaped they would have been lucky. There was absolutely no danger carrying it that way except for the militant lady who was ready and willing to do anything to secure what she thought were her rights.

I never permit myself to write verses to ladies when I know they will not be gratefully received, but in this instance I decided to break my rule. Taking my notebook from my pocket I wrote the following, which I folded up carefully, and when the car reached my street I handed the folded paper to the militant one just before I alighted from the car:

"Dear Madam: I'm an anarchist. That package was a bomb. I'm on my way. Some one to slay. And—this is really true—"

### THE ADVENTURES OF CARRIE, THE COP.



"OH-CO! WOE IS ME-VOE IS ME! BOO-HOO-OAH!"

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"THE DIRTY SCOUNDREL!!!"

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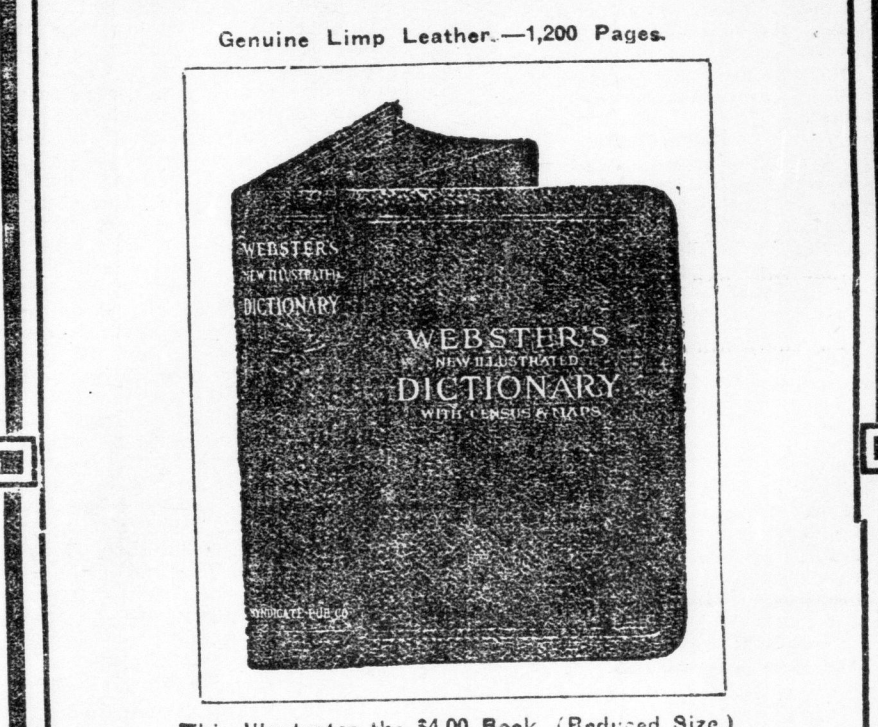
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## FACE TO FACE WITH TERRIBLE DEATH EXPERIENCE OF HUDSON MAXIM, INVENTOR

Noted Expert in Explosives Relates of Narrow Escapes From Being Blown to Atoms While He Was Making Experiments—Once Saved From Death by Aid of Wife.

No man really knows when he has come the closest to meeting his fate. A hair's breadth one way or another would have settled his combat with death; but there is a varying thickness in hairs, just the same as there is in all earthly things.

Some men think they have been nearer death because they missed a train that was wrecked, or were stopped by either physical or intuitive means from passing over a bridge that was destroyed just as they would have been on it, or were kept from a building that was burned.

I have had close calls in the business of inventing and handling high explosives—to which I have devoted many years of my life. Some of these close calls seemed closer than the proverbial hair's breadth, while others were more or less of the negative kind, like being prevented by some outside circumstance from going where I would have met death.

The greatest source of danger in working with explosive compounds is not the conscious carelessness of the worker, who becomes accustomed to the danger of the compounds and the risk in handling them, but is due to

the fact that many of the voluntary acts become automatic, and therefore unconscious. When an act becomes unconscious a man does not really know at times whether he has performed it or not. And sometimes he has not as others, nor he, find when he is blown to pieces.

