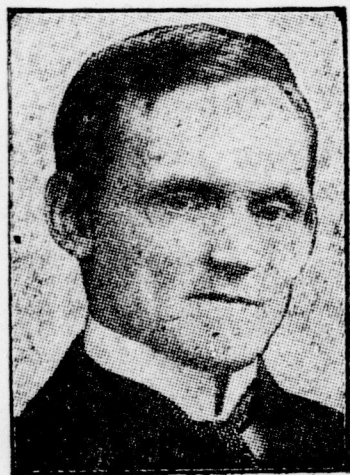


BRITISH BUDGET ABOLISHES M'KENNA DUTIES

Canadian National Will Construct Two New Bridges

LABOR BUDGET ABOLISHES M'KENNA DUTIES; SCORES IMPERIAL PREFERENCES



HON. PHILIP SNOWDEN,
chancellor of the exchequer, whose
budget speech before the British
parliament today proposed many
drastic changes.

BIG SMALL CASE SETTLED AT LAST

Mrs. Ambrose Small Agrees
To Pay Her Sisters-in-
Law \$240,000.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 29.—The long and
costly litigation over the will of Am-
brose Small, missing Toronto mil-
lionaire, now presumed dead, has
come to an end. Counsel for Mrs.
Small, who was making application
to the court here for probate of the
1903 will of Mr. Small, and the law-
yers for Miss Gertrude and Miss
Florence Small, sisters of the de-
ceased, and other relatives who were
contesting the will, this afternoon
effected a settlement by which
Mrs. Small agrees to pay \$240,000
into court.

EXAMINE SKELETON.
Special to The Advertiser.
Chichester, Que., April 29.—Sergeant
of Detectives Austin R. Mitchell
of police headquarters arrived here
at noon today to examine the bones
of a skeleton of a man found on a
farm at Chichester, Quebec, believed
to be that of the missing theatrical
magnate, Ambrose J. Small, who
vanished from Toronto on Dec. 2,
1919.
To decide whether the skeleton is
Small is a problem. Small has a
tell-tale toe on his left foot. The
skeleton is stated to be over six feet
tall. Small was five feet five inches
tall. So it would seem to be a case
of mistaken identity. The man is
said to have a heavy brown
moustache and brown hair. The
skull was separated from the body.
The man had worn a cap, a gray
overcoat and a brown suit and
shoes. When Small was last seen
he was wearing a dark two-piece
suit and dark overcoat with velvet
collar and soft felt hat according to
police description. There is a re-
ward of \$15,000 for the discovery of
Small's body.

The Weather

FORECASTS.
Today—Moderate
westerly
winds.
Wednesday
Northerly
winds and a
little cooler.
The pressure is
high over the
Western Pro-
vinces and North-
west States, and
lower over the Southwest
States and the middle Atlantic
coast.
Except for showers in the south-
western counties of Ontario, the weather
over the Dominion has been fair.
Temperatures.
The highest and lowest temperatures
during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m.
today were:
Stations. High. Low. Weather.
Victoria..... 56. 46. Cloudy.
Montreal..... 56. 46. Fair.
Calgary..... 56. 46. Fair.
Winnipeg..... 56. 46. Clear.
Fort Arthur..... 56. 46. Clear.
Perry Sound..... 64. 32. Fair.
Toronto..... 56. 46. Fair.
Kingston..... 62. 42. Fair.
Ottawa..... 68. 38. Fair.
Montreal..... 60. 42. Fair.
Quebec..... 58. 38. Cloudy.
Father Point..... 49. 32. Fair.
St. John..... 48. 34. Cloudy.
Halifax..... 52. 26. Clear.
LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest tempera-
tures recorded in London during the
24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last
night were: Highest, 65; lowest, 39.
The official temperatures for the
12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today
were: Highest, 52; lowest, 44.
Barometric Readings.
Monday—8 p.m.—29.03.
Today—8 a.m.—28.97.

Philip Snowden, in Budget Speech Before British House Today,
Says Labor Government Is in Favor of Doing
Away With Dominion Preferences.

ANNOUNCES £48,329,000 SURPLUS OVER 1922

Income Tax Remains Unaltered, While There Is a Considerable
Reduction in Duty on Sugar, Tea, Cocoa and Coffee—
Would Do Away With Corporations Profits Tax.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 29.—Philip Snowden, chancellor of the ex-
chequer, in introducing the budget in the House of Commons today,
announced that the Labor government "is unable to endorse the
late government's dominion preference proposals."
The chancellor reduced this announcement with the statement
that "we on the one side of the House never believed that the
interests of the empire would be best served in the long run by a
system of tariffs."
Mr. Snowden added, however, that the late government's pledge
to submit the preference proposals to the House of Commons would
be fulfilled to the fullest extent.

NOT TO ABOLISH PRESENT PREFERENCES.

It was not proposed, he added, to ask parliament to abolish the
preferences now in force, but the Labor government reserved full
liberty "to propose, whenever it deemed expedient, to reduce or
abolish all kinds of preferences now granted."

The chancellor recommended that the McKenna duties be
abolished. These duties expire May 1, the chancellor explained,
but there was a period of three months additional for protection
before the expiration actually became effective, therefore they
would expire August 1.

INCOME TAX REMAINS UNALTERED.

No alteration in the income tax or the super-tax was proposed
by the chancellor.

The chancellor proposed no change in the postal rates. The
budget provided for a reduction of three halfpence per pound on
sugar. The tea duty is reduced one-half.

The duty on dried fruit, he said, would not be renewed under
the budget provisions, and would lapse August 1.

The budget schedule provided for reduction of one-half in the
duty on cocoa, coffee, chicory. He recommended also that the
corporation profits tax be abolished.

Must Reduce Debt.

Mr. Snowden declared the country must devote all the resources possible
to the redemption of the debt which, though a more indirect benefit
than a shilling reduction in the income tax was no less real and was more wide-
spread and penetrating in its effect. It improved international trade, the
chancellor declared.

"In view of the great conversion
scheme we shall have to carry out in
the not far distant future," he said,
"the maintenance and improvement of
the Empire credit is a matter of the most
vital first-class importance."

As regard to the estimated revenue,
the chancellor felt justified in being
rather optimistic as to the future. Un-
employment is declining, although still
very bad, were improving, and there
were hopes of a new settlement in
Europe. Even now there was show-
ing flickering but hopeful signs of
an advance, and wages were showing
a tendency to rise.

"We on this side of the house," he
continued, "never believed that the
interests of the Empire would best be
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tariffs. In these circumstances the
Labor administration is unable to in-
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ences now afforded, but we reserve
full liberty to propose to parliament,
whenever it is deemed expedient, to
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ences now granted."

£48,329,000 Surplus.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 29.—The chancellor
of the exchequer in opening his bud-
get statement said a surplus had been
realized of £48,329,000 on last year's
accounts.

He said the surplus realized had
gone to reduction of the debt. Of
this surplus £27,500,000 was due to
reduced expenditure.

Regarding the expenditure, the
chancellor said the expenditure for
the national debt service amounted
to £347,500,000 of which £40,000,000
was the sinking fund.

The total debt weight of the debt
on March 31 was £7,680,484,000 as
compared with £7,772,297,000 on the
31st of March last.

Please See Page 4, Column 7.

**Premiers Meet
After Election**

Will Not Discuss Reparations
Until After May 4.

Associated Press Despatch.
Paris, April 29.—Premier Poincare
will not meet Premier Ramsay Mac-
donald until some time after the
French general election May 11,
when they will discuss the experts'
report on reparations.

Associated Press Despatch.
Springfield, Mo., April 29.—The
Missouri Republican convention here
today will instruct seven delegates at
large to the national convention to
vote for the nomination of Calvin
Coolidge for president, according to
party leaders.

Missouri will have 39 votes in the
national convention and all district
delegates have been instructed for
Coolidge except six.



EDWARD W. GRANGE,
who has taken up his permanent
residence in Ottawa as manager for
Canada of Reuters, world famous
news service. Mrs. Grange and their
children leave tomorrow to join him
in Ottawa.

POLICE GIVE UP SEARCH OF RIVER

Constable Wharton Unable To
Locate Boat To Carry
On Work.

Owing to the difficulty of securing
a rowboat, High Constable Wharton
has abandoned plans to drag the
river in the vicinity of the Adelaide
street bridge following the finding
of blood stains on the bridge plank-
ing and girders last week.

The high constable believes that
there is a possibility of foul play,
and although the river will not be
dragged for remains, no efforts will
be spared by county police in getting
to the bottom of the mysterious
affair.

The matter has brought to the
attention of the public the fact that
there isn't a rowboat in the city that
could be used in case of drowning.

Mayor Wenig points out that the
provision for a boat was made in the
Britannia report, which advocated a
boat being kept at the police station
for emergencies, and the chances are
that one will be purchased once the
council considers the report.

EMPIRE EXHIBITION ATTRACTS LONDONERS

Many Are Booking Passage
For Summer Trip to
England.

The first week of June and
throughout the summer months the
exodus of Londoners for overseas
travels will be in full swing. The
British Empire Exhibition has had
the effect of attracting hundreds of
colonists to the old country for the
summer and numerous requests for
passages are being filed with city
ocean ticket agents.

Ernest Ruse, C. N. R. agent, states
that several parties of Londoners
will leave here in June and August.
During the past week he has secured
tickets for dozens of citizens. It is
anticipated that the ocean traffic so
far as Londoners are concerned, will
this year more than double the high-
est mark achieved in the past.

**SEEDS ARE BEING SENT
TO 96 RURAL SCHOOLS**

R. A. Finn of Agricultural
Branch Is Supervising
Distribution.

R. A. Finn of the Middlesex branch
of the department of agriculture, is
busy this week distributing 3,500
packages of vegetable seeds to the
96 rural schools of the county for
school garden purposes. Flowers
have not been forgotten and 1,000
packages of flower seeds will be plant-
ed by the children next week.

Five hundred five-pound bags of
potatoes of the Dooley and Irish
Cobbler strain are being sent out to
the boys and girls while 200 dozen
eggs have been ordered by enthu-
siastic young poultry fanciers who will
show chickens at the school fairs this
fall.

SLIGHT DAMAGE.
When he attempted to turn off
Carling street on to Richmond a few
minutes past 10 o'clock this morning,
the car driven by R. Patten was
rammed slightly by a car driven by
A. Brown, local insurance man. The
damage to both cars was slight.

TALLANT TO LEAVE SOON FOR MICHIGAN

Chairman of Housing Commis-
sion Will Resign From
Board.

ACCEPTS NEW POST

Will Represent Shoe Firm For
State—To Live in
Detroit.

Dennis J. Tallant, chairman of the
London Housing Commission, and a
member of that board for several
years, is resigning at the next regu-
lar session, he announced today.

This action becomes imperative,
Commissioner Tallant explains, owing
to the fact that he has secured a
position with a shoe company of
Detroit, Michigan, and his duties will
compel his permanent residence in
the United States.

While Mr. Tallant's headquarters
will be in Detroit, he will travel
throughout the state, his territory
including Flint, Grand Rapids, Bay
City, Saginaw, and Lansing. His new
employers are opening a branch office
and sample room in Flint.

Chairman Tallant has been a mem-
ber of the Housing Commission since
its inception and he was chiefly re-
sponsible for the now famous Pine
Lawn investigation commenced in
1921, the outcome of which was a
board of arbitration when the con-
tractors were compelled to relay the
roofs on the 49 houses constructed by
the city housing commission in that
district.

From that period, Mr. Tallant re-
mained more or less in the public eye,
also entering municipal politics,
twice seeking election from ward
three as aldermanic candidate. At
the 1922 election he doubled his vote
over the preceding year, following
the Pine Lawn episode, but was de-
feated in a large field of competitors.

At the last municipal election he
was defeated as a Labor candidate
for the public utilities commission.

**City Not Guilty
Of 812 Lives Lost**

Test Case Finds Chicago Not
Responsible For Steamer
Disaster.

Associated Press Despatch.
Chicago, April 29.—A jury yester-
day found the city of Chicago not re-
sponsible for overturning the steamer
Eastland in the Chicago River with
the loss of 812 lives in 1915. The suit
was a test case which had the city
been found negligent, would have
been made the basis for damage
actions aggregating possibly \$10,000,
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train No. 21, but was later switched
to the Windsor train, as he intends
leaving the work of laying rails now
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electric block signal system being
established between London and Ko-
moka would come into use over the
entire London division.

Mr. Fish was accompanied by sev-
eral other railroad officials, including
F. E. D. McDowell, public rep-
resentative.

He intends returning to London
tonight to attend the Mocha Shrine
spring ceremony.

"BOBBED HAIR" SAILOR LIVES A MONTH ON U. S. WARSHIP

Puff of Wind Gives Mate a
Glimpse of Adelaide Ander-
son's Hair and She Is
Discovered.

IS 19 YEARS OLD

Youthful Adventuress Landed
at Panama and Brought
Back to New York.

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, April 29.—Adelaide An-
derson, the first "bobbed-hair" sailor,
went on permanent shore leave yester-
day. The 19-year-old girl passed
only a month on the battleship
Arizona of the Pacific fleet, disguised
as a sailor, but few adventurous
youths who have answered the lure
of the slogan, "Join the navy and
see the world," can boast of more
thrilling experiences.

Spending most of her time in the
engine-room, moving from hiding
place to hiding place, receiving food
from sailor friends, Miss Anderson
managed to escape discovery for a
month. Then a puff of wind—a pass-
ing whim of the sea—betrayed her.
The trim of her sailor cap was lifted
and a sailor caught a glimpse of her
hair. He reported his discovery to
an officer, and Miss Anderson's career
as a "sailor" soon ended. She was
put ashore at Panama and brought
back to New York today on the
steamship Christobal.

Big Mountain-Type Engines To Be Brought To District By Canadian National Line

R. H. Fish States Approxi-
mately \$150,000 Will Be
Spent in This District.

TWO NEW BRIDGES

Changes Will Be Made at the
River and Wharnclyffe
Road.

That improvements to the London
division of the C. N. R., including
the building of two new bridges,
the addition of six mountain-type en-
gines of the 6,000 class and the laying
of new rail would be started shortly,
incurring a cost of approximately
\$150,000, was the statement of R. H.
Fish, general superintendent of the
road, in an interview with an Adver-
tiser representative in his official car
this morning.

Mr. Fish arrived in London from
Montreal, and stated that he was on
tour of inspection and would prob-
ably be in London vicinity for sev-
eral days. He reported that the new
timetable was meeting with splendid
success over the entire system, and
referred to the new Forest City train,
which leaves London daily at 6 p.m.
for Montreal, as being one of the
finest trains on service. Mr. Fish
was warm in his praise for Sir Henry
Thornton, and remarked that rapid
progress was being made in all
branches of the railroad under his
supervision.

Extensive Improvements.
"We intend to carry on exten-
sive improvements to the London division
that will make it one of the fore-
most on the C. N. R. system."

"The two new bridges," he said,
"will replace the ones now over the
Thames River and at Wharnclyffe
road subway, and work will com-
mence on these within a short period.
The steel for the bridges is now being
turned out in our shops, and
little time is being lost in getting this
work under way."

He stated that the new heavy type
of passenger engines would be run
on this division about the first of
June, and are similar to those now in
use on other lines of the road. These
have the latest improvements and
will undoubtedly speed up the ser-
vice. A hundred or more men will
be added to the bridge and building
department when work is com-
menced.

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**JOHN ASHTON FAVORED
FOR CHAIRMAN'S POST**

"Honest John" Believed To Be
Logical Choice for Coming
Vacancy.

In view of the scheduled resigna-
tion of D. J. Tallant from the hous-
ing commission, ex-Ald. John Ash-
ton (Honest John) is favorably men-
tioned for the chairmanship of that
body for the remainder of the 1924
term. Other members of the pres-
ent board have served their time in
this regard, Rud Hessel and E. R.
Dennis.

Appointed to the commission at
the first of this year, Mr. Ashton
served intermittently as a Labor
member of the city council from
Ward Three. He served as chairman
of the board of works in 1922, and
was also a member of the executive
committee of the Street Railways
men's Union.

Just in passing, it will be recalled
that, as a member of the city council,
Mr. Ashton opposed the Asphalt
resolution to levy additional taxes
from the McCormick Manufacturing
Company and other firms in the
"annexed districts" of East London.
His stand precipitated a rumour at
the Labor Temple, but since that
period Mr. Ashton has gone back
again with full honors.

**WESTERN BOOK EXCHANGE
WILL BE CLOSED SHORTLY**

Having served the double purpose
of being a clearing house for books
and a money-saving institution for
the students of Western, the book
exchange that has found so much
favor with the students of the col-
lege will be closed shortly.

Notice was posted in the college
halls this morning stating the un-
likelihood of any further purchases
of books so near the end of the term
and that the exchange would be closed
immediately.

REMOVED TO HOSPITAL.
Velma Galbraith, 7-year-old Appin
girl, was rushed to St. Joseph's Hos-
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JARED VINING.
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Temple at their session this after-
noon.

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36 BODIES ARE TAKEN FROM MINE IN VIRGINIA

But Three of Victim's Bodies
Had Been Identified This
Morning.

75 STILL ENTOMBED

Search Will Continue Until
Every Tunnel Has Been
Explored.

BULLETIN.
Associated Press Despatch.
Wheeling, W. Va., April 29.—Rescue
workers, toiling in the ill-fated
Benwood mine, wrecked by an ex-
plosion yesterday, had located 45
bodies up to noon today. The res-
cuers continued their search for the
remaining 60 entombed miners.

Associated Press Despatch.
Wheeling, W. Va., April 29.—The
burned and crushed bodies of 36 vic-
tims of yesterday's explosion and fire
in the Benwood Mill mine of the
Wheeling Steel Corporation had been
found by rescue workers up to 10
o'clock this morning, and search for
75 other miners entombed continued
under direction of experts of the
United States bureau of mines. While
the rescuers despaired of reaching
any of the men alive, they lost no
time in exploring the underground
recesses. As the bodies were located
they were placed to one side in the
mine tunnels and the rescuers, weary
and worn by a night of hard toil,
continued their battle against fallen
rock and earth and poison gas. None
of the bodies will be brought to the
surface until every tunnel and cham-
ber has been explored.

Of the 36 bodies found during the
night, only three were identified.

WORK THROUGH NIGHT.
Associated Press Despatch.
Wheeling, W. Va., April 29.—With
22 bodies of miners recovered from
Please See Page 4, Column 5.

**TOWE OPPOSES MOVE
TO CHANGE CONTRACT**

Declares St. Thomas Firm
Should Get Order To Pro-
mote Civic Co-operation.

Ald. Allan Towe will fight tooth
and nail at the board of works to-
morrow, he promises, against any
move to take the city's contract for
Iron Foundries of St. Thomas, the
Iron Foundries of St. Thomas, the
company submitting the lowest ten-
der.

Aside from the fact that the city
would benefit to the extent of \$500,
he submits that the principle laid
down by those who have given the
contract to a local firm with a
higher tender, is decidedly unsound
and indeed dangerous.

Ald. Towe opposes any move to
continue contracts strictly to London
firms. London must co-operate with
St. Thomas, as far as possible, he
submits.

"Union men from London are work-
ing in St. Thomas," he stated,
"Workers from both cities go to and
for, and I know that we have London
contractors who, even at this mo-
ment, have undertaken contracts in
that city."

Ald. Towe is quite confident that
the board of works will not move to
call for new tenders, but will come
back to the council with the same
recommendation sent back to that
committee after a debate at the last
council session.

**WEDNESDAY LAST DAY
FOR CITY TAX RETURNS**

Early Filings Point Toward a
Decrease in Number of
Delinquents.

Tomorrow is the last day for the
filing of city income returns. City
Commissioner Harry Bennett warns,
Contrary to procedure last year, his
office will not be open at night for
the benefit of delinquent taxpayers.
It has been proven that these ar-
rangements have been of no assistance
to the department, few, if
any, taxpayers have come to give
the commissioner is quite pleased,
however, with the record to date.
Returns have been coming in steady-
ly, and apparently quite satisfac-
torily, and he does not anticipate as
much difficulty with the usual de-
linquents as in other years.

VICTORIA DAY EXPECTED TO BE HELD ON SATURDAY

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HOLIDAY URGED ON OPENING DAY OF M. O. LEAGUE

Mayor Urges Merchants To Observe Day To Boost Game.

ONE DAY AHEAD

Birthdays should not be changed, either by common consent or by act of city council, Mayor George Wenig stated today, and he is quite opposed to having Victoria Day (May 24) celebrated on any other day than the Saturday upon which it falls.
Several citizens, storekeepers and others interested have approached the mayor during the past few days, asking him to exert his influence in either direction, there being those who would have the late Queen Victoria's birthday observed on the following Monday, and there are others who would adhere to Saturday, 24th. Mayor Wenig supports the latter, and will foster no move for the suggested change, he stated today. "Birth dates should not be changed," he contended, "more particularly in this instance."
But the mayor lends his vote and influence today to the proposal that the usual Wednesday half-holiday, May 7, be switched to the previous day, Tuesday, May 6, the occasion being the M. O. League opener in London.

There is but one opening baseball day in every year in any one center, and Mayor Wenig concurs with all ball "fans" and other followers of sport that the day should be fittingly observed and that every citizen should be given equal opportunity to be in the West London ball yard when the first ball is chucked over or near the plate.
Also approached at this regard, the mayor urges that the storekeepers and all others who observe the Wednesday afternoon half-holiday change it to the preceding day. He feels confident that they will agree with him that the result would prove advantageous to all concerned, particularly as the "opener" is the thrill that comes but once in the season.

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GRADUATES OF WESTERN ARE GUESTS OF JUNIOR YEARS

Student Body and Faculty Entertain at Winter Garden Last Evening.

FEATURE NOVELTIES

Grand March Led by Piper Opens Enjoyable Program.

The annual convocation dance held last evening in the Winter Garden was one of the happiest university functions of the season. The graduates of both medicine and arts, numbering 75, were guests of the junior years, who made every effort to make the affair one of the most brilliant of the year.

Purple and white, Western colors, were used effectively as decorations, combined with the university shield. Cozy little sitting-out places were also arranged with quantities of palms and smilax dividing them off. The guests, numbering over 200, included a representation of the board of governors and the faculty, with their ladies.

The gay program opened with a grand march, led by Sam Munro, piper, and the guests were greeted by Dean Sherwood Fox and Mrs. Fox, Dean Paul McKibben and Mrs. McKibben and Dean H. W. Hill and Miss Grace Hill, as the procession passed the place of honor where these special guests were seated. During the evening three little tots presented Mrs. Fox, Mrs. McKibben and Miss Hill with clusters of flowers.

The program included one novelty after another, each proving more popular than the previous one. Early in the evening the graduates were presented with gay little rosettes of purple and white, and later during the graduates' dance, purple and white hats were given them. These were worn during the balance of the evening, which added greatly to the gaiety of the scene. An elimination dance, when the last couple on the floor received a mock prize, was followed by the spot dance. Perhaps one of the most enjoyable novelties introduced was the rag doll dance, when eight dolls were passed among the dancers, and when the music stopped, which happened at most moments, the couples holding the dolls were asked to leave the floor.

An excellent program of music supplied by the Winter Garden Orchestra, and dancing was discontinued at midnight in accordance with the university rule.

The committee in charge of the dance included the officers of Arts '25, Miss Lillian Kingsborough, Miss Helen Lindsay, Leslie Gray and James Talman, assisted by Miss Marguerite Gibson, Miss Margaret Jordan, Grant Wylie and James Baldwin.

NOTICE TO GOLF PLAYERS

On thorough investigation we find it is possible to get vaccinated against almost everything except golf. This game golf is becoming almost as fascinating as Perfect Blue White Diamonds sold by John A. Nash, My Jeweler, London and Windsor, "where you will eventually buy."—Advt.

PROGRAM OVER RADIO WILL BE GIVEN TONIGHT

C. G. Hunter will broadcast a vocal and instrumental program from his station C. F. L. C. on Adelaide street from 7:30 to 8:30 tonight. Following is the program:—Master Jack Parker, famous boy soprano of Ingersoll, accompanied by Miss Kirwin, pianist. The program will also include orchestral numbers by three London concert artists.

MUSICAL PROGRAM.
Contrary to their usual custom of having a speaker address them on some topic of current interest, the Y's Men's Club of the Y. M. C. A. will devote their regular meeting tonight to a musical program only. Leo Herbert, pianist, and Frank Kennedy, violinist, will be on hand at 8:10 to give the members a musical treat.

