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BRITAIN'S NEXT GREAT FORWARD STEP.

When the great Gladstone ministry of 1868-74 was drawing to its close, and having accomplished many tasks, the Government seemed to have little left to do. Disraeli pointed to the cabinet row and designated them with his biting satire as "a range of extinct volcanoes." Nothing like that will be said of the Asquith Government. Much has been done, but ever more looms up to do. This is not a one-man or a two-man Government, but one of many talents.

As soon as the Irish, Welsh and franchise bills are put through, it is announced that a great, sweeping educational reform will be brought down. As the Liberals have followed and improved upon Germany in the matter of national insurance, so they are not afraid to venture in the immense matter of education. For long, Germany has led the way, and it is now a commonplace to attribute her advance in trade and industry largely to her educational efficiency. Viscount Haldane, a keen student of all things German, is especially enthusiastic for the vast reform now projected by Mr. Runciman's department along and transcending German lines.

From called reports of his speech at Manchester, it is evident that education in Great Britain is to be further nationalized. It is to be made more practical, more professional and technical, more democratic and free for all. Not only secondary school continuation is to be provided for all capacities, but the university education in all its manifold phases from machinery to classics and orientals will be opened to all talents by state scholarships and subsidies. Here is work for a live Government to carry through. It is a radical program that has been long contemplated, and is now possible in the tide of Liberal success. It is necessitated by the stern rivalry of Germany. British production must be stimulated and improved, and the right education for all will lead sooner than Dreadnoughts to victory. Great Britain must go her rival one better in the process that has made modern, imperial Germany.

An important feature of the new program outlined by Lord Haldane is a provision for more civic universities, presumably to be aided by the state. Already the more powerful English cities have established universities of their own. The first and perhaps still the greatest of these is that of Manchester, which formerly as Owen College set the new fashion for universities in England. It was fitting that a speech like Lord Haldane's should be delivered in Manchester, the capital of democracy and scientific education. Sir James Whitney might well note the university policy to be pushed forward by the British Government. Local needs must be served by the local university, encouraged, not banned, by an intelligent Government.

A really thorough and democratic educational system which will draw out of all quarters of the nation its latent abilities will do for Great Britain what the revolution of 1789 did for French armies; it will make her irresistible in the fulness of her development and in the impetus of her awakened spirit. A new England is about to be called into being by the hand of triumphant Radicalism. The House of Lords pushed back reform for a moment when it beat Birrell's bill in 1908. A far wider-reaching reform is now in contemplation which no House of Lords can stop, and which will, probably, like the insurance bill, sweep away party lines in the rush of its acceptance.

AS TO WATERFRONTS.

In a letter favoring the coupling of a flat-rate policy for Niagara power with the electrification of the London and Port Stanley Railway, Mr. F. W. Daly intimates that London has no future unless she can be made practically a lakeport, adding that "if a map of the world is examined, it will be found that nearly all great cities are situated at or near the water."

London has been as close to the lake for many years as she ever will be. If Mr. Daly's theory were correct, London should be Port Stanley, Brantford should be Port Dover, and Winnipeg should be Port Arthur. There was a time when cities depended largely upon their locations on seas or rivers for their prosperity, but this was in the days when small sailing craft were the most advanced means of transportation. Happily today there are other factors in building up communities. Although an inland city, London got a start on every other place in Western Ontario, and has maintained it through advantages of size, situation and railway facilities. Port Stanley was once larger than London. With the lake at its doors, why has it not grown?

No one would be so foolish as to deny the benefits of cheap freight rates between London and the lake. The city

enjoys them now, and no one proposes to deprive her of them. But it is not necessary to spend a million dollars to maintain them. It is also proper to inquire whether the city would get a return for this vast expenditure, and whether existing steam road connections, indispensable to her manufacturing and distributing interests, would be destroyed or impaired.

Before London gets to Port Stanley it must move St. Thomas, and St. Thomas is not exactly thinking of moving, but will be on the highway with its hand out for benefits, some 17 or 18 miles nearer to the lake than London ever can be. St. Thomas stands to gain everything and lose nothing if London plunges into an enormous outlay on the London and Port Stanley Railway.

Mr. Daly might cast his eye over a map of England and see whether any cities are able to prosper without being located on waterfronts. Sheffield, for instance, is the greatest steel centre in the Empire; Birmingham is the third city of the kingdom, a hive of industry; Leicester is famous for its hosiery; Halifax for its carpet works; Bradford for its worsteds. Nottingham, Northampton, Darlington, and scores of other great British cities refute the claim that water transportation is everything. Paris, Madrid, Berlin and Vienna, all capitals, are far inland, and even Paris and Vienna have comparatively little maritime tonnage as river ports, but they are the largest cities in some of the largest countries of Europe. Another glance at the map is recommended to our esteemed correspondent.

SELFISHNESS EXPOSED.

Some of the big pulp and paper makers of Quebec were among the flag-bearers who professed to scent treason in the reciprocity agreement of 1911, but they are keen for advantages in the American market which they would deny the farmers.

They are venturing enormously by the one clause of that agreement which the United States put into operation, despite the verdict in Canada.

This clause provides for the free admission of Canadian wood pulp and paper made from pulpwood which may be freely exported from Canada. In Ontario the only pulpwood which may be exported is that cut on private lands—a small proportion of the whole. Quebec adopted the same regulation long after Ontario, but in Quebec the quantity of pulpwood on private lands is much greater than in this province. As a result the pulp and paper mills there which used private pulpwood got a free market for their products in the United States. With this impetus there has been an enormous development in the industry in Quebec.

