

ALMOST EVERY CITY AND TOWN OF OHIO STATE PREY TO RAGING FLOODS AND TORRENTIAL RAINS; THOUSANDS DEAD, A-QUARTER MILLION HOMELESS

Worst Inundation Ever Experienced Prevails From
Lake Erie to the Ohio River and From
Indiana to Pennsylvania.

MIAMISBURG REPORTED SWEEPED AWAY BY WATERS

[Canadian Press.]
Columbus, Ohio, March 26.—From Lake Erie to the Ohio River, and from the Indiana to the Pennsylvania state line today is experiencing the worst flood the state has ever known. With an appalling loss of life at Dayton, estimated today to run over 500, almost every city and village in the state follows with a death toll that cannot be tallied until the raging waters subside.

TOWN WASHED AWAY.
Although first reports had put the loss of life at Dayton as high as 5,000, refugees arriving in Xenia from the flood-stricken city say that it would not be beyond 500. News today says that Miamisburg, population 5,000, had been washed away.

Heavy rains continued throughout most of the state last night, and all flood records in most sections of the state have been broken.

Bridges have been washed away, railway and inter-urban traffic is at a standstill, and in many cities there is grave danger of fire loss, due to the shutting down of plants supplying water.

QUARTER MILLION HOMELESS.
Governor Cox estimated that more than 250,000 people have been rendered homeless. The state is unable to cope with the situation in its entirety, and the governor has called upon the National Red Cross Society in the adjoining states for aid. The immediate need is for tents and food for the homeless. Every militia company has been ordered to report today for duty, and the troops will be sent to the points of greatest emergency. The state commissary department is making every effort to rush supplies to the many points which need them.

ONE THOUSAND DROWN AT DAYTON, LATEST REPORT

[Canadian Press.]
AT 2:45 P.M.

Wolf Creek, Ohio (two miles west of Dayton), March 26.—One thousand persons lost their lives in the Dayton flood, according to a report received here by the Western Union Telegraph Company, which has established a sending station.

Most of the victims were residents of North Dayton, who were caught without warning. Today Dayton is reported under 15 feet of water, and although the flood is receding the rain is beginning again, and the chances are that the flood will remain at the present level until the rain ceases.

Late news from Dayton said that St. Elizabeth Hospital was probably carried away, although the Dayton informant was unable to verify this report. Dayton also inclined to doubt report that 400 school children had been drowned, because the flood came up hours before the children were due to go to school.

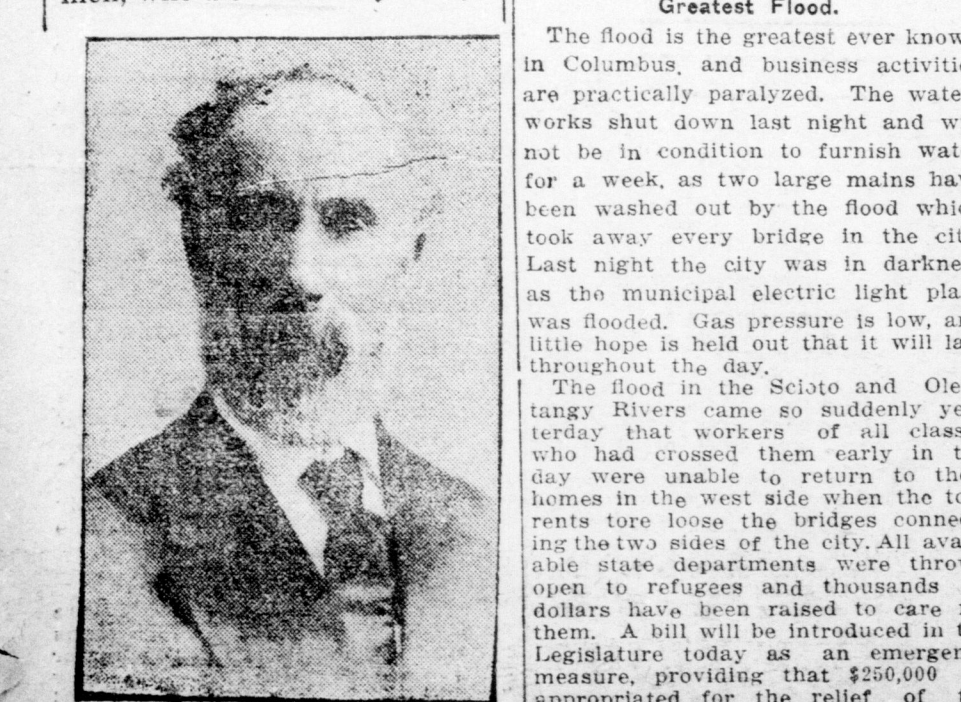
LOSS WILL TOTAL MILLIONS HARROWING TALES OF STRICKEN

The property damage cannot yet be calculated, but it will run far into the millions. This includes actual loss by fire and flood and prospective loss where farming lands have been inundated and in many cases washed away. No immediate relief from the flood-bound conditions is in sight, as rainy weather is promised for the state today.

Harrowing tales are beginning to filter in from various sources of families who spent the night in a drenching rain in tree tops or on the roofs of their flooded homes. Many of those marooned in tree tops are believed to have been worn out from cold and fatigue, and to have dropped from their perilous places of death in the flood waters.

Thrilling Rescues.
Thrilling rescues are reported with-

JOHN BEATTIE, one of London's veteran post-men, who died suddenly today.



Latest Figures On Loss of Life

Chicago, Ill., March 26.—Day broke upon the desolation brought by flood throughout Ohio and Indiana, with a slight hope that the estimates of the loss of life might be somewhat reduced when search revealed more fully the situation of the stricken cities.

At daybreak only partly verified reports from the flood swept cities in the two states showed the following revised estimates of the loss of life, based upon an apparent reduction in the figures from Dayton, according to refugees and upon a possible diminution in the reports from Peru, Ind.:

Ohio.
Dayton, 500 to 1,000.
Piqua (rumored) 540.
Delaware, 50 to 100.
Sidney, 23 to 50.
Middletown, 50 to 100.
Hamilton, 12.
Tipppecoe City, 3 to 5.
Scattering, 15.
Total: Ohio, 1,194 to 1,695.

Indiana.
Peru, 60 to 250.
Newcastle, 4.
Lafayette, 2.

SIXTEEN MONTHS FREE OF RENT FOR M'CORMICK FIRM

Will Have That Time to Dis-
mantle Premises and
Vacate.

City Will Pay Interest on
Whole Price Until
Completed.

The purchase of the McCormick property for federal square purposes will date from April 1, the McCormick Manufacturing Company being allowed sixteen months free of rental to vacate and dismantle their premises, and an additional two months, if necessary, at a rental equivalent to interest on the purchase money at 6 per cent. The city will agree to pay the McCormick company interest at 6 per cent on the purchase price of \$125,000 from April 1, until the property is paid for.

Committee to Act.
These are the terms that Mayor Graham and Chairman Moore, of the finance committee of the city council, were authorized to make with the McCormick Company, and which it is understood will be acceptable to the latter. The city on its part may not be able to pay over the purchase price for a month or six weeks. The banks will not, and in the opinion of City Solicitor Meredith are justified in declining to, advance the money until the city of London bill is passed.

Banks Not Authorized.
In the past money has often been advanced to the city under similar circumstances, but the banks have not had authority for so doing. Now that the money market is very tight, the banks are keeping well within the letter of the law.

The McCormick company on their hand, may require more than the fifteen months stipulated as the length of occupancy in the original agreement and the city will offer them sixteen months free rental and two months grace, with interest.

Free Rental Question.
Aid, Richter asked if the question of free rental had been thoroughly threshed out. Mayor Graham quoted Mr. Meredith to the effect that it was very doubtful if the city could collect rental charges after offering free rentals in the preliminary agreement.

There were present Mayor Graham, Aldermen Robinson, Spittal, Stein, White, Richter and Moore.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—UNSETTLED, COLD.

Forecast.
Toronto, March 26.—Unsettled and cold, with occasional falls of rain or snow today and on Thursday.

Local Temperatures.
The following were the highest and lowest temperatures at the local observatory during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today: Highest, 32.5; lowest, 30 degrees above zero.

M. R. J. J. DONOHUE, son
of Mrs. D. Donohue, of
this city, a resident of Dayton



LONDONERS IN FLOODED DISTRICTS

There are many Londoners throughout the flood-swept districts of Indiana and Ohio, and many inquiries were received this morning by The Advertiser from anxious relatives in this city.

In practically every town and city in both states former Londoners reside, and so far no word as to their safety has been received.

Telephone and telegraph wires are down, and communication is impossible.

Live in Dayton, Ohio.
Mr. J. J. Donohue, a son of Mrs. Daniel Donohue, of 443 Pall Mall street, and his family reside in Dayton, Ohio. Mr. Donohue is employed in the English Woolen Mills store, and resides on McDaniel street. His mother received a letter from him last Monday, but has received no word since the flood commenced.

Wanted To Get Word.
An Advertiser reporter called at her home this morning to see if she had been able to get into communication with her son. At first Mrs. Donohue thought that word of her son's death had been received in the city, and she implored the reporter to tell her the worst. On being assured that nothing had been heard about her son, she was overcome with joy, but a little later fear returned, and again she asked if anything had been heard of her boy.

Has Relatives There.
Mr. J. H. Hynd, a former Londoner and a brother of Mr. W. Hynd, 117 St. George street, resided in Dayton until a short time ago, when he left for Calgary. Mr. Hynd has three sisters-in-law, the Misses E. K. and A. Ryder, residing in Dayton, and he has received no word from them.

Many Others There.
Other Londoners in the flooded districts are: Dr. A. W. Ziegler, 107 Main street, Fostoria, Ohio; D. R. Mackama, (Continued on Page Eleven.)

RAILWAY HORROR 200 ARE KILLED

Reported That a Train
Went Through Bridge
and That Hundreds
Perished.

[Canadian Press.]

Grafton, W. Va., March 26.—The B. and O. telegraph operator here this afternoon received a wire from a Baltimore and Ohio operator at a tower near Cincinnati saying that a commuter train from Loveland, Ohio, to Cincinnati, had gone through a bridge, and all on board, about 200 persons, apparently had been lost.

Leaves for Peace River.—Dr. W. M. Rhyard, of 468 Dufferin avenue, was surprised by a number of his friends Tuesday evening, who, hearing of his intended departure from the city, gathered at his home and gave him a handsome club-bag. The evening was pleasantly passed in games and music, refreshments being served at the conclusion. Dr. Rhyard left on the C. P. R. this morning for the Peace River district, where he will practice.

BULGARS TAKE ADRIANOPLE AFTER TERRIBLE FIGHTING

[Canadian Press.]
Mustappa Pasa, March 26.—The fortress of Adrianople was taken by storm by the Bulgarians this morning after fighting of the most terrible character since Monday. Flames are devastating the city at many points.

After the outlying fortifications had been captured, the Turkish troops set fire to all their depots and stores, as well as to the arsenal and the artillery part. They also blew up the barracks and a number of powder magazines. Most of the population fled.

London, March 26.—Shukri Pasha, Turkish commander-in-chief of Adrianople, committed suicide after the capture of the city, according to news agency dispatches.

MR. GLAUBITZ AGREES TO CALL TENDERS AND GIVE ALL DEALERS A CHANCE

Mr. George A. Wenige Complained That Purchase of Motor-
cycles Was Being Made Unfairly, and General Manager
Will Leave Matter Altogether With Commissioners.

Mr. George A. Wenige, of the Bicycle and Motor Sales Company, Clarence street, wants to know why tenders were not called for in the purchase of two new motorcycles for the water and light department. General Manager Glaubitiz was authorized by the water commissioners last Thursday to purchase the two machines. He stated that the price would be \$290, and promised the board to get the machines at the lowest price possible.

Mr. Glaubitiz says that in order to avoid trouble tenders will be called.

"Won't Overlook You."
"I was talking to Mr. Glaubitiz last fall about the hydro lighting I had in," said Mr. Wenige. "I told him I could get the Helena light at 10 per cent lower price, but that otherwise I would prefer to use the city light. He told me not to change from hydro, and said that the city would soon be in the market for a couple of motorcycles. 'We won't overlook you,' he added."

Gave Board a Figure.
"Some time after that," said Mr. Wenige, "I sent in a tender for Pope motorcycles of the desired type and size at \$290 each. It was from my tender that Mr. Glaubitiz got the figure which he gave the board of water commissioners."

"The other day when I saw that the machines were to be purchased I made inquiries to see if my tender had been received all right.

Said Machine Was No Good.
"I was over there, but I was told by Mr. Glaubitiz that Superintendent Alford preferred the Indian motorcycles, and had told him (Mr. Glaubitiz) that the Pope machine was no good. Mr. Alford tried to back out of this statement when I asked him about it, but Mr. Glaubitiz told him to let his superintendents select the machines they desired."

Ordered Two Months Ago.
"I made some inquiries, and I have found that the order for Indian machines went in from the local agent two months ago, and contained the information that the machines were for municipal use. The price was \$325, at which figure the city has completed the purchase of one of the machines, and is going to take the other one also."

"I don't think it should be left to Continued on Page Eleven.

NEARLY \$4,500 GATHERED IN BY Y.M.C.A. WORKERS

Three-Days Campaign Promises
To Be Productive of
Fine Support.

Solicitations of the Members of
Teams Meet With Hearty
Response.