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The Fun Shop
Verses and Reverses.
By Samuel Hoffenstein.
Sleep my little treasure,
Sleep my little tot;
Mamma needs some pleasure,
While rocking you, is not;
I love your little ways, dear,
Your body pink and white,
But you have mamma's days, dear,
So go to sleep at night.

A little dachshund used to say:
"Things grow brighter every day.
Sleet or snow or mist or hail,
I was an optimistic tail."
Little dog, you're not the first
Whose hopes have gone from bad to worst!

Two Characters in Search of An Author.
Peg—"I took a beauty nap this morning."
Meg—"Really? What wakened you so soon, dear?"
—Ernest Boyd.

Local and Personal.
Friends of Uncle Joe Whetsun will be grieved to learn that he was brutally assaulted by a couple of highwaymen Saturday night but was not killed.

Silas Foddergrass is out on the streets after having been ousted from his house for six weeks with a broken leg, much to his friends' relief.

Felix Stonebruse has received his badge and instruction book from the Newsweek Detective Agency and is now looking around for something to detect. As a starter we might try to find out what has become of the Soldiers' Monument Fund.

Frenzied Finance.
What good's our budget?
The darned thing won't budge?
Perhaps we misjudge it.
But what good's our budget?
When twist it or nudge it?
It's figures won't budge?
What good's our budget?
The darn thing won't budge!
—Molly Anderson.

Sayings of Little Socrates.
Everybody's not to worry,
And then worries you.
The country is suffering from auto-intoxication.
It seems. Teapot will burn anything or anybody.
The good die young; no use taking chances with them.

Jack's Second Trial.
"Twas really a surprise,
Though still I—gossips so supposed—
Found favor in his eyes.
His first avowal, months before,
I'd treated with disdain.
And laughed at him the while he swore.
He'd surely try again."

The second time that Jack proposed I never said a word.
Though to assent I'd grown disposed,
I simply overheard.
By accident his story I heard.
While in the waltz's whirl:
The second time 'twas not to me,
But to another girl!
—Roy Farrell Greene.

The Mack-a-Raid!
First Comet—"Put on your gas mask."
Second Comet—"Why?"
First Comet—"We're approaching the earth and congress is in session."
—Benjamin DeCasseres.

Readers are requested to contribute. All humor: Epigrams (or humorous mottoes), jokes, anecdotes, poetry, limericks, satires, and bright sayings of children, must be original and unpublished. Accepted material will be paid for. All manuscripts must be written on one side of the paper only, and should be addressed to The Fun Shop, The London Advertiser. No manuscripts can be returned. The rates are \$1 to \$10 for accepted material, and 25 cents to \$1 a line for poetry.

WORKERS' EDUCATIONAL ASSOCIATION TO MEET

An important meeting of the Workers' Educational Association will be held on Tuesday next at the public library. Vital points in the work of the association will be discussed, and important decisions will be made with reference to the future work of the association.
The executive committee will be appointed for the year, and it is probable that the local secretary for London will be selected.

In Canada's Parliament

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 29.—Today in parliament:

The debate on the budget will be resumed by Herbert Marier (Liberal, St. Lawrence-St. George).

The senate will resassemble following an adjournment since April 10.

Yesterday in Parliament:
The amendment to the budget, moved by J. S. Woodsworth (Labor, Centre Winnipeg), was declared in order by the Speaker. The Conservative amendment to the budget was automatically ruled out.

Hon. R. J. Manion (Conservative, Fort William), believed that the present trend toward free trade might lead to Canada becoming an "industrial appendix" of the United States. Mr. C. Senn (Conservative, Haldimand), pointed out the injuries caused to the knitting industry by the tariff cuts. W. K. Baldwin (Liberal, St. John's), gave his full support to the budget. John Pritchard (Progressive, North Wellington), favored an intelligent discussion of the suggestion to make a 12½ per cent cut in the salary of every member of the civil service getting more than \$3,000.

SHRINERS TREKING HERE FOR BIG CEREMONIAL

Special Trains Bringing Delegates For Annual Spring Event in Mocha Temple.

Many out-of-town Shriners will arrive by special train today for the spring ceremonial of Mocha Temple to be held in the Masonic Temple tonight, when 60 candidates will be led across the hot sands of Arabia. The registering of visiting guests will start at 2 o'clock this afternoon, followed by the exemplifying of the degree. Commencing at 5 o'clock in the evening, the ceremony will be followed by the exemplifying of the degree. Commencing at 5 o'clock in the evening, the ceremony will be followed by the exemplifying of the degree.

Kitchener Shriners will arrive in London at 2:15 p.m. with extra sleeper; also Hamilton Shriners with extra sleeper at 5:30 p.m. over C. N. R. Toronto and Sudbury Shriners will arrive by special C. N. R. at 5:15 p.m.

LONDON ARTISTS ARE AWARDED GOLD MEDALS

Mrs. F. Schofield and Leon Adams Win Honors at the Toronto Music Festival.

Word was received in the city from Toronto last night that representatives of Dundas Centre Methodist Church were among the winners of gold medals at the musical festival in Massey Hall. Mrs. Frederick Schofield and Leon Adams, both members of the choir, were awarded gold medals for the best soprano and baritone duet, and Mr. Adams was awarded the place of gold medalist in the class for baritone solos. Mr. Adams is a pupil of Farrell Morris, and both singers have been trained under Mr. Morris as leader of the choir and organist of Dundas Centre Church.

The Dundas Centre choir will sing tonight in Massey Hall at 9:15 as contestants in the choir group.

DEBATING FINALISTS WILL MEET FRIDAY

Eleanor Higgins and Louise Wyatt Will Represent Central Collegiate.

Eleanor Higgins and Louise Wyatt will represent the Central Collegiate in the "Wesley" Junior Debate to be held in the Auditorium of the Collegiate on Friday night of this week at 8 o'clock. This is the final contest of the series and the opponents of London are the girls of the Kitchener Collegiate. The subject of the debate is "Resolved that Reciprocity between Canada and the United States is to the advantage of this country." The London girls will take the affirmative.
On the same night the boys of the London South Collegiate, Archie Knapp and Arthur Hill will go to Kitchener to debate in the boys' final with the boys of the Kitchener Collegiate. Principal Miller of the Collegiate extends a welcome to all parents of students at the Collegiate and to anyone interested in the debates. Admission will be free.

STEAMER GEORGIA IS RELEASED FROM BEACH

Muskegon, Mich., April 29.—The Crosby steamer Georgia, which went on the Lake Michigan Beach two miles north of Muskegon harbor channel in a dense fog early last night, was released early this morning with slight damage resulting. Passengers had been removed from the steamer during the night by coastguard boats.

ECONOMY MEASURES.
Strict measures of economy and retrenchment prevail on the L. & P. S. Railway according to reports reaching the city hall today. During recent weeks several retirements have been noted, it is explained, among them being five or six linemen, it is stated.

IRISH NOTE MAY FORCE BRITAIN TO ACT AT ONCE

It Is Understood Subject Being Discussed at Cabinet Meeting Today.

A GLOOMY OUTLOOK

Political Commentators Predict Civil War If Commission Is Set Up.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 29.—J. H. Thomas, the colonial secretary, announced in the House of Commons today that, as no settlement by agreement was possible, the boundary between Northern Ireland and the remainder of Ireland must be determined in accordance with article 12 of the Anglo-Irish treaty. This article provides for the establishment of a boundary commission.

According to several Dublin reports, the Irish Free State government has sent to Great Britain, requesting immediate establishment of the boundary commission, will, it is believed, force the British government to take a definite step bringing this dangerous problem to the front. The sequel to such a move is likely to tax the statesmanship of the administration to the utmost unless some ground of agreement can be found, and of this there is said to be little hope in London, Dublin or Belfast.

The secretary for the colonies, J. H. Thomas, had a long conference in his office yesterday with Premier Sir James Craig of Ulster and the Free State's high commissioner, James MacNeill, in the hope of finding means of settlement, but nothing transpired to indicate success, and everything at the moment points to the irreconcilability of the views of the northern and southern governments.

It is understood the subject is being discussed at this morning's cabinet meeting and Mr. Thomas is expected to make an early statement in the House of Commons. Some of the correspondents in Dublin and some of the political commentators here present a gloomy outlook and unhesitatingly predict civil war in Ireland if the commission is set up and awards to the Free State those northern areas where the Nationalist voters predominate.

On the other hand, they say if the commission is not established, or being established, does not give the Free State what it demands, there will be immediate and strong pressure from the southerners for denunciation of the Anglo-Irish treaty and the complete severance of the Free State from Great Britain.

INJURES FOOT.
Bathurst, April 28.—While overseeing the loading of a car of lumber on the C.N.R., William Pope had the misfortune of having a heavy piece of lumber fall on his left foot, badly bruising the bone.

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CUT NOT ECONOMY

Members of the London Board of Education are not in sympathy with the move to do away with kindergarten training in the public schools, as has just been done by the St. Thomas board by a vote of four to three at last night's meeting. Though there is a general desire to reduce expenses in education, the general feeling is that the kindergarten is not the place to make the first cut. Mrs. J. A. Hunt and Mrs. J. A. Rose, the two women trustees, are particularly opposed to such a suggestion.

"It is a great calamity," said Mrs. Rose, "that the work of the kindergarten classes should be stopped. I regard the kindergarten as the most essential part of all education, and certainly as a department that should not be abolished. It is the keystone of education, at a time when the mind of the child is plastic and ready to absorb any impression, and to leave the child without proper guidance at this time is not fair to the child or, for that matter, to the community in which it lives and grows up."

Mrs. Hunt likewise regarded the kindergarten as the foundation of a sound education, and regretted that it has been abolished in St. Thomas or anywhere. She said: "The time when the child is most impressionable is the most important in its life. It is then that it acquires many of the habits of after life and learns the grounding of much of its behavior. It is all very well to say that the parents are the best teachers at this age, but they are not trained as are the kindergarten teachers for this special work. It is a very great loss, in my opinion, for any child to have to forego the kindergarten work, and I am exceedingly sorry to see that its importance is not generally recognized. Economy is necessary in education, as in all other things, but I think there are other phases and stages of education that might better and more safely be abolished than this."

OLD BOYS IN DETROIT ENTHUSED OVER PLANS

"Nick" Wilson Jr. Heads Border Branch—Centennial Eagerly Awaited.

"Nick" Wilson, Jun., son of the late "Nick" Wilson, has been recently elected as the president of the Detroit branch of the London Old Boys' Association, an organization boasting of several hundred members. At a special session a few days ago, according to word reaching The Advertiser today, officers were elected and tentative plans drafted for the next big home-coming in 1926, London's centennial celebration.

Sam Probyn was elected as vice-president. "Sam" will be remembered as one of London's "finest" at the police headquarters, being a member of that department for several years before he moved to Detroit. Chapman was elected as secretary-treasurer of the reorganized Detroit branch. Memberships there are selling at \$2 a head. Hundreds have joined already, and a substantial fund has already been set aside for the 1926 trip to the Forest City.

The next gathering in Detroit is set for May 3, the occasion being a dance and general convention, in which Mayor George Wenig, Mrs. Wenig and other Londoners have been invited.

CARRIE STUDIO PUPILS WIN HONORS IN TORONTO

Two London-trained girls, pupils of the George Carrie Studios on Queen's avenue, have won first prizes yesterday in the Ontario Musical Festival, now in progress in Toronto. They are Gladys Richards of Stratford and Margaret Forbes of London. Miss Richards won the first prize in the "B" contralto class, and Miss Forbes won the first prize in the "B" soprano class. Both girls are among the promising young vocal talent that is being developed in the city, and Mr. Carrie foretold their success some time ago.

REV. FLOYD T. HOLLAND WILL ADDRESS MEETING

Rev. Floyd T. Holland of Adelaide Street Baptist Church will be the chief speaker at the annual meeting of the London Boys' Work Board, Y. M. C. A., at the Blue Dragon Tea Rooms on Friday night.

The business of the evening will include the election of officers and the year's reports covering work with about 900 boys will be gone into. The board is made up of representatives of different churches throughout the city, who go over the work of the year. Fred McAllister is the chairman.

IMMIGRANT PARTY ARRIVES

An immigrant party of 25 arrived in the city today and were found work with district farmers by John Farrell, of the immigration department. The men were from England and Ireland, and one Irishman boasted a family of seven.

New Canadian Govt. Tariff Great Boom to Australian Trade, Representative Says

Will Allingham, McClary's Agent, Visits Canada in Interests of Business.

GROWTH IS RAPID

American Products Far From Popular on Island, Official Declares.

The average Canadian knows so little of Australia beyond the fact that it is an island and part of the British Empire that a talk with a visitor from "down under" is always interesting and instructive.

Will Allingham, of Melbourne, Victoria, who was in the city last week, who is the Australian agent for the McClary Manufacturing Company of London, talking to The Advertiser, spoke of the extraordinary industrial progress that has been made and the expansion that has taken place in the size of the larger Australian cities.

"Sydney," he said, "is now over a million, and Melbourne is over the three-quarter million mark. New suburbs have sprung up around both these cities since 1918, and it is the same in the smaller state towns in Victoria and New South Wales. At the present time, Melbourne is the largest manufacturing city south of the equator, and we are also in the process of building a national capital at Canberra, which, however, is merely to be a governmental headquarters. It is the outcome of the jealousy that has always existed between Victoria and New South Wales in having the headquarters of the federal government, and when it is finished will probably be the finest laid out town in the world."

"Brown Coal" Deposits. A new development that is of interest to Canadians is the discovery of vast deposits of "brown coal" in the state of Victoria, which is owned by the state, and the railways in all the states and which is being used to generate electric power. So cheap has this power become that the hydro which was in use before has been abandoned and the "brown coal" power substituted. These deposits are large enough to last for a couple of centuries, says Mr. Allingham, and business starts early in the morning, so that everyone can get a game of tennis, or a swim, or a game of cricket before supper.

The large influx of Britishers since the close of the war has been a boon to Australia," said Mr. Allingham, "and the government by its wise and very generous treatment of ex-soldiers and their families, and schemes has enabled them not only to start on the land but to stay there."

Business Is Good. Business in general in Australia is good, as the farmer has had a good season and wool prices have been high. Of the possibilities of the export of Canadian goods to Australia, Mr. Allingham says: "At the present time there is the greatest antipathy in my country towards the United States, probably a relic of the early war years, when we can buy anything from some other country we do so. This desire on the part of Australians, however, is very largely made possible by the cheapness of goods from Canada and the consequence many things which we would buy from you or from Great Britain, if we could, we cannot afford to."

"Most of the rubber goods which are imported into Australia come from Canada, especially auto tires. In fact, a large number of cars are sent from Canada and are extremely popular with us. Owing to the boom in electrical power and its cheapness, there is a strong demand for machinery and household appliances such as toasters, stoves, heaters, and so on. These are made better in Canada than elsewhere, and we buy all this class of goods from you."

American Capitalists. Mr. Allingham points to a phase of Canadian industrial development which is coming to be given much thought in this country, the increasing control by American capitalists of Canadian industries.

"In this respect," he said, "we feel sometimes that when we buy from Canada we are buying products made with the aid of American capital. However, we are getting to know more of Canada in the last few years since the war, and I think this prejudice will grow less in time."

A tariff has just been granted by the Canadian government to Australia to apply on dried fruits, and this in turn will be met with a similar tariff preference on the part of Australia, all of which helps to make the interchange of goods easier and more profitable.

"The fact that Australia has a labor government in power does not seem to have hindered industry except in this way, that foreign capital has been loath to come into the country."

"There is a radio now in every back block, and in every back country station," said Mr. Allingham, "It is the salvation of the man in the far-away lands up north, in what we call the 'Never-Never' lands. In the old days the chaps out there came to town once a year, and did all their shopping on the only chance they had. They used to get a newspaper when the mails came in once a week, and they were about as far away from civilization as a white man can be. Now things are better, and the radio keeps them in touch with the cities and with world news."

Mr. Allingham is taking back with

A Train Speeds Through Bullets

Associated Press Despatch.

Vera Cruz, April 29.—The action of the engineer in putting on full steam in the face of a fusillade of shots saved a passenger train on the Mexico Railway, attacked by rebels about 30 miles from Vera Cruz Saturday. It was learned today.

The passengers, numbering about 50, were panic-stricken, but none was injured. Many of the rebels are reported to have been wounded by the return fire of the military guard.

RUN FOR OTTAWA OR RUN AT HOME?

Either One Seems Possible For Mayor at Conclusion of His Term.

On to Ottawa or the mayor's chair again in 1925?

Here is a subject for informal debate on a quiet night. Mayor Wenig is out on his feet and early this morning, sometimes out in the annexed districts of East London; sometimes in another section of the city.

He was last seen over in West London, discussing with pedestrians and others the possibilities of a pavement on the Wharncliffe road.

Some think that the mayor is bidding for support as a prospective candidate at the next federal election, and that his frequent jaunts into distant subdivisions is part of his preliminary ground work.

Others think, however, that he has been induced to stretch his two-year record into a seven-year "hitch" at a Tommy Church of Toronto.

From the mayor's offhand comment this morning, either or both conclusions could be safely gathered. The mayor was talking about the recent charge about "Wenig one-man government" at the city hall.

"I can't see it," he stated. "The mayor is supposed to be the head of the city. He is given certain powers by the provincial statutes. It should be his duty to exercise those powers whenever occasion demands. I am not going to stretch his two-year record into a seven-year 'hitch' at a Tommy Church of Toronto."

And here is the significant conclusion: "The people will still retain the right to say at the December election: 'Stay home, George,' and there won't be any hard feelings on my part if they say that. I know this, that I can lose less money attending to my own business than in my present capacity. But I am in public life because I feel it is every person's duty to assume his share of that responsibility."

PROVINCIAL INSPECTOR VISITS LONDON TODAY

"Buster," a Wise Police Dog, Accompanies Inspector Putnam on Trip.

Inspector Putnam of the Ontario Provincial police, with headquarters at Windsor, was a visitor at Middlesex headquarters today.

The inspector was merely on a tour of inspection through Western Ontario, and his visit to London carried no special significance.

Accompanying him on his trip is "Buster," a police dog, and the personal property of the inspector.

"Buster" views every person with suspicion until his master speaks to him, and he is taking a good deal of time to get used to two reporters until his master put his "O.K." on the newspapermen.

Customs Clock Likes Variety

One Face Says Half Past Two, Another Quarter to Three.

Half-past two says one of the faces of the customs house clock, and the other three asserts the second, and the third is just five minutes to the hour.

"How long before they wind up the tired old clock?" asks a citizen standing in front of the postoffice.

"Dunno," answers another. "Been that-a-way long time now, but I heard it said the other day that one of the members of the council a-head of it being stopped so they might do something about it soon."

HAROLD F. FRANK.

The death occurred yesterday at his parents' residence, Brick street, of Harold Frederick Frank in his fifth year.

He is survived by his parents, four brothers and four sisters. The funeral will be held tomorrow morning at 10:30 to St. Peter's Cemetery.

him several fine pictures of the McClary plant in the city, and has as well a film in his Australian office of the operations of the plant which he uses as propaganda in favor of the use of Canadian-made goods in Australia.



Above, from left to right: Mrs. S. V. Cooke, who takes the role of Lady Leicester; Gordon Knapp, who represents Bolton, the American detective; and Major Logan Powers, who takes the part of Briggs of Scotland Yard, in the "Three Live Ghosts."



American girl; Mrs. Gordon Hutchison as Peggy Woofers, and Mrs. Nelson George, who took the lead as Old Sweetheart.



President, Miss Leah Rice; first vice-president, Wilfred Boyce; second vice-president, Mrs. Anna Brokenshire; third vice-president, Ben Folkes; fourth vice-president, Mrs. C. Lampkin; recreational vice-president, Arthur Wright; fifth vice-president, W. Hulbert; recording secretary, George Winder; corresponding secretary, Mary Spay; treasurer, Mrs. W. Hulbert; pianist, Mrs. G. Belbeck; assistant pianist, Leslie Davis; press reporter, Miss Ida Wambold; Rev. G. T. Watts, the pastor, presided over the election. Installation of officers take place at the meeting next Monday.

News From City Churches

NEW ST. JAMES' CONCERT.

The congregation of New St. James' Presbyterian Church, following the Sunday anniversary service, celebrated their eightieth birthday very successfully last night with a concert and social. Members were present in large numbers, and the program which followed was a very successful one.

Those who took part in the splendid program which followed were: choir leader, Mrs. Grant-Harris; piano, Mrs. Grant-Harris; organist, Mrs. Grant-Harris; and Mrs. Grant-Harris.

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CHINAMAN GIVEN WEEK'S REMAND FOR SENTENCE

Hector Zwick Committed For Trial on Charge of Procuring.

GIRL DISCHARGED

Hector Zwick of St. Williams, Ont., was committed for trial by Magistrate Graydon this morning on a charge of procuring and being a procurer of a house of prostitution, and William Quan, a Chinaman, was found guilty and remanded a week for sentence on a charge of being the keeper of a house of prostitution. The girl in the case was discharged.

Zwick, Quan and a young girl were arrested in a raid on the Chinaman's rooms over a Dundas street salge, last Tuesday night, led by Sergeant James Oakley.

The girl, in evidence given at Zwick's preliminary hearing, stated she had known Zwick for four months, having met him in a restaurant. She stated she wanted to go to the United States, and she had given him a total of \$140 on an instruction to take her to the States.

Quant, who has been in police court on two previous occasions, on a similar charge, was given a grueling cross-examination by Crown Attorney Albert Judd, who insisted on getting straight answers from the witness.

"A most disgusting case," commented the court in remanding Quant to jail.

Zwick will be brought before the county judge in the course of a few days.

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LIBRARY BOOKS ARE GREAT AID TO GARDEN 'BUGS'

New Volumes Tell

NOTED ADVOCATE MUNICIPAL GOLF WILL SPEAK HERE

Subscribers' Committee To
Hear Talk From Ralph
Connable Tonight.

500 NAMES ON ROLL

Ralph Connable, general manager in Canada for the Woodworth stores and the man who made the Humber Valley golf course in Toronto possible, will address the subscribers' committee of the London civic golf course tonight in the Indian room of the Tecumseh House at 8 o'clock, on the facts of building and operating a municipal course.

Mr. Connable, who is an enthusiastic golfer and who has done more than any other one man for the cause of municipal courses in Canada, has come to London at his own expense to tell Londoners who are behind the civic course at Springbank just how the Humber Valley course got its start and of the benefits now enjoyed by Torontonians from the use of the course.

At present there are about five hundred names on the forms of subscription for the London course, and his only six hundred are needed to make the course an actuality, the sponsors of the movement are more hopeful of success than at any time since its inception.

With six hundred subscribers at \$10 a head, the course will get going. This money will allow of the building of the greens, the erection of a site to act as clubhouse for the first year, and for operating expenses. A subscriber will be allowed as many games during the season as he can find time to play, so that the annual fee of \$10 offers a lower rate of golfing than in any other city in the country.

CERTAIN COUNCILLORS WOULD APPEAL SUIT

Finance Committee To Talk
Final Disposition of the
McCormick Tax Case.

If certain members of the city council could have their way, the annexed tax suit against the McCormick Manufacturing and other East End firms would be carried to a higher court, as an appeal against the recent judgment handed down by Mr. Justice Kelly, who ruled against the city.

The question comes to the finance committee tomorrow night for final disposition and City Treasurer James Bell will receive definite instructions as to whether he shall immediately collect the usual tax from the industries or wait further action.

City authorities were inclined to believe today that further expenditure for litigation would be unwise. Certain members of the council have already suggested a ruling from the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, but the officials consider that it would be scarcely likely that the members of that board would upset a ruling from their predecessors who sanctioned the annexation agreement, and the fixed assessment of 15 mills.

While Mayor George Wenig declines to offer any comment other than that "he has his personal views in the question of an appeal," it is suspected at the city hall that he would support a measure to that effect if the same was introduced.

Formation of Giant Kettles Along Lake Huron Outlined



DENNIS J. TALLANT,
chairman of the housing commission, who resigns from that board to take up his residence in Detroit. He has accepted an excellent post as state representative for a shoe concern in that city.

KWANNON WINNER OF EPSOM STAKES

Four-Year-Old Bay Filly First
in Great Metropolitan
Stakes.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 29.—W. M. G. Singer's 4-year-old bay filly Kwannon, by Kwang Su-Osaka, trained by Scourfield, this afternoon won the great Metropolitan stakes at Epsom, winning by one and a half lengths from A. H. Tennant's 5-year-old bay colt Boddam, by Ultimatus-Princess Longniddry. Sierra Leone, a 4-year-old bay gelding, by Great Sport-Canyon, owned by Lord Derby, who started favorite, finished third, beaten by a neck. Thirteen ran. Kwannon started at 9 to 1 against Boddam at 100 to 8 against, and Sierra Leone at 3 to 1 against.