But this has not satisfied the pulp and paper makers. Some of the largest firms have prevailed on the Quebec Government to remove the restrictions on the export of pulpwood out from public or crown lands. Today all the pulp and paper they make can go into the United States duty-free. Before the election of 1911 they professed to deplore a policy which would enable the Americans to "traverse" Canadian forests. They were not aware at that time that they could secure the removal of the embargo on their supplies of pulpwood on crown lands, which would unlock the American market to their finished products.

Today Canadian pulp and paper are going to the United States at the rate of 125,000 tons a year. The United States paper trust is up in arms, and is pressing Congress to repeal the clause. The paper trust fought the reciprocity pact in company with the United States lumber trust. Failing in the United States, they transferred their energies to Canada. They established a literary bureau in this country with the aid of the anti-Laurier press and paraded the bogey of annexation to scare Canadian simpatons. Articles in the lumber trust organs in the United States, pretending to favor reciprocity as a step toward annexation were reproduced by collusion in the London Free Press and other Canadian dailies, as expressions of disinterested American opinion.

Today these trusts are compelled to fight in the open. Canadians may now see the naked selfishness of the interests not only in the United States, but in Canada, which were arrayed against the farmers of this country.

A free American market for Canadian pulp and paper makers by all means, but a free American market for the Canadian farmers—this is not to be endured.

LAID FOR HIM.

[Harper's.]
"As I was sitting in the crowded car coming out home tonight," said Warner at the dinner table, "a woman entered and stood almost exactly in front of me."
"And you got up and gave her your seat?" queried the wife.
"No," replied Warner; "another fellow got ahead of me; but I had to wait five minutes for him."

CANADA'S RELATION TO BRITISH WARS.

[N. W. Rowell.]
"It is well for us to get clearly in mind the distinction between neutrality and non-participation. As Sir John Macdonald would undoubtedly have said, and as Sir Wilfrid Laurier has repeatedly said, whenever the empire is at war, Canada, as part of the empire, is at war also. In the last 100 years, Great Britain has been engaged in 15 supposed, over a score of wars, and yet in none of these which have occurred outside of this continent have Canadian troops participated, except in the war in South Africa. No statesman of Canada has ever proclaimed the doctrine of colonial neutrality, but what Canadian statesmen have said, and truly said, is that the Government of Canada must decide the character and extent of the participation which Canada takes in the war. It is Parliament which must vote, the supplies. On this

important matter, if I read history aright, Sir Wilfrid Laurier and Sir John Macdonald have taken exactly the same position, except that the Government of Sir John exercised the right to decide by refusing to participate, the Government of Sir Wilfrid by participating."

LONDON AT DAWN.

[William Wordsworth.]
Earth has not anything to show more fair;

Dull would he be of soul who could pass by
A sight so touching in its majesty:
This city now doth, like a garment, wear

The beauty of the morning; silent, bare,
Ships, towers, domes, theatres, and temples lie
Open unto the fields; and to the sky;
All bright and glittering in the smokeless air.

Never did sun more beautifully steep
In his first splendour, valley, rock, or hill;
N'er saw I, never felt, a calm so deep!
The river glideth at his own sweet will:

Dear God! the very houses seem asleep;
And all that mighty heart is lying still!

FROM THE STORE.

[Sketch.]
The Doctor—Oh, my dear sir, you must masticate your food. What were your teeth given you for?
The Suffragist (emphatically)—They weren't given me—I bought 'em.

SLOW EXIT.

[New York American.]
The ex-Hero—Ah, my boy, when I played "Hamlet" it took me about fifteen minutes to leave the house.
The Vicarious ex-Comedian (coldly)—Was he lame?

WORKED HERSELF TO DEATH.

[London Daily News and Leader.]
The story of a woman who worked herself to death in an effort to keep her husband and children was told at Blackburn yesterday at the inquest on Mary Elizabeth Chambers, 35, wife of a cotton operative.

The husband is a consumptive, who has not been able to work for four years and there are four children, the oldest boy, aged thirteen, earning 12s. a week.

With the assistance of this lad the wife, by working as a winder at a mill, had kept the family, doing her housework in the evening and nursing her husband. On Saturday night whilst attending to her husband she fell across him on the bed dead.
The jury returned a verdict of "Death from natural causes, probably heart failure, brought on by overwork." They presented their fees (to which the coroner added a contribution) to the distressed family.

TOM BROWN'S SECOND.

[London Daily News and Leader.]
Another link with life at Rugby School 70 years ago has been severed by the death at Worthing of Mr. John George Holloway at the age of 89. He was a school friend of Tom Hughes while at Rugby, and figured in "Tom Brown's School Days." He was one of the seconds in the famous fight so graphically described in the book between Slogger Williams and Tom Brown, the original of which latter character, the Rev. Augustus Orlibar, died only two months ago.
Mr. Holloway was in Dr. Arnold's house at Rugby, and played in six schoolhouse matches against the rest of the school.

THE LAST RESORT.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]
"Do you believe in Platonic friendship?" she asked.
"Not," he replied, "as long as there is a chance for anything else."

A SNOWY WASTE.

[Washington Herald.]
"Can you imagine," demanded the returned explorer, "the enormous extent of those vast snowfields?"
"I can," declared the statesman from Wayback. "I had the same sensation the first time I appeared in public wearing a dress shirt."

THE NEW BEAUTY.

[Manchester Guardian.]
Eyes of azure, eyes of hazel,
Ebon tresses, locks of gold;
Beauty, ocular or nasal—
These, beloved, leave me cold.
They are trifles, only skin-deep,
'Tis nothing they amount to:
Let us rather enter deep
To the things that really count.