Nearly \$4,500 had been collected at noon today by the 14 teams of businessmen who are engaged in a three-day campaign for funds for the local Young Men's Christian Association. It is expected that the total will reach \$6,000 before night.

All the workers are enthusiastic, and the work has gone forward with a will. Six thousand dollars will have to be collected tomorrow in order to reach the figure which the men aim to achieve, namely, \$12,000, but they are hopeful of being able to make up this amount. Not one-half of the names on their lists have yet been waited upon, and if the response they have so far met with is any criterion, the success of the campaign should be assured.

Not Refused Once.
"I wasn't turned down once this morning," remarked one of the captains. Another told of receiving a subscription of \$100 from a most unexpected source.

The results of the campaign thus far were posted at mid-day luncheon today in the Y. M. C. A. rooms. The team captained by Mr. J. H. McDermid was shown to be in the lead with a total of over \$2,000. The announcement was greeted by loud applause. The team headed by Mr. C. F. Glass is in second place.

Interest in the contest is intense, and it is estimated that there will be a number of changes in the positions of the various teams as further results become known.

Will Continue Work.
Should they fail to make up the required amount in the three days, many of the members have expressed their willingness to carry on the campaign until the whole sum is raised. This, however, will not be decided until the results of Thursday's efforts are known.

MISS LUTA LAYMAN, a
contralto of great
promise, who has joined
the First Methodist soloists



Boy in Barroom; Bartender Pays Fine in Court

A bartender in the City Hotel was fined \$2 in the police court this morning for allowing a boy under 21 years of age to loiter in the barroom Saturday afternoon.

Mr. E. W. M. Flock appeared for the defendant and argued that as it was a very busy day, the bartender had not time to notice the boy standing at the bar. The bartender testified that he had not seen the boy, nor had he served him with any liquor. The court, however, held that under the liquor license act, it was the duty of the bartender to see the boy standing there and to order him out. The minimum penalty of \$2 was imposed.

BRITAIN OFFERS NAVAL HOLIDAY

Churchill Suggests That
Naval Construction
Cease For Year.

PROPOSAL IS MADE TO WORLD

In This Way He Believes People
of World Would Be Relieved
From Thralldom.

[Canadian Press.]

London, March 26.—A naval holiday for a year, as far as new construction is concerned, was the offer made to the world today by Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the British admiralty, when he submitted the British naval estimates to the House of Commons.

In this way, he says, the peoples of the world would obtain an almost instantaneous mitigation of the thralldom in which they had been involved by the evil and insensate folly of the present acute rivalry in armaments. Scores of millions, he declared, were being squandered year after year without making any real difference in the relative naval strength of the nation. His proposal, he argued, would involve no alterations in the relative strength of the world's navy, and added: "We address this proposal to all nations, and to no nation with more profound sincerity than to our great neighbor over the North Sea."

Mr. Churchill concluded with a graceful recognition of the sensible improvement that had taken place in Anglo-German relations.

AGED MOTHER TELLS COURT ABOUT SON

Tears Stream Down Her Face
as She Testifies Against
Him.

ASKS FOR CLEMENCY

With tears in her eyes and her voice shaking with sobs, an aged mother unwillingly testified against her son in the police court this morning. The young man was charged with using abusive and threatening language to her, and she asked that he be not punished, but made to stay away from her.

The son, it appeared, had been out of money and owed her other some money. She asked him to return a portion of it, and the request was met by a torrent of abusive language. She refused to repeat the words he used.

She said that she would gladly forego the payment of the debt if he would only keep the peace toward her. She also offered to take into her home his young wife, who is in a delicate condition, until such time as he was able to provide a home for her.

To these terms the young man agreed, and was bound over in the sum of \$50 to keep the peace. He promised to leave town immediately in quest of work.

THAMES GOES DOWN AGAIN; DANGER PAST

Practically all danger of flood from the Thames is over, and at 3 o'clock this afternoon the residents of West London and other sections of the city whose property was in danger, are breathing a little easier.

Tuesday night at 6 o'clock there was six feet eleven inches of water going over the dam at Springbank, but at 3 o'clock this afternoon the river had receded two feet seven inches.

There is still considerable water in the cellars of houses on Front and Ada streets, but the residents firmly believing that all danger has passed, have moved back into their homes.

A large section of Adelaide street in Chelsea Green was washed out by the rain and water Tuesday afternoon, but employees of the city engineer's department were sent to the scene early this morning and succeeded in repairing the damage.

Sidewalk Investigation To Be Resumed.

The investigation into the construction of London sidewalks, which was postponed on account of the winter, will be resumed within a few weeks. As soon as the frost is out of the ground completely the engineering department expects to begin operations.



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THE OHIO DISASTER.

The appalling stories from Ohio and Indiana may be modified by later dispatches. Estimates of the loss of life made in the excitement of the moment by those on the scene are likely to be exaggerated. But making allowances for this the disaster is the worst of the kind since the flood at Johnstown, Pa., in 1889, when the collapse of a dam swept away nearly 5,000 lives, and millions of dollars' worth of property. The present calamity is far more widespread. The State of Ohio, which has suffered most, is interlarded with rivers, mainly tributaries of the Ohio, and all have been swollen by abnormal rainfall. Apparently scores of cities, towns and villages have been swept by the raging waters. Many thousands of persons have lost their belongings, and are in need of instant relief. To a single stricken city, as at Johnstown, Galveston, and San Francisco, aid could be rushed from all quarters, but to succor immediately scores of communities is a problem in organization which all the resources and goodwill of the country cannot solve. Even if the waters subside at once the train of misery will be terrible.

The conditions that produce floods of this kind are uniform over the continent. On a much smaller scale, the same difficulty exists in Western Ontario as in Ohio. The disappearance of the great forests has removed the salutary check on the sudden rush of waters down the river channels. In the western prairie country, where rivers are few, the cyclone is the enemy; in the well-watered east, it is the flood. Governments are being forced by disaster into policies of forest conservation. They should go further and in every practicable way encourage reforestation in settled communities where much land is suitable for tree-growing if for nothing else. A system of dams and retaining reservoirs would also do much to prevent the damage annually inflicted by the Grand, the Thames and other Ontario rivers. This must be a provincial undertaking. Cities and towns try to protect their own property from floods, not always successfully, but the prevention of floods is a work beyond them.

ONCE MORE ON THE CURVE.

Many years ago a certain Conservative newspaper was an advocate of free trade. When Sir John Macdonald introduced his National Policy of protection, the editor was not staggered. He is reported to have said: "It is a d— sharp curve, but we can take it." And it was taken promptly. We refer to this bit of ancient history only to illustrate the facility with which the Conservative party and the conservative press can take a sharp curve. If there is one characteristic of the party more prominent than another it is the promptness with which it can change the planks in its political platform to suit the exigencies of the moment.

The Conservative naval policy has been marked by inconsistency from its inception. First, it was a Canadian navy pure and simple. Then, when the Liberal Government proposed a Canadian navy, the Conservative party at once voted against it, and wanted an appeal to the people before anything should be done. Then when Mr. Borden became premier he turned his back on Mr. Borden's Canadian navy, and now proposes a contribution of money to the wealthiest country in the world.

But not only is the Conservative naval policy inconsistent with itself; it is inconsistent with their policy of Canadian protection. In advocating protection, one of the strongest arguments has been the plea that it encouraged and developed our own industries. No longer should Canada be the dumping ground for the manufactures of other countries. Everything used in Canada should be made in Canada. Tell the protectionist that a manufacturer with a home market of seventy or eighty millions of people could make a better article and sell it cheaper than a manufacturer with a small market like Canada, and that the Canadian consumer was entitled to some consideration; the answer was prompt and emphatic. Where is your loyalty to Canada? we were asked. If the Canadian consumer has to pay a little higher price for a short time, surely he will be glad to do it when he is building up our industries, and developing our own resources. Our people have the energy and the skill to make anything we need; only give them the chance. Let us spend Canadian money in Canada. Put up a high tariff wall, Canada for the Canadians.

But now an argument is needed to bolster up a naval policy of tribute

instead of co-operation. And so the plea of "Canada for the Canadians" is laid away on the shelf for future use. Canadians have not nearly so much energy as we thought they had. They cannot build ships. They cannot manufacture guns. They cannot construct docks. And that is not the worst of it. We used to think we were a very loyal people, ready to die for the empire. We could sing "Rule Britannia" and take off our hats to "God Save the King." Well, we can still sing, but we are not prepared to do any fighting. We cannot man any ships—either Canadian or British. The fact is, we can neither fight nor work. We are a very feeble people. But we are imperialists; we will stand by the flag; we will rally to the defence of the empire in this the day of her emergency. So we will borrow some money from her; and make her a present of the money. And, of course, we will pay her the interest on the money we borrow from her. Keep Canadian money in Canada? Not now; send it to Europe to build ships; spend it anywhere except in Canada.

Do the Conservatives really think that Canadians are such a mean-spirited, feeble folk? Perhaps some of them do; doubtless some English manufacturers think so; possibly, Mr. Winston Churchill thinks so. But the average Canadian, be he Conservative or Liberal, has a better opinion of Canadians. Mr. Borden and Mr. Foster had a better opinion of Canadians a few years ago, when they spoke for, and voted for, a Canadian navy. Major Beattie was a staunch Canadian a few years ago. Why this change?

Is it part payment of the price demanded for their help by the men who were opposed to giving any aid to Britain; who thought we owed her nothing; who boasted that they had to shoot holes in the British flag in order to obtain justice for the oppressed? So another sharp curve must be taken. The National Policy of the Conservative party is now "Little Canada."

BUILDING WARSHIPS IN CANADA

In October, 1909, our local contemporary affirmed that "patriotism would gather more closely about battleships built in England," and it declared for the building of them in Canada even though it would cost more money.

Today it denounces the proposal to build battleships in Canada, and makes this confession:

"We are not sure what type of ship we had in mind in October, 1909. The naval question in Canada was comparatively new at that time and we may have been misled by the then Laurier Government in believing that our facilities for building battleships of whatever class were radically different from what now appears to be the fact."

Our contemporary has, of course, dutifully turned a somersault after its leader, and it would be perhaps unequipped to remind it too often or forcibly of that performance. It tries to hide behind Mr. Churchill's assertion that a Dreadnought plant in Canada would cost \$75,000,000, and asks whether The Advertiser and "its Liberal co-agitators" favor this expenditure. Expenditure by whom? Our contemporary talks as though a shipbuilding industry in Canada must be a public enterprise, paid for by Canadian taxpayers. Does it not know that if the Laurier Government's plan had been carried out, a shipbuilding plant would have been established in this country by a great British firm, free of charge to the Dominion? In consideration of getting contracts for the building of four cruisers and six destroyers to cost \$11,250,000, the firm of Cammell, Laird & Co., of Birkenhead, who have built scores of warships for the admiralty, agreed to erect a plant at St. John, N. B., out of their own pockets. That plant could easily have been enlarged for the building of Dreadnoughts, when Canada wanted them. But the Borden Government returned the check for \$100,000 which accompanied the Birkenhead tender, and reversed the policy to which Mr. Borden and his supporters in Opposition had pledged their faith.

Mr. Churchill's estimate of \$75,000,000 for a Dreadnought plant assumes that there are no plants in Canada at present capable of producing any part that goes into a Dreadnought, whereas the steel industry of Canada has reached such a development that it could be readily adapted to battleship-building. It would not be necessary for the Canadian people to spend a dollar in a Dreadnought plant to build Dreadnoughts in this country.

Why is it that everything can be made in Canada but a warship? It is characteristic of the Turks to begin to fight effectively after they have lost the war.

The Ottawa Government is boasting of its valor, and going cap in hand to the Opposition for supply.

And now the professional loyalists and imperialists attack the Laurier naval policy on the ground that it will cost too much!

Mr. Rowell says the Ontario Opposition will fight till Christmas for a decent factory act. The Liberals at Toronto and Ottawa are in a fighting mood, and they have policies worth fighting for.

Twenty years from now the Little Colonials would be still crying that Canada could not build warships, were it not for the fact that Canada will

be building all sorts of ships long before then in spite of them.

The St. Thomas Times saw an argument for the Borden naval policy in the reported hovering of foreign airships over British soil. The logic of this was not clear, but it becomes merely comic in view of the discovery that excited patriots in England imagined they saw airship lights when they only saw Venus, now at the height of her splendor.

KEEP ON WRITING.

[Toronto Star.]
The Liberals have contended all along that the Borden plan was weak because it provides only for cash and not for men. The Churchill letters strengthen that position. We hope Mr. Churchill will keep on writing letters.

HER PLANS.

[Judge.]
Soubrette—Which divorce colony are you going to?
Star—I haven't been able to find out which has the best bureau of publicity.

LEARNING ENGLISH.

[Manchester Guardian.]
It is a mistake to think that a foreign country in any one part of that country. At least you must not assume that your native accent may always be trusted to cover your acquired provincialisms. When in Edinburgh, a few days ago, writes a correspondent, I fell into the hands of a German barber who had spent 25 years in Scotland trying to pick up English. Alas! his first words to me were: "I didn't think you was to have such a braw day." Presently he started me with a mighty "Michty me!"—this with reference to the alleged German airships. "It is the most awful nonsense you can ever hear."

One of his observations gave me unalloyed pleasure. "Vy," he asked, should German want to fight England? No reason, at all, I agreed; but perhaps it was England she was thinking of, he said. "No," he said, of course, I count England in vit Scotland—which is clearly the patriotic thing to do in Edinburgh.

HER TENDER SYMPATHY.