**Hand Lost by Carelessness.**

It was such an unconscious act that caused me to have my left hand blown off at the wrist when I was experimenting with fulminate of mercury compound. I was trying on this explosive one of the most dangerous and deadly known to science—when I forgot to take a slight precaution and the compound exploded. It was a close call for me and I might just as easily have been killed.

At another time when I was experimenting with this same compound one of my assistants was weighing out some of the dangerous material in the laboratory. An iron weight fell from the arms supporting the scoop of the scales, striking less than an inch from the fulminate of mercury. Had the iron struck the explosive I would not be here writing of that close call. There were ten pounds of the compound in a jar standing on the bench, and ten pounds of that explosive can perform wonders in the way of destroying men and material close to it.

The fact was that one time I could not find a suitable vessel to put dry gunpowder in for an experiment I was making saved my life. I was delayed from going to the gunnison storehouse while a vessel was being cleaned for me to bring the explosive back in. While I was waiting the storehouse blew up.

**Closest Calls With Motorite.**

Taking it all in all, however, I think the closest calls I have had were in my experiments with motorite. Motorite is a compound consisting of about 70 per cent. nitroglycerine and 30 per cent. gunnison, which is combined with the nitroglycerine, forming a somewhat rubbery substance. Motorite cannot explode; it can only burn from the exposed surface, like a piece of celluloid, only with greater rapidity than that substance. When it is burned in a confined space the rapidity of combustion increases directly with the pressure. If the container explodes from the pressure the motorite which

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Motorite does not require air to support its combustion and will burn under water. It is used as a fuel to evaporate water for steam by mixing the water and motorite.

When I first made this material I had many narrow escapes from death. They were of both the positive and negative kind.

Of the negative kind was the carelessness of an old nitroglycerine maker, who, with an assistant, was helping me. The weather was cold and there was a roaring fire in one of the houses in a big barrel stove. My wife, who was with me, kept warm by this fire.

**Danger Averted by Wife.**

It was due to her that the danger was removed. She called my attention to a big pail full of a suspicious looking substance, which she said one of the nitroglycerine makers placed there to warn. She said he returned frequently to stir the contents. Occasionally a spark would crackle out from the fire into the pail. The spark would be extinguished by a very thin film of water upon the top. My wife concluded that it might be dangerous if the substance happened to be nitroglycerine. She called my attention to it. It was nitroglycerine. The maker was scolded and the pail was removed. Ten minutes later, having occasion to visit the boiler-house, fifty feet distant, I discovered the maker with the same pail of nitroglycerine near the furnace. He had spread his body between where the pail rested and where the fireman was stirring up all the furnace. Sparks were flashing out all