Here's a chart wherein are written
Beatings of my love's love heart;
Never was there seen in Britain
Such a model of a chart.
Up and down in faultless rhythm,
Bearing the curves in ordered law,
Bearing testimony with 'em
Of a heart without a flaw.

Charms like this thou hast in plenty;
I resolved to tempt the Fates
When I read thy five-and-twenty
Medical charms, and twenty
Perfect as the heart between 'em
Are thy lungs, and liver, too,
While thy matchless duodenum
Is the best that ever grew.

Doctors rave about thy pharynx,
They have scarcely words to tell
All the beauties of thy larynx
And thy bronchial tubes as well;
Thy digestive apparatus
Bids my soul and its love confess—
Sweet and healthy, whisper, yes!

MR. FOSTER'S ACHIEVEMENT.

[Acadian Recorder, Halifax.]
The speech made by Hon. George E. Foster in the naval debate a week ago was certainly a remarkable effort in many ways. Everything that could possibly be said in favor of a policy of contribution was contained in the speech. Likewise everything that could be said in support of a Canadian navy was said by him in a speech made in the House three years ago; and practically every argument made by Mr. Foster a week ago was foreseen and answered by Mr. Foster three years ago. And we have sufficient faith in Mr. Foster's rhetorical and caustic abilities to believe that he could completely and effectively reply to the arguments made in both speeches tomorrow, for the Huddibars.

"On either side he can dispute,
Confute, change sides, and still con-
fute."
He'll run in debt by disputation
And pay with ratiocination.
All this, by syllogism true,
In mood and figure, he can do.
Whatever skeptics can inquire for,
For every why he has a wherefore."

BROKE HIS ARM.

Madrid, Jan. 12.—Don D. Fernando Maria, brother-in-law of King Alfonso, fell from his horse this morning and broke one of his arms. The doctors in attendance report his condition satisfactory.

CHARACTER IN THE PSALMS

[By Special Arrangement With the Winnipeg Telegram.]

Now that illustrated editions of the Arabian Nights and other ancient classics are becoming so common, it is surprising that no great artist tries his hand at portraying the characters in the Hebrew Psalms. Actual life was the atmosphere in which the Psalms were composed, and the personal experiences of the Psalmist heroes and saints resulted from contact with their fellowmen. Many are the figures, therefore, which cross the fleeting stretches of Israel's songs of the soul. There is no deliberate attempt at character-sketching in the modern sense of the word. The Psalmist is content to make a reference to the divine or human figure, and leaves his appearance to the imagination of the reader. Sometimes, in a vivid theophany, he gives touches of personal description, but, as a general rule, the characters that play their part in the songs of the Psalter are types rather than individuals. The good man is referred to constantly, and he possesses all the vagueness and ideality of a race-hero as far as intimate touches of external description are concerned. But the psychological details are numerous and graphic, so that when we observe the career of "the typical good man" throughout the Psalter, we can arrive at a very fair idea of what the ideal good man was supposed to be in the days when these songs were composed.

The wicked man, the adversary, the oppressor, is also a character frequently mentioned, but picturesque details are few; he remains a type. But we cannot assert that the characters drawn by the Psalmist poets are mere abstractions; it is true they lack the analyzed richness of the hero or villain of the modern Meredith novel, but it is surprising how deftly and how clearly the Psalmists in a single sentence illuminate human character. A Psalmist often tears a man's secret from his heart in a simple sentence, for instance, one poet says, "The fool hath said in his heart there is no God." Nothing else is known of the man who the Psalmist had in mind, but we have got at the heart of his life; we have the key to his whole character. The Psalmists are usually vague in their treatment of human character, but they tell us the useful word concerning the hero or villain, although there are no extremely odd or peculiar people in the Psalter, common, everyday traits of human nature are not altogether blotted out. We catch glimpses of individuals who have swung into the life-stream of the poet and have been caught like flies in the amber of his song of sorrow or of joy, and more often still, the poet opens up his own quivering heart to our inspection, and in a cry of anguish or of trust reveals himself to us in few words, but with a frankness and directness that make him live for us, a man whom we have met and who has interested and influenced us, by claiming our sympathies and ennobling our lives.

In reading and re-reading the Psalms we are impressed over and over again with the fact that these Hebrew poets knew life, understood human nature, and if they had thought it needful or advisable to lift more than a corner of the cloak on their character, their hero or their villain, their prince or their pilgrim, their exile or their warrior, the Psalms would have been made still more entrancing with added color and movement and realism from Israel's tragic story. But the modern zest for character dissection did not prevail in those fictionless days, when real life was stirring enough without going to the romancers and character artists for matter with which to captivate the mind dulled and deadened by the monotony and commonplaceness of life.

We must be content, therefore, with our partial knowledge of characters which the Psalmists studied, and which they have described for us in quick sharp strokes, which are more suggestive than illuminating. In studying the characters mentioned in the Psalter, the types and the individuals, we must read into the Psalms our own first-hand information and experience regarding human character, remembering that no character is wholly good, and no character is altogether bad in real life, and allowing our imaginations to fill in the meagre outlines supplied by the ancient poets.

Yes, gentle reader, that hydro surplus is a wonderful evidence of high financing. Mr. Stephen Grant could raise the assessment of everyone in London, and achieve the same sort of a "surplus," one that would quickly



A FEW LINES
MOT ANYTHING

This fine engraving is of the sensational two-year-old, "Hide-Row," sired by Kilowatt, dammed by Cataract.