[Kansas City Star.]
A society girl in Newton is quoted as saying: "Mother is so crippled with rheumatism and it is hard to see her do the week's washing that I just can't bear it. I always go shopping on washday."

RUSHED.

[London Evening Standard.]
"Why do you live in that house in the middle of the day?" asked the magistrate.
"Well," said the accused, "I had several others to cover that evening."

GREAT GUESSING.

[Washington Star.]
A man who undertakes to tell exactly what he is going to do and how he is going to do it, has to be a wonderfully good guesser.

A DIPLOMAT.

[Sidney Bulletin.]
Lady—You are the worst-looking tramp I ever saw.
Sassy Sam—Madam, it is the precincts of uncommon loveliness which makes me look so horrible.
Lady—Jane, give this poor man something to eat.

CHANGING THE NATIONAL ANTHEM.

[New York Tribune.]
The announcement of the British Secretary of State for War concerning aeroplanes suggests that one of the national anthems of that country may presently be rewritten, or at least provided with a variant, so as to run "Britannia Rules the Air."

KEEPING UP THE SIMILARITY.

[Stray Stories.]
"That boy of mine," remarked Smith extravagantly, "is the genuine article. He's all wool, you can bet."
"Shouldn't wonder," commented Jones. "I notice that he shrinks from washing."

WARREN HASTINGS IN WESTMINSTER HALL.

[London Correspondence, Manchester Guardian.]
I believe that not a single one of the inscriptions on commemorative tablets at Westminster has escaped criticism or challenge on some point of detail. But what shall be said of the astounding statement on the bronze plate placed in the floor of Westminster Hall yesterday? It reads:

On This Spot

Warren Hastings
Stood for His Trial,
1783-1795.

No wonder the great governor-general was weary of the business at the end of those seven years! The fact, of course, is that the opening scenes of the impeachment—familiar to everybody through Macaulay's purple patch and to a lesser number of people through the description in Fanny Burney's diary—were enacted in Westminster Hall, and presumably Hastings stood during part of the time. Apart from the historic tradition, the use of the great hall was necessary because the Commons claimed the right of full attendance as a committee of the whole House. The prolonged business of the trial, however (lasting in all 145 days), went forward year after year in the House of Lords, the great hall being requisitioned once again when the Lords delivered judgment on April 23, 1795. It is odd that Lord Curzon, the prime mover in the affair of the tablet, a stickler for epigrammatic accuracy, should have permitted so ludicrous an inscription to have gone through.

A NEW TIME TABLE.

[Lippincott's.]
"When does this ferry run, Uncle?" asked the would-be passenger.
"Dis ferry, Marster," said the old man, "she runs at quarter arter, half arter, quarter to and at."

AN APT QUOTATION.

[Manchester Guardian.]
One may doubt whether there has ever been a more apt quotation than that made by a correspondent of the New York Evening Post in a recent issue. In connection with Captain Oates' last words—"I am just going outside, and may be some time"—he recalls the following passage:

"In your patience ye are strong; cold and heat ye take not wrong; When the trumpet of the angel blows eternally's evangel, Time will seem to you not long."

The lines are by Mrs. Browning.

THREE SCORE LOST AT PERU, INDIANA WABASH OVERFLOWS

Hundreds Face Death All Night Clinging To Roofs of Homes.

Currents of Muddy River Ten Feet Deep Are Racing Through Streets.

[Canadian Press.]
Peru, Ind., March 26.—Death faced hundreds of persons who at dawn today were clinging to the roofs of buildings, where they sought refuge from the flood which last night swept in from the overflooded banks of the Wabash River, drowning within a few minutes probably 90 persons.

The prospect at daylight was distressing. Currents of muddy water from ten to twenty feet deep were racing through the main streets at twenty miles an hour. The water, however, was then believed to be receding slightly.

Mayor Marooned.—Among those marooned was Mayor John J. Krutzer. He was sick at his home when the flood rushed in on the city, and was unable to escape before the water surrounded his home. He came to the city hall, where he was taken to the office of Mayor Thomas Kreuger, superintendent of a lighting plant.

Food and clothing for five thousand persons, sent from nearby towns during the night, had arrived to points within two and three miles.

At daylight currents of the water running between the business houses, by ordinary sidewalks. Three motorboats had been brought on interurban trains from Winona Lake, 50 miles away, and with these boats it was thought that not only food and water might soon be taken into the city, but also that the survivors might be rescued.

Bodies Swept Away.—No one was able to estimate the number of drowned, because of the many bodies that had been carried down the river and because of the submerging of whole streets of houses known to have been occupied before the water came up, but the city officials agreed that the fatalities would not be less than three scores.

At night, while the city was in darkness because of the cutting off of the gas and electric light supply, men, women and children, and in some instances famished, who had crawled out of their homes, waited for daylight to bring relief.

Easter Exams in St. Peter's School

The following are the results of the Easter examinations at St. Peter's school. The names are in order of merit.

Grade VIII.—Basil Coakley, Katie O'Hara, Charles Kilgallen, Anna Lawless, Irene Cox, Lizzie Clark, Vincent Callaghan, Charles Fennell, Thomas O'Hara, Helen Deven, Margaret Corcoran, Marie Warburton, Leo Kenny, Rose Collins, Annie Mascheri, Grace Warburton, John Broderick, Leo Girard, Jerry Hayden, Tom Chung.

Grade VII.—John Johnson, Tom Kilgallen, Angeline Dwyer, Jack Sansone, Leona Kergus, Mike Sansone, Helen Coughlin, Jack Manley, Francis Cassin, Wilfrid Lewis, Thomas Fenech, Margaret Ziller, Mary Ploye, Roy Garman, Tom Boon, Josephine Mascheri, Ada Sweeney, Fergus Murphy, Vera White, Josephine Cardella, Evelyn Mullins, Bertha Gardiner, Nicholas Fontana, Irene Moffat.

Grade VI.—Harold Foley, Eleanor Dwyer, Dorothy Mullins, Madeleine Moir, Frank Elliott, Philip McGinnis, Josephine Catalano, Antoinette Baranitz, Margaret Mascheri, Mary Webb, Willie Kilgallen, Daniel McNeil, Mary Mascheri, Gordon O'Brien, Harold McNeil, Thomas Steele, Michael Sansone.

Grade V.—Thomas O'Hara, Leo Donohue, Leo Callaghan, Thomas Guthrie, Guy Lombardo, Agnes McIntyre, John Moran, John Reid, Clifford Kergus, Margaret Pensa, Roy McEllister, Glen McEllister, Philip Macdonald, Clifford Callaghan, Minnie Zakoor, Clayton Delaney, Leo Donohue, Frank Brizila.

Grade III and IV.—Mary Dwyer, Bessie Theut, Edward Killingsworth, Josephine Sansone, Marie Pocock, Kathleen Battie, Kathleen Dwyer, Philomena Latella, Benjamin Flaherty, Edward Lindsell, Hazel Steele, Alfred Murphy, O'Meara, Anna McNeil, Stephen O'Meara, Joseph Latell, Frank Merlino, Joseph Latell, Ambrose Flannery, Charles Elliott, Margaret Ball, Frank Morin, George Delaney, Jack McLean, Madeleine Noonan, Ambrose Clark, Angeline Mascheri, Rose Dunn, Edward Henry, Kathleen White, Helen

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Easter Exams at St. Mary's School

The following is the result of the Easter examinations in St. Mary's school. The names are in order of merit:

Grade VIII.—Elsie Jensen, Kathleen Jenkins, Rhoda Scanlon, Pearson Dunley, Mary McGregor, Mary Harding, Leo Walsh, Irene Phalen, Ralph Cloghsey, Dan McCaughey, Leo Lenahan, Leo Kennedy, Wilfrid Addison, John Kennedy, Walter Flynn, Agnes Mingo, Theresa Wilson.

Grade VII.—Basil McDonald, Joseph McConn, Madeleine Larkin, John Coffey, Lizzie O'Neil, Frances Cloghsey, Jos. Garceau, Margaret Henry, Theresa White, Archie McPhee, Irene Flanagan, Phyllis Lyle, Jos. Harding, Agnes Harrison, Rita Smyth, Denis McRae, Thomas Christopher, Regina Carly, Joseph McConn, Bert Carlin, Kathleen Kinsella, Madeleine Fitzgerald (absent).

Grade VI.—Andrew McGuire, Percy Jones, Jos. O'Donnell, Leo O'Leary, Gerald Barkwell, Mary McLaughlin, Santa Miles, Maudie O'Rourke, Wilfrid O'Donnell, Walter Lenahan, Gerald Loughlin, Jack McGuire.

Grade V.—Hazel Jensen, Edith Rankin, Dympha Garceau, Ernest Jensen, Santa Mascaro, Marguerite Delaney, Sarah Philomena, C. Howe, Clement Flood, Richard Christopher, Mary Lee, John Neil, Louisa White, John McCaughey, Gordon Lane, Gerald Henry, Frank Graham, Julia Dibb, Lizzie Lammpan, Maudie Allen, Irene Murphy, Gladys Blancy (absent).

Grade IV.—Jas. O'Donnell, Thomas Carson, Peter Ock, Joseph Tobin, Agnes Lenahan, Alma Connor, Cecilia Hay, Merlyn O'Donnell, Edward Clark, Margaret McGuire, Kathleen Mingo, Agnes Cloghsey, Mabel Flynn, Thos. Neiligan, Helen McLaughlin, Leonard Carrigan, Victor Miles, Chester Orendorf, John Murphy, Emmet Flanagan, John Dibb, John Walsh, Marie McAtleen, Lora Carson, Anna O'Meara, John Blancy, James White, Irene Lee, Francis Sherlock, Nora McGee.

Grade III.—Byrne Carly, Marie Garceau, Fred Warcup, Madeleine Graham, Josephine Young, Myrtle O'Leary, Margaret Christopher, Fred Graham, Bessie Allen, Cecilia Tobin, Cassimer Noutly, Jack Rourke, Mary Bishop, Mary McRae, Della Lammpan, Veronica Cloghsey, Louise Fitzmaurice, Hazel Smyth, Mary Henry, Joseph Fitzmaurice.

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None of Londoners Hurt in Omaha

In a wire to The Advertiser, James R. Dewar, of Omaha, Neb., a former Londoner, states that so far as he has been able to learn, all former Londoners there escaped injury in the windstorm that recently devastated that city.

He also gives a list of other former Londoners resident there, as follows: Mrs. Theodore Gradmann, Mrs. George Victor, Thomas M. Smith, Robert A. Smith, William Frank, Church, and William Whittaker.

Thomas M. Smith and Robert A. Smith, mentioned in the foregoing, are sons of J. D. Smith, 498 Dufferin avenue, this city.

FOUND A NEEDLE NEAR APPENDIX

Operation on Winnipeg Man Awaiting Trial For Murder.

[Canadian Press.]
Winnipeg, March 26.—Walter Eves, awaiting trial for the murder of his paramour, Mrs. Hancock, was operated on yesterday for the removal of a darned needle from the vicinity of

the appendix. There is a strong suspicion he swallowed the needle since he was arrested in an attempt to commit suicide.

London passengers on the train from Owen Sound today saw the unusual spectacle of a big freight van standing on top of a Mogul engine at Listowel.

Owing to an early morning fog, the engine on a special way-freight, northbound from Stratford, drawn by Moguls 2081 and 2074, failed to see freight No. 2442 standing on the main line in time to stop his train.

The long freight was carried into the standing train with force enough to pick up the van and land it on top of the leading Mogul, No. 2081.

Engineer Gilzean and his fireman escaped unhurt, and the crew of the freight happened by the merest chance to be out of the van at the time.

The car ahead of the van had a big hole punched in it, and the line was torn up so badly that the London train had to be sent around by way of Guelph.

What a Mending Club Is
Topics of Live Interest
to Every Woman Reader.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Mrs. Caroline Coe Tells
Ways to Make Pie Crust.
Home and Fashion Hints.

PIE CRUST "NOT" LIKE MOTHER USED TO MAKE

[BY CAROLINE COE.]

One-half cup of ice water.
One cup of shortening.
One-half cup of butter or butter substitute and one-half cup of lard.
Three cups of flour.
One-half teaspoon salt and an even teaspoon of sugar.
Put all the dry materials into a chopping bowl and chop with the chopping knife until it is all reduced to fine crumbs.
Next make a well in the centre and add the water. Coax the flour mixture into the water with as few



strokes of the knife as possible. Do not curd them for the time. Take one not be discouraged if some few of the third of this dough for one crust, flour "crumbs" do not blend. Just dis- never "handling" it. Simply take it

from the bowl and place on slightly floured board. Roll only one way from you. Turn the board, never the crust, and try to keep in a round shape.

When thin enough, take a few of those "crumbs" and sprinkle over the rolled-out crust. Put the crust in a pan so as to leave an inch of crust on the edge of the pan for the top crust. Use another third of the dough when ready to put on the top crust. Wet the cover crust at the edge of the pan thoroughly with water, put on top crust, pinch two crusts together or press them with a fork.

This amount of material will make one two-crust pie and six tart shells.

APPLE PIE SEASONED AFTER BAKING.
(A Tested Recipe.)

Fill the lower crust with slices of apple cut thinly. Put nothing in but a little pinch of salt. Cover the pie with top crust. Make small holes in centre to allow the steam to escape. Do NOT bake in quick oven until apples are tender. Remove from oven and slide a wide knife quickly under the top crust and remove it. Add one cup of sugar and a piece of butter the size of a walnut to the apples and mash them fine. Season with nutmeg or cinnamon, place top crust on the pie and serve with plain or whipped cream.