SESSION IS POSTPONED FOR SHRINERS' EVENT

Board of Works Will Hold
Regular Session Tomorrow
Afternoon.

The regular session of the board of works, scheduled for tonight, has been postponed until tomorrow afternoon in view of the Shrine activities in the city today. Several members of the board will be in attendance for the later event.

Members of the finance committee meet tomorrow night, and while Ald. Leonard Douglass advised last week against any further consideration of the British report, unless at a special session, Mayor Wenig disagrees. He insists that this should come up tomorrow night in the regular order of business after routine matters have been disposed of.

Professor J. W. Russell Denies
Rock Formations of
Meteoric Origin.

ENTOMBED ANIMALS

Remains of Concretions Are
Believed To Be Greatest
Collection in World.

Professor J. W. Russell of the department of geology, University of Western Ontario, effectively blasts the theory that the rock formations at Kettle Point are of meteoric origin. A recent article stating that these "kettles" were developed from the showers of meteors which fell to the earth millions of years ago, Prof. Russell claims to be untrue.

The "kettles" at Kettle Point, Lake Huron, have interested motorists for many years. They are supposed to constitute the greatest collection of such formations in the world. Prof. Russell declares that the "kettles" are actually the remains of concretions which entombed prehistoric plants and animals. These concretions are always a matter of interest to geologists. Prof. Russell said, "They represent on a large scale what occurs in many other localities in the shaly shales that outcrop at Kettle Point and extend southwards to the Ohio State were laid down under marine marsh conditions and contain the remains of many Devonian plants and animals. Many of these animals lived in shells and during the consolidation of the beds the lime of the shells migrated chemically and formed concretions about any larger body of limestone, such as a fish tooth. The regularity of the kettles resulted from their slow chemical growth. Equally interesting to their shape is the distinct odor of petroleum that is noticed when one of the kettles is broken open. It is generally believed that the petroleum of Western Ontario was derived from the remains of plants and animals that were entombed in the shales in which the kettles occur.

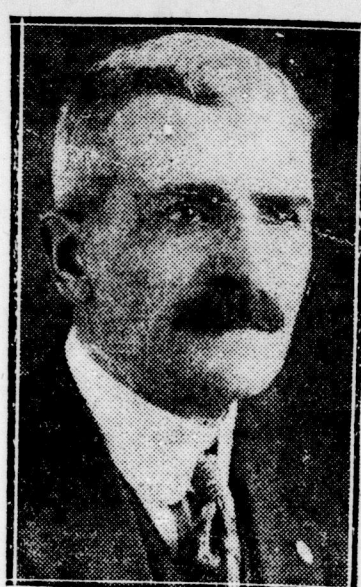
There are other theories as to the origin of the kettles, usually more or less fantastic. The idea that they might be of meteoric origin is both fantastic and absurd."

DRAKE WOULD COMBINE TWO ELECTRIC ROADS

Alderman Points Out Only
One Set of Offices and
Barns Needed.

Buy the London Street Railway and hook it up under one administration with the London and Port Stanley Railway is the advice from Ald. Gordon Drake, with this one stipulation, however, that the purchase price does not exceed \$1,000,000. Ald. Drake is confident that the ratepayers will buy at that figure, but not a nickel more. He thinks that they should be allowed to express their view upon any price secured from the company by Mayor George Wenig and also upon a proposal to sell under the agreement clause of the city's agreement with the company.

He foresees much saving by an amalgamation of the L. & P. S. with the city lines, pointing out, as an instance, that the company's car barns and offices on Lyle street could be sold, and sufficient accommodation for all the cars be provided on the city's property at Philip street, where the L. & P. S. offices and car barns now are.



JOHN ASHTON,
ex-alderman and member of the housing commission, recommended as chairman of the latter body, following the resignation of the present incumbent in office.

PLUMBERS SCORE CITY'S 'STRATEGEM' IN EMPLOYING MAN

"Mechanic" Hired To Do the
Work—Wages Lower Than
Plumbers' Union Scale.

NOT PLAYING FAIR

A plumber by any other name costs less is apparently the opinion of some trustees of the board of education, according to several members of the plumbers' union.

It all began in this way. Some weeks ago No. 2 committee of the board decided that the board should have at its disposal the services of a regular professional plumber and asked the board to instruct the clerk of works to hire a plumber for this purpose. This would have been all fine and dandy had the board not also decided to hire the man as a "mechanic" and pay him wages lower than the plumbers' union allows. Here lies the root of the trouble. The plumbers local argues that a plumber can work only for union wages, and claims that the board is not doing everything according to the action of the board in trying to get highly-skilled labor under what they term false pretences is unfair.

At last night's meeting of the local union of plumbers the matter was fully discussed, and a delegation was appointed to wait on the board of education with the appointment of Mr. Tigney, the plumber in question.

A. W. Lyon, secretary of the plumbers' union, said that this was a matter that the union had been watching for some time and that some action was necessary in the matter. The fact that Mr. Tigney is not specifically employed by the board as a plumber, and that he does not receive union wages for his work, is the crux of the situation from the union's point of view.

OLD-TIME JUBILEE.

An old-fashioned jubilee service was held in Petrolia on Sunday when Adjutant and Mrs. Spooner of the Salvation Army, London, took charge of the old-time meetings in that place. Long service badges were presented to the sergeant-major and the secretary of the Petrolia Corps, who have served 25 and 20 years, respectively.

JOLLY BIRTHDAY FESTIVAL ALL OVER WHEN "COPS" CAME

Trio of 23-Year-Olds Fare
Well in Court—Two Freed,
One Fined \$10.

POLICE LOSE TRAIL

Sergt. Last and P. C. Shaw
Find Only Empty Bottles
At Party.

But when they got there,
The bottles were bare,
And so the police got none.

It was just a little birthday party, that was all, but there was a bottle of whiskey as guest of honor, and two pretty little flasks which also helped to make the evening a fairly jolly one, even if it did cause three "swimming" heads and a trip to the police station for three young men, who each gave their age to police as "23."

Fortunately for the young men they were carrying the contents of the bottle in their own private dwellings, in other words, their "tummies," otherwise the jollification would have cost one of the trio a \$200 fine in police court this morning.

Sergeant Last, who was the only witness called by the young men, stated he noticed the three friends at Richmond and Dundas streets, and Constable Shaw followed the trio to King and Richmond streets, and lost the trail for the time being. By the time the scent was picked up once more, the trio had disappeared into the Dominion Savings Building to hear the fateful words, "Finish them and wash the glasses."

A few moments later the birthday party broke into view, and on searching the boys, the sergeant found one empty whiskey bottle labeled "Seagrams' Three Star," and an empty flask on one youth, and the other flask on celebrant No. 2. The third man was without any "evidence" on his person.

Questioned by the magistrate, the young man who had claimed it was his birthday, stated that the sergeant had told the truth pretty well. He wanted to get a lawyer to defend him, but the court informed him it was too late in the case to be asking for counsel. The prisoner was on the point of resigning himself to a \$200 fine, when sunshine descended upon the case, and an official of the bar of two of them, and a \$10 fine for being drunk on the other.

"Very fortunate for you that there was no liquor in the bottle," commented the magistrate.

SCAFFOLD BREAKS, FIVE ARE SAVED

Carpenters Have a Narrow
Escape From Injury While
Working On Roof.

Five carpenters employed by Howard & Walker were working late yesterday afternoon at the rear of a double house at 27-29 Malind street were saved from serious injury when the scaffold on which they were working collapsed. Two of the men were standing against a wall of a nearby building, while the other three hung from the eaves.

But for the fact that the eaves were a new one, they would have probably fallen to the ground.

36 BODIES ARE TAKEN FROM VIRGINIA MINE

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The Benwood mine of the Wheeling Steel Corporation, where workers today were working from two entries in an effort to reach 89 other men believed to have been entombed by an explosion yesterday morning. They had little hope of finding the trapped men alive. The bodies of only three of the 22 recovered had been identified, the most of them being burned beyond recognition.

Rescue workers in the Brown's Run entry, where most of the bodies recovered were found, and those in the Benwood entry, less than 3,000 feet apart, and the two groups will likely have the rock fall cleared sufficiently to join by noon Wednesday, it was declared by those in charge.

J. W. Carpenter of the Benwood plant of the Wheeling Steel Corporation this morning announced that 111 men were in the corporation's mine at the time of the explosion, and he issued a list which he said had been carefully checked, and was official. Earlier in the night George Holliday Sen, superintendent of the mine, had announced that a check had shown 114 men in the works when the blast came.

None of the officials of the corporation was able to fix a cause for the disaster, and L. N. Scott, president of the corporation, said that there had been no evidence of gas until two months ago, when a small explosion occurred.

In a steady, drizzling rain, throughout yesterday and far into the night, mute groups of women and children, kin of the victims, waited at the two entrances, which were guarded by cordons of mine police.

Ship's Captain Wins Gold Cane

Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, April 29.—Captain A. B. Calvert was today presented with a gold-headed cane as a souvenir of the fact that his ship, the Cornishman, was the first ocean steamer up the St. Lawrence this season.

The cane is given every year by the harbor commissioners. Captain Calvert won it in 1922.

Church News

CHALMERS LADIES' AID.

Preliminary arrangements for a bazaar to be held next fall were made last night at the regular meeting of the Ladies Aid of Chalmers Presbyterian Church. The following ladies were made conveners of the various departments: Aprons, Mrs. A. Eadie, Mrs. J. Howland, Mrs. W. Legg; children's wear, Mrs. J. Tilley and Mrs. D. McPherson; fancy work, Mrs. M. Foster and Mrs. W. Veane; candy, Mrs. H. McHarg and Mrs. J. Richardson; miscellaneous, Mrs. A. Webb and Mrs. A. M. Piper; home cooking, Mrs. G. Trigg and Mrs. H. Geddes; tea room, Mrs. F. Duguid, Mrs. B. Brown, Mrs. R. Smith and Mrs. R. Duncan. Mrs. McHarg, the president, was in charge of the meeting, and Mrs. J. Tilley assisted with the devotional exercises.

HARVEST REAPERS' BAND.

The annual meeting and election of officers of the Harvest Reapers' Mission Band of the Empress Avenue Methodist Church was held yesterday afternoon. One of the most encouraging features was the treasurer's announcement that over \$100 had been raised by the band during the past year. As the result of the election, over which Mrs. R. M. Berry, president of the W. M. S. presided, the new officers are as follows: President, Katherine Charlton; first vice-president, Jean Spooner; recording secretary, Lois Bathurst; treasurer, Edith Bowler; corresponding secretary, Violet Fisher; secretary, Florence Rossiter; superintendent of mite boxes, Olive Kerrin; superintendents of the palm branch department, Nellie Last and Olive Rayson; superintendent, Violet Michie; hymn book steward, Percy Last.

EMPRESS AVENUE LEAGUE.

The losing team in a recent contest, captained by Miss Margaret Davis, paid defeat very successfully in the form of a social and entertainment for the winning side at the regular meeting of the Epworth League of Empress Avenue Church last night. The program included the opening Bible lesson, and by S. Parson, a vocal solo by Miss Mildred McGuffin, a saxophone solo by Leslie Boyce, and readings by Mrs. Eckhart. At the conclusion of this, the members adjourned to a basement, where a jolly hour was spent in games, and at the conclusion refreshments were served. There were about fifty present.

DUNDAS CENTER LEAGUE.

Officers were installed, together with a very successful concert and banquet, held last night by the Young People's Society of Dundas Center Methodist Church. The banquet, served in splendid style by the Ladies Aid, followed the evening program, the principal feature of which was an address by Rev. W. E. Milson, delivered especially to the young people, and of a very helpful and inspirational character. A feature which caused great satisfaction was the treasurer's report, given by Miss Rita Barlow, in which it was announced that the objective of the league had practically been reached, the small remaining sum to be contributed during the next few days. Other interesting features on the program were the readings by Miss Edna McLeod, and solos by Miss Gertrude Morgan, Rev. (Capt.) John Garbutt, pastor of Dundas Center Church, conducted the installation service. Votes of thanks were tendered to those who had assisted in the successful evening. Mr. Frank Adams moving a vote of thanks to the Ladies Aid, and Mr. H. Hardy to Rev. W. E. Milson and others who assisted with the program. Dr. B. E. Wilson was chairman of the evening, and responsible for the program.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL Y.P.S.

A debate, "Resolved, that there is more inducement to nautical endeavor in the United States than in Great Britain," formed the principal feature of the last night's regular meeting of the Young People's Society of First Congregational Church. Both sides handled their arguments in a very interesting and entertaining manner, the final decision, however, going to the affirmative side, upheld by Miss Marion Wright and Mr. Wm. Read. The negative side was upheld by Miss Doris Annandson and Wm. Johnston. The judges were Rev. F. A. Steven, Albert Bock and Miss Emma Moulie.

FIRST CHURCH LADIES' AID.

With Mrs. W. H. Sabhorn as president, the principal officers of the Ladies Aid of First Methodist Church were re-elected to office at the annual meeting held yesterday afternoon.

HYATT AVE. LEAGUE.

Installation of the new officers took place at the regular meeting of Hyatt Avenue Epworth League last night. Miss Zetta Chown, the social vice-president, was in charge and a successful program carried out. Miss Ethel Littleton contributed a delightful vocal solo, following which there was the address of the evening, a talk on "Canadian Authors," by Mr. Frank Ball.

ALL SAINTS A. Y. P. A.
The social committee, with Mrs. Tom Boyle presiding, were in charge of the regular meeting of the A. Y. P. A. of All Saints Church last night. Group games, under the leadership of Mr. Dan Boyle, formed an enjoyable program. Refreshments were served at the conclusion with Miss Lillian Ivory and Miss Dilsdale in charge.

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MUNICIPAL PROCEDURE LAW A GHOST OF THE MISTY PAST

Minister Scores Non-Militarists

Special to The Advertiser.
Saratoga, April 28.—Addressing the memorial service at Point Edward Sunday night, Rev. Canon D. Collins of St. George's Anglican Church, Saratoga, speaking of military establishments in Canada, said there is a sickly sentimentalism in our country fostering the lack of preparedness. The same thing applied before the war.

noon. Other posts in the executive will be filled at the next regular meeting.

PLAY AT THAMESFORD.

The dramatic association of St. Marks' Church visited Thamesford last night, presenting their successful farce comedy, "The Uncles' Niece," to an audience which crowded the town hall. Following the performance, the cast were delighted to entertain with supper at the home of Mrs. Cooper.

MISSION BAND FORMED.

A mission band was organized and launched very successfully on its career at the Hyatt Avenue Methodist Church yesterday afternoon. With Miss Lily Hoffman as superintendent, the following officers were elected for the organization: president, Mary Dowling; vice-president, Lorne Curnock; recording secretary, Shirley Moore; corresponding secretary, Dorothy Tapper; treasurer, Leonard Peters. To assist with the organization, Mrs. G. Young, mission band superintendent of the branch auxiliary was present, and with her Mrs. W. Small and Mrs. Lewis of the Hyatt Avenue W. M. S. Several ladies of the congregation were present also and gave the children a special treat of candy and oranges at the conclusion of the meeting.

DUTIES OF M'KENNA ABOLISHED BY LABOR

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corresponding date the preceding year. The floating debt had been reduced during the year by \$235,000, or a year ago this debt was \$10,000,000 and on March 31 of this year it was \$774,500,000, the chancellor stated.

The total debt reduction, external and internal, since December, 1918, had been over \$650,000,000, Chancellor Snowden said.

"Our own real external debt is to the United States, \$240,500,000, and certain market loans in America amounting to about \$45,000,000," he explained.

He estimated the total expenditures for the year at \$790,625,000. The total revenue on the existing taxation basis the chancellor estimated at \$28,100,000, leaving an estimated surplus of \$38,074,000.

House Overflowing.

The chancellor estimated the total cost of all the reductions in taxation recommended this year at \$34,600,000, and in the full fiscal year at \$40,443,000. He therefore would be left with an estimated surplus of \$4,024,000.

The knowledge that the Labor government's first budget was to be presented caused the House of Commons to be filled to overflowing for the initial meeting after the Easter holidays. Many of the members were unable to find seats on the floor of the House and had to seek places in the gallery. There was a large attendance of members of the House of Lords in the peers' gallery. The distinguished strangers' gallery and the ladies' gallery also were crowded.

Obituary

MISS ELLEN SMITH.
The funeral of Miss Ellen Smith, who died in Victoria Hospital on Saturday, was held from N. J. Griffith's funeral parlors at 2:30 p.m. today to Woodland Cemetery. Rev. Bowley Green of Talbot Street Baptist Church officiated.

Miss Smith was 62 years of age and a daughter of the late Samuel Smith. She was for many years an officer in the Salvation Army, later joining the Baptist Church.

She is survived by one brother, Jacob Smith, and two sisters, Mrs. H. L. Landon and Mrs. M. Ogden, both of this city.

FUNERAL OF ELLA MURPHY.
The funeral of Ella Murphy who died on Sunday at her residence, 153 Sydney street, was held today at 8:30 to St. Peter's Cathedral, where requiem high mass was sung at 9 o'clock by the Rev. Father O'Donnell, who also officiated at the grave. The pallbearers were T. Hayes, John Coughlin, John Donohue, Joseph Shannon, Gerald Hanlon and Joseph Donnelly. Interment was made in St. Peter's Cemetery.

City Hall Officials Recall That
Mayor Lewis Had Same
Power Back in '79.

NO SUSPENSION

Power To Suspend Came in
J. C. Richter's Stewardship,
Baker Thinks.

London's municipal procedure by-law, the subject of much comment at this time, precipitated by Ald. John Greer's motion to limit the powers of the mayor, has its origin in the dim and misty past, city officials say.

There has always been procedure in the city council and even in the village council back in the good old '40s, but just when the original by-law had its inception is difficult to determine. No doubt the city council of 1854, when London was first recognized as a full-fledged city, had its rules and regulations.

But the first tangible evidence to be uncovered shows that bylaw 773 had its inception in 1879 when Peter Lewis was mayor and when the mayor of that day was given the same power over city employees as is the case today; subject of course to ratification by the committee having jurisdiction over the official or employee involved.

The bylaw of 1879 "governing the rules and procedure of council" consolidated in that year and amended from time to time, make no special mention, of course, of the mayor's right to suspend. He was given much power in other directions, but as today, however, he was empowered to see that city officials and employees carried out their duties; in lieu of which, in his opinion, of course, he was empowered to take such action as he saw fit. The committee then, as now, has the court of last appeal for the city employee.

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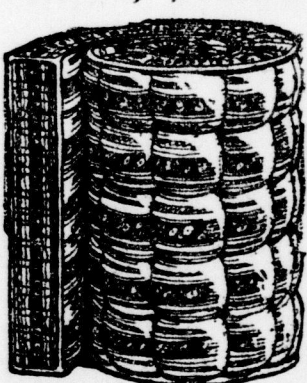
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Play Is One of Real Merit
With Talented Cast of
Actors.

Smiles that turned to chuckles that gave way to hearty laughter and prolonged applause greeted "Three Live Ghosts" at the Patricia Theatre last night.

In presenting its fourth annual production to London theatregoers the London Drama League established another record of high achievement. The three-act comedy, "Three Live Ghosts" by Frederick S. Isham and Max Marcin, played with happy international approval, was a happy selection inasmuch as it gave Londoners the opportunity of seeing a play of merit directed and played by their own players.

Throughout a story that was typically British were seen the subtleties of humor that belongs to England alone, and woven into it a pretty bit of romance, where moments were quickly relieved by spontaneous wit.

Old London Scenes.

The scene was laid in Old London, 1317. The theme centered about three soldier boys, who had been captured and sent to a German prison camp from whence they made their escape, and after much hardship reached England to find that the war office had reported them dead, making them in the eyes of the law three live ghosts.

Jimmie Gubbins, leader of the trio, brought his ghost pals, William Foster and Spooty, to the home of his step-mother, Mrs. Gubbins, known as "Old Sweetheart," who had been collecting insurance on her foster son, and pleaded with him to remain dead until she reached the last installment.

Spooty, a kleptomaniac, whose condition had been wrought by shell shock and resultant loss of memory, laid the wealth of lords at the feet of Mrs. Gubbins, who was eager for anything that savored of rewards or ready cash.

The gifts thus brought by Spooty also brought the police who found William Forester, wanted abroad for the theft of bonds, and his predicament brought the sympathy and support of Rose Gordon, former sweet-

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GARRY MCGARRY PLAYERS PRESENT "SHOW OF MERIT"

"Kempy" Opening At Grand
Last Night Draws Large
Audience.

HUMOROUS PLAY



PREMIER WARREN

of Newfoundland, whose request for dissolution of the Assembly and for a general election has been granted, and who will face two opposition parties in the coming contest.

heart of the soldier boy, who stood staunchly by him.

Mrs. Nelson George as Mrs. Muggins, vividly portrayed the "Costly woman type," that favorite butt for the jests of British humorists, and ever appeared to have just stepped from a Belcher cartoon or a picture from Punch. Her part called for versatility, and was most expressive where her part called for a characterization of those who live by their wits.

Harry Wyldie Stars.

Jimmie Gubbins, her foster son, Mervin Kenyon, played opposite in the difficult role of one trying to make peace in a troubled household. Spooty, Harry Wyldie, was splendid in his portrayal of the kleptomaniac who, with utter abandon, helped himself to everything in sight, from cakes of soap to Lady Leicester's baby.

Peggy Woofers, Mrs. Gordon Hutchinson, quoted her "ma" repeatedly, much to the amusement of the audience. William Foster, Reg. Faryon, who took the part of the American lad wanted for the theft, played effectively opposite Mrs. George Gunn as Rose Gordon, whose part was distinctive, calling for a restraint and poise which found a rich foil in the background of the blustering, blundering detective Briggs Gordon Knapp played the part of Bolton, American Detective Agency, and Mrs. S. V. Cooke the part of Lady Leicester.

The scene in Mrs. Gubbins' living-room drew much praise from the audience, picturing, as it did, one of those old-fashioned settings that are so often found in the by-streets of the busy sections of a modern city.

POPE WILL CALL CHURCH COUNCIL

Will Define Attitude of Roman Catholics On Doctrine of War.

By HENRY SOMERVILLE.
Special Cable to The Advertiser by a Staff Correspondent, Copyright.

London, April 28.—The pope is summoning a general council of the church to be held at Rome next year and attended by all Roman Catholic bishops. It is at the general councils that the great questions of faith, morals and discipline are decided.

The first general council was at Nicaea in 325 A. D., when the Nicene creed was drawn up. The last council, held at the Vatican in 1869, defined the pope's infallibility. This council was indefinitely prorogued on Oct. 30, 1870, when Garibaldian troops entered Rome.

It is expected next year's council will define the church's doctrine on war. The first steps taken in 1870, when the leading bishops had signed a postulation, which, after speaking of the burden of conscription and armaments, declared that not only ecclesiastics but statesmen and rulers are equally convinced that it is necessary to declare that part of the canon law which deals with the law of nations and with the character of war and defines how it becomes a duty or a crime.

The decisions of the general council are looked upon by all Catholics as infallible and of divine authority and new definition of doctrine of war would be of highest political as well as religious importance.

Obituary

DR. A. M. MacGREGOR.

The following notice of the death of a former Londoner appears in the Times of Irma, Alberta:

"Irma community was shocked to learn of the sudden death of Dr. A. M. MacGregor on Monday, April 7. He was found dead in his office at Edmonton."

Dr. MacGregor was the first physician to locate in Irma, Alberta, settling there in the early days. Being of a genial, kindly disposition he made a host of friends during his twelve years' practice in that district. For the past two years he had been practicing in Edmonton.

"He was a graduate of Western University, London, where he also received his early education."

"Besides his widow and daughter he is survived by two sisters and four brothers, Mrs. E. T. McDowell and Ellen E. of Irma, Alberta; Dr. J. A. of Kansas City, Kansas; Dr. J. F. of Delaware; Thomas R. and Evan of Caradoc."

REMOVED TO HOSPITAL.

Special to The Advertiser.
Dethl, April 28.—Lloyd Howey, a member of the 133rd battalion of London, was taken to a Toronto hospital Friday. He has been in ill-health for some time.

HALF A DOLLAR BILL, A TALE OF THE SEA. IS GOOD PICTURE

Excellent Program of Vaudeville Draws Applause of Loew's Patrons.