This colt has a mark of 1.17, registered with Glau-bitz, the great clocker, and has gone halves in 42 on the 1st and P. S. R. (electrified) "Hide-Row" is a bad starter, and has to be kicked around a good deal, but he finishes like Creases, and is hailed as a fit successor to "The Heel." The only trouble with the colt is that he is in too fast a field usually. He "quit like a dog" when matched with that old campaigner "City Gas" and "City Gas" can show a certificate that he has "Hide-Row's" stable bluffed. Someone recently wrapped "Hide-Row" in wet blankets and his mind was affected. In spite of this he is progressing save for a few chills and fevers. The colt is not as big an ass as he looks in the above picture. The picture was taken under adverse circumstances, the colt having strayed from his stable at 931 Wellington street, and was cropping leaves at Antheist's rink when our photographer approached. He will be one of the cracks of the season, and should cop the simoleons at Belmont, Hyde Park, Kelly's Sliding, Gobles and Leicesters this fall. "Hide-Row" is being trained by the Jeer's Correspondence School, run by that famous trainer, Mr. A. Skate.

MR. BECK HAS NOT YET EX-PLAINED.

His private steam power plant and the throwing out of hydro-electric motors. His action in blocking all Grand Trunk improvements in London, after having eaten salt with the road's officials.

His association in the present instance with a Cataract Power Company, a newspaper and a newspaper that does not use hydro.

His attempt to haul coal at cost and make a \$60,000 profit out of it. (Perhaps he's going to throw in a little sawdust.)

His latest scheme to give coal at less than cost, in order to give coal 43 cents cheaper to himself and his friends.

The reason Adam Beck has three or four log huts near his cigar box factory on Albert street, and he is so busy that he needs them to keep his fingers in the woodpile.

Citizen—It was a sore touch to show that the Cataract Power Company was really the money influence behind the London Free Press.

Second Citizen—Do they not love Adam?

First Citizen—Yes; they are yearning for their affection for him with a pile driver.

Ald. Richter is the only man on the Port Stanley Board who wanted income tax, and a match for all the rest of them.

What ails the Free Press? Oh, didn't you hear? It's suffering from Cataract and Parrot-tonitis.

There was a mysterious move in the anti-Richter camp, to keep the finance minister off the finance committee. Somebody was playing with dynamite.

This talk about "boosting our city" will be much heard at this season. But it's works, not conversation, that the citizens would like to have this year. Mr. Mayor and Council.

One western town uses three pages of newspaper space to let the world know that the Canadian Northern is building a branch line to its borders. The London Free Press has printed 50 pages of matter trying to keep the C. N. R. out of London.

But then, you know, the Cataract Power Company is directing this campaign, and the scalp of Adam with five years is the trophy that newspaper is after.

"Put London on the lake." And first move St. Thomas out of the way.

A copy of that apologetic letter sent by the Cataract Power newspaper to the City Gas Company, for having in a moment of reckless responsibility placed the Gas Company (Major Beatrice, vice-president), in the list of private interests opposed to electrification, would add to the sideglances of the situation.

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Oh, my uncles and my cousins and my relatives by dozens,
And my comrades and acquaintances galore,
And my butcher and my baker, and my special candlemaker,
And the owner of the corner grocery store,
And the man who tries endurance as he seeks to sell insurance,
And the banker and the brewer, and some fifty more, I'm sure,
Have been giving many calendars to me!

They are lithographed and tinted, they are much embossed and printed.
They are every sort and species which is made.
Some are really very sumptuous, and could be considered scrumptious.

And the others merely advertise for trade.
I have hung 'em many places where the walls have offered spaces,
I have cluttered up my home and office, too,
And of course they're very handy—and more PERMANENT than candy—
But—I WISH my friends could think of something new!

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earn him the title of "wizard of finance."

Turf Note.
Hydro, that sensational two-year-old, now in winter quarters at 931 Wellington street, has a mark of 1.17.

Overheard at 931 Wellington Street.
"Say, Ardie, if we hadn't spent that \$1.17 on hydro, we might have been able to buy hammer and spikes to nail Adam's scalp to the barn-door this spring."

CONTROL SECURED FOR STEEL TRUST

Majority of Stock in Two Chief Companies Said To Be Under Option.

STUPENDOUS PROMOTION

Montreal Dispatches to Boston Believe New Corporation's Capital Is Being Underwritten.

Boston, Jan. 12.—The Evening Transcript says:

Special dispatches from Montreal and Ottawa indicate that steady progress is being made in the effort to amalgamate the Canadian steel companies and several of the largest independent companies in the United States into a giant concern to be incorporated under the federal laws of Canada as the International Steel Company. Charles M. Schwab, the first president of the United States Steel Company, is said to be at the head of a syndicate of American capitalists, who are trying to effect the combination.

According to Montreal advices the companies which it is desired to unite are the Dominion Iron and Steel Corporation and the Steel Company of Canada, the latter concern, which include most of the Canadian plants, and the following United States companies: The Bethlehem Steel Company, the Youngstown Steel and Tube Company, the Sidvale Steel Company, the Pennsylvania Steel Company, the Cambria Steel Company, the Laclede Iron Works, and other independent companies.

Accepted as True.
Reports of effort to make such a combination as is outlined above have gained circulation heretofore and been denied. At present the reiteration of the same story from numerous points and the report is accepted in certain Canadian quarters as true. Although the details of the immense scheme are still in an embryonic stage, it is understood in Canadian circles that holders of Dominion Steel will probably receive around the 80 mark for the common stock, while Steel of Canada will be brought into the organization at an equally attractive figure.