CAROLINE COE'S "PIE CRUST CRINKLES."

A good pie is a work of art.

A good mince pie is a masterpiece.

Have everything very cold—but the oven—when making pies.

The top crust of a pie has a right to feel above the lower one.

It's a poor pie that can't grease its own pan.

Work rapidly. To loiter when making pie crust usually spoils the pie.

Be extravagant with shortening and a "tight wad" with flour.

Pie shell? Baked under-crust ready for filling.

Bake pie shells over an inverted pie pan—thus avoiding the sides of the crust sinking into the middle. When baked, turn the pan over, put the baked crust in and fill.

Do not handle pie crust. Try to make pie by touching the crust no more than five times—once to place on board, again to fit in pan, again to put top crust on board, and again to put on pan. Press both crusts together with fork all the way round and cut off crust from pan.

PROBLEMS OF THE FAIR SEX SOLVED BY CYNTHIA GREY

[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 stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn as they are received. No letters can be answered privately.]

Apple Sauce Cake.

Dear Miss Grey: Will you kindly answer these few questions:

1. Would you please print a recipe for apple sauce cake and a recipe for tomato soup?

2. I am fair, light hair, and hazel eyes. What are my colors?

3. What is good for washing the hair?

HAZEL EYES.

A—1. Apple Sauce Cake—1½ cups apple sauce 1 cup sugar, 1 cup raisins, ½-cup shortening, 2 cups flour, 2 cream spoons soda, spice to taste. Cream butter and sugar and mix soda in apple sauce. Bake until thoroughly done in a moderate oven.

Tomato Soup—Heat to the boiling point 1 pint of canned tomatoes, add ½ teaspoon of soda and a little brown sugar, then one pint of milk that has been heated in a second dish, salt and pepper to taste. Bring to a boil and serve at once, with small crackers.

2. Brown the color of your eyes.

3. Beat the yolk of 1 egg in a pint of rain water, and add 1 ounce of rosemary spirit. Mix thoroughly, use warm, and rub well into the scalp with the fingers. Apply twice a week, rinsing thoroughly afterwards.

We Stand Corrected!

Dear Madam—I see by tonight's paper someone is asking how a plant namely, a cyclamen, should be cared for in summer, and may say she should not dry the bulb, but keep it in the pot just as in winter, as the plant is not in its prime until it is

about seven years old, and the older it is the better it is and nicer. If that lady will write me personally I would be glad to give her more information. Hoping this will reach her before she touches the poor plant. Yours sincerely,

B. WALDROFF.

A—We stand corrected, and cheerfully pass on the information to Rose Bud and other readers who may be interested. Much obliged to the gentleman who sends the information. I shall be pleased to send him Rose Bud's address if she forwards it to me.

CECELIA.

"Good, Esteemed Gentleman."

Dear Miss Grey: There is a young man of 21. He goes to dances and I do, too. Several times he asked to accompany me home, I go to the dance with a crowd of girls. Would it be proper for me to go home with him when the girls go home with their fellows? He is a good, esteemed gentleman. Mother does not seem to object.

CECELIA.

A—Yes, it would be entirely proper to permit the young man to escort you home, providing he is a nice young man and your mother approves.

Best Be Careful.

Miss I. W.: Home tampering with moles is dangerous. Electricity skillfully applied is the safest and most effective remedy. A mole which stands out prominently from the face may be removed by tying it closely as near the root as possible with a white silk thread. This ligature stops the supply

MOTHER and BABY and Doctor Helen MacMurphy

BILLY STEVENS—His Story.

XLVII.—Billy's Other Teeth. (Copyright.)

A child may be nearly a year old and not have a tooth and yet be perfectly healthy, but this is not usually the case. Often the first tooth comes in the second year. At the end of the second year probably there are eight more—sixteen in all—and then the other four come in the third year.

At two years and six months baby should have twenty teeth. And they will stay there till he is about six years old, when the permanent teeth begin to come in. They come in fours. Four in the sixth year, four in the seventh, four in the eighth, four in the ninth, four in the tenth, four in the eleventh, four in the twelfth, and then no more for six years, or perhaps even for twelve years, when the four wisdom teeth come in, making up thirty-two at about 18 or 24 years of age.

Billy will polish his teeth on a crust of bread. The day before yesterday he gave it quite a burnishing on a small arrowroot biscuit. The biscuit did not lose much if anything in bulk, but a number of dents here and there showed where it had acted as a polisher. When he has five or six teeth it would not be amiss if Mrs. Z. gave them a rub occasionally with a corner of the towel. At three years old the teeth should be properly cleaned.

The Poet's Corner

ECHOES.

How sweet the answer Echo makes To music at night!

When, roused by lute or horn, she wakes,

And far away o'er lawns and lakes, Goes answering light!

Yet Love bath echoes truer far, And far more sweet,

Than e'er beneath the moonlight's star,

Of horn or lute, or soft guitar, The songs repeat.

'Tis when the sigh—in youth sincere, And only then,

The sigh that's breathed for one to hear—

Is by that one, that only Dear, Breathed back again.

—T. Moore.

SICK ROOM HELPS.

Fever Drink.—The Juice of one lemon, one teaspoon cream of tartar, one pint of water. Sweeten with loaf sugar. Let patient drink freely when thirsty.

Mustard Plaster.—When making a mustard plaster use no water whatever, but mix the mustard with the white of egg and spread on linen cloths. Using water blisters the skin.

Sage Tea.—Sweetened with honey, it is good for sore throat. Use as a gargle, with a small bit of alum dissolved in it.

Flaxseed Lemonade.—Four table-spoons flaxseed (whole), one quart boiling water poured over the flaxseed, juice of two lemons, leaving out the peel. Sweeten to taste. Steep three hours in a covered pitcher.

GLITTER ON EVERYTHING.

Rhinestones are in great demand this year. Not only do they appear in the heels of slippers, in garters and in trimmings for bathing caps, but they are used as the centres of flowers, in heavily embroidered white silk stockings. They are much used, too, in combination with black silk velvet ribbon, for various little bows and ties and other neck fixings.

NEWS OF THE SPRING

SPRING is coming. The vernal equinox is past, and soon spring will be here in all its glory. Nature has been preparing her new clothes, and will come forth in all her colors. The women must not be behind nature. You must be prepared. Now is the time to choose your spring wardrobe, when our stocks are largest and our assortments are as yet unbroken. Below are a few items from our Ladies' Ready-to-Wear Department:

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The Home Dressmaker

MENDING WORN LINGERIE.

Often lingerie blouses and corset covers wear under the arms when they may be in good condition otherwise. One satisfactory way to repair this sort of break is to set in a new piece.

Use a dress shield as a pattern, making the pattern deeper and more of an oval than the shield. Lay this pattern to the wrong side of the blouse and see if it is the right shape and large enough to cover, completely, the weak spot.

A new piece of the blouse material can then be set in, with heading or lace, matching that on the blouse perhaps and outlining so that it will not be the appearance of a patch.

A tear can often be disguised by setting insertion in, in that place, and in that way prolonging the life of a garment.

Perhaps an almost new waist has been apparently spoiled by a burn or a hole made with acid, or a disfigurement caused by a stain. See if there cannot be a medallion of some sort set in, large enough to cover the bad place entirely.

Unless the spot or hole comes in the middle, it may be necessary to set two medallions in—one on each side of the front. But do not try this sort of repairing unless you feel certain it will work out well.

In this day of combining colors and materials in one garment, it may be possible to renew the old, worn places by the introduction of some contrasting material.

FLOWERS EVERYWHERE.

Little corsage bouquets are formed of rosebuds, heliotropes and forget-me-nots. These flowers are worn morning, afternoon and night. They find their places at the collar of the lingerie waist, pinned to muff or fur collar and at belt or neck of evening gown. Flowers, too, are used as a part of the trimming of many evening gowns, in bands across the shoulder, at the clasp or fastening to the girdle or to catch the fold of pannier or overskirt. Huge roses, too, are sometimes used to cover the fastening of evening coats.

Those born today will be aggressive and daring, and if untrained, will jump from one dilemma to another. Their activity can be turned to good account in the more strenuous occupations. They should be taught, forethought and how to note the signs of character and motives of others.

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

Do not thoughtlessly stir up strife, for in the end you will be the victim. Later you may need those whom you now consider highly. Take care of your health and the year will hold much for you to enjoy.

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Distinct Blues.

There are two distinct blue series—the soft, dull blues of the Orient and those with a marked purplish hue.

There is a large proportion of gray in the colder Japanese blues, which is lost in the more vivid Persian blue and the bright blue of the Tunis sky.

In the deeper shades, such as rain, there is a very noticeable addition of purple.

Some of the blues are so very deep and intense in color that they are almost black, and in this category there

must be included midnight blue and raven's wing. In the latter there is just a suggestion of the iridescent blue which gives an appearance of richness and elegance to the pointed ends of the wings of this sombre bird.

Green is essentially a spring color, and will be used more this season than for several years. Grass green will be very widely used. The greens which have a slight bluish cast, with yellow in their make-up, will be found cooler in appearance during the hot months than those with a metallic hue.

The purples show both the red tinge, as in royal purple, and the bluish hue, as in the faded Japanese mauve or amethyst, and in both shades they will be exceedingly popular.

Save all the lard pails. They are useful in storing sugar, coffee and rice. Any dry greens will keep clean and dry in these covered kettles.

One very good method for cleaning grass stains from linen is to soak it for a few minutes in kerosene, then wash it in hot water, using plenty of soap.

KATHERINE LESLIES HOME REPAIRS



THE MENDING BASKET

There is no part to our housekeeping that calls for more constant watchfulness than the mending basket. Waste through wear, through unscrupulous laundry methods, through accident, is constantly going on in our clothes, our household linen, our hosiery and gloves, our household furnishings generally. This waste has such a capacity for racing ahead of our efforts to make it good that only the strictest vigilance will keep it down. Women there are so methodical that tears and holes and dropping buttons have no terrors for them. The instant a tear, a hole, a falling button is seen, it is instantly darned or mended and the button attached, and all put neatly away. This is of course the ideal way. But we can't always darn and mend on the instant. Necessity compels most of us to put the damaged things aside till a more convenient season, and alas! that more convenient season often has all the cussedness of bye and bye. The next best way to instant repairing is a special day in the week to be kept religiously for mending. Nearly all of us have realized the folly of procrastination in

Novel Shades in Spring Styles

Fashion Authorities Adopt Brilliant Hues From the Orient.

It is from Japan and China, the old China of the Ming dynasty, that dyes have culled the data for the soft, dull blues, the faded scarlets, the fascinating mauves and other carefully blended tones which make the new fabrics more alluring and more appealing than those of the previous seasons. From Bulgaria they have adapted the brilliant reds and blues, greens and yellows, intensified by the black outlines.

One of the leading colors is yellow in various shadings, from the soft pretty maize to the deep tangerine yellow.

The newest tone is known as Chinese yellow, and has the intensity of the lemon color, and the same suggestion of green which might be found in a lemon before it is quite ripe. This shade is very similar to sulphur, which has been so very fashionable this winter.

The delicate maize tones are often found in the new embroideries in place of the dead white. All the eru tu tones are well liked, and café au lait is extremely fashionable.

The brown shades favored. The brown shades share the popularity showered on yellow, and the Havana and seal tones are particularly well liked. Brown and taupe will both be used as neutral colorings, much as

black has been for the last few seasons, and tan gloves, it is expected, will be more stylish than white ones. The putty tone is especially well liked in the cloth materials. Another similar shade, which is quite fashionable, is covert. These two shades are among the novelties shown in the exclusive importations. Another color which has only a slight tinge to differentiate it from putty is tulle, the color of the faithful string that binds up packages.

There are the reds, with much yellow in their make-up, some as deep as orange, others more suggestive of the salmon and coral tints.

There is likewise a distinct yellowish cast to geranium, which is very stylish in afternoon and evening costumes.

There is a decided contrast in the reds with a violet tinge, such as the new Nilrose, named for Miss Eleanor Wilson, and the aster colorings.

Still another red, more eastern in composition than the others, is reminiscent of the Chinese lacquer.

Distinct Blues.

There are two distinct blue series—the soft, dull blues of the Orient and those with a marked purplish hue.

There is a large proportion of gray in the colder Japanese blues, which is lost in the more vivid Persian blue and the bright blue of the Tunis sky.

In the deeper shades, such as rain, there is a very noticeable addition of purple.

Some of the blues are so very deep and intense in color that they are almost black, and in this category there

must be included midnight blue and raven's wing. In the latter there is just a suggestion of the iridescent blue which gives an appearance of richness and elegance to the pointed ends of the wings of this sombre bird.

Green is essentially a spring color, and will be used more this season than for several years. Grass green will be very widely used. The greens which have a slight bluish cast, with yellow in their make-up, will be found cooler in appearance during the hot months than those with a metallic hue.

The purples show both the red tinge, as in royal purple, and the bluish hue, as in the faded Japanese mauve or amethyst, and in both shades they will be exceedingly popular.

Save all the lard pails. They are useful in storing sugar, coffee and rice. Any dry greens will keep clean and dry in these covered kettles.

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THE JUST AND THE UNJUST

By Vaughan Kester

The Prodigal Judge

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"Why didn't you send for me at once?" asked the older man, with increasing brusqueness. He took a turn about the room. "What does it all mean? What do you know about McBride's death?" he continued, halting suddenly.

"Absolutely nothing," said North. "And for an instant the two men looked straight into each other's eyes.