OTHER FEATURES

Domestic life as the average mortal experiences it, is not so thrilling, nor yet so nerve-racking as the series of events that literally played tag with one another, and then started all over again. In "Kempy," which was presented at the Grand Theatre last night by the Garry McGarry Players.

While few would go out of their way to live through the laugh-provoking tribulations of the Bence family, the fact remains that the petty differences, the cajoling of Dad, who is rather afflicted with rheumatism or indigestion, and the merriment that revolved around Kempy, the boyish plumber (who is really an architect) were remarkably typical of the routine of Canadian and American household life.

"Kempy" is still one of the reigning favorites on the American stage and the unique situations for which it is famous were developed to the fullest degree by the interesting cast headed by "Dad" Bence, who is himself one of the most capable character actors London has seen in stock companies for some time.

Edith Harcourt made an admirable "Ma" Bence. Her interpretation of the role of the sympathetic wife who strives to gratify the irregular whims of the members of the family won for her an equal share of the character playing.

Tranquil Existence.

The Bences were living a more or less tranquil existence until Kempy arrived. Jane, the eldest daughter, was married. Kate, whom nobody understood, had just returned home from her art studies, and was excited over the prospects of a musical comedy career in Atlantic City, and Ruth, the charming "baby," was passing away the time in the capricious manner which belongs to youth alone.

All was serene. Kate had hopes of effecting a reconciliation with "Duke" Merrill after their parting two years ago. Then Kempy came. Roger Pryor as Kemp James was the whole show, after he made his appearance. He came as the plumber (but he was really an architect) and he rushed out as the promised spouse of Kate.

Mr. Pryor fitted perfectly into the role of Kempy. With the self-consciousness of a dreamer and the fresh wit of a schoolboy, he made an immediate hit with his audience. Unimpaired by his own sophistication, it was no strenuous task for him to decide to marry Kate. Kate had written a book, Kempy had read it, and from it had come the inspiration to plan a church with four big spires and one dome. He had set his mind on marrying the girl who wrote the book. He came to her house to fix a water pipe, and met her after a quarrel with "Duke." They were married.

Roberta Clark.

Roberta Lee Clark, as Ruth, was the most vivacious and likable ingenue London has seen in a long time. It was her artless chatter that had paved the way for the meeting of Kate and Kempy, and it was the same naive manner that persuaded Kempy that Ruth was really the one he loved.

The action is brought to a climax when it is found that the marriage isn't legal through a technicality. Merrill, the lawyer, takes the steps to have it annulled and becomes reconciled with Kate. And Kempy turns to Ruth.

Jessie Paige was pleasing in the role of Kate Bence, the daughter, whose artistic inclinations were being constantly misinterpreted by her family. Stanley A. Andrews was thoroughly acceptable as "Duke" Merrill. Hamilton Christy played the role of the husband of Jane (Evelyn) Watson, the eldest daughter.

The company will repeat Kempy this afternoon, with the concluding performance tonight.

STEDMAN IS PLACED
ON TRIAL FOR MURDER

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 28.—On trial for his life, charged with the technicality of Herbert McClure, former music teacher to his children, William Austin Steadman appeared in the criminal assizes today before Mr. Justice Lennox and a jury. After the crown witnesses had given their evidence, defence counsel confined his defence solely to the question of Steadman's alleged lack of mental capacity at the time the crime was committed.

Outlining the case to the jury, crown counsel, J. Earl Lawson, told of the accused borrowing a revolver from a friend several months before the tragedy.

RECORD MADE.
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Clandeboye, April 28.—For probably the first time in the history of this locality, considerable seeding has been done this month, before the snowdrifts had disappeared.

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It is remarkable how many cases have been reported similar to this one. Many women are poorly at such times and get into a weakened, run-down condition, when it is essential to the mother, as well as the child, that her strength be kept up.

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His finds Bill's mother, and with her, happiness, but only as the result of a series of exciting events in which fists and wits and canine instinct play a part. Anna Q. Nilsson is cast as the mother, herself an outcast taken in by the kindly captain, and is at her best of charm and appeal. "Half a Dollar Bill" has small claim to pretensions in the movie line. Its chief virtue is in its simple strength, like that of the people it portrays. With this, it makes a thoroughly interesting picture.

The vaudeville has merit of its own. Hazel Cotter, who opens the program, is a clever young lady, whose acrobatic stunts are quite unusual and enable her to make a decided hit, with no support other than that of her skill.

"The Great Howard" is rather a pretentious title for the second act, but the audience yesterday conceded the ventriloquist who appeared under the title his claim to it. His vocal performance is such that the adjective "great" is not at all out of place. The concluding performance with the bones is interesting also.

J. C. Lewis and Company have a clever mélange of comedy and singing presented under the general cloak of a one-act play which went over very nicely. There is a great deal of humor, and the singing far from unpleasant. Catchy acts of this sort are as rare as they are delightful.

LETTERS OF BANK
TABLED IN HOUSE

Correspondence Between Government Officials and Home Bank Read.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 28.—The investigation by royal commission into the affairs of the Home Bank, which was to have been continued tomorrow morning, has been postponed till Monday, May 5. The hearing will be in Ottawa.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 28.—Some correspondence between government officials and the management of the Home Bank of Canada was tabled in the House of Commons today by the acting minister of finance. A letter from his department says that correspondence dealing with "routine payments, war loan matters and routine" is not included.

The file includes notices of changes in directorate, lists of assets and financial balances, such as are periodically sent by banks to the department, between Jan. 1, 1922, and the end of June, 1923.

Early in 1922 the government paid over to the assistant receiver-general in Toronto four sums totaling \$258,108, due to the Home Bank as its share of the repayment of a ten million-dollar loan previously made by the bankers to the imperial treasury.

A notice was sent to the Home Bank that its share would be paid by the assistant receiver-general when an advance made by the government under the bank act to the Home Bank of \$64,477 had been paid. Later the bank notified the department that it had paid its indebtedness and taken up the amount payable to it.

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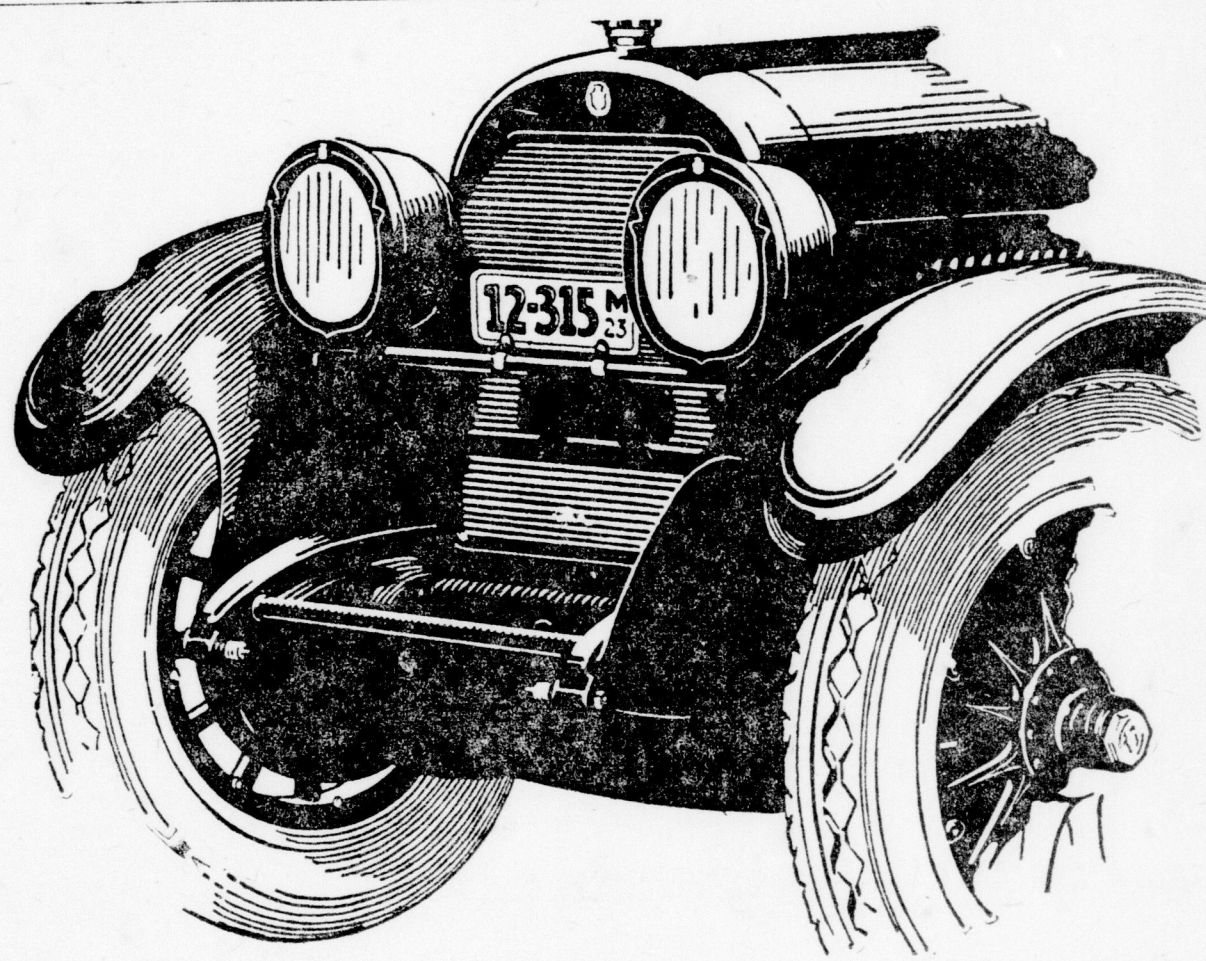
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Increase in Homicides in This Country.

Figures for the United States and Canada show an increase in the homicide rate in 1923 when the ratio was 7.3 for every 100,000 persons as against 6.3 in 1922.

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

What Is the Most Frequent Cause of a Woman's Downfall to the Lowest Level? Should She Be Pitied or Scorned? The Wife Who Is Jealous of Her Husband's Business Associate—What Can Be Done With a Man Who Won't Be Tidy?

Dear Miss Dix—Is a woman of the streets to be pitied or scorned, and what do you think is the cause, in most cases, her reaching this depth? A READER.



Answer: She is to be more pitied than scorned. God knows there is no other such misnomer as calling the downward path "the easiest way." It is only in fiction that primroses bloom along that road. In real life it is set with thorns and every step of the way is red with the blood, and silt with the tears of the poor unfortunates who tread it.

The Japanese have a truer vision of fallen women than we have. They call them "the sorrowful sisterhood." Well may we pity those who have bartered their birthright for a mess of pottage, and who for the sake of a passing infatuation, or for the gratification of their love of luxury and pleasure, have made of themselves outcasts among women and the playthings of brutal men.

There are many different paths that lead down to the hell of fallen women. One of these is misplaced love. Sometimes a woman loves not wisely, but too well, and becomes the victim of some conscienceless villain who betrays her. This does not happen very often. Nor does the woman who sins through love alone often reach the level of the streets. Nearly always she repents of her error in sackcloth and ashes and fights her way back to righteousness.

The chief of police in New York once told me that in a big city more girls go astray through loneliness than through any other cause. He said that the women of the streets were recruited from the country. Country girls came to town, allured by the bright lights. They got work in stores and factories and offices, but they lived in dingy and dreary hall bedrooms. They were lonely evenings. They had no companionships. They had no family restraint and they longed for fun and amusement.

So they went out and found it on the streets. They picked up acquaintance with the men who lay in wait for just such unsophisticated little girls as they. They were the ones who accepted a stranger's invitation to have a drink and go to a dance, or show, or who hopped in the automobile of the man who sang out, "Want a ride, girlie?" and took the joyride that ended for them in perdition.

My own observation is that the love of dress, the desire for fine clothes is responsible for the downfall of more girls than anything else. They literally sell their souls for a yard of chiffon and an evening in a cabaret. The poor girl who spends her days handling rich fabrics and selling costly garments to other women, not half as beautiful as she is gets obsessed by a mania for luxury. She can never hope to make the money herself to buy imported hats and gowns, and so she gets them in the one way that is open to her without counting its final cost.

And girls, rich and poor, are pleasure mad. They want the attentions of men and the good times that men give them, and when they find that men will only take them on wild parties if they are wild women, they have not the courage or the self-control or the high sense of honor that would make them refuse to pay the price.

So we may pity the women of the streets and scorn them—scorn them for the weakness that yields to temptation, and for the lack of intelligence that makes them throw away all that is worth having in life for nothing. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—I am closely connected in business with a man whose wife has recently become unjustly suspicious of us. The man and I are very much interested in our work and have worked together for eight years, but no question of sentiment has ever entered into our relationship, and neither of us would do anything to worry or injure the wife in any way.

If I give up my work it will mean the loss of years of hard labor and study. I would have to change employment, which would be very difficult for me to do, as I am past forty years old. Also, it would take me away from my parents, who need me, and I should be very unhappy to leave them.

If I were younger I would attempt a new field, but I don't believe I should sacrifice myself by giving up so much when there is nothing but a groundless jealousy the matter. Yet I hate to think of another woman suffering through me. What should I do? WORRIED.

Answer: I should think the best thing to do would be to go and have a real frank heart-to-heart talk with the wife. Make her see that you have no designs upon her husband and that he is no gay office lothario. Make her see that she is cruel and unjust in her suspicion of her husband and your wife. Make her see that you and the man are two middle-aged people who are far more interested in making money than you are in making eyes.

Often it is only a little wind of common sense that is needed to blow away the cloud of jealousy in a woman's mind and make her see things clearly instead of through the murky mist of her own imaginings. If the wife has any intelligence she will be amenable to reason, but if she is a fool she will not listen to you, and you can do nothing with her. In that case deal with her according to her folly. Brush her aside as if she didn't exist.

In any event, hold on to your job. There is no reason why you should throw away all that you have worked for so long because a silly woman sees ghosts. If you and the man were in love with each other it would be a different story. Then it would be your duty to leave, but inasmuch as you are both entirely innocent it would be foolish to break up a good business connection to please a woman who would be still more jealous of a younger woman employed by her husband. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—We have quite a lot of trouble in our house in regard to my husband's carelessness about himself and his clothes. He always used to look so nice before we were married, but he has grown so indifferent to his appearance that he never brushes his shoes or his clothes or keeps himself shaved, or does any of the things that a woman admires about a man. What can I do? DISGUSTED WIFE.

Answer: It is a pity that men do not realize that a woman hates a slovenly man even more than a man hates a slovenly woman, and that a man with a two-days' bristle of beard on his face is no more kissable than a woman with cold cream on hers.

Perhaps if you would tell your husband just how repulsive he looks to you he would do a bit. You can keep his clothes cleaned and pressed if you are willing to take that much trouble, and you can turn the hose on him if he doesn't bathe often enough, but I know of no way to get an unsightly man to shave. Certainly "safety first thing in the morning" should be the slogan of every man who wants to retain his wife's affection. DOROTHY DIX.

SIR W. MULOCK ELECTED NEW U. OF T. CHANCELLOR

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, April 28. — Sir William Mulock, chief justice of Ontario, is the new chancellor of the University of Toronto, succeeding the late Sir Edmund Walker. He was elected unanimously to the office at a meeting of the senate of the university tonight on the motion of Rev. Father

Carr of St. Michael's College, with Dr. E. R. Cameron of Ottawa as second. Prof. Baker also spoke, joining in the high tribute paid to Sir William's work for the institution.

FRUIT ADORNS VEIL.

New York, April 28. — Pears, peaches, grapes and strawberries made from flat bits of velvet, are strewn in the border of a spring veil. The veil itself, of wide, coarse mesh, is dark blue.

PERSONALS

Miss Harris, Eldon House, is visiting in Ottawa.

Miss Audrey Chapple of Hamilton is guest with Mrs. W. A. Mace, Hellmuth avenue.

Miss Phyllis Walker of Detroit is a guest with Miss Shirley Johnston, Colborne street.

Mr. and Mrs. N. J. Griffith have returned home after visiting in Hamilton and Ancaster.

Col. W. J. Brown and Mrs. Brown, who have been visiting in the south, have returned home.

Mrs. Gordon Wright is going to Wallaceburg today, where she will address the W. C. T. U.

David Wolf is leaving shortly for England and the continent, where he will spend the summer months.

Mrs. Diprose of Toronto is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Nelson George, and Dr. George, Dufferin avenue.

Mrs. Harley Brown and Miss Margaret Harley Brown were visitors in Hamilton last week with the Misses Hobson.

Mrs. Frank Asplund was the hostess of the regular meeting of the Hugh Niven Chapter, I. O. D. E., yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marr Grant, formerly Miss Orma Macdonald, have returned home after spending a few days in Toronto and Detroit.

Mrs. W. Courtis, Wortley road, south, will be the hostess of the next meeting of the Alma Daughters, which will be held Tuesday, May 13.

Owing to the illness of her daughter, Miss Erma Drake, who is training in Grace Hospital, Detroit, Mrs. G. B. Drake has been called to that city.

Miss Leah Lewis, who has spent the past three months visiting in Los Angeles, Cal., and Phoenix, Arizona, and other American cities, is expected home next week.

Mrs. Charles Sweet is entertaining at the tea hour tomorrow in honor of Mrs. Ed. Waller, who is leaving the end of the week for Ottawa, where she will reside in future.

The annual meeting of the ladies' golf committee of the Highland Club, is being held Friday afternoon at the club. The election of officers will be among the important business coming up.

Miss Una Rannall, whose marriage takes place shortly, was recently pleasantly surprised when the staff of the L. & P. S. freight office, presented her with a handsome set of table linen.

Mrs. Cundiff of Madison, Wis., is in town the guest of her daughter, Mrs. A. F. Nash, and Mr. Nash, Wortley road. Mrs. Cundiff visited her daughter, Miss Hannah Cundiff, in West Virginia, before coming to London.

Miss Kathleen Hyndman, who has been spending the past few months with her sister, Mrs. A. H. Aitken, Dufferin avenue, has returned to her home in Sherbrooke, Quebec, owing to the illness of her mother, Mrs. D. W. Hyndman.

Mrs. A. E. Miller is in Hamilton, where she attended an executive meeting of the Provincial Chapter, I. O. D. E., yesterday. This was a preliminary to the annual, which opens there today. Mrs. Miller is provincial councillor.

Mrs. Allan McLean of Toronto, formerly of London, is visiting Mrs. W. H. Fox, Waterloo street. A number of charming parties have been arranged in her honor, and yesterday afternoon Mrs. Fox entertained at the tea hour complimenting her guest.

Following the opening performance of the Drama League production, "Three Live Ghosts," last evening, Col. F. B. Ware, president of the league, and Mrs. Ware, entertained the members of the league, and the executive at a supper party at their home, London North.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Lerner entertained at dinner Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Agranove, who accompanied by their children are leaving shortly to reside in Detroit. Covers were laid for thirty guests, and the guests of honor were presented with a handsome clock following dinner.

Among the Londoners who are attending the meeting of the Provincial Chapter, I. O. D. E., being held in Hamilton, are: Mrs. E. H. Johnston, who is representing the Municipal Chapter; Mrs. R. L. Thomas; Mrs. G. L. Robertson, Mrs. W. F. E. Jarvis, Mrs. F. J. Greenaway, Mrs. B. E. Hookway, Mrs. W. H. Line, Mrs. E. J. Ram and Mrs. F. W. Lecky.

Meeting yesterday at the home of Mrs. J. S. Niven, in Colborne street, the members of the Lord Roberts Chapter, I. O. D. E., made plans for a bridge to be held in June at the residence of Mrs. W. J. Robinson at the Ontario Hospital. Mrs. E. H. Johnston presided over the meeting, and at the tea hour Mrs. Niven noured.

Miss Vale Genge was the hostess today of a charming luncheon given at the Highland Golf Club in honor of Mrs. E. Waller, who is leaving shortly to reside in Ottawa. Covers were laid for eight, the guests including Mrs. Waller, Mrs. T. H. Purdom, Mrs. Van Gordon, Mrs. W. G. Wright, Mrs. Seale Holmes, Mrs. W. J. McLean and Miss Kathleen White.

A number of parties are being arranged for the Ontario Hospital Nurses' Alumnae dance being held at this evening in the assembly hall at the hospital. Music will be supplied by Ronnie Hart's Orchestra, and the committee in charge of the arrangements includes Miss Ethel Currie, Miss Nina Scott, Mrs. Stanley Grosvenor, Miss Edna Reed and Miss C. Sutherland.

Mrs. M. Millson, Askini street, was the hostess last week of a miscellaneous shower given in honor of her niece, Miss Olive Mann, a bride-elect of next month. Golden daffodils and pussy willows were arranged throughout the rooms, and the attractive gifts were presented to the guest of honor in a basket gaily decorated in yellow and white. The guests numbered fifteen, and later in the evening a dainty supper was served by the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. J. French, 31 Josephine street, Chelsea Green, entertained recently in honor of Mrs. C. Aldridge, who is leaving shortly for England. Euchre was played, the prizes going

WOMEN and THE HOME

Jerry Muskrat Is Forced To Move When Mistress Spring Arrives

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Sweet Mistress Spring had not loitered on her way up from the Sunny South this year. She had been in a hurry to arrive. Gentle South Wind had done her very best to melt the snow and have it out of the way before the arrival of sweet Mistress Spring. But there hadn't been time enough. You see, there had been a great deal of snow, a very great deal. So when sweet Mistress Spring arrived there still was a great deal of snow in the sheltered place in the Green Forest. Right away she started in to help gentle Sister South Wind melt that snow.

Now, just as usual, Jerry Muskrat had spent a most comfortable winter. It hadn't mattered to him in the least how much snow and ice there was. For all he cared the snow might have reached the tops of the trees in the Green Forest. Of course it didn't. But if it had it would have made no difference to Jerry. Jerry simply ate when he was hungry, slept much of the time in his comfortable house, and when he wanted exercise swam about under the ice. He could always find places where he could get fresh air. So while many of his neighbors were worrying and suffering, Jerry was entirely comfortable.

But now Jerry was beginning to



"I guess I shall have to move," muttered Jerry.

Worry. You see, when snow is melted it becomes water, and that water must run off somewhere. Sooner or later most of it reaches the Laughing Brook, and goes down the Laughing Brook to the Big River, and down the Big River to the Great Ocean. When the water does not come in, as it is, the water keeps rising. I am afraid I will lose it. I am afraid I will sweep my house away just as happened once before.

He dived and went inside. The water was just beginning to trickle over the floor of his bedroom. Pretty soon there was no place where he could lie down and keep dry. Jerry shook his head. "I've got to move," said he.

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The next story: "Jerry Muskrat Moves."

Prefer Buses to Undergrounds.

London traffic is said now to be the slowest in the world. Although once it was the swiftest, it now moves at only four or five miles an hour. One reason is that people prefer riding on buses instead of underground.

Fashions By Wire

TULIP YELLOW SHOWN.

Paris, April 28.—Tulip yellow is a sports shade which looks especially well in the flannel costumes so much in vogue today. It is a strong, deep yellow, which makes the paler tints of the earlier season look a bit insipid.

DECORATION PLAQUES.