It is said in Montreal that the option on the Canadian stocks desired now reach 63.9 per cent, in the Steel Company of Canada, and 53.1 per cent, of the common stock issue of the Dominion Steel Corporation.

According to the plans the capitalization of the new company will be made up as follows: Preferred stock, \$500,000; common, \$400,000,000; and a bond issue of \$200,000,000. This makes a total capital of \$1,100,000,000, which compares with \$621,554,300 bonds, \$260,251,100 preferred stock and \$508,302,500 common stock, or a total capitalization of \$1,490,237,900 for the United States Steel Company.

Underwriting in Progress.
It is stated that the underwriting is already under way by one of the largest financial houses in New York. A report that J. P. Morgan & Co. would look after the underwriting is characterized as absurd, owing to that house's connection with the United States Steel Corporation.

It is reported that while the new company will make a determined effort to secure a good share of the ever-increasing business in the United States and Canada, the greater part of its energy will be spent in developing trade in the Orient. One object will be to hold the Canadian business in view of the plan of the United States Steel Company to build a \$200,000,000 plant in Canada.

Montreal reports say that the prospective head of the new organization will be E. M. Campbell, whom Mr. Schwab has designated the foremost steel producer of the world. With Mr. Campbell will be associated on the directorate men whose names are synonymous of financial power in the United States and Canada.

Boston financiers, who ought to know something of this combination, if it has made as much progress as is reported from Canada, claim to have no official information and are inclined to discredit the reports.

DIES IN 100TH YEAR.

Montreal, Jan. 12.—In her hundredth year and in full possession of all her faculties, Mrs. Mary Teakey died yesterday at her residence, 967 Upper street. Deceased was born in Cote St. Michel, Quebec, in 1813.

TURK WAR PARTY HAS UPPER HAND

London Dispatch Says Ottoman Cabinet Has Decided to Resign.

POWERS PREPARING NOTE

Ambassadors Working on Final Draft of Note To Be Handed the Sultan.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Jan. 13.—The Turkish newspaper Tasfir-i Efkâr says that the Ottoman cabinet has decided to resign according to a news agency dispatch received here from Constantinople. This is believed to indicate the predominance of the influence of the war party.

London, Jan. 13.—The issue of peace or war will rest with Constantinople after the final drafting of the note to be handed by the European powers to the Ottoman Government, which will be settled at today's meeting of the ambassadors at the British foreign office. The ambassadors of France, Germany, Russia, Austria-Hungary and Italy will today all discuss their own mode and time of presentation of the document to the Porte.

A Sign of Peace.
The convocation of the Turkish grand council is considered a good sign in favor of peace as, if Turkey were ready for war, the calling together of the council would be unnecessary. Like that of 1878 at the time of the Russo-Turkish war the present grand council appears in the opinion of many well-informed people here destined to share with Turkish cabinet the responsibility of making peace, on this occasion by yielding the fortress of Adrianople.

This morning is not the view held by the Ottoman peace delegates here, who persist in the opinion that nothing can possibly induce the Porte to renounce the historic Mohammedan capital of Turkey in Europe.

The envoys of the Balkan allies express the opinion that the note drafted by the European powers would acquire greater weight if presented to the Ottoman Government collectively by all the European ambassadors in Constantinople. They think that if it should be presented by the Margrave Johann de Pallavicini, Austro-Hungarian ambassador to Turkey, in his capacity of president of the conference it might lose importance owing to the Austrian embitterment against some of the Balkan States.

Roumania's Neutrality.
The negotiations continue between Roumania, minister of the interior of Roumania, and Dr. S. Dancu, leader of the Bulgarian peace delegation. It seems that Bulgaria questions strongly Roumania's neutrality, and has declared she is able to prove that Roumania allowed during the war 800 trucks of war material from Germany to pass through Roumanian territory on the way to Turkey.

WILL BE DEPORTED

Joseph H. Smith, who was sentenced to six months in the Central Prison and Police Magistrate Judd on Saturday, and Louis Labello, of Glencoe, were taken to Toronto by Bailiff Ryan. Smith, a watch valued at \$15 from John Coker, a fellow-boarder on Friday afternoon, and pleaded guilty on Saturday. The war 800 trucks of his term he will be deported to England. Labello, who is a tailor, broke a window in the Royal Bank while under the influence of liquor, and was sentenced by Magistrate D. C. McKenzie.

BREAKS A COLD IN A FEW HOURS—PAPE'S

Charming Gown Described.
Home and Fashion Hints
For Every Woman Reader.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

A Business Girl's Lunch.
—Making It Appetizing.
How to Care For Ferns.

Two Views of Charming Evening Gown Made By the Famous Beer, in Paris, For a Noted American Beauty.

[By Maybelle Mortimer.]

Berlin, Jan. 13. — Today I saw a beautiful ballroom gown at the House of Beers. It is to be worn by a noted New York society woman at the Metropolitan opera. I begged the two photographs from M. Beer and send them with this fashion letter.

The dress proper is of white satin with white pearl embroidery on the train, which is a pointed affair, and on the reverses and kimono waist.

The grace of the kimono sleeve makes them die hard even over here, where change is the great watchword of fashion.



The great beauty of the costume, which will make a fair New Yorker happy, is the way the tunic is draped. This is made of black tulle, embroidered with pearls, and is put on a little full at the high waist line and brought up into a puffed pannier below the knee.

There is a queer little stomacher of white satin with the pearl embroidery from which depend two wide reverses on the skirt. These also are of the white satin, pearl embroidered.

I cannot resist sending you a back view of this gown. It is so charming, and I want you to see the queer pleating of black tulle that finishes the tunic.