"You are sure you don't need anything—money, for instance?" the general asked, shifting his glance.

"I am quite sure, but I am very grateful to you all the same," answered North.

"But there are points I don't understand."

"I am coming in tomorrow morning to see you, and talk the whole thing over with you, North."

"I shall be very glad to talk matters over with you, General," said North.

"I wish I could do something for you tonight," the general said with a frown, "for he realized the long evening, and the longer night that were before the young man."

"There was a pause. The general could not bring himself to speak of Elizabeth, and North lacked the courage to ask concerning her."

"I heard through one of my men of your arrest. He brought word of it to the farm," the general said at length.

"Miss Herbert knows of course, you told me."

"Yes, North," she knows," her father replied. "She knows, and she urged me to come."

"He saw North's face light up with a sudden look of joy."

"She urged you to come?" repeated North.

"Yes, I think she would have come herself if I had not been willing."

"I am glad she did not," said North quickly.

"Of course, I told her it would only distress you."

"It would only distress her—which is all that is worth considering," rejoined North.

"That's so," said the general, approaching the young man and resting a brown and muscular hand on his shoulder.

"She has told you," asked North.

"The older man nodded."

"Yes, she's told me," he said briefly.

"I can't ask if it was pleasant news at this time," said North. "What do you wish me to do?"

"She must forget what was said that night, and I, too, will endeavor to forget—tell her that."

"With your permission," said North, as he took the letter.

"He tore it open, and Elizabeth's father, watching him, saw the expression of his face change utterly, as the lines of tension repression faded from it. It was clear that for the moment all else was lost in his feeling of great and compelling happiness."

"Twice he read the letter before he could bring himself to replace it in its envelope."

"As he did so, he caught the general's eyes fixed on him. For a moment he hesitated, then he said with the frankness that was habitual to him:

"I think you should know just what this letter means to me. It is brave and steadfast—just as she is. No, you were right, I can't decide. I won't."

"I wouldn't," said the general. "There was a pause and then he added: "After all, it is not given to every woman to show how deep her faith is in the man she loves. It would be too bad if you could not know that."

"The situation may become intolerable," General Herbert said. "Suppose I am held for the murder—suppose a long trial follows; think what she will suffer, the uncertainty, the awful doubt of the outcome, although she knows—she must know I am innocent."

"Of course, of course," cried the general hastily, for these were points he did not wish to discuss.

"It's a serious matter when you consider the possibility of an indictment,"

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DEFENDANT CLAIMED WRONGFUL EVICTION

Judge Finkle Heard Evidence All Day in Farm Rental Case.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ingersoll, March 26.—At a sitting of the division court yesterday, at which His Honor Judge Finkle, of Woodstock, presided, considerable interest centred in the action of Downing vs. Long, a jury case.

The hearing of this case occupied the greater part of the day, and attracted a large number of spectators from the immediate vicinity in which the parties reside, to the courtroom.

The action was brought by Downing, who resides near Beachville, against a man by the name of Long, a former tenant, to recover the sum of \$111, in connection with the rental of a farm. The defendant claimed that he had been wrongfully evicted from the premises, contrary to the provisions of a lease, and claimed damages to the extent of \$400.

After the taking of evidence and the addresses of counsel, the case was rested with the jury, who, after considerable deliberation, returned a verdict for the plaintiff for \$38.55.

Although considerable inconvenience was caused at many places by the high water yesterday, no serious damage has been reported. At the Stone fertilizer plant and the Noxon works slight difficulty was experienced, but now that the water has commenced to recede practically all apprehension is at an end. The water certainly rose with alarming rapidity early in the morning, and one time was within a few inches of the top of the cement wall on the north side of the Noxon works. The mysterious part of the situation is that the river rose more rapidly than in other seasons, when there has been a prolonged freshet, with much ice and snow to contribute to the general volume that pours into the river.

Yesterday afternoon the firemen were called out to the residence of Mr. Schram on Tunis street, where fire, from some source unknown, had broken out in a bedroom. The brigade responded with alacrity, and extinguished the blaze before the situation became serious.

Came to London.
Several local young men were in London last night in attendance at a dance given by St. Peter's Club. They report a most enjoyable time.

Government Employment Agent S. H. Nagle reports that during the past few days he has placed a number of young men, just out, with farmers of nearby districts. He is experiencing a keen demand for this class of labor, and has been advised that he will soon be called upon to distribute some 25 or 30 young men among women, now on their way to this country.

PURSE OF \$100

Delaware Anglicans Surprised Rev. Mr. Leigh at Vestry Meeting.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Delaware, March 25.—The annual vestry meeting of Christ Church was held in the Parish Hall on Easter Monday. The rector, Rev. F. Leigh, presided. The auditors' report was read, showing a good balance on hand, and was adopted. The rector read the reports for the Sunday school, A. Y. P. A., and Women's Auxiliary, all being in a flourishing condition.

The rector appointed Mr. J. E. Pincombe as rector's warden. Mr. H. Trumper was elected as people's warden. Select vestry, Messrs. W. Acres, E. Acres, Harry Weld and Bruce Johnston; sidersmen, Messrs. H. Weld, Dr. Bice, D. Neatby, Wm. Johnston; auditors, Wm. Acres and W. S. Weld; vestry clerk, E. Weld.

The congregation presented the rector, Rev. F. Leigh, with a purse of \$100 in addition to his salary.

KILLED BY MOTOR

Guelph Organ Repairer Was Found Dead Inside Instrument.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Guelph, March 25.—That J. T. Hannan came to his death while making repairs to the organ of St. George's Church, from injuries to his neck and head, resulting in fracture of vertebrae and suffocation, and that these injuries were caused by the sudden and accidental turning on of the motor connected with the organ, evidently by some motion of the deceased man's body, the continued and forcible action of the lever, thus thrown into action, causing these injuries.

The above was the verdict of the coroner's jury empowered to inquire into the death of Hannan, who met such a tragic end while repairing the organ in St. George's Church.

SAVED LITTLE GIRL

Child Was Carried Out Into the Flooded Grand River.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Brantford, March 25.—Austin Doherty rescued an eight-year-old Hebrew girl, Rebecca Hollander, from the torrential current of the Grand River yesterday, and will be recommended for a medal. The little one was jostled into the river by a play-

ANAEMIC PEOPLE

Need More Iron in the Blood.

If you are anaemic, you need more iron in your blood, and the tell-tale symptoms are a pale face—colorless lips, ash-colored fingernails, poor circulation and short breath, and more serious diseases are easily contracted when in this condition.

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USED MORSE ON CABLE

Direct Communication Between San Francisco and London, Eng.

[Canadian Press.]
San Francisco, March 25.—Direct communication between here and London, England, by cable and telegraph, was established yesterday in a test, which is said to have been very successful. It was made possible by means of a cable sander, which permits the use of the Morse code for cable messages.

The transcontinental line of the Postal Telegraph Company was "hooked up" to the transatlantic cable for a few minutes and messages were exchanged without difficulty. The cable is routed via Boston and Halifax, and the operation in London and the man in San Francisco "talked" to each other without the assistance of relay offices.

The Real Secret of Rejuvenating the Face

[From The Clubwoman.]

She holds the true secret of facial rejuvenation who has learned how to remove the dead skin particles as fast as they appear. It's a secret anyone may possess. The aged and discolored surface skin may be gradually absorbed, in an entirely safe and rational manner, by the nightly application of ordinary mercurized wax. Within a week or two the underlying skin, youthful and beautiful to behold, takes the place of the discarded cuticle. So little of the old skin is absorbed each day there's no inconvenience at all, and no one suspects you are putting anything on your face. The mercurized wax, procurable at any drug store (an ounce is sufficient), is applied like cold cream. In the morning it is erased with soap and water. It's the best thing known for freckles, blackheads, pimples, moth patches, liver spots and fine surface wrinkles.

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SPRING TERM FROM APRIL 1.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND ONTARIO.
Arrive from the East—8:32 a.m., 10:56 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:28 a.m., 6:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m., 10:45 p.m.
Arrive from the West—11:24 a.m., 3:48 a.m., 8:50 a.m., 11:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m., 12:19 a.m., 3:48 a.m., 7:20 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:05 p.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:25 p.m., 6:53 p.m.
Depart for the West—8:35 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:18 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 8:20 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:23 a.m., 11:00 a.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.
Depart—6:35 a.m., 11:43 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:05 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:39 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.
Depart—6:30 a.m., 10:20 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10:40 a.m., 6:20 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive from the East—11:42 a.m., 6:50 p.m., 8:15 p.m., 11:12 p.m.
Arrive from the West—4:30 a.m., 11:20 a.m., 12:15 p.m., 5:45 p.m., 6:15 p.m.
Depart for the East—4:33 a.m., 7:00 a.m., 11:25 p.m., 6:55 p.m.
Depart for the West—8:00 a.m., 11:50 a.m., 7:00 p.m., 8:23 p.m., 11:20 p.m.
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MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Arrive—10:24 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 4:55 p.m., 9:40 p.m.
Depart—7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 6:20 p.m., 10:11 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 12:50, 1:50, 6:10, 10:10 p.m.
Depart—5:40, 7:10, 9:45 a.m., 2:30, 4:20, 7:00 p.m.
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SPEAKER SPROULE CENTRE OF DEBATE

Sir Wilfrid Laurier Shows That Speaker's Powers Were Exceeded.

MR. PUGSLEY CHALLENGES

Tells Finance Minister White That the Liberals Will Pass Supply if the House is Dissolved.

Ottawa, March 25.—The long-looked-for discussion upon the proper interpretation of the present rules of the House with respect to the action of Mr. Speaker Sproule in taking the chair after the House had gone into committee and until a report of some kind was made to him by the chairman of the committee. The Speaker was not supposed to know what was going on in the committee and could not therefore upon his own motion take the chair.

Right of Discussion. Mr. Emmerson argued that the authorities which authorized Mr. Speaker to take the chair when there was grave disorder restricted him to bringing the House under control or, failing in that, to adjourn the House. He did not believe that Mr. Speaker had the right to command the chairman of the committee to rule upon the point of order without hearing the same fully discussed. It was unnecessary, he concluded, to recall the incidents of March 15, or to venture any criticism upon his honor's ruling upon that occasion. His object was to bring on a fair discussion, which would result in an authoritative declaration as to the rules in force, which would guide the Speaker and the House upon future occasions.

An Unfortunate Metaphor. Mr. Meighen (Portage la Prairie), who spoke for the Government, "but was at some disadvantage in replying to Mr. Emmerson, not having heard all of the latter's speech. This led to some complaints from the Opposition that the lean western lawyer was combating propositions which had not been advanced.

An Ancient Precedent. Mr. Meighen found a precedent to justify Speaker Sproule in 1875, when the Speaker of the English House took the chair while the House was in committee, "in order to avert bloodshed."

This may seem an ancient precedent, observed Mr. Meighen, "but we have to go back to barbarous times to find a parallel to the disorderly conduct of certain members of the House on March 15."

This sally led to cries of "order" from the Opposition, but Mr. Speaker did not interfere, and later in the day when Mr. E. M. MacDonald declared that many rulings made during the deadlock had been "outrageous" there was no interference by the Speaker, although this time the Conservatives protested.

Still Further Back. Mr. Meighen admitted that the speaker in 1875 had declared that he was acting out of order in order to preserve order. Mr. Meighen, however, contended that the Speaker's action upon that occasion had been followed as a precedent in the Fuller case in 1910. In this last-named case, a member named Fuller had been excluded from the chamber upon the report of the chairman of the committee of the whole. Later in the day he had in a violent and disorderly manner broken away from the sergeant-at-arms and entered the chamber when the House was again in committee of the whole. Mr. Speaker had taken him to custody and committed him to the custody of the sergeant-at-arms.

In May's work on parliamentary procedure it is stated that the Speaker did this upon the report of the committee, but the text is not sustained by the journals of the House or by Hansard.

Threatened Violence. Mr. Meighen argued that Speaker Sproule was justified in taking the chair on March 15. He was in the chamber and was an eye-witness to the fact that the chairman of the committee was being threatened with personal violence.

This statement was indignantly challenged by Mr. Pugsley and others. Mr. Meighen contented himself with saying that there was a scene of disorder, and Mr. Speaker Sproule deserved the thanks of the House and the country for his action. Conceding for the sake of argument that Mr. Speaker exceeded his powers in directing the chairman to rule on the point of order, it then followed merely that he had given the wrong reason for doing the right thing.

No Intent to Censure. Mr. Guthrie deprecated the evident desire of Mr. Meighen to revive the angry controversies of March 15. The Opposition had no desire to censure the Speaker, for whom they entertained the highest respect. He reviewed the Fuller case, and declared that Mr. Speaker's action was through twelve editions without any change in the text, which Mr. Meighen undertook to brush aside as incorrect. No precedent could be found for Speaker Sproule's ruling. Mr. Meighen's right had never been asserted by the speaker of any British parliament before March 15 last, to take the action which on that day had been taken by Speaker Sproule.

White's Defence. Hon. W. T. White said it was idle to say that the discussion was an academic one, and that it should not deal with the events of March 15. The sole purpose of the Opposition in bringing on the discussion had been to review the rulings made by Mr. Speaker, and to have them declared erroneous. Mr. White then spoke at some length upon the duties and responsibilities of the Speaker, who was charged with the preserving order. He should not be hampered by rulings in advance as to his duties, but should be left free to deal with emergencies as they arose.