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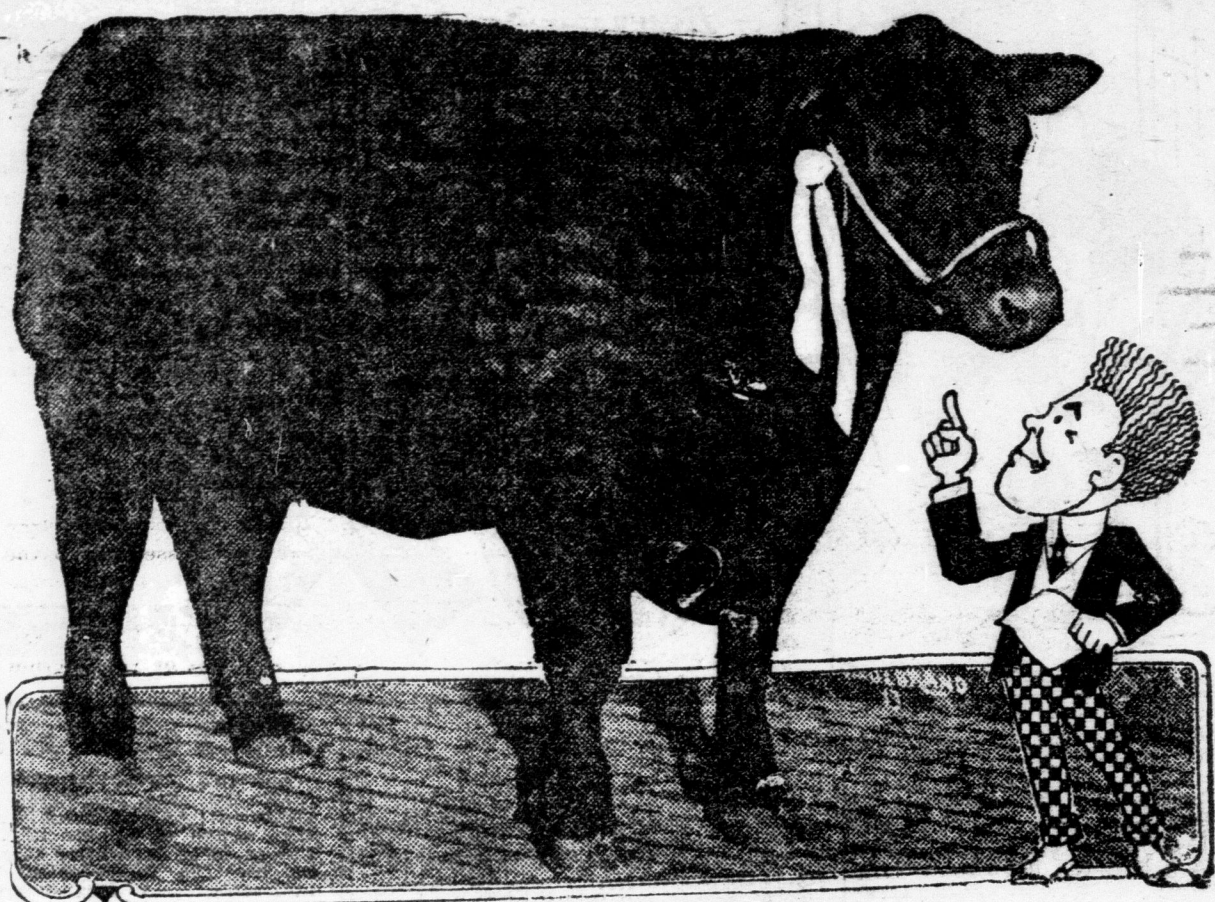
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BY GENE MORGAN. [Staff Special.]

A tall, weather-beaten Scotchman stepped forward and attached a big blue ribbon to the muzzle of a whopper red steer.

share of the world's honors. Or how about a laurel wreath built of turnips?

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Mr. Chesterton's Analysis of a "Crank"

BY GILBERT K. CHESTERTON [The Brilliant English Satirist.]

I have spent much of my life in studying the habits of the crank; in humble imitation of Thackeray when he studied the habits of the snob.

thought, might make the foundation of the definition of a crank. He is a vegetarian; he cannot rise so high as to be a vegetable.

at the wrong end. He never knows the right way to take hold of anything, as one takes hold of a cat by the scruff of the neck.

MARVELOUS POET OF BENGAL CAPTURES THE NOBEL PRIZE; LOVE KEYNOTE OF SONGS

First Oriental To Be Awarded the Nobel Prize For Literature—All He Writes Saturated With Spirituality and Beauty.

That was a most astonishing literary announcement that recently came from Stockholm, in which the world was told that the Nobel prize for literature had been awarded to the Bengali poet, Rabindranath Tagore.

theme: the love of God. When I tried to find anything western which might compare with the works of Mr. Tagore, I thought of the "imitation of Christ," by Thomas a-Kempis.

Here is the most remarkable fact in this connection: an Oriental of an Occidental literary prize: Tagore composed the poems along Eastern lines of thought, writing them in the Bengali language, addressing exclusively an Eastern audience.

I held her hands and press her to my breast. I try to fill my arms with her loveliness, to plunder her sweet smile with kisses, to drink her dark glances with my eyes.

It is possible that the committee in making its award to the Bengali poet based its decision on his brilliant work in his native tongue, but the probability is that Tagore's merit was appreciated solely from his translations of his own works.