The last touch of perfection is given this frock by the black tulle rose that is worn at the bottom of the décolletage in the front.

"We have sold this model to one of our compatriots," said the saleswoman, "and we have written her to wear it with her pearl dog collar and a pearl band for the hair, with an aigrette of Heron plumes."

Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

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

Hugo's Masterpiece.

Dear Miss Grey—I should feel very much indebted to you if you would answer me the following:

1. I am troubled with blackheads on my chin. Could you give me a remedy?

2. How old was Victor Hugo when he wrote that masterpiece of his, "Les Misérables"? Also in what year was it written?

3. About how old do you think a girl must be before she can really know and feel what true love is? Thanking you in anticipation.

IRIS.

Answer—1. I think persistence in giving the following treatment will effect a considerable improvement within two or three weeks. Buy a flesh brush (or if you cannot get it, a rough wash cloth may be substituted), and each night before retiring scrub the parts affected thoroughly with a soft towel. Procure a jar of greaseless cold cream at your drug-gist and thoroughly rub the skin with the water, by pressing with a soft towel and then applying the cream liberally.

2. Victor Hugo was born on Feb. 26, 1802; thus he was 60 years of age when he wrote "Les Misérables." In 1882, Hugo died in 1881. Any of the encyclopedias in the public library will give you an interesting account of his life.

3. This is a large question, my dear, but I think she must at least be over 20 years of age, and with a little experience in the joys and sorrows of life before she can know the real depth of the burning passion.

Wedding Announcement.

Dear Cynthia—I am an interested reader of your columns in The Advertiser, and come to you for the first time for information. Will you kindly tell me if a wedding announcement should be answered? Just how, and oblige?

HELEN.

A—Wedding announcements need no answer. If you are quite intimate with the bride, and desire to do so, you may send a gift and a little note expressing best wishes. Otherwise, nothing need be done except to call upon the bride within a short time after she is settled in her home.

Do not hesitate to write me again any time I can help you.

A Bride's Reception.

Dear Miss Grey—I am a bride of a month, and wish to hold my post-nuptial reception. Kindly advise me what is customary for a person of moderate means to do in a case of this kind in regard to receiving visitors, what to serve, and what music would be necessary? Sincerely, DAIRY.

A—For a post-nuptial reception it is customary to send out cards, but probably to simply announce the affair through the columns of your local society paper will be sufficient. Have your parlors and dining-room prettily decorated with flowers. The bride receives with her mother, the bride

Removal Sale

Clearance of All Winter Goods

THE LOWEST prices and the most remarkable values ever offered in seasonable goods in the city. This is what we are offering our customers during this sale. Almost every line of winter goods is marked down so as to clear out our stock in preparation for occupying our new five-story building. Come as soon as you can, but be sure to come.

Ladies' Underwear, Sweater Coats, Hosiery, Comforters, Sheetings, Linens, Shaker Flannels, Dress Goods, Ready-to-Wear Garments and Millinery. All are included in this big price-reducing, stock-reducing sale. Below are several lines illustrating a few of the remarkable values to be found here.

Dress Goods Remnant Sale

350 ends, including Dress Goods from fine silk warps to heavy tweeds, in lengths suitable for waists, skirts, dresses or suits. You must see these to appreciate the big values. Goods worth to 75c yard at the rate of .25c. Goods worth to \$1.50 yard at rate of .40c.

Black Dress Goods \$1.50 Values 95c a Yard

Five different cloths, Whipcord Cheviot, Coating Serge, Herringbone Twill Serge, Vicuna and Satin-Finished Venetian Cloths. These are 54 inches wide. Regular prices are \$1.50 and \$1.75. Sale price, yard, .95c.

Sweater Coats

There are some remarkably low prices on all grades of Sweaters. This department is now on the second floor.

Misses' Sweater Coats, gray with red and blue trimmings, each, .59c and 69c. Children's All-Wool Sweater Coats, \$1.10.

GRAY'S
150 DUNDAS STREET.

Spring Style 'Book for Ladies' Home Journal Patterns now in. Five Cents, at Pattern Counter.

GRAY'S
TELEPHONE 1182.

THE BUSINESS WOMAN'S LUNCH

By Marion H. Neil, in Pictorial Review.

Many business women are employed where there is no desirable, or convenient place to get a meal at a reasonable price. A very large number, also, are unable to afford the expense of a daily meal at even the most modest daily lunch-room. For these two classes the box luncheon is the only alternative. There is no reason, however, why such a luncheon, when a little care and thought are given to its preparation, should not be quite as nourishing and almost as attractive as any other sort. The reasons for the breakdowns seen on every hand among women wage-earners are many and complex. That improper food and insufficient nourishment have a place among them, no one can deny. Until the foundational principles of dietetics are better understood by the general public, we shall continue to see women entering on their day's duties after a hurried and insufficient breakfast, and lunching on a chocolate éclair and a cup of coffee. The business woman who desires to retain good health must have a proper regard for the needs of the body in the way of tissue renewing and force-producing food. This means a sufficient, nourishing and well-balanced dietary, and taking meals at regular and proper hours.

For most business people, especially brain workers, the practice of taking the heaviest meal at night is the wisest one. It can be eaten more leisurely then, and be followed by rest and recreation, instead of by an immediate return to work, which cuts the blood to the brain, away from the digestive organs.

Should Be Nourishing. If the principal meal be taken at noon, it should be so planned that although sufficiently generous and nourishing, it contains no food that can put an extra amount of work on the digestive organs. It should most decidedly include something hot. This is also true of the lighter luncheon in cold weather, and for women who are delicate and nervous. A cup of hot cocoa or soup adds much to the attractiveness of the cold luncheon. It has a wonderfully stimulating effect on tired brain and nerves, besides aiding digestion by inducing greater flow of the digestive juices.