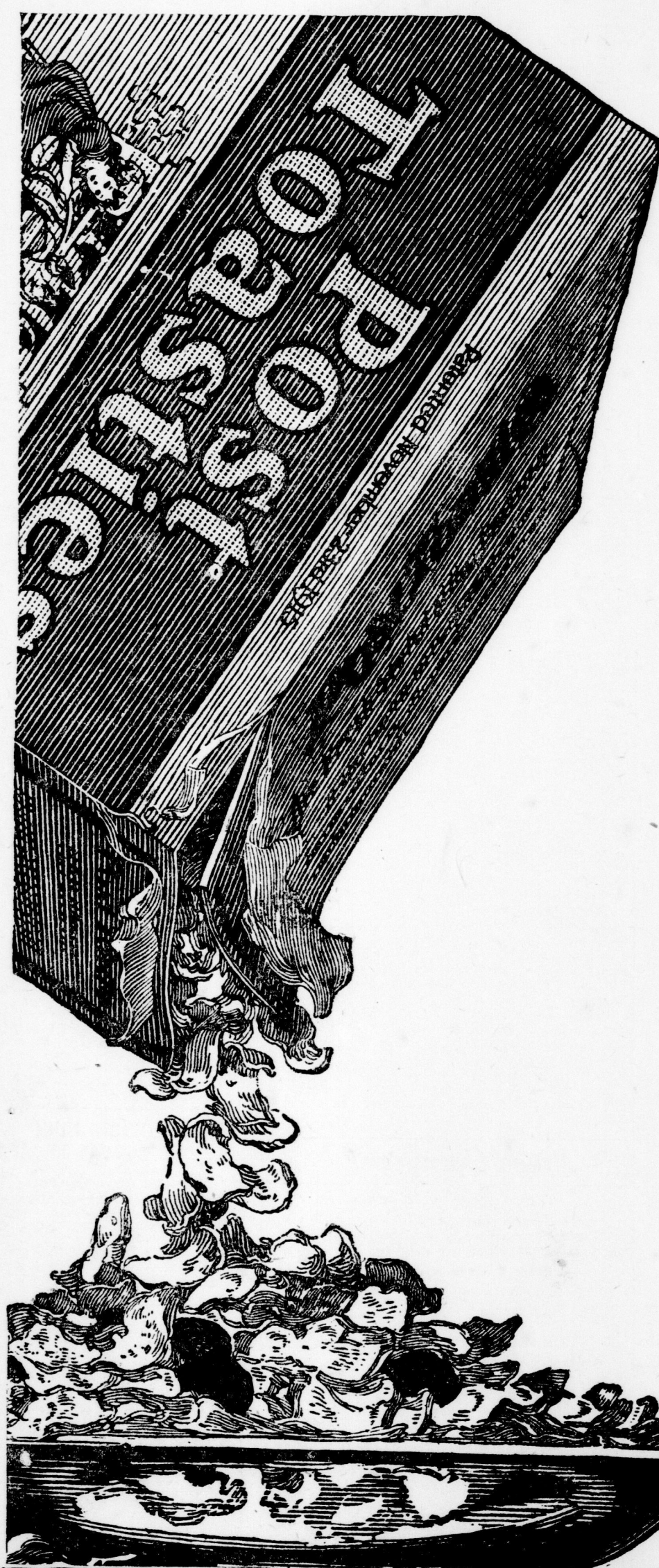
Paris, April 28.—Old Assyrian kings have been hailed forth from oblivion to decorate the modern hats, the half girdles and the hosiery. The picturesque features and brilliant head dresses of Assyrian rulers are used as decorative plaques or motifs, the result being odd but effective.

ORIENTAL JEWELRY.

London, April 28.—Old fashioned jewelry of the Oriental sort is seen rather frequently now. Big slabs of turquoise matrix set in silver, or moonstones alternating with garnets, are two of the combinations most liked.

DEEP ORANGE POPULAR.

New York, April 28.—A stroll along upper Fifth avenue among the exclusive little shops indicates what a strong grip the deep orange tints have on the mode. Wraps and frocks and hats in these shades are a matter of course, but there is even some beautiful lingerie in radium silk, which is burnt oranges and ivory.



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Facing Both Directions.

Niel W. Aasen, a Norwegian inventor, with a record of accomplishment big enough to give him entrance to any war office, is in New York with a bundle of ideas about new ways to make war more horrible than ever before.

His mission is to demonstrate a new depth bomb to be hurled from an aeroplane, proving the superiority of that machine over the warship. He drops one of these new bombs on a giant sea fighter, and that ends it all.

While all this is going on a new gun has been demonstrated at Fort Totten, where U. S. ordnance department is operating. It throws 15 shells per minute a distance of from 30,000 to 36,000 feet. An aeroplane can be shot down at over three miles high. The gun can be rushed to any position or placed on a battleship and made ready for operation in five minutes.

While all these activities are going on in United States President Coolidge is suggesting Washington as the scene of another disarmament conference.

Does it not show the topsy-turvy condition of the world?

On one side are military experts and inventors, paid by the people, experimenting, setting one force of destruction against another force of destruction. They build giant battleships, then aeroplanes and bombs to destroy them; the next step leads them to the development of guns that will destroy the aeroplanes that were built to destroy the battleships.

Against that is the great national machine, the government at Washington, also financed by the people, laying plans for a conference which, if it means anything at all, must seriously discuss the problem of wiping out these forces of destruction which are being so feverishly constructed.

The same people are thus financing two great movements, one diametrically opposed to the other. It is a deliberate policy of facing both ways. If it is their intention to work for peace, why not say so boldly, and concentrate energies in that direction?

The Crooks Are Winning

Lloyd's of London, the world's greatest insurance company, has cancelled insurance on diamonds and jewels, after paying \$3,000,000 in losses so far this year.

Losses on diamonds, mainly through theft, have increased 300 per cent in the last year.

It might be imagined that with greater police protection, better vaults, more burglar alarm systems, and all manner of thumb print cards for tracking criminals, that there would be a reduction rather than an increase in insurance rates. Word of a positive cancellation by the world's biggest company indicates that the wits and nerve of the burglar, aided by the gaudy and sometimes vulgar display of jewels, are still a couple of laps ahead of the officers of the law and the designers of safety devices.

When the Mayor Orders a Suspension.

At the next meeting of the London City Council action will have to be taken on an amendment to the procedure bylaw introduced by Ald. John Greer at the last session. This provides that the mayor cannot suspend a civic official without the consent of the chairman of the committee and a majority of its members under which the employee serves.

The immediate cause for the amendment comes from the suspension of the relief officer on order of the mayor. This incident should not be the dominating factor in the consideration of the matter given by members of the council. It is a matter of policy, and should be dealt with as such, and on no other grounds.

The Municipal Act sets forth in a general way the powers and duties of a mayor or the warden of a county. Section 215 states: "It shall be the duty of the head of council to

"(a) Be vigilant and active in causing the laws for the government of the municipality to be duly executed and obeyed;

"(b) Oversee the conduct of all subordinate officers in the government of it and, as far as practicable, cause all negligence, carelessness and violation of duty to be prosecuted and punished, and

"(c) Communicate from time to time to the council such information, and recommend to it such measures as may tend to the improvement of the finances, health, security, cleanliness, comfort and ornament of the municipality."

That is a fairly wide-open statement of the powers vested in the mayor of the municipality, and these are more specifically stated by the local bylaws in the various municipalities. It might be possible in the working out of this that a mayor in one place could have powers that would not be granted to him in another city.

Section 58, clause 6, of the City of London bylaws, dealing with the powers of a mayor in the matter of suspending a civic official, says:

"(6) The mayor may suspend from office any employee for absence, disobedience or other improper conduct, reporting such suspension to the committee having charge of the department at its next regular meeting, unless such employee has already been reinstated. Persons so suspended shall not be entitled to any pay during suspension."

That clause is well worded, and accomplishes two purposes. If the head of the municipality, elected as such by the votes of the people, finds that a certain official is doing wrong, or if, in his opinion, he is doing wrong, he can order his suspension. He would do so in order to protect the municipality, and he has been elected to do

that, and the Municipal Act says that he shall do it.

The next step in the clause serves to protect the employee from persecution. His case must be brought before the committee under which he serves; the mayor then reports his action to that committee, where the whole case can be reviewed, and final action will depend on the decision of the committee. That makes prosecution possible, but should make persecution impossible.

The provisions as they stand now are fair to all concerned. It leaves the head of the corporation open to take quick action in any emergency that may arise, but also removes the danger of an injustice being done by providing that the case must go to the committee following the mayor's suspension.

Looking at it entirely apart from the present case, the section appears fair and not likely to work any hardship. The Greer amendment would leave no provision, in case the committee had to be called, for meeting an emergency at once. The bylaws should be left as they now stand.

Let the Girls and Boys Speak.

The Advertiser invites boys and girls under 16 years of age to enter the "Save the Forests" competition. We want the best 500-word essay on the subject. A lot can be said in 500 words—it is equal to almost one-half a column of newspaper space.

The full rules and regulations, together with the prizes offered, are published elsewhere in this paper.

Forest fire prevention is a subject that should appeal to children. The forests are their heritage. In years to come, after the men and women of today have passed on, the forests, with proper care, should stand, a source of wealth and a national asset.

Let the boys and girls rise up and sound their note of warning. Now is their opportunity to speak in a way that will be heard.

An Inventor Wasting Time.

H. Gernsbach, of the American Psychological Society, is perfecting a number of tests, really four in number, by which he claims to be able to tell whether a man and woman should marry. In making the tests a sort of harness-like apparatus is strapped to both parties. They are then to come together in an embrace, and the dials and needles should go clicking around to show that each of the contestants appreciated the performance.

A young man who does his embracing without all this hocus pocus arrangement, and without professional spectators in attendance to pronounce it satisfactory, is simply headed straight for the divorce court.

Another test, as described in "Science and Invention," is the mutual sympathy one. The girl in the case is strapped with all this recording machinery on her. It circles round her arms, throw another coil over her heart—a regular octopus to watch every nerve. The doctor has her fiancé in the room, and suddenly he turns and smites the lover on the jaw. The needles and dials are supposed to hop and click some more. They must register pain and anger on her part or it's no go.

In after years, when he comes roaming in at two in the morning, she may have a strong feeling that the doctor should have hit him twice, but of course she has no recording harness on, so that terrible emotion is wasted.

But what a lot of plain, unvarnished twaddle it is. The next step will be the placing of these recording sets in the house alongside the vacuum cleaner and the kitchen mop. When a man comes in for a supper of green onions and rhubarb sauce he will have the apparatus clamped on him to see if he registers disgust or approval. If the former, the offending dishes will be thrown into the garbage; if approval is registered he will get the same thing every night until the onions are done and the rhubarb gone to seed.

Mr., or Doctor, or Prof. Gernsbach, whoever he may be, is working where there is no call for effort. He might better invent a machine that will put a perpetual wave in a woman's hair or keep the knees of a man's trousers from looking like grain sacks.

How Can It Be Done?

Plasterers at Windsor announce their intention of insisting on \$14 per day for five days a week. That is at the rate of \$70 per week of five days, or \$84 for a six-day week at the same rate.

How can John Jones, mechanic, who does not draw more than half that amount, or John Jones, laborer, who gets still less, build a home for himself and pay a wage for plastering so far in advance of what he himself receives?

Note and Comment.

And now the tonsorial artist's place is referred to as a bobber shop.

Henry Ford's company wound up the year with \$271,618,668 cash on hand. We can get the idea of the first three figures being left over at the end of a busy year, but the rest of them bother us.

Hon. Arthur Meighen will have the sympathy of all classes in the Dominion in the loss he has suffered through the death of his father. The late Joseph Meighen was for many years a farmer near St. Marys, and his home, typical of many others, provides the right setting for the early training of a son who has been called upon to play an important part in Canadian national life.

Guelph lost a good citizen in the passing of J. M. Duff, for many years manager of the Canadian Bank of Commerce there, and prior to that at Dunnville and also in Parkhill. He was in many ways an ideal bank manager, with a first-hand knowledge of the conditions and circumstances of the people whose business he transacted. Mr. Duff was several times mentioned as a Liberal candidate in South Wellington.

Rarebits By Rex

IMPOSSIBILITIES.

Shout it to the treetops,
Sing it near and far;
Five and twenty salesmen
In a smoking car.
Though they talked and chatted
Like all travelling folk,
They never once related
A prohibition joke.

Tell it to his lordship,
Tell it to milady;
Half a dozen flappers
Looking at a baby.
Though they gushed and giggled,
Blushed and laughed to boot,
They never ejaculated
"Isn't he cute!"

Crowds of business moguls,
Executives and all,
Heard an advertising man
Speaking in a hall.
Picture their amazement
And their consternation,
When he failed to mention
"Close co-operation."

It is understood Sir Adam Beck is going to drive the first ball at the new municipal golf course, and Mayor Wenige the second. Needless to say, the mayor does not intend to yell "Fore!"

When his worship heard Sir Adam was going to open the course, he remarked: "I hope he falls and breaks his niblick."

The mayor's favorite caddy said to him, "Will you have your iron today, sir?" But his worship declined, "I only take it before meals," he explained.

After swinging at the ball for an hour the mayor became discouraged. "It's the first time in my municipal experience I've been unable to get myself into a hole," he murmured.

The chief magistrate lost a valuable golf ball last week when he drove it into a swamp. This means, of course, that there will be another probe.

FLAPPER METHODS.

Jessie leads the world in dress,
Gowns so chic, and silken hose;
Dora's effort to impress
Is the sympathetic pose.
She affects the blasé stare,
Flo, the innocent, I think;
Mary says, "Give them the air,
Let's sneak off to mix a drink."

Winnie pulls the languid stuff;
Tess is ever off to dance,
Martha throws her powder puff
Every time she gets a chance.
Gertrude does the wild and gay
With her knowing, roguish wink,
Mary whispers, "Come away!
I know where to get a drink."

One half the world may not know how the other half lives, but it has its suspicions.

The success of burlesque productions here shows that you can prove almost anything by figures.

A bank account will continue to grow as long as it remains unchecked.

The One Sure Sign

Spring ought to be along to stay accordin' to the people's minds, they've counted now some 63 unfaillin' and unchangin' signs.

Some folks they wander in the bush and get their feet all soaked wet, and on the strength of such a trip they're willin' for to place a bet that spring has come, it's here to stay, no more of ashes and of coal, because they heard two bull frogs chant out in a muddy little hole.

While others wander in the park to see who's sittin' on the bench, or if the park debatin' club has settled down to fix the French, and talk of politics at home and how the world is on the rocks, with women rushin' to the store to cut three feet from off their locks.

They gaze likewise in our backyard to see if seedin's almost through, and if the speckled hen still sets and if she's goin' to last right through. They likewise walk along the street where each domesticated thug is workin' off his surplus fat a-whackin' at the parlor rug.

And when these certain signs come true they figure that the case is clear, that winter's took his trunk and kit and moved himself on out of here.

These signs may be all right and good for folks who reckon things too fast, but I've been watchin' for one more, the surest and the best and last.

For all these things don't dint on me, for them I wouldn't give a whoop, till dad he takes the rubber plant and sets it out upon the stoop.—ARK.

Press Comment

It Does Work Out That Way.

The self-made man takes the credit, but the self-unmade man usually lays the blame on some one else.—Boston Transcript.

From Cottage to Apartment.

Isn't it about time to change the name of cottage cheese to apartment-house cheese—and raise the price accordingly?—Los Angeles Times.

Oshawa and Its Growing Pains.

Oshawa is already finding that being a city is not always a bed of roses, there being additional responsibilities that were not apparent.

Reading Follows the Cut.

It's getting so that instead of finding the Police Gazette in a barber shop, one is handed Vogue or the Ladies' Home Journal.—New York World.

The All-Wise Youth.

A college president says youth today knows more than age, and it's probably been that way ever since youth and age first met.—Buffalo Courier.

Once More The Peace Ship.

It looks at this writing as if it would take more than Henry Ford to get the boys out of the oil-wells by election.—Philadelphia North American.

Complications Setting In.

A bootleggers' fight near Cobalt has resulted in a murder. Usually the bootleggers content themselves with poisoning their customers.—Peterborough Examiner.

A Sermon On Honesty.

You cannot very well argue about being honest. If you are, you are; if you are not, you are not. And that is all there is to it. Honesty is an instinct. A man is honest for the same reason a woman blushes. We say honesty pays, but if a man is honest only because it pays he has a poor brand of honesty.—Chicago Herald.

Dr. Frank Crane

Hari-Kari

IN MOST countries it is a crime to commit suicide and anyone who tries it is liable to get into trouble with the police. But not so in all times and places. On the contrary, both suicide and murder have been considered very honorable in certain conjunctions.

For instance, suppose you are a Japanese gentleman of very high class and strong notions of personal honor. If you belong to the younger generation, possibly you might personally chastise the offender. But, if you are a gentleman of the old school you would proceed as follows:

You would announce to all of your friends that you had been insulted. Then you would call out a priest and tell him all about it. Then you would go home and write a letter to the insurer. This letter you would inclose in an envelope of lotus leaves. In it you would tell him that you considered yourself insulted and were about to commit hari-kari.

After this you get up on a platform and rip your vitals with a good sharp sword. If the man who insulted you is a gentleman he will go and do likewise. This clears everything up and everybody's honor is appeased.

THIS is not much different from the custom that prevailed in western civilization up till not so long ago. If one gentleman insulted another a challenge was issued and the two parties, accompanied by friends, met at dawn in some lonely place and proceeded to attempt to kill one another with swords or pistols.

While we in these days do not practice hari-kari, nor trial by ordeal, nor duelling, we are still dominated by the same idiotic reasoning. For what we have ceased to do as individuals, we continue to do as nations.

In order to settle a dispute between two nations, to determine a boundary line or wipe out an insult, anywhere from a thousand to a million men are recruited in each country, and they are led out into a fair field where they keep butchering one another until their respective countries are so bankrupt that they can buy no more powder.

This recruiting is done by fiery speeches and brass bands, and nobody is considered noble or honorable that does not offer himself to have his inwards blown out, to prove that his country, whether right or wrong, could lick the other one.

As a gentleman in former times who would not fight a duel would be run out of town, so a nation in these times who would not go to war would probably have to get off the earth.

Pope Clement VIII, on one occasion declared that murders committed by several men fighting on each side were no less sinful than murder committed in single combat. This bit of common sense, however, has been entirely swallowed in the storm of mania that has over-run the earth.

Poor old common sense has a hard time of it. With all of the enemies it has, the only wonder is that any of it is left at all.

To the Editor

The Situation in Forest.

Many People There Believe Cost of Waterworks System Is More Than They Can Bear.

Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir,—I noticed in the last issue of the Free Press of this town a reference to The London Advertiser, and also the statement that there has been a campaign of libel and misrepresentation carried on here by the people against waterworks. We, as citizens of Forest, have been shamefully slandered by this same paper of Forest. Even if we wished to carry on a libel campaign, and we do not, we have no chance to do so, as no paper here is open to us.

The reason the ratepayers are so strongly opposed to the move to put waterworks here is that we never had a case of sickness from bad water; also about ninety per cent are opposed to it, instead of a few as the Free Press says. It is over two years since the so-called test was made, and there are none dead yet from drinking the water.

There are only about five hundred ratepayers in Forest, and we have always felt it is unjust to force a waterworks system here, because many of these ratepayers are widows or men whose earning days are over. FOREST TAXPAYER.

April 24, 1934.

Canadian National Service.

Connection with Cunarders "Carmania" and "Caronia" Quebec-Liverpool.

In order to provide high class rail connection between Montreal and Quebec for patrons on the Cunard Line new Quebec-Liverpool service, Canadian National will operate a train leaving Montreal (Bonaventure Station) 9:25 a.m. sailing day, arriving Quebec (Palais Station) 2:45 p.m., and running via the famous Quebec Bridge. This train will first operate for the "Carmania" sailing May 1st from Quebec. It will carry coaches and parlor and dining-car service, and will be of Canadian National standard in every particular.

Last connections from Toronto will be trains leaving the evening previous to sailing day at 8:30 p.m., 10:00 p.m., and 11:00 p.m., Standard Time. Full particulars may be obtained from any agent of the Cunard Line or Canadian National Railways.—Advt. A. 24,26,29

BARON HIKOKIOHI IJUIIN DIES SUNDAY IN JAPAN

Associated Press Despatch.

Tokio, April 28.—Baron Hikokiohi Ijuiin, foreign minister in the recent Yamamoto cabinet, died Sunday.

Baron Ijuiin, born in 1861, served as attache in the embassies at London and Vienna and later was in the



Cuticura Cares For Your Skin And Hair

Make Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum your every-day toilet preparations and watch your skin and hair improve. The Soap to cleanse, the Ointment to heal and the Talcum to powder.

Sample Each Free by Mail. Address: Canadian Distributors, P. O. Box 1014, Montreal. Price, Soap 25c, Ointment 50c and 10c, Talcum 25c. Try our new Shaving Stick.

Are you the lucky one in five?

Pyorrhea is no respecter of persons. It strikes four out of every five past 40, and thousands younger, too.

If you would not pay the price, don't delay. Go to your dentist regularly for teeth and gum inspection and brush your teeth daily with refreshing Forhan's.

More than a tooth paste—it checks Pyorrhea 35c and 60c in tubes

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Forhan's, Limited, Montreal



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Counteract Your Tendency toward Acid Mouth . . .

By letting WRIGLEY'S give you relief, lasting joy and benefit.

It removes the food particles that lodge in the teeth and cause fermentation and decay. It WASHES the mouth and teeth, counteracting the acidity that does so much damage.

WRIGLEY'S after every meal

is prescribed by dentists and doctors. Says one dentist: "If chewing gum is used regularly it will result in a noticeable benefit to the teeth." Get your WRIGLEY benefit today.

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"Tests show that the glands of the mouth are twenty times more active when we chew. The fluid from these glands neutralizes the acid in the mouth and washes it away." . . . —From a College Professor.

Several flavors Wrigley quality—Sealed in the Purity Package



— MAKE IT THE CHILDREN'S TREAT —

TANLACWORLD'S GREATEST TONIC
OVER 40 MILLION BOTTLES SOLD

Mrs. Francis Stone

Your Good Health and Long
Life Depend on Your Kidneys**FOLLOW THIS ADVICE**

Brantford, Ont.—"I take the greatest pleasure in recommending Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets to all sufferers of kidney and bladder ailments. Four years ago I first learned the value of the Anuric Tablets. I had suffered severely with backaches and my bladder was giving me considerable inconvenience, when I was advised to try Dr. Pierce's Anuric Tablets, obtaining almost immediate relief. Relatives have taken the Anuric Tablets and all of them are enthusiastic in praising Anuric for the relief of backaches and kidney and bladder weakness."—Mrs. Francis Stone, 42 Grey St.

Don't wait for serious kidney ailment to set in. Help your weakened kidneys with Dr. Pierce's Anuric. At all drug stores, or send 10 cents to Doctor Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont., for trial package. Write Dr. Pierce, President of the Invalids Hotel, Buffalo, N. Y., for free medical advice.—Adv.

**WOMEN! DYE
OLD THINGS NEW**Sweaters Waists Draperies
Skirts Dresses Gingham
Coats Kimonos Stockings**Diamond Dyes**

Each 15-cent package of "Diamond Dyes" contains directions so simple any woman can dye or tint any old, worn, faded thing new, even if she has never dyed before. Choose your color at drug store.—Adv.

**HOW "TIZ" HELPS
SORE, TIRED FEET**

Good-bye, sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, sweaty feet, smelling feet, tired feet.

Good-bye corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "Tiz" is magical, acts right off. "Tiz" draws out all the poisonous exudation which collects in the feet. Use "Tiz" and forget your foot misery. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel. Get a box of "Tiz" now at any drug department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never smell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed for a few cents.—Adv.

**GIRL FRACTURES ANKLE
IN FALL FROM BICYCLE**

Helen Coulter, 12 Years Old, Suffers Accident On Richmond Street.

Helen Coulter, twelve-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Coulter, 16 McDonald avenue, suffered a sprained ankle when she fell from her bicycle on Richmond street near John street last night shortly after 8 o'clock.

The girl was on an errand for her mother and was riding in the center of the street car tracks. As she approached John street she noticed an Oxford car coming behind her. In her hurry to get out of the way the front wheel of her bicycle caught in the tracks. She lost her balance and fell.

Dr. Bateson was called and the girl was taken to her home. Her parents stated last night that she was resting easily.

Helen is a pupil at the Sacred Heart School.

**DOCTOR'S VEGETABLE SYRUP
GIVES QUICK RELIEF FROM
PIMPLES OR NO CHARGE!**

"This is the time of the year when our liver becomes sluggish and our intestines become clogged up with poisonous waste. Your liver does not properly purify blood that flows to your skin. The result is a sallow complexion, dark circles and pimples. As these poisons continue to flood your system, your resistance is lowered, you feel dull and tired and sick.

Make this test! Cleanse and tone your liver with Dr. Thacher's Liver and Blood Syrup. Contains pure vegetable ingredients prescribed by physicians. Helps nature strengthen

**WOMAN SAYS HUSBAND FED
HER ON DIPHTHERIA GERMS**White Plains Chemist Is
Charged With Attempted
Murder.**"STRANGE" DEFENCE**Counsel For Accused Man De-
clares Innocence Can Be
Proven.By ROBERT T. SMALL.
Special to The Advertiser.
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New York, April 28.—Too kind hearted to try his experiments on rabbits or guinea pigs, Clarence O. Baring, amateur chemist, is believed to have fed arsenic and diphtheria germs to his 18-year-old wife. The amateur chemist is 32. He and his wife have quarreled much because she believed he was paying attention to younger women. Now she is charging him with attempted murder.

White Plains, where the couple live, is very much wrought up over the case which promises to be one of the strangest with which the authorities have had to deal. White Plains is in Westchester County and Westchester County is to New York what Hollywood often has been to Los Angeles. The county can generate more queer criminal fancies than all of the other metropolitan suburbs put together.