With days of hard travail I raised a temple. It had no doors or windows, its walls were thickly built with massive stones.

Mr. Tagore's vocation is an astonishing and accomplished: He is a profound philosopher, a spiritual and patriotic poet, a historical investigator, a singer and composer, an able editor, a first-sighted educator, and a kind and considerate administrator of his vast "Zamindari" estate.

My mind became keen and still like a pointed flame, my senses swooned in ecstasy. I knew not how time passed till a thunderbolt had struck the temple, and a pain stung me through my heart as it were a snake of fire.

Poems From the Mills And Odes From Kitchen

Literature and life are united by the closest of bonds in a remarkable movement that is taking shape at the new Bebel House Working Women's College in West London.

only help and encourage one another, but might do an immense service to the international Socialist movement.

Two months ago the Bebel House Rebel Pen Club was founded by Miss Ethel Carnie, a Lancashire mill hand, who has published two volumes of poems and some delightful fairy tales, with the object of helping working women who have a talent for writing and wish to turn it to account in the interests of Socialism.

A London Cook who writes excellent verse, Miss Carnie is anxious that she should publish a book of views and experiences.

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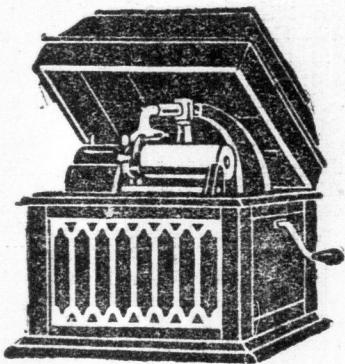


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edge of life in Derbyshire dales. It has been, she says, in her heart for years to write what she knows, and now she is doing it.

"I ask them all," said Miss Carnie, "to try and realize that though they are not Shakespeares they are themselves, and can write something that Shakespeare couldn't have written."

BOBBIE HAD AN EFFECTIVE REMEDY.



Little Bobbie had acquired the habit—a habit shared among the majority of small boys—of continually "stuffing" between meals, and neither punishment, it seemed, nor remonstrance could cure him of it.

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THE FUTURIST "RAG"

London, not greatly moved, has heard the poet of Futurism declaiming one of his poems at the Cabaret Club. The poet also lectured recently at the club on "L'Art des Bruits." He spoke very rapidly, but with extraordinary distinctness in French. His reasoning is clear and logical, and as in the case of the Futurist painters the ideas were all sound and convincing. But when M. Marinetti gave examples of his poems one began to doubt the theories.

Czar Small-Minded And Czarina a Shrew

Harsh Criticism in New Book on the Russian Royal Family.

"Behind the Veil at the Russian Court," By Paul Vassili Cassell.

The present volume, "is not historical, but merely anecdotal; yet sometimes anecdotes are history." "Sometimes" is the word for it. And it would have been still better to use the word "some" for "sometimes," because in this volume some anecdotes are history as well as historical, while others are neither the one nor the other.

When Nicholas I. had decided to send his troops to Hungary, he announced his resolution in the town of Moscow, at the Kremlin Palace. His words were received with immense enthusiasm, and a "Hurrah!" was the reply to them. The Emperor looked round, and suddenly noticed that one of his personal friends, who alone kept silent in the background, was shouting "Hurrah!" with the rest.

The freedom with which the author has put the famous words of Count Buol about Austrian ingratitude spoken by him in 1853 into the mouth of a Russian courtier in 1848, is a little unhistorical, but the story itself expresses admirably a characteristic of Nicholas I.

The Present Tsar. The author very minutely and, on the whole, quite correctly describes the Russian Court at the time of Alexander II. and his son, though when dealing with historical events or with the characters of the men and women of the periods on his own account he is generally wrong.