Some business women are so situated that, by means of a spirit lamp or a gas burner, they can make tea or prepare the convenient "hasty lunch chocolate," which requires only dissolving in boiling water to be ready to use. Condensed soups need merely the addition of hot water and bringing to the boiling point. On a cold day a cup of hot tomato, chicken or pea soup, with plenty of good bread and butter or crackers, makes an excellent foundation for the midday meal. Where there are no facilities for heating water, a

small thermos bottle, in which food may be kept hot for a number of hours, may be brought from home filled with soup, cocoa or coffee.

The Lunch Box.

The box luncheon should include proteid foods, or tissue builders; carbohydrates, or force producers; and also some kind of fresh fruit or vegetable. The latter, though their actual nutritive value is less, serve various useful purposes in the body economy. The principal proteid foods are meat, eggs and milk. A considerable proportion of protein is also found in vegetables, such as peas and beans, and in gluten flour. The carbohydrates include the starches and sugars. They may be classed together with the fats and oils as foods which produce heat and energy.

The proteid portion of a box luncheon may be supplied by the sandwich filling, by a hard cooked or stuffed egg, a jar of salad, a slice of cheese, or a bottle of milk. Nothing is nicer for sandwiches than slices of roast lamb, veal, beef, turkey or chicken. Cold ham or tongue. But most acceptable fillings may be made from cold beefsteak, put through the chopper and nicely seasoned; from chopped ham, a slice of a meat loaf or a spoonful of creamed chicken.

Many left-overs can be used in making sandwiches, if one has a little ingenuity. Egg fillings are delicious and highly nutritious. Salad fillings of any sort are especially desirable, as the oil in the dressing is a valuable article of food.

Lettuce or celery sandwiches, with mayonnaise or French dressing, furnish little protein, but are appetizing and very wholesome. Those filled with cream cheese or the pot cheese made from sour milk are very nourishing. Nuts have a high food value. They may be prepared in a number of ways, or chopped together with dates, making a filling both wholesome and delicious. Sweet sandwiches made from jelly, jam or preserves cannot be depended upon to furnish the substantial part of the luncheon. If four sandwiches are to be provided, two may be of cream cheese and two of marmalade; or two of ham and two of jam. Baked chicken and lunch tongue, put up by reputable packing houses, may be substituted when other meats are not available. An appetizing sandwich may be made from baked beans with tomato sauce, and peanut and other nut butters make excellent fillings.

Sandwiches may be varied not only by means of different fillings, but by using different breads. Boston brown, Graham or corn bread instead of that made from wheat flour. The biscuit, the numerous varieties of rolls, rusks and even cinnamon buns make an occasional agreeable change. Unsweetened crackers spread with nut butter or some kind of cheese help to vary the menu.

Cake and Sweets. The best cake for the lunch box is the plain loaf cake. Small cup cakes and cookies are also satisfactory. The numerous kinds of sweetened biscuits, and unsweetened ones covered with fancy icings, may provide a sweet course for the luncheon. For an occasional change, sweet chocolate or a few pieces of candy may take the place of cake.

If a jar with a tight screw is carried in the lunch box, such desserts as custards and puddings may form a part of the meal. This sort of jar is also convenient for carrying salads, stewed fruit and many other soft articles.

Fresh fruits best adapted for carrying are apples, oranges, bananas, plums, peaches and pears. Figs, dates and raisins are always obtainable for variety. Bananas are such a substantial food, that when a banana forms part of the luncheon, a smaller proportion of other things is required.

If the woman who carries her lunch from home has a sufficient breathing space at noon, she should go out for a short walk, either before or after eating her lunch. She will find her brain clearer, her digestion better and her endurance greater after the air and exercise.

Heated Carriages.

Closed, heated carriages for all occasions. Palace Livery, Phone 538, Ross & Boss, proprietors.

Care and Selection of Ferns

Ferns will do wonders in the ordinary living-room, with but little care save that of watering and the giving of good ventilation.

Ferns are always beautiful and fill the first place in the hearts of the housewife and the florist. Their finely-cut and often odd leaves can be massed in places where more stately plants would be unable to take a part.

One's tastes always goes out to the maidenhair fern that most delicate, feathery of our decorative plants. But how often do we buy this fern, only to see it wither and die from the dry heat and the coal gas fumes of our homes.

But there is a near relative of the fine maidenhair, known as Adiantum Cuneatum, which is a good substitute, if the earth in which it is planted is never allowed to dry out, and its

Daily Menu

BREAKFAST.

Cereal. Grapefruit. Cream.

Toast. Scrambled Eggs. Tea.

DINNER.

Vegetable Soup. Lamb Chops.

Peas. Sweet Potatoes.

Fig Pudding. Calf Noir.

SUPPER.

Scalloped Salmon.

Preserved Strawberries.

Hot Biscuits. Tea.

The London Advertiser.

Fig Pudding.

Use only the best figs, soak for one hour in a little water, and chop enough to make a generous cupful when minced. Soak two cupfuls of fine bread crumbs in two cupfuls of milk until very soft. Into the crumbs stir five eggs, beaten light, a half cupful of sugar, a saltspoonful of salt, and the cupful of minced figs, thoroughly dredged with flour. Beat hard for several minutes and turn into a greased pudding mold with a close top. Set in boiling water and cook for three hours. Dip the mold into cold water for an instant, then turn the pudding out on a hot platter. Set in the oven long enough for the moisture to dry from the outside of the pudding. Three minutes in a hot oven should suffice. Send to the table and eat with a hard sauce flavored with a little nutmeg.

fronds are never allowed to become shriveled.