The accused man's attorney today said his client would have a "strange but complete" defense to the charge of poisoning and the administering of germs. Baring's mother, Mrs. W. T. Baring, of Baltimore, who has arrived at White Plains, also declares that her son was innocent of any intent actually to harm his wife.

**TWO ARE KILLED
AS ENGINE UPSETS**C. N. Engineer Saves Self by
Jumping As Train Hits
Big Boulder.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Saskatoon, Sask., April 28.—Two of the train crew were instantly killed Saturday afternoon near Highgate, the first station west of North Battleford, when the engine on the eastbound Canadian National freight train, after hitting a rock, turned over after hitting a rock, the rock, weighing about half a ton, had rolled to the track from a 30-foot embankment.

The dead are: Brake-man J. M. Hawley, and fireman Charles Shields. Engineer McPhail, as soon as he saw the obstruction on the track, jammed on the brakes and jumped.

Both Hawley and Shields were married. Shields leaves several children.

**PRITCHARD DIES TODAY
FOLLOWING ACCIDENT**Brings Death Toll of Buffalo
Automobile Crash Up To
Four.

Associated Press Despatch.
Buffalo, N. Y., April 28.—Stanley Pritchard of Kenmore died today in the Emergency Hospital, bringing to four the death toll in an automobile crash which occurred at Seneca and Pemontion streets, shortly after midnight. Jas. G. Shaw, Harvey Morrow and Thomas McNicola, all of Buffalo, were killed when a Seneca street trolley plowed through their automobile. The machine was carried 25 feet. Shaw and McNicola were tossed free, but thrown heavily to the pavement several feet ahead.

Morrow was thrown against the curb, which crushed his skull. Pritchard remained in the wreckage. He died of a fractured skull and internal injuries.

**IMPORTANCE OF REDUCED
FREIGHT RATES STRESSED**

Winnipeg, April 28.—The importance to Western Canada of a substantial reduction in existing ocean freight rates on cattle was emphasized in a lengthy memorandum submitted today to the imperial shipping committee by the Manitoba Free Press.

"If Canada is to develop," said the statement, in a summary of the case, "she must increase her production of livestock and maintain her production of wheat.

"To do so she must have markets. There are markets open to her farm products, but they are very distant. Unless transportation costs enable these products to be placed in these markets under conditions which permit some return to their producers these markets are, in fact, non-existent."

Dr. Thacher's is sold and recommended by B. A. Mitchell, 114 Dundas street and Taylor's Drug Store, 330 Richmond street, half block south of Dundas, in London; J. W. Craig in Dresden; E. M. Crosthwaite and W. A. McIntyre in St. Marys; John E. Warner in Alvington and by leading druggists in every city and town.—Adv.

**Daylight Saving
For Montreal**

Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, April 28.—Montreal will have daylight saving time, it is expected, by resolution of the city council, which is called to meet in special assembly to deal with the question next Thursday. Mayor Duquette stated today that he strongly favored summer time. "The council will be asked to adopt summer time from May 11 to Sept. 23, and it is altogether probable that the majority of aldermen will support," said the mayor.

**FIRE ALARM BOXES
PLACED IN ORDER**Electrician Makes Report That
Mechanisms Are All
Overhauled.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, April 28.—According to Fire Chief Henderson's report, submitted at the regular meeting of No. 3 committee tonight, the fire loss for the month was \$3,413.50.

Mr. Marshall, electrician employed to fix the fire-box system, reported he had made a thorough overhauling of the mechanism, and that it was in perfect running order. He advised the instructing of the citizens, through the press, in sending in alarms. It is quite probable that Mr. Roberts of the hydro department will be employed to devote his entire time to the system.

The city engineer has been ordered to procure prices for a new heating system for the city hall, which they hope to have installed during the summer months.

E. L. Officers.

Officers elected for Central Methodist Church Epworth League, at the annual meeting here tonight were: President, Mr. Moore; vice-president, Miss Leda Ferguson, Miss Mabel Cattanach, B. Gaskin and Miss Eva Pullen; secretary, Miss Doris Cookhill; treasurer, Miss Alice Cookhill; pianist, Miss Verda Ferguson; assistant, Mrs. R. Hicks; representative to union, Miss Ida Binns; press reporter, Miss Irma Macdonald; convener of home services, Mr. G. Richardson.

Lumbermen Meet.

The annual meeting of the Southwestern Retail Lumbermen's Association will be held in the Grand Central Hotel on Tuesday. G. N. Kernohan of London will occupy the chair as president. Besides the election of officers there will be a discussion on forest reservations with a speaker from the department of mines and forests to present the subject.

Playgrounds Helped.
Returns from the sale of the "Kiwanis Playground Klaxon" show cash received to date \$457.19, while the total expense of publication, not covered by advertising, was \$26.33, profit on the production amounting to \$430.86.

Indorse Plan.

The Kiwanis Club at their regular noonday luncheon today, unanimously indorsed the plan to give scholarship medals to Collegiate students.

Released on Bail.

Oswood Brush, who was committed for trial by Magistrate Maxwell this morning on a charge of deserting his wife, came before Judge Ross this afternoon and elected for trial by the magistrate. He was released on \$2,000 bail to appear on May 6.

Shriners Will Go To London.
About one hundred and fifty members of the Mocha Temple, St. Thomas, are expected to attend the spring carnival to be held in the Masonic Temple, London, on Tuesday afternoon and evening.

Hospital Aid.

The proceeds from the Women's Hospital Aid tag day held last Saturday amounted to \$358.75, which will go toward the \$5,000, which has been subscribed for the memorial hospital fund by the aid. Thanks are due to Mrs. Horton and Mrs. Symington, conveners, the C.G.T. Class of First Methodist Church for the success of the day.

**VICTOR ROSS IS ELECTED
HEAD OF CANADIAN CLUB**

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, April 28.—Victor Ross of the Imperial Oil, Limited, was today unanimously elected president of the Canadian Club of Toronto. Other officers elected were: First vice-president, H. U. F. Jones; 2nd vice-president, F. Y. McEachern; secretary-treasurer, S. Bennett.

U. S. GRAIN EXPORTS.

Associated Press Despatch.
Washington, April 28.—Exports of grain from the U. S. for the week ending April 26 totalled 974,000 bushels, against 1,861,000 bushels for the previous week. Canadian grain in transit 2,653,000 bushels against 2,523,000 bushels.

GOING TO WESTERN CANADA.

Every year at this season hundreds of families consider paying a visit to one of the three Prairie Provinces with the idea of permanently locating there if they find suitable locations.

The very best train to take from Toronto is the NATIONAL, the steel equipped Canadian National train leaving Toronto every day at 10:45 p.m. The NATIONAL offers exceptional service, carrying Standard Sleeping Car, Diner, and Compartment Observation Car and Coaches, as well as Tourist Sleeper and Colonist Cars.

The Colonist passenger will find the lunch counter service a great convenience. An attendant is on duty all day from whom hot and cold drinks, as well as regular lunch counter food may be purchased. Get further particulars from any Canadian National Ticket Agent.—Adv.

**BOBBED HAIR BANDIT AND HUSBAND.**

The bobbed hair bandit who terrorized New York restaurant keepers and chain store proprietors and who was slouted by 600 detectives, is shown above. She is Celia Roth, daughter of German parents and wife of Edward Sebastian Conney, mechanic, U. S. navy deserter and thug.

**Hundred Farm
Men Needed**

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, April 28.—A call for 100 men to take positions on Kent County farms was made today by officials of the local labor bureau. A large number of positions have been filled during the past week, it was stated.

**SUSPECTS ARRESTED
AYR BURGLARY CASE**Police Say Men Were Wearing
Clothing Stolen From
Ramsay Store.

Special to The Advertiser.

Gait, April 28.—During the night the general store of W. A. Ramsay, Chatham, was broken into by two men. The men were wearing clothing stolen from the Ramsay store, complete from underwear to shoes and gabardine coats. Taylor had a revolver, a flashlight and a bag of tools. The men were arrested on the railway tracks west of Drumville this afternoon. They were brought to the local jail, and gave their names as William White, 22, and Fred Taylor, 28, of Louisville, Kentucky.

The police claim they have the robbers, and that the men were wearing clothing stolen from the Ramsay store, complete from underwear to shoes and gabardine coats. Taylor had a revolver, a flashlight and a bag of tools. The men were arrested on the railway tracks west of Drumville this afternoon. They were brought to the local jail, and gave their names as William White, 22, and Fred Taylor, 28, of Louisville, Kentucky.

**Prisoners Pan
Law Enforcers**Banquet by Los Angeles Chief
Was Real Party.

By FORREST WHITE.

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Los Angeles, April 28.—The banquet given by Chief Vollmer, the fancy cop imported to command the Los Angeles police, to the prisoners in the Lincoln Highway jail, has passed into tradition of that institution as the "last supper."

The jailbirds crucified the police all right, but that is not the reason why the jolly affair will not be repeated. They also leveled their shafts of oratory against the courts, the judges, the prosecuting officers, the Salvation Army and the Midnight Mission, and stirred up bitter sentiment all around against this latest experiment in modernism as applied to the conduct of the police department.

NEW SERVICE OPENED.

Little confusion was encountered by the travelling public in adapting themselves to the new C. N. R. timetable, which went into effect Sunday night, according to officials of the company, who stated yesterday that while there were a few who missed their trains on Sunday, on the whole the change was made without a hitch.

A gentleman's
hosiery
in appearance.

A thrifty man's
hosiery
in durability
—service

MADE IN CANADA

**Holeproof
Hosiery****SCHOOLS CLOSED
TO UNVACCINATED**Board of Health Issues An
Order—Full Hundred
Affected.

Special to The Advertiser.

Sarnia, April 28.—Public school pupils must be vaccinated or stay at home, according to an order of the local health board, which came into effect today. While inspectors have not yet been able to check up the number of children remaining unvaccinated, owing to opposition to vaccination by their parents, the number is believed to exceed five hundred. No objections have been made through the board's order, yet, but the effect will likely be felt before the end of the week. School authorities will allow three certificates under which children may attend school: One signed by a doctor that the child has been vaccinated, a certificate of immunity, good for three months, or a certificate of ill health, good for two months. While it is believed that strenuous opposition is expected in other cases.

Remanded On Bail.

Roland C. Jamieson, 20-year-old assistant secretary of the Sarnia Chamber of Commerce, who Saturday confessed to complicity in theft of \$1,947 from the office safe, was this morning remanded for one week by Police Magistrate Henry Gorman without being asked to plead. Bail comprising \$3,000 personal recognizance, and surety for similar amount, given by his father, was allowed.

Seek Accomplice.

Meanwhile city police are making closest inquiry as to the whereabouts of Jamieson's accomplice, a former resident here and a man who has previously served a term in jail. He is said to have been a schoolmate of Jamieson's and ringleader in the robbery. He is thought to be in the United States at present.

Better Mail Service.

Sarnia, for the first time in several years, today got eastern mail and newspapers in time for the breakfast table. This was consequent on the reinstatement of Canadian National train No. 7, New York to Chicago, via Niagara Falls, Hamilton, London and Sarnia. Mail now arrives at 6:25 a.m., instead of 9:35 a.m., and business houses here are greatly inconvenienced.

Lambton Pioneer.

The death occurred here of Mary, widow of the late Christopher Bell, aged 96 years 4 months, the oldest woman resident in the city. She had lived in Sarnia for fourteen years, prior to that had lived on the 12th line of Moore Township near Burns Church for a great many years. The late Mrs. Bell was born in Scotland, and came to Canada when she was 22 years of age. Survivors are two sons, John of Port Huron, George of Cornwall; three daughters, Mrs. James Shaw of Brigid, Fannie at home, Mrs. J. D. McIntosh, Christina street.

Contract Awarded.

Thomas Grace of Sarnia has been awarded the contract for the war memorial hospital to be erected at Wallaceburg by the I. O. O. E. and other organizations. According to the announcement here today, the new hospital will be modern in every way and will cost \$28,000. Chester C. Woods of this city, who has designed the building, said today that construction will commence at once.

Burned By Oil.

Charles Beasley, Canadian National Railway employe, is in hospital as a result of severe burns about the head, sustained when a can of coal oil, with which he was working, became ignited.

**MISS GWENDOLYN LAZIER
ON WAY TO WASHINGTON**

Associated Press Despatch.
Kingston, April 28.—Miss Gwendolyn Lazier crossed into United States territory today on her way to Washington on horseback to invite President Coolidge to the United Empire Loyalist celebration in Belleville in June.

Miss Lazier left Belleville on Thursday. She expects to reach Washington about May 20.

**U. S. WORLD PLANE
MAY BE DELAYED
FOR SOME TIME**Three Other Fliers Wait Anxi-
ously For Leader in
Alaska.**BEHIND SCHEDULE**By EVAN J. DAVID.
On Board U. S. Coastguard Cutter
Algonquin.

Chignik, Alaska, April 28.—Repairs being made on Major Frederick L. Martin's flag plane, Seattle, which arrived here Saturday from Katanak, will probably cause another delay for the commander of the round-the-world flight in his desperate attempt to catch up with his command at Unalakleet. The British round-the-world flyer, now in India, has made it a race between American and British aviators for the honor of being the first to cross the Pacific.

The American flyers here in Alaska are following the progress of Major MacLaren with keen interest. The latter, flying east, has a considerable advantage, for he is travelling with the prevailing winds, and 20 or 25 miles an hour added to his normal flying speed makes a very considerable difference in flying 25,000 miles around the world.

Major MacLaren has another great asset in flying from England as a starting point, as he will not have to cross the foggy Atlantic until late in the summer, when weather conditions are favorable. He will likewise have the advantage of getting through Siam and Indo-China before the rainy season sets in during the latter part of the year.

The fliers will undoubtedly pass through the Straits Settlements before the end of May, unless they meet such unexpected weather as they have encountered here in Alaska. After the Americans reach the British airways, which extend from Calcutta to the northernmost end of the British Isles, they progress will be in the direction of points, from Calcutta to Kirkwall, Scotland, ought to be very rapid. From there to Iceland to Greenland and across the 850 miles of Atlantic Ocean to Labrador with pontoons, will be another bad stretch against prevailing winds.

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**\$300 EXEMPTION
FOR EACH CHILD**
Taxpayer May Estimate In-
come Tax in Either of Two
Ways, Is Belief.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 28.—In making out returns for income tax, it is intimated here, the taxpayer may estimate his income either on the basis of \$300 exemption for each dependent child, or on the basis of \$500 exemption in the resolution of which the acting minister of finance has given notice. It is expected that the \$500 exemption will become law, but it is very unlikely to pass all stages in both houses before April 30, when the first payment of income tax falls due. Should the proposed \$500 exemption fail to become law, those who have made their return on this basis will be called upon to pay the difference with the addition of six per cent per annum interest on the unpaid balance. In the case of a taxpayer who has paid on the basis of a \$300 exemption, a refund will be allowed in the event of the \$500 exemption becoming law. Responsibility for the estimate of income submitted, it is pointed out, lies with the taxpayer.

**MARY MOGGACH WINNER
OF SWORD DRILL CONTEST**

Special to The Advertiser.
Beechville, April 28.—Prizes were presented to the winner of the school last Sunday to the winners of the recent sword drill competition. The first prize was won by Mary Moggach, who in competition with the whole school made 47 points alone.

The second prize was won by Margaret Bain with a creditable showing of 19 points, while the third prize went to Grace Downing with seven points.

Speaks Right Out
and to the Point

Madame Laplante Says Dodd's
Kidney Pills Helped Her
Kidney Disease.

Warren lady points the way to health to the weak, weary, nervous, rundown women of Canada. Warren, Ont., April 28.—(special).—"I want you to publish my certificate about Dodd's Kidney Pills, because they have done me much good."

I was suffering from rheumatism, backaches, headaches, and my appetite was poor. I took six boxes of Dodd's Kidney Pills and now I am very well. I often do the men's work."

That is the statement of Mde. M. Laplante, a highly esteemed lady living here.

It is clear and to the point. Ninety per cent of the ills from which women suffer come from weak or diseased kidneys. They are the organs that strain all the impurities out of the blood. If they fail to do their work, the impurities remain in the blood and are deposited all over the body.

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills do not heal and strengthen sick kidneys.—Adv.

**White Goods Whiter
Colored Goods Brighter**

SURPRISE loosens and dissolves all impurities from fine or coarse fabrics. By its gentle treatment and thorough cleansing, the pattern, color or fibre is not injured and takes on a new freshness.

It pays to use
**MARTIN-SENOUR
RED SCHOOL HOUSE PAINT**
For Barns and Outbuildings
it has no equal
Write to Head Office Montreal for Free Booklet
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LONDON

How Dull Teeth

Are made whiter—all teeth safer—
by combating film

There is a way to whiter teeth. The evidence is everywhere, for millions now employ it. Those whiter teeth mean more than beauty. They mean new cleanliness, new safety. They mean results which everyone should seek.

Let this test reveal them. They mean much to you and yours.

Film clouds teeth and wrecks them. Film is the great tooth enemy—that viscous film you feel. Dingy teeth and most tooth troubles are results of film.

Under old-way brushing, much film clings and stays. Soon it becomes discolored, forming cloudy coats, making teeth unsightly. Film also holds food substance which ferments and forms acid. It holds the acid in contact with the teeth to cause decay. Germs breed by millions in it. They, with tartar, are the chief cause of pyorrhea.

Such troubles are almost universal among people who don't fight film.

Protect the Enamel. Pepsodent disintegrates the film, then removes it with an agent far softer than enamel. Never use a film combant which contains harsh grit.

Modern science has supplied two effective methods. One disintegrates the film at all stages of formation. One removes it without harmful scouring.

These methods have been proved by many careful tests. A new-type tooth paste has been created to apply them daily. The name is Pepsodent.

Leading dentists everywhere began to advise this tooth paste. Now careful people of some 50 nations use Pepsodent twice daily.

Teeth look whiter. They feel cleaner. This test will bring you quick effects, too evident to doubt.

Pepsodent does more than fight film. It multiplies the alkalinity of the saliva. That is there to neutralize mouth acids. It multiplies the ptyalin in saliva. That is there to digest starch deposits on teeth.

This test will bring you the combined effects, and you will marvel at them.

Send the coupon for a 10-Day Tube. Note how clean the teeth feel after using. Mark the absence of the viscous film. See how teeth become whiter as the film-coats disappear.

These new results will amaze and delight you. Cut out coupon now.

Made in Canada
Pepsodent
The New-Day Dentifrice
Based on modern research. Now advised by leading dentists the world over.

10-Day Tube Free
THE PEPSODENT COMPANY,
Dept. P, 101 George St., Toronto, Can.
Mail 10-Day Tube of Pepsodent to
Only one tube to a family.

Sunshine Park League Organizes: South London A.C. To Be Formed

CATHOLIC A.A. ELECTS OFFICERS FOR SEASON

May 19 Likely Opening Date For Sunshine Park Circuit.

CHAMPIONS PRAISED

Following an enthusiastic meeting at St. Peter's Hall last night, at which officers for the year were elected, the Catholic Amateur Athletic Association is now fully organized to get the season under way on May 19 at Sunshine Park. Besides this election of officers, the association named a committee of Ed. Killingsworth, Ed. Ryan and P. H. Ranaiah to co-operate with the Tecumseh Baseball Association in arranging a monster parade for the Mint League opening day here May 6.

The officers are: Honorary president, Rt. Rev. M. F. Fallon, D.D., Bishop of London; honorary vice-president, Rt. Rev. Monsignor McKeon; president, J. D. McHale; vice-president, T. H. McFarrell; secretary-treasurer, Norman Pike; assistant secretary-treasurer, Charles Smith. The executive will comprise two representatives from each parish in London along with the elected officers, and it will be left to the executive to name a protest committee.

In addressing the meeting Rt. Rev. Mons. McKeon lauded the Marconi Club, C. A. A. champions of 1923, and pointed to the success as an incentive to the other clubs in the circuit. Jim Catalano, manager of the Marconi team, responded, thanking Mons. McKeon and the league executive.

Monsignor McKeon announced that several improvements and alterations are contemplated at Sunshine Park, including further leveling the present diamond and building an additional playing field for the younger boys. Brother Philip de La Salle School spoke of the high reputation London's Sunshine Park has attained both at home and throughout the province, and expressly praised the work of Mons. McKeon, whose efforts have made the C. A. A. League one of the foremost amateur leagues in the district.

Following the general meeting the St. Peter's team members got together and elected Stewart Wilson manager of the team for the season. St. Peter's will hold their first workout at Sunshine Saturday afternoon.

ORIENT INTERMEDIATES TO PRACTICE THURSDAY

Thursday at 5:30 the Orient Club Intermediates will get into harness at Queen's Park for their first outdoor workout of the season in preparation for the coming campaign in the local Inter-Club League. About fifteen players have been signed by the Orient for this team, and a few more contracts are expected before the end of the week.

Another practice has been called for Saturday afternoon from 2 to 4:30, and officials of the club are confident that by the time May 10 opening day comes around the Orient intermediates will have rounded into top-notch form for their first game with London Views.

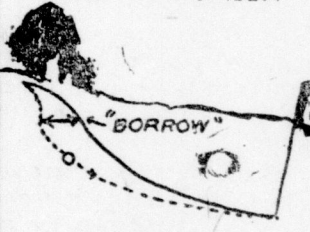
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St. Paul 3, Columbus 14.
Minneapolis 5, Toledo 1.
Kansas City 1, Indianapolis 7.
Milwaukee 16, Louisville 2.

Golf

AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

PUTTING ON A SLOPING GREEN



THIS REQUIRES PRACTICE TO LEARN HOW MUCH TO "BORROW" BALLS HIT ON SLOPING GREENS ROLL IN CURVED LINES. THE AMOUNT TO BORROW DEPENDS ON THE SLOPE AND THE DISTANCE TO THE HOLE.

How can a player improve his putting on sloping or rolling greens?

Answered by PHIL GAUDIN.

Medalist, British open championship; captain of British International golf team; member of that team for eight consecutive years. Winner of numerous foreign tournaments, including Manchester Guardian trophy.

Practice—that's about all. Of course the big thing to learn about putting on a sloping green is how much to "borrow." Any ball hit across the side of a slope will roll in a curved line. The amount to "borrow" is the amount that the ball will deviate from a straight line. On some long putts it is necessary to borrow as much as six feet; on a 3-foot putt it may be necessary to borrow only six inches.

Some say to pick out a certain blade of grass a foot or two from the ball, in the proper line and hit for it. I don't go much on this theory. On a good green, there are too many blades of grass. I believe in deciding upon the direction that the ball must go and then hitting it that way.

MINT OPENER HERE BUT WEEK AWAY

London Fans Will See Many New Players in Action.

Local fans will inventory their 1924 baseball stock next Tuesday, when the Tecumsehs and Saginaw Aces pass in review at Tecumseh Park. The event promises to be the most interesting "hop off" in the history of baseball in London.

Foremost in interest, of course, will be the large number of new faces on the Indians' line-up. Glowing reports have been received from the training camp on several players, and the baseball public can hardly wait to see them in action. Playing before a home crowd for the first time on opening day is a very exciting performance for a newcomer.

What are the chances of the Indians winning the M.O. pennant? How does the team stack up at the start of the scramble for the Halligan loop supremacy? Where is its strength and where is the weakness of the club? These and many other similar questions are going through the minds of the fans daily.

There is no denying the fact that on dope they look good. The individual players have trained faithfully, giving the best that is in them. They have listened to the advice of Manager Beatty and have benefited accordingly. Beatty is well liked by all; he is a good mixer, his chums are members of the team. To them he is a player as well as a boss; they want him to succeed. To the members of the team Jack is a "regular fellow."

Harmony and close co-operation may not win a pennant but they will go a long way towards winning games. Beatty will face the barrier with splendid prospects and a squad of players from which a real pennant contender is bound to be sifted. In most cases it is going to take close judgment as to which man should be finally retained. However, the cut is not absolutely necessary until one month after the season opens, and during May many interesting happenings may develop. In a nut-shell, London faces the most encouraging outlook for a winning combination since taking the pennant in 1921.

Next Tuesday afternoon just jump on any car in the city and say "Transfer, Dundas West." You will find yourself in the midst of the greatest throng that ever attended a sporting event in this city.

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London Rider Is Favored To Make Olympic Team

Bill Coles May Take Up Training in Toronto With Other Canadian Bicycle Champions.

It is entirely probable that Bill Coles, Dominion ten-mile bicycle champion, will go to Toronto shortly to go into training for the Olympic bike trials, which will be held in June.