He becomes decidedly interesting, however, when he enters upon a description of the present reign. He has no love for the Tsar. "His mind is as small as his person; he sees the biggest events go by without being touched, or being aware of their great or tragic side." "Small-minded," "selfish," "vacillatory," "capricious," "rancorous"—no adjectives are too hard for the man who went on playing tennis after having heard of the disaster at Tsushima. Nor does the Tsarina fare better at the author's hands. "She has not the gift to make herself lovable nor to inspire sympathy. She has developed a harsh, cruel temper, with fits of caprice worthy of a spoiled child." On the other hand, it seems surprising that he has nothing to narrate about the well-known adventures of the present Tsar in various fields while he was still heir to the throne. Instead he tells us that both the Tsar and his consort are surprisingly ignorant of French.

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The story of the war with Japan and of the subsequent revolution is told rather inadequately, the author being unaware of the pecuniary interests which the Grand Dukes and the Tsar himself had in Korea. The general tone of this part of "Count Vassili's" narrative is shown by a report, which the author reproduces, that after the Bloody Sunday, when the troops had massacred a number of workmen before the Winter Palace, the Tsar's only question to the Grand Duke Vladimir was "Are you sure that you have killed enough?" The story is inaccurate.

A Reactionary Premier. The volume will tell the reader all about the Tsarevitch and his illness, and also about the late M. Stolypin and his successor, the present Premier, M. Kokovtsov. In connection with the Tsarevitch the author makes a mistake in speaking of the Grand Duke Dimitri Pavlovich as the next candidate to the throne. The person who has recently been dismissed from his regiment for scandal, and his matrimonial designs upon the Tsar's eldest daughter have fallen through. The author's treatment of the two Russian Premiers of the counter-revolution is highly inadequate; and when he says that "no one knows whether M. Kokovtsov's opinions are Liberal or Conservative" he is betraying his own lack of knowledge, since M. Kokovtsov openly proclaimed his political views in the Duma three years ago by the solemn exclamation:

The Significance of Agitator James Larkin

[By A. G. Garden in London Daily News.]

As I left the Albert Hall, the great audience that filled the building was listening in deep silence to the strange, uncouth accents of a speaker who was telling how two girls in Dublin had worked for twelve days and at the end had received in payment—temperance. Outside the pavements were crowded with people, who unable to gain admission, were waiting for something to turn up. Round the building policemen, on horse and on foot, were ranked in a defensive formation, and along the road, with arms linked and slinging in chorus, there marched to and fro a host of young medical students. They had raised the building, been beaten back, and now they were taking their revenge in defiant songs. If they had been asked to explain their animus against James Larkin they would have found it difficult to do so. It would not be because he is fighting for the recognition of his trade union; for these young men are going to be members of a trade union—the British Medical Association—which has won a more complete and profitable victory than any on record. At the bottom they represented the vague fear of the secure and comfortable against any intrusion from below. "Here's a stranger; let us leave half a brick at him." "Here's a ruder laborer disturbing our comfortable society; let us teach him a lesson."

But we shall not get rid of that strange figure on the platform by leaving half a brick at him. Whether we like it or not, James Larkin is a man with whom we have to reckon. He drops his "h's," he uses violent language, he talks in a strange dialect, half Lancashire, half Irish and all his own, he is rude, unlettered—a dock laborer in fact, but you cannot listen to him without being conscious of an unusual force. You forget the roughness of speech in the fierce energy that blazes through them. You seem to hear the murmur of the power struggling to utterance. And if the utterance is defiant and challenging, it is not that of the mere tub-thumper. It has sudden flashes of insight, and unexpected transitions, a certain largeness of motive, at times a generosity of statement, that suggests something more than the fire-brand. He is not at the mercy of his audience, like the demagogue who follows the line of the readiest cheer. He is its master and snubs its shallower humor. When it shrieks at the mention of the Government, he has imprisoned him, he does not throw idle fuel on the flames. "Ah, but let us be fair," he says. "It has been loyal to home rule and I say, important as it is for us to win the Dublin vote, it is a thousand times more important that that measure should go through your Commons." And when the name of Mr. Masterman is received with cheers and cries of "Masterman," he replies, "No, he is not a hypocrite. I believe he wished well to the poor. Who knows? Perhaps I should be a hypocrite in his circumstances." We shall not dispose of him by the easy argument of the half brick or the jail.