MacDonald's Sarcasm. Mr. E. M. MacDonald sarcastically observed that it was refreshing to hear a mere Tory in parliamentary practice, after an experience of one session, instructing Mr. Speaker and the House, and overruling Mr. Todd and Bourinot. The Speaker, in Mr. MacDonald's opinion, had the authority from heaven, but was bound and circumscribed by the rules of the House, as were all the members. The Speaker was just as liable to make a mistake and to transgress the rules as any other member. He had no more right to break the rules than had young and inexperienced members like the Minister of Finance.

Mr. MacDonald pointed out that in England the Speaker of the House did not remain in the chamber when the House was in committee. In Canada the Speaker in committee of supply sat on the treasury benches and put through estimates. Could it be argued that the Speaker, if he lost his temper, could run up to the dais and direct the chairman to make the Opposition stop talking?

Horatius Borden. Mr. Aikens (Brandon), who is a figurative speaker, created some amusement by comparing Mr. Borden to Horatius at the bridge, by calling Mr. Pugsley "the great lord of Luna," and Mr. MacDonald "Judgment day in trousers." Mr. Aikens said there had been great disorder on Saturday night, March 15; that Mr. Pugsley had stepped into the gangway and had endeavored to prevent the chairman putting the question.

Mr. Pugsley replied that if his stepping into the gangway was disorderly, then Mr. Aikens was a great offender because in his speech on the navy bill that gentleman in his excitement had many times rushed to the gangway and up and down it, not only in front

of his own desk, but in front of many other members. Mr. Pugsley was going on to argue that Mr. Aikens had called to the chair for the express purpose of making certain rulings and at the suggestion of the government.

Top Much for Borden. Deputy Speaker Blondin interrupted to say that he had called Mr. Aikens to the chair without any suggestion. "I was sick and tired out," he added.

"I am sorry, but not surprised, to learn that you were sick," Mr. Pugsley retorted. "The Government, however, compelled us to remain here for two weeks under the most insanitary conditions."

Mr. Pugsley in the course of his remarks having intimated his desire for an election, Finance Minister White interrupted:

"The last thing the Liberals want is an election."

Mr. Pugsley—There is a simple way to test that. Let me say to the Finance Minister that he can have all his supply voted tonight if the Prime Minister will agree to dissolve Parliament tomorrow. We want an election, and the electors of this country want an election as soon as possible." (Opposition cheers.)

Deplores Waste of Time. W. F. Nickle defended Mr. Aikens from the charge of collusion with the Government in taking the chair just before Mr. Borden asked that the Laurier amendment and the Mackenzie sub-amendment be declared out of order. Mr. Nickle had been asked to act, but had called upon Mr. Aikens the member for Kingston regretted the terrible waste of time by the House of Commons and feared that in the near future businessmen would refuse to accept seats and the House would be filled with professional politicians.

Legal Question, Says Laurier. Sir Wilfrid Laurier said the question was a legal one, namely, whether the Speaker had the right to take the chair while the House was in committee for the purpose of quelling disorder. In his opinion, Rule 161 of the British House, which authorizes the Speaker when disorder arises to adjourn the House, had no application. It had been adopted long after July 1, 1867, that whatever authority Mr. Speaker had must be derived from some rule of the Canadian Parliament, or from some rule of precedent recognized by the British Parliament on July 1, 1867. No precedent had been shown to justify the action of Speaker Sproule.

The Prime Minister, upon rising to conclude the debate, complimented Sir Wilfrid Laurier upon the judicial tone of his speech. The issue was a bald legal issue, quite narrow indeed. Personally, Mr. Borden believed that the Speaker, if he could take the chair, he should, but in any event that course was supported by the argument of common sense. The Speaker had performed a great public duty in saving the Canadian Parliament from a scene which might have resulted in lasting disgrace to the country.

The House then adopted the formal motion and went into committee of supply.

MODEL SCHOOLS WERE CONDEMNED

Only Half Educates Students, Say Speakers at Convention of Teachers.

CRITICISM FOR PYNE

His Administration Denounced as Shiftless, and He Ignored Letters on Superannuation.

Toronto, March 26.—The rural schools came in for criticism in the inspectors' department at the university yesterday, where the eighteen sections of the Ontario Educational Association are holding a three-days' convention. The fact was evinced that the present model school system had only increased the difficulties of the inspectors, that they only half-educated prospective teachers, and students were advised to keep away from them.

Plans for the consolidation of rural schools were laid on the table. This, it was stated, would solve the shortage of legally qualified teachers, and improve the children from an educational standpoint.

Criticism For Pyne. The Government did not escape the attention of the superannuation committee, which in its report called attention to the dilatory attitude taken towards their requests by the Minister of Education, who did not see fit to answer its correspondence. This committee has asked that a commission be appointed to look into the question, but after promises of attention nothing further has been accomplished.

Hon. Dr. Pyne, Minister of Education, was present at the Convocation Hall last night and explained his position. He stated that the late Finance Minister had collected sufficient data to enable him to come to some conclusion, but his unfortunate death had brought matters to a standstill. Nothing was said as to whether the data on which the minister was going to base his decision was taken up by his successor with a similar end in view.

"I don't think time has been unnecessarily lost," said Dr. Pyne, "but nothing should be done until we have decided on a system which is actuarially perfect."

Actuary Useless. President James L. Hughes thought that to press could be made in this important question without the aid of an actuary. "It is thirty years since I was chairman of the superannuation committee, and I know something about it. I worked twenty years before I secured a superannuation scheme for the teachers, and I would tell the Hon. Dr. Pyne that an actuary knows nothing about it. You cannot establish a system on such a basis unless you get an actuary who will listen to reason."

Dr. Pyne promised to give the matter his earnest consideration. During his short speech of welcome to the delegates, he announced that Dr. Kerr, the noted London medical expert, had been invited to deliver a series of lectures on the medical inspection of school children, and the establishment of proper hygienic surroundings in public schools. He is coming next fall, under the auspices of the Provincial Government.

Weak Administration. Inspector Field, of the Ontario educational training department, had some caustic things to say about the attitude of the education authorities of the province, that of making the best out of the present conditions and hoping that the system now in force will justify itself, and that the schools of the province will in a reasonable time be filled with qualified teachers.

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Some Mysteries of the Nervous System Explained

THERE are two sets of nerves in the human body—those which have to do with external objects, and control seeing, hearing, feeling, moving, etc., and the involuntary nerves, which control the action of the vital organs, as the heart, lungs, stomach and bowels.

Illustration No. 1 shows how at sight of an apple the message is carried by the optical nerve to the brain, which receives, thinks and decides on some form of action, and sends out its command through the nerves which lead to the hand.

Simple as it may seem to see and pick up an apple, this act cannot be carried out if there is anything wrong with any of the nerves involved.

Injury to or weakness of the optical nerve means defective sight; disease of the brain or nerves may mean paralysis of the nerves which control the movement of the arms or fingers.

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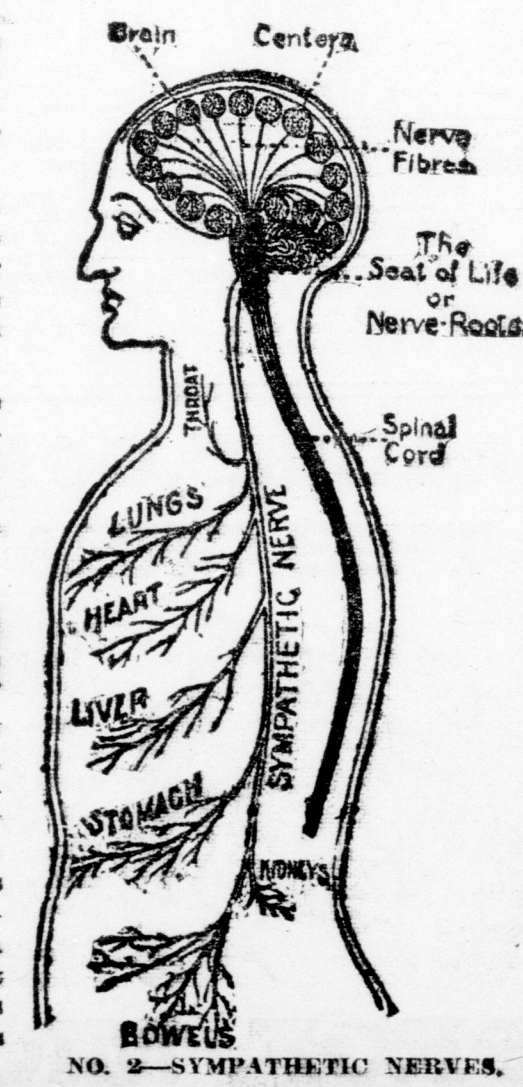
Now, when we turn to the great sympathetic nervous system, Illustration No. 2, by which are operated the vital organs of the body, we find conditions somewhat different. For who, by taking thought, can cause his heart to beat or his stomach to digest food?

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Return Engagement of May Bell Marks.

Next week will bring to the Grand Theatre a return engagement of the Grand Theatre company, the Marks Bros. Dramatic Company. The marks that May A. Bell Marks will present will be a variety of comedies and dramas, so as to please the majority of theatregoers, as well as presenting costume plays. The plays are all given complete productions, and mounted in the most superb way. The costumes are given especial attention, there being no expense spared in the cost of same. Mr. Marks has also kept in mind the love of the spice of variety that the public desire, and has a company of singers, dancers and funmakers, so as to enable him to give to his patrons a variety of entertainment.

ST. LUKES HOLDS VESTRY MEETING

Acceptance of Financial Statement Deferred For Present.

Venerable Archdeacon Richardson presided at the annual vestry meeting of St. Luke's Church, Broughdale, on Tuesday evening, at which there was a good attendance, including a number of ladies. Reports from the various departments of the church showed a satisfactory state of affairs.

The financial statement was read in abstract by Mr. R. Oke. Its adoption was deferred until the adjourned meeting on April 8, as it was not completed.

The duplex envelopes, which have been in use in the church for some time, were found to be extremely satisfactory, and it was decided to greatly extend their use. The question of a surplised choir was brought up, and favorably commented upon. It also will be decided at the adjourned meeting.

A committee composed of Messrs. Nagle, Curtis, Lampe, and Chamberlain was appointed to have the basement of the church, which has not been completed, properly finished and fitted up.

Reports from the Sunday school, the Ladies' Aid, the A. Y. P. A., and the Junior Mission Band were presented, and showed encouraging results of the year's work.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of Mr. George Bowman as rector's warden, and Mr. R. Oke as people's warden. Messrs. W. Oke, H. Lampe, C. Blackall, G. Blackall and G. Giesler were appointed side-men. Mr. E. Chamberlain was elected lay delegate to the Synod, with Mr. George Mason as substitute.

Easter Exams at St. Michael's School

The results of the Easter examinations at St. Michael's school appear below. The names are in order of merit:

Junior Fourth.

Frances Sullivan, Marion Johnston, Eileen Gleeson, Henry Delaney, Reginald McKeough.

Senior Third.

James McCarthy, Ethel Kiley, Mary Quigley, Mildred Walters, Bert Fenech, Clara Bloye, Lorna Marjath, James Byrne, Frank Orendorf, Madeleine Marjath, Paul Belanger.

Junior Third.

Madeline Delaney, Rita Wilkinson, Kathleen Coakley, Andrew Foster, Joseph Kelley, Jack Walters, Gordon McKeough, Minnie Moylan, O. Galaneau.

Second Class.

Patrick Gleeson, Cyril Sullivan, Fred Delaney, Tracey Byrne, Myrtle O'Brien, Hazel Ryan, Leonard Brennan, Lawrence Barrett, Bernard Eaton, Theresa Sherlock, Earl Brown, Rose Isella, Elsie Bloye, Dorothy Dudley, Lucien Belanger, Annie Boon, Emmett Brennan.

Part Second.

Thomas White, John Marjath, Leo Bloye, Leo McCarthy, Joseph Bleau, Antoinette Belanger, Mary Mulholland, Mary Walters, Alfred Wilkinson, Clarence McKeough.

Part First.

Adolph Marjath, Margaret Foster, Kathleen Byrne, Aureole Galaneau, Leonard Wilkinson, Mildred McArthur, Margaret Flanagan, Madeleine Flanagan, Fergus Donohue, Edward White, Harold Feecey.

Easter Exams at St. Martin's School

The following are the results of the Easter examinations at St. Martin's school. The names appear in order of merit:

Junior IV.

Amelia Groom, Hazel Ryan, Lizzie McGrenere, Lulu Alfred.

Senior III.

Clara Groom, Irene McShea, Nora Lawless, Edward Clark, May Lethbridge.

Senior II.

Edward Lawless, Thomas McGrenere, John McShea, Joseph Willis, John Stinchcombe, Joseph Burns, Louisa Goodrich, John Macfie, Benjamin Temple, Verna Frank, Charles Moisse, Edith Morley Hubert Dicknoether.

Absent from examination—Myrtle Parker.

Junior II.

Edward Burns, Matilda Groom, Peter Burke, Alma May, Ella Macfie.

Part II.

Mary Parker, Tom Lawless, Ernest Murphy, Marguerite Dicknoether, Winifred Reeves, Alfred Frank, Harold Murphy.

Absent from examination—Lauretta Wiegie, Leonard Redmond.

First Class.

Violet Lethbridge, Will McGrenere, Earl Dicknoether, Fleeta Harris, Violet Lethbridge, Willie McGrenere, Earl Dicknoether, Fleeta Harris, Jack Petrick, Eva Murphy, Marjory Willis.

Primary Class.