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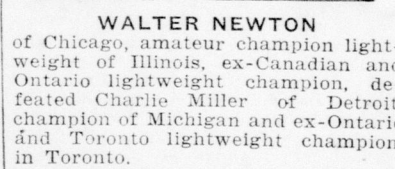
Associated Press Despatch. London, April 28.—Results of league football games today were:

First Division.
Burnley 4, Arsenal 1.
Southern Section, Third Division.
Northwich 2, Swansea 0.
Northern Section, Third Division.
Tranmere 5, Rochdale 1.
Friendly.
Fulham 0, Westham 1.

RUGBY UNION.

London, April 28.—Results of rugby football games played today were:

Rugby Union.
Cross Keys 17, Abercarn 3.
Pill Harriers 0, Abertrilloy 0.
Northern Union.
Wigan Highfield 10, Widnes 5.
Wigan 10, Barrow 2.



WALTER NEWTON

of Chicago, amateur champion light-weight of Illinois, ex-Canadian and Ontario lightweight champion, defeated Charlie Miller of Detroit, champion of Michigan and ex-Ontario and Toronto lightweight champion, in Toronto.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE.



BY AHERN.

ORIOLES DEFEAT TORONTO 6 TO 3

Bisons Ring Up Twelve Counters in First Inning At Newark.

Associated Press Despatch. Baltimore, April 28.—Jackson hurled effective ball against Toronto here today, and Baltimore took the final game of the series, 6 to 3. Scatterfield and Stewart were hit at opportune times.

Toronto 010 000 001—3 6 3
Baltimore 010 022 018—6 10 2
Stewart, Scatterfield and Stange; Jackson and Cobb.

ROCHESTER WINS.

Associated Press Despatch. Reading, April 28.—Wisner's hurling and Merkle's batting were too much for Reading, and Rochester won by a score of 5 to 3 today. Horan and Hobbie hit home runs for Reading's scores, and Merkle's homer accounted for two runs. Lake's double in the ninth inning with two on won the game.

Rochester 010 000 202—5 10 0
Reading 200 001 000—1 4 2
Wisner and Lake; Martin and Haley.

BISONS EVEN SERIES.

Newark, April 28.—Buffalo evened the series with Newark today by winning, 15 to 7, getting off to a 12-run lead in the first inning. Lynch pitched great ball after Ellis and Barnes were batted out of the box.

Buffalo 12 00 001 200—15 15 1
Newark 0 0 0 100 310—7 16 0
Reddy and McAvoy; Ellis, Barnes, Lynch and Devine; Hackbarth.

Race Results

HAVRE DE GRACE RESULTS

FIRST RACE, \$1200, 5 1/2 furlongs.
Trip Lightly, 113 (Marinelli), \$3.30, \$2.50, \$2.00.
Barbara Fritchie, 113 (Scobie), \$4.20, \$3.50, second.
John F. Klearer, 115 (Corey), \$5.10, third.
Time, 1:34 2-5.
Judge, Fullam; Harry Baker, Cheri, Black Clumber, Gold Crump also ran.

SECOND RACE, \$1200, 3 years and up, claiming.

Mary Rose, 109 (Burke), \$6.20, \$4.20, \$5.50, won.
Arendal, 110 (Wallace), \$2.70, third.
Time, 1:15.

THIRD RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Myrtle Blison, Much Ado, Guy, Charles J. Crankie, Arragosa, Flooding On, Thessaly, Sea Wolf, Dr. Charles Wells also ran.

FOURTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Leonard G., 97 (Lane), \$12.50, \$5.50, \$2.10, won.
Modest, 113 (Walls), \$2.50, \$2.10, second.

FIFTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Sarko, 110 (Scobie), \$2.50, third.
Time, 1:43 2-5.

SIXTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Night Raider, 99 (Milner), \$2.10, \$1.40, \$1.10, won.
Little Annie, 100 (Williams), \$6.40, \$4.60, second.

SEVENTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Rehabite, 99 (Smallwood), \$5.60, third.
Time, 2:06 3-5.

EIGHTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Rosette, High Gear, Belle of Plymouth, Irish Pat, West Point, North Wales, May Roberts also ran.

NINTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Hickory, 104 (Marinelli), \$5.50, \$4.50, \$2.00, won.
Attorney Muir, 104 (Abel), \$13.20, \$6.70, second.

TENTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Royal Crown, 104 (Walls), \$5.40, third.
Time, 2:07 2-5.

ELEVENTH RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Leaside, Bousier, Poedie, Invigorator, Toodles, Doughnut, Old Faithful also ran.

Twelfth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Paul Micot, 115 (Parker), \$6.60, \$4.50, \$2.30, won.

Thirteenth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Louanna, 105 (Mergler), \$9.80, \$4.80, second.

Fourteenth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Napoo, 110 (Jones), \$3.60, third.
Time, 1:18 2-5.

Fifteenth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Broken Blossom, Dusty Mary, Sweep Blossom, Camarvon, Charles Henry, Day of Peace also ran.

Sixteenth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Escarpette, 91 (Thorndyke), \$15.50, \$8.10, \$3.10, won.

Seventeenth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Planet, 106 (Jones), \$4.20, second.
Llewellyn, 110 (Mergler), \$2.40, third.
Time, 1:45 1-5.

Eighteenth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Who Knows Me, George Kuffan, Ribgrass also ran.

Nineteenth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Little Jimmie, 119 (Martin), \$13.80, \$7.30, \$5.20, won.
Sam Mengel, 112 (Lyke), \$7.90, \$5.50, second.

Twentieth RACE, \$1200, 2 years and up, claiming.

Gypsy, 112 (Taylor), \$6.60, third.
Time, 5:1 2-5.

SOUTH END PLANNING NEW ATHLETIC CLUB



H. L. BROOMFIELD, newly-elected president of the Ontario Softball Association.

Meeting To Launch Organization Called For Tuesday Next.

INDORSED BY MAYOR

As a result of an enthusiastic meeting at the Knox Church last night, it was decided to call an organization meeting for the same place next Tuesday night to form the London South Athletic Club.

Ex-Alderman J. T. May acted as chairman of the meeting and Jack Penny was acting secretary. Mayor Weniger was at the meeting, and heartily indorsed the plans outlined.

London South has always produced some excellent athletic talent and has shown a splendid club spirit. The Alert Club which took a prominent part in sport before casting its lot with the L. A. A. A., and turning over its hockey franchises, had its start in London South. The club's have always been in the van of church athletics, and the branching out of the club last year, almost intact in its junior rugby after successful seasons in Church League baseball and hockey, was an excellent example of the team and club spirit.

London South Collegiate, too, has added to the community spirit in athletics of London South and in an amazingly short space of time has built up a splendid school spirit in sports. This all points to the need of the London South A. A. A. and to its probable chances of permanency and success.

It is believed that the first aim of the London South A. A. A. will be to encourage juvenile and junior sport along all lines.

NORTHVILLE-TEC MIX POSTPONED BY RAIN

London Minters Find Lefty Germain's Home Town Hospitable Spot.

Special To The Advertiser.

Northville, April 28.—The game between the locals and the London Mint League team, scheduled here today had to be postponed until tomorrow because of rain, thus disappointing the fans who were all set for the first game of the season.

Jack Beatty's Tees are finding Northville a hospitable spot, due to the fact that this is Lefty Germain's home town. Lefty's father, who a few years ago was a pitcher with the Boston Nationals, will pitch against London tomorrow.

Germain has apparently clinched the left field berth, and should go big in the Mint. He has inherited an instinct for baseball from his dad, and even in his sand-lot games here early gave great promise. He's a place hitter, is fast, and has a wonderful throwing arm. Added to this is the fact that he does naturally a good many things most ball players have to learn.

Beatty's team appears in excellent condition. According to Germain, a splendid spirit exists in the team, and they are eagerly awaiting the opening of the season at Saginaw.

TOP NOTCH IN GOOD FORM FOR WOODBINE SEASON

Willie Wilson, well-known to London horsemen, has his good jumper Top-Notch tuned to racing pitch, and barring accidents, this colt will be hard to beat in the \$5000 classic at the Woodbine, May 17.

INDIA ENTERS OLYMPIC LAWN TENNIS CONTESTS

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, April 28.—The Olympic games committee today received India's official entry in the lawn tennis men's singles and doubles. China also sent in her official entry for the same events.

FIFTH TEAM SOUGHT FOR MANUFACTURERS' LEAGUE ORGANIZATION MEETING

Postponed Until Thursday Night.

Four teams were represented at last night's meeting of the Manufacturers' League in Brisco's store. Perrins, Scott-McHale, C.N.R. Shops and C.N.R. Transportation were the quartet represented.

At this meeting the officers will be elected and a schedule started on its way on paper.

SOFTBALL MEETING CALLED.

Special To The Advertiser.

Stratford, April 28.—J. B. Dunlop, S. A. A. A. organizer, has called a meeting of players and fans for 7:30 Wednesday at the chamber of commerce. Interest in the game is already being shown in many parts of the city, and a good attendance is looked for at Wednesday's meeting.

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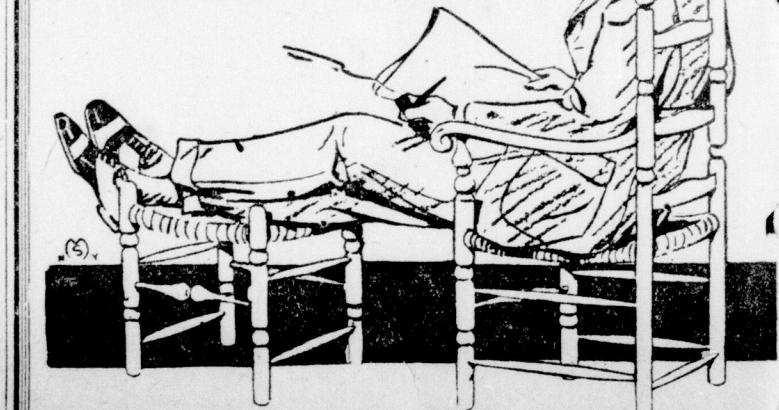
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The Young Men who wear Standard and those who wear Stouts will be delighted with our showing.

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Bambino Gets Two More Against Athletics: Tygers Beat Sox

YANKEE CREW TAKES SLUGGING MATCH, 11-6

Babe Ruth Runs Circuit Clout Total Up To Five.

INDIANS LOSE 4-3

Associated Press Despatch.

Detroit, April 28.—Stoner won the third victory in his third start today, Detroit making it three straight from Chicago, 7 to 2. Robertson, who won from the box in the third, when the Tygers made four runs on a double of Ingles, a base on balls, a double steal and a poor throw by Barrett.

The score: R. H. E.
Chicago 010 000 100—2 7 2
Detroit 024 000 100—7 10 1

Robertson, Connolly and Crouse; Sener and Bassler.

BABE GETS TWO.

Associated Press Despatch.
Philadelphia, April 28.—New York won a slugging match from Philadelphia today, overcoming a five-run lead to take the game by an 11 to 6 count.

Babe Ruth hit two home runs during the contest, but no one was on base on either occasion. This made a total of five circuit drives for him this season. He also accepted seven chances in the field without an error.

The score: R. H. E.
New York 000 613 310—11 16 0
Philadelphia 401 010 000—6 11 1

Shawkey, Jones and Hoffman; Heimach, Harris, Baumgartner and Perkins.

BROWNS BEAT INDIANS.

Associated Press Despatch.
St. Louis, April 28.—St. Louis took the third game of the series with Cleveland today, when Evans, pinch-hitting for Jacobson, in the ninth inning, drove out a single to bring in the winning run. The score was 4 to 2. Stephenson got a home run and Speaker pounded a three-bagger.

The score: R. H. E.
Cleveland 000 200 010—3 9 4
St. Louis 100 010 011—4 12 9

Edwards and L. Sewell; Danforth and Seaver.

CALLED IN SEVENTH.

Associated Press Despatch.
Washington, April 28.—Darkness, due to an approaching storm, ended the game between Boston and Washington today after seven innings, with the score a tie, 2 all. It was a pitching duel between Marberry and Ferguson.

The score: R. H. E.
Boston 000 002 0—2 6 1
Washington 000 001 1—2 6 0

Ferguson and O'Neill; Marberry and Ruel.

How They Stand

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
New York	8	2	.818
Cincinnati	8	2	.800
Chicago	8	5	.615
Boston	4	4	.500
Pittsburgh	5	7	.417
Brooklyn	4	7	.364
St. Louis	4	9	.308
Philadelphia	2	6	.250

Scores Yesterday.

New York 4, Philadelphia 2.
Boston 8, Brooklyn 0.
Pittsburgh 7, Chicago 0.

Games Today.

Philadelphia at New York.
Pittsburgh at Chicago.
St. Louis at Cincinnati.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Detroit	9	3	.750
New York	9	4	.692
Cleveland	6	5	.545
Philadelphia	6	5	.545
Chicago	6	6	.500
Washington	5	7	.417
Boston	3	7	.300
St. Louis	3	10	.231

Scores Yesterday.

Detroit 7, Chicago 2.
New York 11, Philadelphia 6.
St. Louis 4, Cleveland 3.

Games Today.

Chicago at Detroit.
Cleveland at Philadelphia.
Boston at Washington.

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.

	Won.	Lost.	P.C.
Baltimore	10	4	.714
Reading	6	4	.600
Newark	6	4	.600
Rochester	6	4	.600
Toronto	6	6	.500
Buffalo	5	6	.454
Jersey City	3	8	.273
Syracuse	2	9	.182

Scores Yesterday.

Baltimore 6, Toronto 3.
Rochester 5, Reading 3.
Buffalo 15, Newark 7.

Games Today.

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Buffalo at Newark.
Syracuse at Jersey City.
Rochester at Reading.

WEST ELGIN LEAGUE WILL MEET IN DUTTON FRIDAY

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, April 28.—At a meeting here tonight of the various teams entered in the new local and district O. B. A. A. intermediate circuit it was decided to call the new loop the West Elgin League.

Application for amateur cards were handed out to the different clubs, and it was decided to hold another meeting in Dutton Friday night of this week to arrange a schedule for the season.

STRUCK BY AUTO.

Special to The Advertiser.

Rothwell, April 28.—The little daughter of Thomas McMaster was knocked down by an automobile driven by John Hickey Saturday night. She was badly cut about the face. John, who was badly shaken by the accident, declared it unavoidable, and deeply regretted the injury to the child.

TEX IS DISGUSTED WITH LUIS FIRPO

Halts Negotiations To Bring Battler to U. S.—Wants Too Much Money.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, April 28.—A halt in negotiations to persuade Luis Angel Firpo to return to the United States has been called, Tex Rickard, the promoter, announced yesterday after receipt of the latest cable from the South American heavyweight. Rickard said he would cable Juan Homs his representative in the Argentine, today to discontinue his efforts to induce Firpo to come to this country and instruct Homs to return here.

The promoter said his decision was caused by Firpo's financial demands. It was learned that Firpo demanded \$250,000 for a bout against Harry Wills. Rickard made an offer of \$200,000 to the South American for this bout some time ago.

LUIS REJECTS OFFER.

Associated Press Despatch.

Buenos Aires, April 28.—Luis Angel Firpo announced today that he had definitely rejected the offer of Tex Rickard to return to the U. S., and that he would not fight for Rickard under any circumstances.

He added that he never could forget that Rickard insisted that he fight Dempsey last year before he was prepared to do so, and that Rickard's insistence had lost him the world championship.

Firpo admitted that he had received a new cable offer from James Johnston, the New York promoter, but said he was willing only to consider it under certain conditions, and that he was awaiting a reply from the promoter.

Johnston's offer, he said, guaranteed him \$100,000 for a fight with George Godfrey, the Philadelphia negro heavyweight, and \$250,000 for a fight with Harry Wills, with an option of 25 per cent of the gate receipts, and also one-third of the moving picture privilege.

GREB, DELANEY SIGN.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, April 28.—Harry Greb, the middleweight champion, and Jack Delaney, Bridgeport, Conn., middleweight, signed contracts today for a 15-round title match to be held the latter part of June at the main attraction of the annual milk fund card.

REV. J. REYCRRAFT SPEAKS AT GODERICH CHURCH

Special to The Advertiser.

Goderich, April 28.—Rev. J. Frank Reyrcraft, of Wellington Street Methodist Church, was the anniversary special speaker for the anniversary services held in Victoria Street Methodist Church Sunday. Rev. J. Reyrcraft, a former pastor, brought two powerful messages to large congregations both morning and evening on the subjects, "The Master of the Kingdom," and "The Kingdom of the Master."

At the evening service the choir was assisted by Fred Holmes, who sang a fine baritone solo, "Abide With Us."

The church board asked the congregation for a special offering of \$50. The sum of \$500 was placed on the plate during the day, with more to come in later. The Ladies' Aid contributed \$100 to the special fund for the day.

TEESWATER LODGE HOLDS SUCCESSFUL BANQUET

Special to The Advertiser.

Teeswater, April 28.—The Teeswater A. O. U. M. No. 276, held a successful banquet in the town hall Friday night. Visiting brethren from Wingham, Walkerton, Wroxeter and Brussels were present. About one hundred and fifty sat at the tables. The toast list included the following speakers: J. Pennington, S. R. Brill, Dr. G. S. Fowler, S. Wilton, G. C. Webster, R. E. McCullum, B. A. Hiscox, G. Melvin, S. E. Jeffrey. Solos were rendered by Mrs. R. H. Brown and Miss Dorothy Stevens.

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while to observe Mr. McGillicuddy with considerable interestness from now on. Eventually Mr. McGillicuddy is going to win an American League pennant again. It may not be this year, but eventually the Athletics will return to their own, because Mr. McGillicuddy is collecting young players.

In a year or two the stars of today will begin to look rather dim. The man who is figuring on the future is Ruths, Speakers, Cobbs and Mathews. These are the men who are going to have the world's champions of the future. It looks as though this man, the current writing owns the euphonious name of Cornelius McGillicuddy.

BRITISH PRODUCERS ASK FOR PREFERENCE

Memorandum Is Delivered To Philip Snowden by Agricultural Interests.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, April 28.—In response to a request from Philip Snowden, chancellor of the exchequer, the British Empire Producers' organization has submitted to the chancellor a memorandum bearing on the subject of emigration and raw materials, especially in reference to the imperial economic conference resolutions to be submitted to the House of Commons.

The memorandum recognizes that the conference decisions and suggestions are subject to the approval of the various parliaments of the empire, and emphasizes the belief that the overseas dominions regard the conference decisions as vital to their future, and declares that a properly organized system of securing supplies from within the empire is an immediate need.

Preference to firms within the empire, using labor and government and public bodies is recommended in the memorandum, also the establishment of a produce board without reference to the question of the advisability or inadvisability of an import tariff on essential foodstuffs.

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Toronto, April 28.—E. V. Donnelly, chief clerk of the provincial secretary's department, was arrested late this afternoon on a charge of theft of about \$7,000 in money belonging to the province.

Harold Thomas, a clerk in the department, was also arrested. This action follows an audit begun some weeks ago, which has disclosed shortages aggregating about \$2,000. Donnelly and the junior clerk have been under suspicion since the audit began.

This afternoon he was telephoned at his house that he was wanted at the Parliament Buildings, and when he presented himself Inspector Boyd of the provincial police placed him under arrest and took him to the city hall, where he was detained pending securing of bail.

Formerly Newspaper Editor.
Donnelly, formerly a newspaper editor in Western Ontario, was brought to the Parliament Buildings by the late provincial secretary, Hanna. He has been prominent in the affairs of the North Toronto Ratepayers' Association for several years.

The specific charge against Donnelly, sworn to by H. H. McFadden, is as follows: "During 1920, 1921, 1922 and 1923 did, contrary to law, being a person employed in the service of the government of the province of Ontario, steal from the said government a sum of money, to wit, \$7,000, more or less, the said sum having been in his possession by virtue of his employment."

Donnelly was before Provincial Secretary Goldie for several hours before the arrest was made. He is held for \$10,000 bail.

Thomas, who did not show up when invited to appear at Mr. Goldie's office, was picked up later. He, too, is charged with theft.

Both Men Deny Theft.
Thomas was held on \$5,000 bail, and no bondsmen were immediately forthcoming he was put in the cells.

Hon. Mr. Goldie states that both men deny theft, and say that can't explain how it is the money is missing.

The branch of the department of which they had charge takes in about \$1,500,000 a year. The shortages, made up of small amounts, run back for about five years.

Thomas was employed as a clerk prior to the war, and rejoined the department on his return from overseas.

Donnelly's bondsmen were J. P. Shannon, real estate agent, and W. G. Ellis, jeweler. He will appear in police court in the morning.

**CHURCH PETITIONS
POUR INTO HOUSE**

Majority of Appeals To House Come From Opponents of Bill.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 28.—A flood of petitions for and against the enactment of the church union bill flowed into the House of Commons this afternoon. No fewer than nineteen members rose to present petitions which they had received from churches and organizations in their constituencies. The great majority of the members presented petitions against the bill. Hon. James Murdock, minister of labor, however, presented a petition on behalf of 34 churches, 21 ministers, and 5,100 members of the Methodist Church of Canada, and a recognition before the right of self-determination vested in the respective church governments that seek to be united.

Some amusement was caused when Robert Forke, Progressive leader, who moved first reading of the bill, presented a petition from members of the congregation of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, Brandon, against its passing.

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PRINCESS ILEANA of Rumania, who, according to gossip broadcast through New York newspapers, is the latest candidate for betrothal to the Prince of Wales.

STRATFORD MAN NEW MODERATOR IN THIS DISTRICT

London and Hamilton Presbyterian Synod Opens in Woodstock.

STIRRING SERMON

Special to The Advertiser.
Woodstock, April 28.—Rev. Robert Martin of Stratford was officially made moderator at the opening session of the Presbyterian Synod of Hamilton and London held in Knox Church tonight.

Rev. Dr. W. T. McMullen of this city, who is past 93 years, opened the meeting with prayer.

The chief speaker of the evening was Rev. Dr. J. T. Wardle, Stratford, pastor of Metropolitan Methodist Church, Toronto, who based his stirring sermon on 2nd verse 1st Corinthians.

"Arguments cannot convert," he said. "Nobody learns about God in a debating society. Do your best for the members, put the best instruments in their possession for they are a gift of God."

"Athens was the confluence of the Greek, Hebrew and Roman knowledge, but academic men are not the best for a university city. Paul was unsuccessful with the very people he expected to succeed with."

Two Things Necessary.
"Corinth was a Greek city in a Roman colony. The world's wickedness is not in Toronto, Montreal or in Woodstock, but is age long and world wide. Corinthia wallowed in iniquity, Sabbath breaking and sexual passions."

"The cross is the greatest offense against sin. It would not kill pleasure, but will cleanse the theatre and make the drama so pure that the saint will have no danger of soiling his robe."

"We should inculcate the doctrine that money is not the sole end of life, and teach them the spirit of sacrifice."

"Two things are necessary to bring men to the cross of Christ, the requisite atmosphere and the preacher who preaches the ethic that Jesus Christ was crucified."

"Businessmen who are successful become covetous, and the greed of gain becomes a specious sin. What the hard world needs is men with tender hearts and a spirit of sacrifice for the cross."

"The union question is as ripe in England as in Canada, but any union that is brought in by political power is no good, the question should be apart from the political world."

Can Divide Congregation.
"I can divide my congregation by preaching the socialism of Jesus, cause the people to gnash their teeth by preaching capital and labor."

"The cross will endure for all time. It is the convenient expression of God's love. Love will melt a heart and cleanse it. Through St. Paul's preaching of the cross, the church was quickened."

"There have been many changes in the fashions of preachers in my time, but there are stars in the celestial firmament that waver and flicker, and stars that never set."

**NEW JERSEY WIFE
SLAYS HUSBAND**

Mrs. G. Vancleef Now Critically Ill After Taking Poison.

Keensburg, N.J., April 28.—Gifford Vancleef, a former contracting painter of Newport, N.Y., who came here weeks ago, was shot and killed by his wife in their bedroom yesterday, according to a report made to the authorities by A. A. Frey, with whom the couple lived. After the shooting Mrs. Vancleef ran into the bathroom and drank poison in an attempt to end her own life. It is said, at the Monmouth Memorial Hospital at Long Branch, it was reported last night that the woman's condition was critical.

Dr. C. W. McConnell, who was summoned by Mr. Frey after the shooting, expressed the opinion that Mrs. Vancleef was temporarily insane.

NEW AMENDMENT TO THE BUDGET IS RULED IN ORDER

Lemieux Declares Conservative Resolution Cannot Be Considered.