New Issues for Old. And so what? The young men are marching to and fro outside singing their songs, and let us try to understand the significance of this swaying figure on the platform, this intruder from below who has given such volcanic fires. He has cut across our policies and parties with the indifference of a lava stream; but we shall miss his meaning if we assume that we have to deal only with a personal quarrel. It is true that if there had been no Larkin there would have been no Dublin strike; but the forces he has released and the ideas he has represented are independent of him. It is only the match that has fired the train. By the light of his conflagration we may see many things. We may see, for example, the realities behind the fallacies of the rule. The political platform echoes the sectarian issue, is Catholic Ireland to be for ever under the heel of the Protestant north? Is Ulster to be sacrificed to the revolt of the north, so the Orange lodges are drilling here and the Ancient Order of Hibernians are organizing there, and all the old rusty weapons of the seventeenth century are being resurrected to keep alive a hateful feud.

And then comes this uncouth figure from the ranks with his "Plague on both your houses, and fever!" that behind these threadbare controversies of the past there is a latent force in Ireland that will dominate the politics of the home rule Parliament and submerge the sectarian issue. That force will be the revolt of the poor against their conditions. The measure of our failure to govern Ireland used to be the flight of the people from the soil before the cruel hand of landlordism. We have brought out the landlords and solved the agrarian problem. Labor in Ireland. But the cry of Ireland has passed from the country to the town. The conditions of the poor in Dublin and Belfast touch a level below the worst we know here. The revelations of Sir Ernest Hatch's committee as sweat-dripping in Belfast can be paralleled only in Dublin, with its third of the population living in one-room tenements. The truth is that the industrial idea has not developed in Ireland as in England. The trade union movements has made relatively little progress there, and the conception of the employer and the employed negotiating on equal terms is little understood. The employer has regarded himself as a benefactor, and the worker has regarded employment as a privilege granted to him. And so the labor market has drifted into a state of inconceivable wretchedness, the heritage of our destruction of the Irish industries.

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The unwillingness of prominent churchmen to occupy themselves with the official business of the church is a phenomenon which it is impossible to observe without regret. It is seen and felt on all hands. It mars the effect of resolutions passed by the ecclesiastical assemblies which are supposed or intended to formulate the mind of the church. There is at times a disappearance of the official business of the church, if not a bewildering, disconcerting bewilderment, the majority of Churchmen, and the representative assemblies of the Church.

"But whether in the Church Congress or elsewhere the need of quickening the great silent mass of Church people into visible and audible reality is, I think, a primary need of the Church in the present day.

It is a bold attempt to stampede English trade unionism into an heroic wrecking policy. It will not succeed; but it is significant of much that is happening in the labor world that so extreme a proposal should have been discussed for two days and then committed to a special conference for a final decision. It is a triumph for that strange, loose-limbed figure on the platform, with the wild light in his eyes and his tales of the Dublin slums. And yet I doubt whether he is a complete convert to his own policy,

whether he is quite as irresponsible as one might assume at a first view. "Leader or Lumatic" was the placard that had met his eye in coming to the hall. It was Mr. Horatio Bottomley who offered the alternative. Larkin's reply showed that he knows how to fence. "I am not a leader. I have been flung up by this movement, and would rather be back at my own job with a shovel in my hand, I may be a lumatic. But I'll tell you one thing I'm not. I'm not a knave." It was a shrewd thrust. He is a fanatic. The most notable thing in his speech was not his wild words about the trade union, but his words about the trade union congress. His audience howled at the congress for their delay. He did not play up to this mood. On the contrary, he checked it by referring to the vast responsibility which rested on the congress. It is these things which suggest that he may be more than an agitator—that he can direct a movement as well as inspire it.

If he is not he will soon disappear. If he is, these young men who are marching and singing outside have shown a true instinct for a real foe.

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and of a century of alien rule based on sectarian predominance. The situation has been aggravated by a police system as grotesque as that of Russia—a semi-military force appointed not so much to hold the peace as to hold a subject population in restraint. How they conceive their duty we saw in the blind attacks they made upon the unoffending crowds in Sackville street at the beginning of September.