Genevieve Lawless, Louis Burns, Willie Healey, Alice Parker.

Absent from examination—Bessie Frank, Hilda Wiegie, Norman Macfie.

Miss Gertrude Smith, of Evergreen avenue, attended the wedding of her cousin, Miss McGugan, of Lobo, on Tuesday afternoon.

JOSEPH LAWRENCE A GREAT EXPOSER

Taken Down a Peg or Two After Tirade Before Progressives.

JOE SWATS 'EM ALL

South London Association Does Not Want Public to Think His Views Are Theirs.

At the meeting of the South London Progressives on Tuesday night Vice-President Joseph Lawrence bitterly assailed the city assessment department, and quoted assessment figures of various pieces of land, declaring that in many cases these figures only reached 30 per cent of the actual value of the property.

Among the instances cited was the William Wyatt property, which Mr. Lawrence alleged was worth \$40,000, and that the owner had refused \$30,000, yet it was only assessed for \$9,500. The Adam Beck property, he alleged, was worth \$75,000, but it was only assessed for \$30,000. He wanted equalization of assessment in all property.

Against Industrial Loans. Besides declaring against the city assessment department, Mr. Lawrence made allegations about unjust assessment of certain property. Mr. Lawrence spoke against the proposed industrial loans. He was against the loans to the Dennis Company and the C. N. W. Shoe Company (Mr. Lawrence called it the Canadian Northern Shoe Company). He considered that the city was running great risks in giving loans to these firms, and that their security in return was not by any means large enough.

The management of the waterworks department and hydro-electric system were also assailed by Mr. Lawrence. The tirade continued so long that several members in the association remonstrated, and declared that Mr. Lawrence was going too far in his attacks, and at the same time was speaking on these matters, without any authority from the society.

Mr. Walter Biggs declared that Mr. Lawrence was going too far in some statements and advised caution in quoting statistics.

William Smith averred that Mr. Lawrence was taking responsibility on his shoulders that he had not been authorized to do. He did not want the association to go on record as backing certain statements made by Mr. Lawrence. He made a motion that the committee be appointed to investigate on various civic problems, and then report back to the association. Mr. Biggs seconded the motion and it was carried unanimously. He wanted Mr. Lawrence to be a member of the committee, but he had not acted in concert with the other men in his investigations. The matter was then dropped.

Committee Had Been Named. The motion was carried at the moment later, as the secretary's minutes of a previous meeting showed that a committee for this purpose had been appointed, but so far had done no work.

Mr. Lawrence was a member of the committee, but he had not acted in concert with the other men in his investigations. The matter was then dropped.

Mr. Lawrence promised, if given permission, to assail the board of education, who he alleged, was in a "rightful condition" and needed exposing.

Easter Exams at St. John's School

Appended appear the results of the Easter examinations at St. John's school. The names are in order of merit:

Grade VI.—Pearl Johnston, Phoebe Doman, Helen Wilson, Nellie Lamey.

Grade V.—Fidelis Harding, Mabel Dumas, Elizabeth Wilson, Maurice Crook, Genevieve Durkin, Phyllis McNorgan.

Grade III.—George Sanderson, Willie Brennan, Clair Durkin, Willie Kinsey, Immaculate Turner, Margaret Flynn, Leonard Crook, Marguerite McNeil, Florence Lamey, Veronica McNorgan, Linda Johnston, Annie Kennedy, Charlie Johnston, Gordon Johnston.

Grade II.—Florence Johnston, Kenneth McLeod, William Howard, Clara Colesnik, Rose Menard, Frances Kennedy, Dorothy McKinnon, Marjorie Brown, Edward Brennan, Joseph Durkin, Freddie Hunter, Joseph Capitano.

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ST. MARK'S, POTTERSBURO HAS SUCCESSFUL YEAR

At Annual Vestry Meeting It Was Shown That \$320 Was Paid on Church Debt in Year.

The reports presented at the annual vestry meeting of St. Mark's Church, East London, showed that the church has grown steadily, both financially and numerically, during the past year. The debt of the church was reduced by \$320 and only \$620 remains to be paid.

Mr. W. E. Dunstan was appointed the rector's warden, and Mr. A. A. Hodgins was elected to act as people's warden. Mr. H. C. Light was appointed lay delegate to the Synod of Huron, and Mr. E. Garrett is the substitute. The following will act as side-men: Messrs. A. Garrett, E. Garrett, J. C. Richardson, J. Whitaker, and E. Girvin. The rector, Rev. E. Appleyard, presided.

HURON MEDICAL MEN'S BANQUET AT SEAFORTH

Doctors From All Over the District Enjoyed Fine Program.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Seaforth, March 26.—At the regular meeting of the Huron County Medical Association, held in the council chambers, Dr. H. A. McCallum gave an address which proved very interesting. Among those present were President Dr. Gunn and Secretary Dr. Shaw, of Clinton; Dr. Mitchell, of Dublin; Dr. McKenzie, of Moncton; Drs. Mair and Selley, of Hensall; Drs. Macklin, Whiteley and Yellow, of Goderich; Dr. Redmond and Dr. Macdonald, of Wingham; Dr. Ross, of Barrow; Mackay and Scott, of Seaforth.

Following the regular business a banquet was held at the Queen's Hotel. Among the invited guests were Mr. J. M. Best, barrister; Mr. G. F. Rogers, principal of Collegiate Institute, and Mr. Jack Beattie, Seaforth; Harry Lauder, who assisted greatly in the program. Dr. Mitchell, of Dublin, proved to be a merry-maker of the medicines, and so thoroughly did all enjoy themselves, that each had the same regret, that they did not meet often enough.

Barleycorn Men Tell Magistrate Tales of Weakness

Three inebriates offered excuses of the usual variety, and were allowed to go by the magistrate at Carling street court this morning. One young man said that he had come into town from McGillivray, and promised to take the next train for home. He was warned by the magistrate not again to succumb to the temptations of the city before train time.

Another man was on his way to Port Huron. To break the monotony of the journey, he got off the train in this city. Incidentally he got off the water-wagon during his stay and obtained free lodgings for the night at the Carling street apartments. It seemed probable that his stay would be prolonged for 21 days or so, but on promising to continue his journey to Port Huron immediately, he was allowed to proceed.

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LIGHTNING FINISHES BARN WRECKED IN GALE

Fine Building of Mr. Schuster, Near Wingham, Completely Destroyed.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wingham, March 26.—During the recent gale the fine barn of Mr. Schuster was partially unroofed and somewhat badly smashed by the wind. During the thunder storm on Sunday night the lightning completed the damage. A bolt hit the barn and it at once caught fire and was burned to the ground.

Farmers all through the district are complaining of serious damage to their fruit trees, many of which were uprooted and other broken badly. Work on the remodelling of the Baptist Church, recently gutted by fire is being rushed, and it is expected that the reopening will take place in June.

A son of Mr. John Rogers, brakeman on the London train, is very ill at his home here with rheumatic fever.

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Notice to Creditors

In the matter of the estate of Charles Weston Leonard, late of the City of London, in the Province of Ontario, manufacturer, deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the statute of 1 George V., Chapter 26, that all creditors and others having claims against the estate of Charles Weston Leonard above named, who died on or about the 22nd day of November 1912, are required to send in before the 1st day of May, 1913, by post prepaid, or deliver to The London and Western Trust Company, Limited, of the City of London, executors of the last will and testament of the said deceased, and to the undersigned their claims against the estate of the said deceased, with full particulars of their claims against the estate of the said deceased, if claimant, and to be duly verified by affidavit.

And further, take notice, that after such last-mentioned date, the said executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall then have notice, and that the said executors will not be liable to any person whose claim notice shall not have been received by them at the time of such distribution.

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Application to Parliament

Notice is hereby given that an application will be made by the Corporation of the City of London to the Legislature of the present session, for an act:

1.—To authorize the Council of the Corporation to pass a bylaw to issue debentures to the extent of \$72,000, without submitting the bylaw to or receiving the assent of the electors, for the water commissioners for the City of London to provide for additional equipment, plant and apparatus, main and other extensions and services, workshop and store-rooms.

2.—To authorize the Council of the Corporation to pass a bylaw to issue debentures to the extent of \$10,000, without submitting the bylaw to or receiving the assent of the electors, for the water commissioners for the City of London to provide for a power generation plant at Springbank Park, for additional equipment, extensions and alterations to the electric light plant of the City of London, for the purchase of meters and other apparatus, and for the erection of new workshops.

The existing debenture debt of the city is as follows, and no portion thereof is at present due:

General debenture debt.....\$2,352,519 83

Waterworks debenture debt.....\$85,859 36

Electrical Department debenture debt.....\$75,420 36

Schools and Hospitals debenture debt.....\$75,400 00

City's share of local improvement debenture debt.....163,467 64

\$4,033,668 19

3.—The issue of the debentures referred to in the first paragraph hereof is for the purpose of providing a power generation plant for load factor correction at Springbank Park, for the enlargement of the hydro-electric plant to meet the additional demand for electric power and light, and to provide for the portions of the Townships of London and Westminster recently annexed to the city.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Bought a Grocery.—Mr. A. J. Smith has sold his stock of dry goods, groceries and gentlemen's furnishings to Messrs. L. Cain & Co., of London, who will take possession immediately.

Dies in Detroit.—William A. Clarke, a former resident of London, died in Detroit on March 15. He was the eldest son of Mrs. and the late James C. Clarke. Mrs. C. L. Jeffery and Mrs. R. A. Lyons, of this city, are sisters of deceased.

Asks \$1,000 for Goods Lost.—Messrs. Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons, upon instructions received from Messrs. J. W. Taylor & Co., of Vancouver, have issued a writ against the Canadian Pacific Railway to recover \$1,000, the value of certain goods lost while in the care of the defendant company.

Must Stand Trial.—Loyal O'Neill was committed for trial by Squire Chittick's Tuesday afternoon on a charge of assaulting A. Venning. The prisoner was represented by Mr. R. Meredith, K.C., and the crown by Mr. John M. Gunn. The prisoner was allowed his freedom until the date of trial upon furnishing bail amounting to \$400.

Death of Mrs. Vansickle.—Mrs. Mary Ann Vansickle, widow of James Vansickle, died in this city on Tuesday at the age of 74 years. The remains will be forwarded by Smith, Son & Clarke on Thursday at 7 a.m. to Kintore. The funeral will be held at 12 o'clock on the same day and burial will be made in the Kintore Cemetery.

Special Preparatory Services.—In view of the approaching communion service, which is to be held in Knollwood Presbyterian Church next Sunday, special services are being held every night this week. Rev. Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's Church, was the speaker Tuesday night, his subject being "Cross-Bearing." This evening the meeting is to be addressed by Mr. J. M. Thompson.

Presentation to Alex. Henderson.—Mr. Alex. Henderson, who was formerly a bookkeeper at the McCormick Manufacturing Company, but who severed his connection with that firm a week ago, was presented with a watch by the members of the office staff, who presented him with a fine gold-headed umbrella as a token of the esteem in which he is held by them. Mr. Henderson was connected with the firm for about four years.

Holds Family Reunion.—A family reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dingle, 125 Langarth street, during the Easter holidays, a number of relatives from points in Ontario and Michigan being present. Visitors from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Houlgate and Master Edward, of St. Mary's; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Houlgate, Master John and Gladys, of Detroit; and Mr. Albert Houlgate, of Woodstock.

Quickenbush appeared before Squire Chittick on Monday afternoon on a charge of stealing a raincoat and other clothing from his employer a farmer of Westminster Township. After hearing the evidence of the complainant and two other witnesses the magistrate committed Quickenbush for trial. Quickenbush was arrested in his home town, Strathroy, a week ago Saturday by Chief Wilson upon information received from the county police.

Knight of Pythias.—Myrtle Lodge, No. 2, K. of P., is giving an entertainment and hop to their friends on Wednesday evening, April 2, in Duffield Hall. The program commences at 8 o'clock sharp, and will be of the unusual order. The dancing follows the program immediately, and there will not be a dull moment until midnight. Jovial Jim Dean, city weigh clerk, and genial Alex. McCabe, the Princess avenue grocer, are at the helm, which assures all of a sociable evening.

The Day in Police Court.—"It was my afternoon off," explained an inebriate to Magistrate Judd Tuesday morning. The court agreed that it must have been and allowed him to go with an admonition against returning with an admonition against returning.

Ten breaches of the traffic bylaw resulted in the accumulation of \$11, one of the offenders having been previously warned, and therefore contributed \$2.

Two youths found it easier to ride their bicycles on the sidewalk than on the road. They paid \$1 for the privilege.

In the juvenile court a fine of \$3 was meted out to a man who was convicted of supplying tobacco to a minor.

Easter Celebration.—An interesting program was carried out at St. Paul's Anglican Church, Wellington, on Tuesday evening. It was a livingstone centenary and Easter celebration combined. The program: "The Message of Light" was very appropriate, showing how the beautiful Easter message, the joy and light of the gospel was brought to a dark continent. On Thursday evening, March 27, the Ladies' Aid Society will celebrate its seventh anniversary with a service in the church proper followed by an informal social in the Sunday school rooms. Rev. Mr. Harper, from Chalmers Presbyterian Church, will be the speaker, and the pastor, Rev. H. Noehren, will preside. Death of John D. Hill.—The death of John D. Hill, second son of Mrs. Catherine and the late John L. Hill, of Delaware, occurred on Tuesday in Victoria Hospital. Mr. Hill, who was in his 35th year, had been sick for some time and was taken to the hospital one week ago. He is survived by his mother, three sisters—Mrs. Collie McKinley, of Komoka, Mrs. A. N. Ackland, of Strathroy, Miss Margaret, at home—and two brothers, Robert, in Saskatchewan, and Jeremiah, of Mount Brydges. He was member of the Masonic order at Delaware and of the I. O. O. F. at Strathroy. The funeral arrangements, which are in charge of Smith, Son & Clarke, are not complete, pending word from deceased's brother, Robert, in Saskatchewan.