MANION SPEAKS

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Following the Speaker's ruling the House resumed debate. Hon. R. J. Manion, Conservative member for Fort William, regarded the budget as a forerunner of free trade. He wondered why a government which had so little to boast about and boasted of so little, did not boast about the emigration to the United States. If the present trend towards free trade were continued, Canada might become an "industrial appendage" of the United States, and the exodus of the children of Israel would be like a U. F. O. parade in Toronto as compared with the exodus of Canadians across the international boundary.

Support for the budget came both from Liberal and Progressive ranks. W. K. Baldwin, Liberal, declared that in his own constituency of Stantec, Que., he had heard no criticism of the budget. John Pritchard, Progressive, of North Wellington, thought the budget a step in the right direction. Mr. Pritchard thought there should be an "intelligence discussion" of the motion proposed by Harry Leader of Portage la Prairie, favoring a reduction of 12½ per cent in sessional indemnities.

Mr. Pritchard would apply a 12½ per cent cut to the salary of every member of the government service setting more than \$3,000. Before the Speaker gave his ruling on the Woodsworth amendment to the budget today, W. A. Boys, chief Conservative whip, said he would like to emphasize the stand the official opposition took against the amendment. He had nothing to add to the arguments against it given by Right Hon. Arthur Meighen last Friday.

The original motion was not in order. It had, however, not been read from the chair and was not therefore before the House. The one that had been read from the chair was quite different. It had no second, Mr. Boys quoted a number of authorities on parliamentary procedure to support his claim.

Speaker Lemieux, giving his ruling, said the amendment as proposed by Mr. Woodsworth was objectionable in form, and, therefore, exercising his unquestioned authority, he had conferred with Mr. Woodsworth, who had made changes in the amendment. In this, the Speaker argued, he had followed customs and usages of the House. It was quite competent for a member to change a motion providing, as in the present case, it had not been submitted to the House from the chair. But once the Speaker had read an amendment or motion, it ceased to be under the mover's control and could only be withdrawn by leave of the House.

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Dealing with recent criticisms of the government for "pork barrel" expenditures on public works in the Maritime Provinces, Mr. Robichaud said that the intimation that these expenditures were dictated by political considerations was a reflection upon his constituents. He then went on to review the various votes for wharves and breakwaters in his constituency, arguing that they were necessitated by industrial conditions and by the need of retaining the population on the land.

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Manion Scores Proposals.
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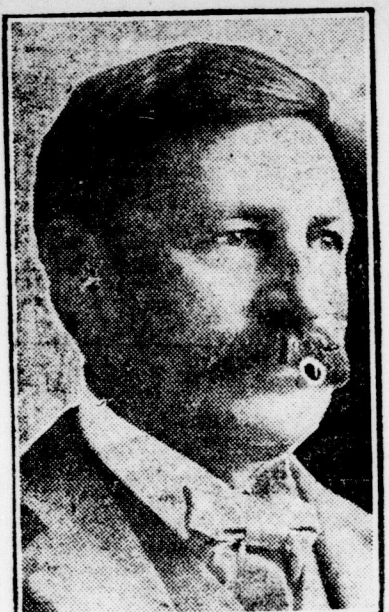
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Board of Education TENDERS FOR COAL

Sealed Tenders will be received at the office of the Secretary, Board of Education, up to noon on Monday next, 5th May, for next season's requirements of Coal for city schools. Particulars at office of Secretary, Board of Education. S. F. LAWSON, Chairman No. 2 Committee. W. A. TANNER, Secretary. 49c

Tenders

Bulk or separate (marked) tenders will be received at the office of the undersigned up till 5 p.m. on Saturday, May 10, for a two-room addition to public school, Dorchester, Ont., for continuation purposes. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Plan can be had at the undersigned, Frank Boyce, chairman, Dorchester, Ont.; W. C. Murray, architect, London, Ont. A29-M1.3 47c

Painting Tenders

will be received for painting steel sash at Technical School. For particulars, apply at office of the Technical School, Dundas St. 47c

AUCTION SALE

of the Household Effects of N. Agranove, 644 Dundas St.

Consisting of a very fine (almost new) 4-piece chesterfield set and living-room set, genuine mahogany, Spanish leather, 3-piece; 2 brass beds, mattresses, springs, 2 dressers, mahogany player-piano and rolls, Victrola and records, typewriter, dining-room, set of 8 pieces, electric fan, French Wilton rugs and carpets, almost new, gas stove, kitchen table, etc., all of which will be sold to public auction, without limit or reserve.

Sale will take place Wednesday, April 30th, at 2:30 p.m.

At the residence upstairs, 644 Dundas Street, London. S. HOWARD LYON, auctioneer. 47c

SIR ROBERT P. HUESTON GIVES UP CONSTITUENCY

Resigns Seat After Representing West Tooteth For Thirty-Two Years.

London, April 29.—An unusually interesting by-election is promised in the West Tooteth division of Liverpool, where Sir Robert P. Hueston, Conservative member of the House of Commons, is giving up the seat after 32 years' membership for that constituency. West Tooteth is entirely an industrial community, comprised chiefly of dock workers, miners, engineers and seafarers, yet, while the Labor Party has made repeated efforts to win it, the party invariably has been thwarted by the popularity of Sir Robert Hueston, combined with the Toryism which for years has dominated Liverpool as much among the workmen as the employers.

Even James Sexton, the Liverpool dockers' leader, has made comparatively slight dents in Sir Robert's armor on several occasions when there have been election contests in West Tooteth, but in the last general election, J. Gibbons, the Labor candidate, came within 129 of winning the seat from Sir Robert, who is a well-known shipowner.

In connection with the prospective vacancy in West Tooteth, Winston Churchill's name is mentioned as that of a possible candidate, but considering how narrow Sir Robert Hueston's majority was last December, it is considered doubtful that the former colonial secretary would risk running there so soon after his defeat in the Abbey division of Westminster. Besides, he has already half promised the Abbey division to try again for victory there as soon as an opportunity offers. If Winston Churchill ran in West Tooteth it would be as a combined Liberal and Tory. J. Gibbons again will be the Labor candidate in West Tooteth. His supporters already are fully equipped for the contest and express themselves as confident of victory.

FRENCH FLIER REACHES PERSIAN GULF SAFELY

Paris, April 29.—Lieutenant Pelletier d'Oisy, whose air flight in the Far East is being watched with great interest, particularly because of other long distance flights which are in progress, reached Benderabab on the Persian Gulf, about noon yesterday. A message received from him by the French air service says: "Arrived Benderabab in very hot weather. Landing ground very bad. Passed the Portuguese aviators at Bagdad."

The Portuguese aviators alluded to are Brito Paes and Carmento Bleros, who are attempting a flying trip to Macao, on the Canton River.

FLIER LEAVES PERSIAN GULF.

Associated Press Despatch. Bombay, British India, April 29.—Lieut. Pelletier d'Oisy, French aviator, flying from Paris to Tokio, left Benderabab, on the Persian Gulf, this morning for Karachi, British India.

SPECIAL NOTICE

To Taxpayers In Arrear of Taxes On Real Estate

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the duty of the City Treasurer, and he has been directed to add, on the FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT, 1924, to the arrears of taxes then due in respect of any parcel of land in the City of London TEN PER CENT, as required by Section 140 of the Assessment Act.

ALL PERSONS IN ARREAR FOR TAXES ON LANDS ARE REQUESTED TO PAY THEIR TAXES ON OR BEFORE THE THIRTIETH OF APRIL, 1924, AND SAVE THE TEN PER CENT.

Dated at London this twenty-third day of April, A.D. 1924.

JAMES S. BELL, City Treasurer.

Notice To Creditors

In the matter of the Estate of George Riddell, late of the Township of Westminster, in the County of Middlesex, Farmer, Deceased.

Notice is hereby given, pursuant to the statutes, in that behalf persons having claims against the estate of the said George Riddell, who died on or about the 3rd day of March, 1924, at the said Township of Westminster, are to send postpaid or deliver to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of May, 1924, full particulars of their claims and securities (if any) held by them.

And take notice that after the said 20th day of May, 1924, the executor of said estate will proceed to distribute the assets thereof among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to those claims of which he shall then have received notice.

Dated at London, Ont., April 21, 1924.

FRASER & MOORE, Solicitors for Executor.

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THE GUMPS—WITHOUT THE LAW



BARNEY GOOGLE AND SPARK PLUG

It's No Playtime for Barney.

By BILLY DE BECK



TOOTS AND CASPER

Casper Spares Buttercup's Feelings.

By JIMMY MURPHY



MUTT AND JEFF

Jeff Attends a Horse Show With the Prince of Wales.

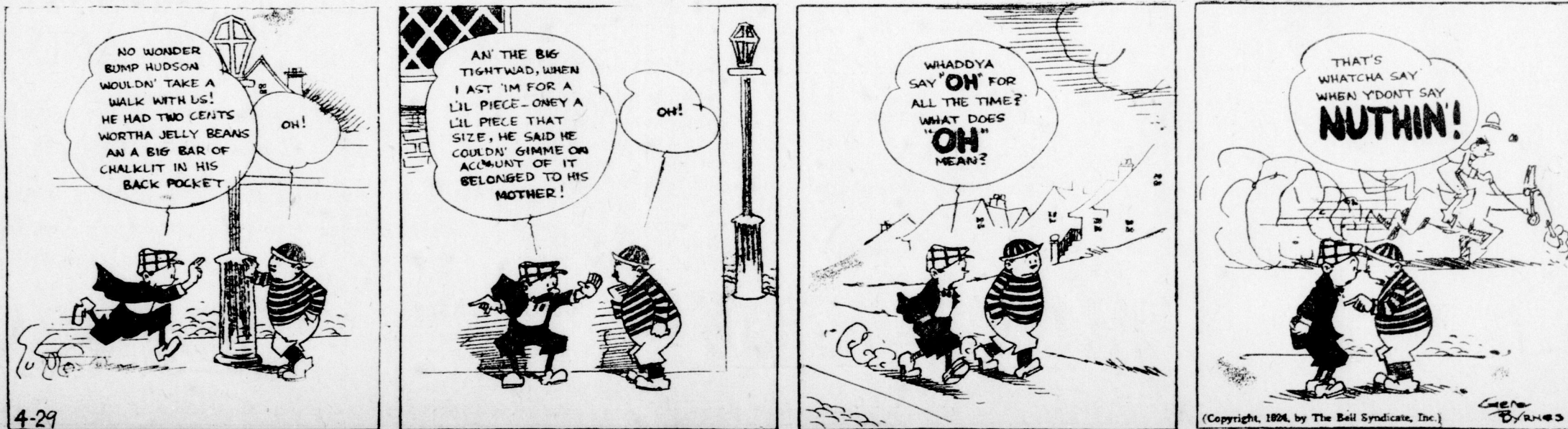
By BUD FISHER



REG'LAR FELLERS

Deep Stuff.

By GENE BYRNES



ADVERTISING! — IS OUR REPORT TO YOU

ABOUT THE NEW MERCHANDISE WE HAVE BOUGHT AND THE PRICES FOR WHICH IT IS TO BE SOLD



This store is operated for your service. If it should not prove to be helpful and satisfying to you it would cease to exist. Its chief function is to supply the merchandise that people require, and the measure of its efficiency is to supply that goods just when it is wanted and at the lowest price for which equal goods can be purchased. To serve you best we must let you know when new goods come in, and when favorable opportunities are presented for special purchase.

This we do by means of our advertising, and it is our constant endeavor to make our advertising accurate and informative. It shall always deserve your fullest confidence, and we shall constantly endeavor to make it helpful and interesting. Please always think of it as our daily report to you of the news of a store whose duty is to serve you well and to your complete satisfaction.

Sale of 39-Inch Crepe Thebes \$1.19 Yard

Eight entirely new and different patterns in this popular fabric are offered at fully one-third off for tomorrow morning's sale. Printed Crepe, especially in those pretty new allover effects, suggesting Oriental designing, are greatly in favor this season for dresses as well as overblouses. They come in the following predominating colors: navy with tan, navy with henna, royal, brown, rust, midnight blue, sand and gray. Remember this is not pure silk, but the percentage of pure silk is over 50 per cent, and the effect is the thing you look for. Wednesday morning special, per yard \$1.19

Aisle A.

Lingerie of Tailored Trimness



The success of the new tailored suits or street frocks depends not only upon the correct accessories, but upon the correct foundations in underthings. Lingerie of softly clinging fabrics and trimly tailored lines is a most important requisite.

The tasteful woman wants her underthings to match, so one of the features of our present showing of lingerie is the Two-Piece Trouseau set of Vest and Step-in. The delightful satisfaction of having undergarments that match costs no more than having odd pieces. It is simply a question of buying your lingerie in

sets. So this offering to women of new vest and step-in sets will appeal to women who are particular about these little niceties of dress.

Vest and Step-in Set of satinette, in the shamrock pattern, firmly tailored in delicate tints of honey dew, orchid and petal pink, \$3.50
Vest and Step-in Set of Finest French voile, with a strap shoulder and contrasting bindings: in flesh, sky, white and orchid, \$2.50

Second Floor.

Silks For Correct Spring Frocks

The rich sheen and shimmer of Crepe Francais, the lustrous softness of flat crepe and the fine, even texture of pongee. The prevalence of black and navy blue accents the beauty of the new high colors, with their vivid glints of red or almond green. Dozens of other delightful fabrics and designs await your choice at our Silk Department.

Flat Crepes

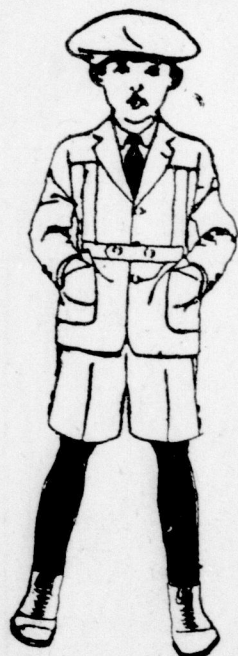
A heavyweight of pure Swiss silk with a rich, lustrous finish; the peak of the spring season is an opportune time to purchase a dress length; in shades of tiger lily, jade, pheasant, meadow lark, zine, navy, Chinese red, peacock, dark brown and black. It is 39 inches wide. At \$2.69 yard

Crepe Francais

Very popular this season is the high, luster finish of Crepe Francais, with its satin face and crepe back. Its suave grace makes it well adapted to the slender lines of this spring's silhouette; in black and navy blue, 39 inches wide. At \$4.00 a yard

COLORED PONGEE

For lingerie and simple dresses Colored-Pongee Silks are in high favor. This quality of extra weight, without any filling and it gives exceptional service. The range of colors is very wide; the silk is 33 inches in width and is priced at \$1.19 yard
Main Floor.



SMART SPRING CLOTHES FOR ACTIVE BOYS

The new One and Two-Bloomer Suits, in panel and yoke models, patch pockets, norfolks, sport models, swagger, characterful Tailored Suits for lively boys, made from sturdy British Tweeds, in patterns particularly well adapted for Boys' Suits that will stand long, hard wear; all lined throughout, governor fasteners; sizes 26 to 35. Economical mothers with an eye on the family purse, will welcome these outstanding values. A large selection at \$9.95. Others \$12.95, \$15.95 and \$18.50

Scores of boys are wearing the special tweed

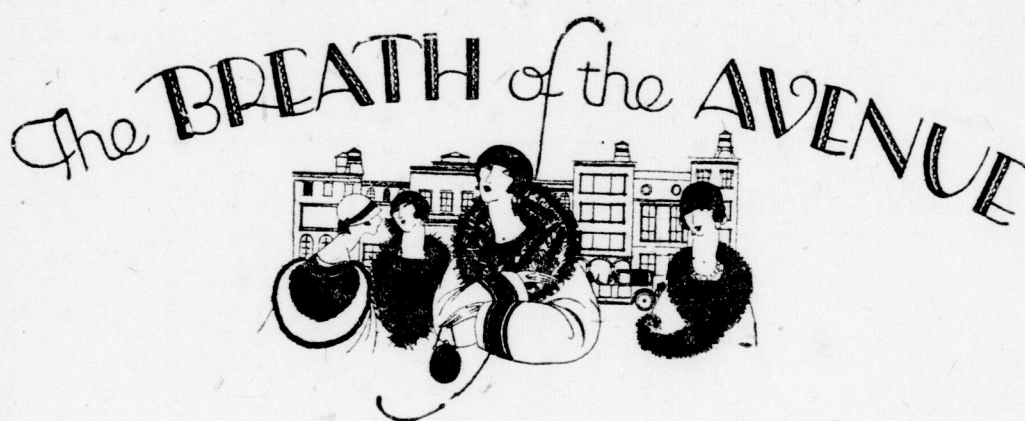
Spring Caps, 59c Each
in smart patterns and colors, including grays, browns, lavas, overchecks, etc., well lined. Very special. 59c each

Boys' Underwear

Boys' Balbriggan Combinations, in natural shade, short sleeves and knee length; sizes 24 to 34. Special .. 79c suit

New Blouses

Plain shades of cream and tan, with collars attached; excellent quality and well-tailored and finished. Price \$1.50
Striped Blouses, in new patterns, with collars attached \$1.00, \$1.75



The Ensemble Suit Was the Most Significant Easter Costume

To the ensemble suit belongs the formality of Easter morning. And to the ensemble belongs the greatest promise of future fashion importance.

The ensemble suit, that gained its first import and recognition this Easter, is one that is difficult to distinguish from a well-matched separate dress and coat. Only by the close relation between the dress and coat trimmings and by the occasional shortened length of the coat, can the suit ensemble be known. As the Breath of the Avenue has said for a number of weeks, the ensemble idea is getting stronger and stronger. It has strengthened and widened now to include all types of costumes from sports to formal. And the ensembles of the Easter parade range all the way from the semi-sports outfit of high-colored kasha, or flannel, to the formal costume of satin or crepe.

The silk ensemble is the one more generally worn on Easter Sunday. It is most typical when made of black crepe, black satin or one of the black corded silks. The coat is usually straight and simple, varying all the way from a scant three-quarter to a full seven-eighth length. It has, most often, the narrow standing collar of fur, or fabric or the flat tailored collar, designed to be worn with the scarf of self material, that so frequently becomes an integral part of the ensemble costume.

The scarf is usually of a new type that sounds a new note for scarf fashion. It is one with the French prediction—"The scarf, to be correct now, must be an integral part of the costume." This news is brought direct from Paris by M. Courtot, director of the fashion show of the French Exposition that will open at the Grand Central Palace on Friday. A very significant fashion message!

The scarfs of a number of the most striking of the Easter ensembles bear out this news, and hang long and straight in self material and self color. Made frequently of two thicknesses of material, occasionally bordered with the trimming of the coat, or with a strip of fabric. Almost always very long—so long that even after it has been wrapped around the neck once, the ends will reach very nearly to the hem of the coat. A scarf that is equally part of the coat and the dress—one that is not an accessory, but an integral part of the costume.

The dress of the ensemble is usually simple and straight, beltless and tubular. Made either of the material of the coat or of the lining, or a combination of the two. Occasionally some of the very smartest suits take tunic blouses and repeat the becoming three-quarter length of the coat in the knee-length of the bright, lining-matching blouse.

The less formal ensembles resemble the one just described in everything except color and fabric. The coats of these semi-sports suits are frequently made of some lightweight woolen fabric, such as covert cloth, flannel or juna. And the dresses match either the coat color or fabric—occasionally combining the bright print of the lining with a hem band of the coat material.

Or the coats are of one of the less formal silks, such as alpaca or high-color flat crepe, and the dress repeats both the color and the fabric and takes trimming to match the coat lining. The colors are the high shades, of course. First the tans and titian tones, then green, then navy blue.

The ensemble suit, formal and informal, black or high color, silk or wool, stands out as the newest and most significant of this Easter's fashions.

THE BREATH OF THE AVENUE, NEW YORK.
Smallman & Ingram, Ltd., Exclusive Service
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Changes of Location of Departments—Main Floor

For the greater shopping convenience of our customers we have moved the Glove Section to the West Aisle of store, Aisle B, opposite Hosiery Counter, as these are kindred lines. This arrangement will be found more convenient. Ribbons and Handkerchiefs will now be found on east side in Aisle D., opposite Trimmings and Buttons. The same advantage will be noted in this change.

On the Fourth Floor

The Art Section has been swung across the front, facing east elevators, into a stronger daylight for the display and matching of colors and needlework. You will at once note the advantage in this change.

Tomorrow a Representative from the William H. Leishman Tailoring Company Will Be Here With Complete Range of Imported Fabrics and New Models.

LEISHMAN'S HAND-TAILORED SUITS AND TOPCOATS

Including Business Suits, Sport Suits, Golf Suits, Formal Clothes, Crested-fields, Topcoats—hand-tailored to measure.

Men who prefer the high-grade quality of these foremost hand-tailored clothes for men are invited to inspect the complete range of advance models and imported fabrics displayed in our sample room (tomorrow) Wednesday. Special to measure orders taken.



Mastercraft Candles

The mellow glow of candle light with its flickering shadows and dancing lights will add to the charm of many holiday dinner tables. Even during the daytime these lovely Mastercraft candles sound a vivid color note with their tall, slender brightness. Square fluted design, in pink, rose, blue, gray, orange, old gold and mulberry, 8 inches long 2 for 25c
Conical hand-dipped, 7 inches long, in rose, blue, green, orange, pink, old gold, black and yellow 2 for 25c
Conical hand-dipped, 9 inches long, in solid colors 20c each
Conical hand-dipped, in 11-inch length, solid colors 25c each
Obelisk Candles, in a square, tapering effect, 7½ inches long, in the same color range 2 for 25c
Decorated Candles, in green and gold, red and gold, blue and gold, and many others. At \$1.00 and \$1.25 a pair

Main Floor

New Gloss Artificial Silk Casement Draperies, Prices \$2.95, \$3.25, \$3.50 to \$7.00 Yard.

BEAUTIFUL SHADES AND COMBINATIONS

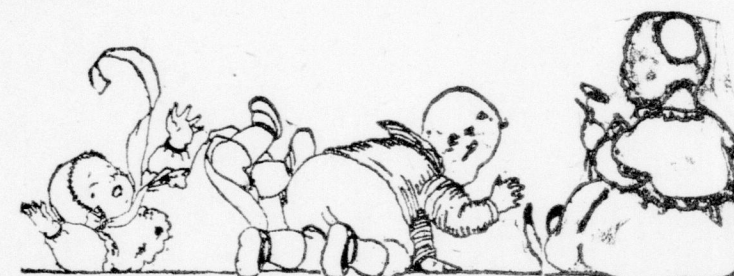
A handsome fabric with a superior gloss to silk, and in plain colors, shot effects or stripe designs, making most wonderful draperies, giving that rich dignity to a room that cannot be obtained with plain cotton fabrics; colors are in mulberry, rose, blue, copen, gold, brown, wistaria, taupe (also combinations), in rainbow stripes; plain, shot effects, stripe and damask designs. Priced at \$2.95, \$3.25, \$3.50, \$4.00, \$4.25, \$4.50 to \$7.00 yard

Excellent Designs in Terry Cloths, \$1.50 Yard

A popular drapery fabric can be used for overdraperies, valances, portieres or scarfs, a good assortment of new designs, rich, soft colorings in very attractive combinations of color; all are perfectly reversible and some have contrasting colors on each side. You will want to see these attractive fabrics at \$1.50 yard

Window Shades of Best Quality, Made to Your Order

You will, no doubt, require new window shades this spring. In leaving your order with us you are assured of securing the best cloth manufactured, and in submitting prices feel satisfied we are figuring on the best cloth only. Let us figure on your new home for window shades: no charge or obligation on your part; work all done by thoroughly experienced men. If you require new shade cloth on your rollers we will supply new cloth and mount on rollers for you, saving you from 32c to 42c and upwards on each shade.



Play Garments For Tiny Tots

Diminutive Creepers and Overalls, sturdily made of sateen pique and cambrie, may be found in the Infants' Shop. These practical little garments give as much freedom and comfort to active one to four year olds as to their busy mothers.

There are Creepers made from black sateen trimmed with red or yellow braid; Creepers of white pique embroidered in blue with feather stitching and ducks; Creeper of white seersucker (it does not require ironing), with a pencil line overcheck in blue, yellow or mauve; sizes 1 and 2 years. At 85c
Cambrie Creepers in dainty shades of pink and blue with thin white bindings; sizes 1 and 2 years. At 75c
For sunny play hours out of doors and in the sand pile there are Knee-length Overalls of black sateen, piped with red or blue sateen; sizes 1 to 4 years. Price 85c
Khaki Cambrie Overalls, knee length, piped with red and equipped with two patch pockets; sizes 1 to 4 years 75c

Infants' Shop—Fourth Floor.

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