And the religious controversy has been an accessory to this deprecation of labor. It has diverted the mind of the people from the true ills of their condition to false fears. It has enabled the employers to adopt a maxim "divide and rule" which, Fox called the doctrine of the devil. The Orange-men, instead of aiming at raising their industrial conditions, have spent their energies in chasing the Catholic workmen. And in Dublin we see the ancient Order of Hibernians, and the priests silent in the midst of a struggle which has reduced thousands of their poor to abject misery and would have reduced them to actual starvation but for the shiploads of food which have come to their relief from England.

Why is the church silent? Why is the press unresponsive to the employers? Why are the Nationalist members overwhelmed on the same side? It is not that the misery is not there. It is open and palpable. Nor is it that the men have looked on their sides. Sir George Asquith's commission has declared that they have. It has declared that the employers' attempt to destroy the Transport Workers' Union by the union by locking out its members and starving them into surrender. That such a policy should be adopted at this time of day is alone sufficient to show the rotten condition of industrial development in Ireland. What should be thought of such a policy in the cotton trade of Lancashire or the coal trade of South Wales or indeed in any organized industry in this country?

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The unwillingness of prominent churchmen to occupy themselves with the official business of the church is a phenomenon which it is impossible to observe without regret. It is seen and felt on all hands. It mars the effect of resolutions passed by the ecclesiastical assemblies which are supposed or intended to formulate the mind of the church. There is at times a disappearance of the official business of the church, if not a bewildering, disconcerting bewilderment, the majority of Churchmen, and the representative assemblies of the Church.

"But whether in the Church Congress or elsewhere the need of quickening the great silent mass of Church people into visible and audible reality is, I think, a primary need of the Church in the present day.

It is a bold attempt to stampede English trade unionism into an heroic wrecking policy. It will not succeed; but it is significant of much that is happening in the labor world that so extreme a proposal should have been discussed for two days and then committed to a special conference for a final decision. It is a triumph for that strange, loose-limbed figure on the platform, with the wild light in his eyes and his tales of the Dublin slums. And yet I doubt whether he is a complete convert to his own policy,

whether he is quite as irresponsible as one might assume at a first view. "Leader or Lumatic" was the placard that had met his eye in coming to the hall. It was Mr. Horatio Bottomley who offered the alternative. Larkin's reply showed that he knows how to fence. "I am not a leader. I have been flung up by this movement, and would rather be back at my own job with a shovel in my hand, I may be a lumatic. But I'll tell you one thing I'm not. I'm not a knave." It was a shrewd thrust. He is a fanatic. The most notable thing in his speech was not his wild words about the trade union, but his words about the trade union congress. His audience howled at the congress for their delay. He did not play up to this mood. On the contrary, he checked it by referring to the vast responsibility which rested on the congress. It is these things which suggest that he may be more than an agitator—that he can direct a movement as well as inspire it.

If he is not he will soon disappear. If he is, these young men who are marching and singing outside have shown a true instinct for a real foe.

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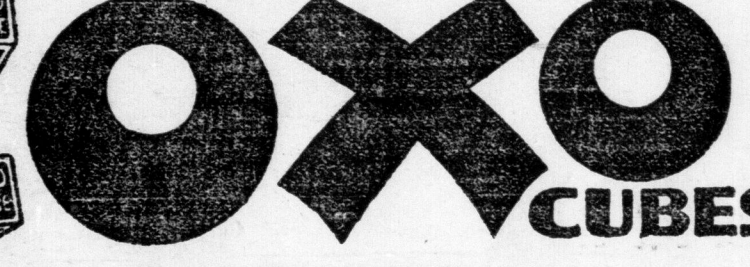


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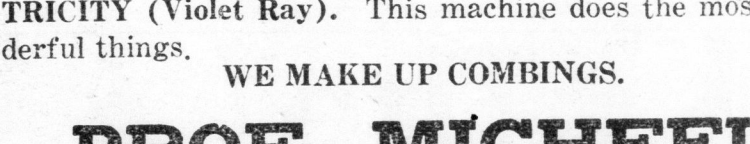
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