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More Money to be Devoted to Horses

At the meeting of the light horse committee of the Western Fair Association held in the association offices on Tuesday afternoon, \$300 added money was distributed through the prize list.

Three new classes were made, one for roadsters owned by farmers, a lady driver section, and a combination saddle and harness class. In the first of these classes the four prizes will amount to \$20, \$15, \$10 and \$5. While the prizes in the lady's driving class are \$15, \$12, \$7 and \$3. In this class the horse and appointment will count 60 per cent, and the driver's ability 40 per cent. The remaining \$135 was distributed among the other classes that have already been created.

A communication was received stating that four silver medals have been donated to the association by the Canadian Pony Society for the prize winners in the pony section.

Those present were: Messrs. Dr. Routledge (chairman), W. Wood, N. Hunt, L. Thayer, E. Murdy, A. W. Robinson, J. Hale, A. Bannatyne, W. McNeil and Secretary A. M. Hunt.

Union Organizer Says He May Bring Coat Factory Here

Mr. Alfred Carroll, general organizer of the Garment Workers' Union, whose headquarters are in this city, is endeavoring to secure a coat manufacturing company for London.

A large clothing company of this city is anxious to get a coat manufacturing company in the city, and promises to give such a concern all the work it can handle.

"I have a company lined up," said Mr. Carroll, "I don't know whether I can land it or not."

Rev. G. F. B. Doherty Honored on Leaving
A farewell celebration was tendered to Rev. and Mrs. G. F. B. Doherty on Tuesday evening in Cronyn Hall at St. Paul's Cathedral. A large number of friends of the departing curate and his wife turned out to honor them on the eve of their departure for Toronto, where Mr. Doherty becomes rector of St. Luke's Church.

A short programme of music and addresses commenced the evening's proceedings. Solos were rendered by Mr. Sinclair and Mrs. Patterson, while Miss Layman acted as accompanist. Canon Tucker spoke briefly, and referred to the friendly relations which had always existed between himself and Mr. Doherty, and regretted that St. Paul's was losing such an able assistant. Very Rev. Dean Davis addressed the gathering on behalf of the clergy of the city, and also paid tribute to the ability of Mr. Doherty.

The guest of honor of the evening was then presented with a purse of gold by Mr. J. H. Brown, while Dr. W. H. Moorhouse read an address. Mrs. Doherty was also remembered, and Mrs. T. H. Carling, in behalf of the ladies of the congregation, presented her with a beautiful silver teapot. Mr. Doherty made a suitable reply. Refreshments were then served, and a general farewell handshake followed. As the assembly was leaving the cathedral, the bells of St. Paul pealed "Auld Lang Syne."

BETTER CONDITIONS FOR THE WORKERS
Liberals in Legislature Fighting for Better Regulations of Factories.
WOULD AMEND THE ACT

Mr. Rowell Points Out Ways in Which Lot of Labor Could Be Improved.

Toronto, March 26.—When the bill to revise the shops and factories act was in committee in the Legislature last evening the members of the Opposition returned to attack the provisions of the present act, and urged upon the Government the need for more advanced legislation. Several divisions were forced, but the amendments were voted down.

The Opposition were not satisfied to have these questions disposed of summarily. If the Government would consider the proposals the Opposition would not press the amendments for the time being. "We are prepared to stay here until Christmas if necessary to get a decent factory act for the workers of this province," said the Liberal leader. "The day is coming when a man must earn a wage that will support his family and insure his children an opportunity to secure an education that will fit them for their work in life." Certain it was that the Government had neglected its duty to provide better legislation in this direction. Six years ago a special committee of the House was appointed to look into the question and no action had been taken since then. The Opposition, Mr. Allan Stuchinhouse voted all through with the Opposition.

Make Fine Heavy.

Mr. Rowell moved, seconded by Dr. McQueen, the amendments to the act should be amended by adding to section 55 a sub-section providing that no person, firm or corporation shall offer or expose for sale any machine to be operated by steam, hydraulic, electric or other power unless it is provided with reasonable safety devices and guards for the protection of workmen employed in the neighborhood of the place where the machine is used. The amendments were carried by a majority of 15 to 10.

The Opposition leader quoted from the factory inspector's report of 1911 to the effect that it was difficult to secure in Canada standard and proper guards for machinery. From the 1910 report he read a statement of the inspector that a large number of agricultural implements supplied hoods to cover exposed gears and dangerous parts of machinery intended for the farm market, but did not provide any hood or protection whatever for machines sold in Canada.

Mr. Rowell's Amendment.
Mr. Rowell also moved (1) to prevent persons under the age of sixteen from operating elevators, and (2) that a young girl or woman appears to be physically unable to perform the work upon which she is engaged the employer shall have power to prohibit the employment of such child, youth, girl or woman. Mr. Rowell's amendment was carried by a majority of 15 to 10.

Mr. Lucas took the ground, as on a former occasion, that the bill was from the statute revision commission, and such new principle should be introduced by direct legislation and not amendment in committee. The position of the Opposition might be proper for platform purposes.

Mr. Rowell's second amendment was: "No employer shall take into his employment any child, youth, or young girl under the age of fifteen years who cannot produce a certificate from the principal of the school which she or he has attended, or from the school inspector of the municipality in which the employer carries on his business, certifying that such child, youth or young girl is able to read and write legibly simple sentences of prose, and has such other educational qualifications as may be prescribed by regulations to be passed by the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council."

Dr. McQueen wanted a further amendment made so that a child, youth, young girl or woman if found to be physically unable, or the work is harmful to health, or if the child or woman is continuing in the employment, until a physician has certified that the disability has passed away. He would transfer the administration of the factory act from the department of agriculture and place it under the provincial board of health. The district officers of health were better able to judge of these conditions than laymen.

This amendment was also voted down. The House sat until nearly midnight. The persistent advocacy of the Opposition resulted in only a few clauses passing.

PHOTOGRAPHIC DEMONSTRATION

An Unusual Opportunity for Camera Enthusiasts.

A free demonstration of great interest to amateur photographers has been arranged to take place in the Y. M. C. A. building on Thursday evening, March 27, at 7 o'clock. Messrs. Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists, of this city, have persuaded Mr. H. H. Black, a prominent photographer and lens maker of Toronto, to demonstrate printing, developing, proper mixing of chemicals, enlarging and flashlight photography.

All camera enthusiasts are invited to come and enjoy the expert advice and experience of Mr. Black. If you have any particular problems relative to picture-taking or picture-making, now is the time to have them solved. Ensign Cameras, Reel Papers and Ensign Films will be demonstrated, and the splendid results the amateur may get from these high-grade British photographic goods will be shown. Cairncross & Lawrence, of 216 Dundas street, are agents for the Y. M. C. A. building. Messrs. Cairncross & Lawrence, druggists, of ENSIGN Cameras and Films and REGAL Papers, as well as keeping a splendidly-appointed stock of everything the photographer may need.

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REV. J. J. ROSS.

NO APOLOGY

Rev. J. J. Ross Will Not Accept C. T. Russell's Offer to Drop Case.

Hamilton, March 25.—The Rev. J. J. Ross will not tender any apology to Pastor Russell to bring about a settlement of the action for defamatory libel, as suggested by Pastor Russell in letters sent to the press on Saturday. When asked to this morning the Rev. Mr. Ross said: "There will be no apology." The action of Rev. Mr. Ross to restrain from apologizing to Pastor Russell from the action which will come to trial at the assizes which open next Monday afternoon.

Easter Exams. at Catholic Institute

The following is the report of the Easter examinations held at the Catholic Educational Institute during the past week. The names are inserted in order of merit. Honors, 80 per cent or over; Class I, over 75 per cent; Class II, between 65 and 75 per cent; Class III, below 65 per cent. Where a subject follows the name of a student it indicates that he failed to obtain pass marks in that subject.

Grade B.
Honors—Bessie Webb.
Class I—M. Daly, C. Edwards, G. Donohue, H. Nopper.
Class II—J. Traher, J. Insell, F. Deveney, G. Flynn, J. McCarthy, J. Gleeson, M. Waldman, H. Dunlevy, A. J. Self.

Grade C.
Honors—H. Coles, T. Addison.
Class I—R. O'Rourke, E. Jones, E. McGreene.
Class II—L. Payne, K. Webb, M. Lee (bookkeeping), F. Murray (spelling).

Class III—J. Traher (bookkeeping)
Unclassified—Rita Burns.
The students of Grade A, who succeeded in passing their final examinations will be presented with their diplomas by His Lordship Bishop Fallon on the evening of Wednesday, April 2, in the spacious auditorium of St. Peter's Parish Hall.

A suitable program in honor of his lordship will be rendered by the students of the school in the form of a play entitled "The Shepherdess of Lourdes."

Easter Exams. at The Sacred Heart

Appended appear the results of Easter examinations at Sacred Heart separate school. The names are in order of merit.

Grade Eight—Entrance Class.
L. McDougall, D. O'Hara, C. McCann, E. Foxworthy, A. Nopper, D. Hand, G. Bindner, C. Fitzgerald, E. Dignan, H. Etherington, L. Burns, K. Harper, M. Orendorff, T. Mulhail, J. Flanagan.

Grade Seven.
M. Burns, H. Pitt, A. Cook, F. Collins, D. Fitzpatrick, T. Mohan, P. McCann, W. Morikin, A. Deveney, W. Halpin, J. Halpin, J. Connor.

Grade Six.
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Grade Five.
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Grade Two.
D. Henry, M. Flaherty, L. Mohan, C. Delaney, F. Crisell, D. Deveney, E. Fitzpatrick, Y. Crisell, W. Cook, J. Foxworthy, P. Mohan, T. Bindner, R. Jones, V. Gardner, J. Orendorff, O. Fitzmaurice, H. Hodgkinson, M. Hodgkinson.

BURIED AT ST. THOMAS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, March 26.—The funeral of Mrs. Eliza Nunn, aged 53, and for many years a resident of Paris, Ont., held yesterday afternoon at St. Thomas Cemetery from the home of her daughter, Mrs. O. Atkinson, was largely attended.

LEAVING ST. THOMAS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, March 25.—Mr. and Mrs. H. Baker, who are leaving shortly for Prince Albert, were the guests of honor at a banquet tendered them by the choir of the Centre Street Baptist Church last evening and were given a hearty send-off.

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Spacia, March 25.—Prior to her departure for the West, the choir of the Methodist Church presented Miss Muriel Gregory with a handsome ebony mantle set at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Gorvett. Miss Gregory has been organist at the church for many years.

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Dealer Was Fined for Selling It by Magistrate at Sheddin.

Sheddin, March 25.—Wm. G. Eddy, grocer, was fined \$5 and \$3.85 costs today by County Magistrate Hunt, for selling short-weight bread. The bread, seized by the recently-appointed inspector, was about one and a half pounds short in ten pounds, and was manufactured by a London firm, which has undertaken to pay Mr. Eddy's fine for him.

As a result of the evidence given, the magistrate advises all municipalities to appoint inspectors at an early date to check the supply of this short-weight bread by firms outside the county.

Personal Mention

Miss Kathleen Lowe, of London, is visiting with her parents at Lucan. Mrs. Mary Stewart, of Seaford, is spending a few weeks with relatives here.

Miss Nellie Wade, of London, visited with friends in Wingham for a couple of days this week.

Mrs. James DeWolfe has returned after a pleasant visit with her brother, Mr. Alex. DeWolfe, and Mrs. Sutherland, of Seaford.

Mrs. H. B. McFall, of London, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Bice, at Clandebeque.

Miss Alfreda Feddersen, of Detroit, is visiting relatives in London during this week.

Mrs. Archie Dodson is spending a few days with Mrs. Angus Walker, at Duart.

Dr. W. J. Nesbitt, of Belle River, has returned home after spending the Easter holidays with his parents.

Mrs. R. Griffith has just returned from Parkhill, after spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Sheppard.

Mrs. Duncan Carswell, of London, and children are guests of her father at Iona.

Time does not right all wrong — it merely heals the wounds.—Life.

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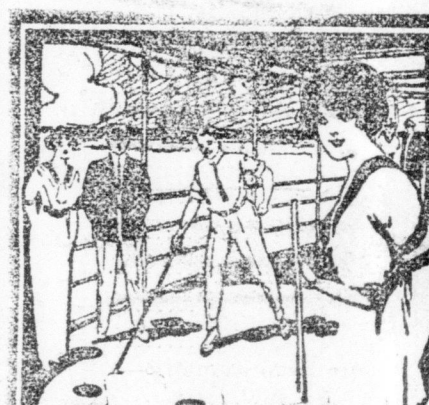
Dr. Williams' Pink Pills are sold by all medicine dealers or can be had by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Company, Brockville, Ont.

Card of Thanks.
Mr. and Mrs. Haycock desire to express their appreciation of the sympathy and kindness shown them during their recent bereavement, caused by the death of their daughter.

SPRING TERM FROM APRIL 1.

New classes will be formed April 1 in Bookkeeping, Shorthand, etc., at the Westwell School, Y. M. C. A. Building, London. Send for particulars.

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