There are other ferns, which require less care, and will appeal to the busy housewife more readily. These are the Boston ferns, the sword ferns, the spider ferns and the holy fern.

This latter is to be recommended, as it is sure to attract a great deal of attention on account of its dark glossy green foliage, which is also thick and feathery. The upper side of the fronds is dark green, while underneath they show a lighter color, heavily studded with brown spots or spores.

The common Boston fern we all know. It is inclined to grow to an immense size, and unless desired for an individual plant for a large jardiniere to be set up on a stand, it becomes too clumsy and large for the window garden, and one will naturally turn to the more satisfactory dwarf variety, which the florist will recommend as being compact, bushy and ideal for the window.

The Boston ferns are also known as sword ferns. There are several varieties which have of recent years sprung into vogue and are quite popular. They are of the plumosa form, in which the fronds are divided. The most valuable of these is the ostrich plume fern, whose fronds are broad and feathery. Another of the Bostonians which is a favorite has its pinnae or leaflets divided into points spreading like horns.

At this season of the year the florists' shops are filled with the attractive spider ferns, which are favorites for the fern dish. This is due to their size, as they do not grow over a foot in length of stem. These ferns are listed under the name of Pteris. Their fronds are once-divided, and the divisions are long and pointed. One has a bold white line through the centre of each frond, another is beautifully crested. Some are variegated, while one is a dwarf.

Two other ferns worthy of mention are the shield fern or lace fern, and the hare's foot fern, which rests on the earth and sends forth long yellow hairs, which when hanging over the sides of the pot, resemble a hare's foot.

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Upon this date, 13 years ago, during the Boer War, the Imperial Government accepted Lord Strathcona's offer to equip and land at Cape Town 500 "rough-riders" from the Canadian Northwest. The enrolment of the force was managed by the minister of militia, subject to Lord Strathcona's approval. No limit was placed on the amount of money to be expended, and the corps, says Sir Sandford Fleming in his book on "The Canadian Contingents," "was the best equipped of all that left Canada." It was composed of men of the regulation age and size, good riders and shots, who were en-

rolled at twenty-three different points between Winnipeg and Vancouver. Some were members of the "Mounted Police." Eight officers were from the staff of the latter force, the chief command being given to Inspector (Lieutenant-Colonel) S. B. Steele, an ideal scout and master of scouts. His first taste of warfare was gained in the Fenian raid of 1866, and he had belonged to the N. W. Mounted Police force since its origin. Under his leadership "Strathcona's Horse" took part with credit in several engagements, and joined in the long chase of De Wet, after his defeat at Fredericksdorp.

FOR SEASICKNESS.

Salted popcorn often proves a cure for car or seasickness when taken immediately and continued until it is relieved.

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BLACK, GREEN or MIXED

THE GUARDIAN

BY FREDERICK ORIN BARTLETT

CHAPTER XIV.

Two in a Garret.

The next day Bella found herself installed on the top floor of the boarding-house in a room next Gene's. It wasn't much of a room, but there was a roof to keep off the rain and a bed to sleep in, and these, after all, are the essentials. Her household goods she had brought over in a suitcase. They consisted solely of a very limited wardrobe. With a thrift based upon an early resolution never to be forced into a position of dependence upon any male, she had saved out of her earnings whatever she had not been obliged to contribute to her sister's household, instead of spending the surplus upon either clothes or entertainment. The result had been a lonely life which had further strengthened her conviction, but it gave her the opportunity of taking her present independent stand.

Bella had no intention of loading on here indefinitely. She had two distinct ideas in accepting Gene's suggestion—one was to be near enough to watch over him until he was well established on his feet, and the other was to rest for a week. She had never been able to shake off the feeling which had come over her that first night she met him—that she was in some way his responsibility for this big, overgrown boy. He was her charge. She knew the world and he didn't, and because he had come to her clean and unspoiled she must keep him so. She didn't put this into words. It was not a deliberate, well-formed plan on her part, but it was a feeling strong enough to govern her acts. It sprang, as did her aggressive attitude towards all the other men she had ever met, from a mother instinct that was strangely pure and vital.

Her desire for a vacation of a week was sufficiently novel to have set her to thinking, if ever she had been in the habit of thinking about herself. This desire had come to her while she was sitting in the park by the side of Gene. There was something in the pressure of his strong arm that had suddenly made her wish to play the stay-at-home for a few days. She had been tired all her life. She had taken it for granted that being tired was one of the necessary burdens of her sex. She had never resented it nor disputed it, but that evening she had made her wonder how it would feel not to go to work some morning. He had made her curious as to how it would feel to be half cared for just for a little while. She would pay for her own room, but she would enjoy the luxury of allowing him to contribute towards the meals. She could get her breakfast for him, and wait for him at night. It is doubtful if she would have gone even this far had he not really owed her the money. This permitted her to play the dependent without actually being so. Any moment she did not like the experiment she could give it up.

But the significant point remained that no other man had ever had her such an unusual desire. However much she might compromise herself, however tight she closed her eyes to the naked truth, enough of it leaked through to make her somewhat self-conscious. She found herself unusually happy. Her thoughts were centring more and more around this man. She took the episode in the park for what it was worth. That Gene should want to put his arm about her didn't mean much—men were all that way—but that she had been willing to allow it meant a good deal. It was a queer, too, that she didn't mind losing her job, and that she could so easily leave her sister's

Twitching of the Nerves

A Distressing Symptom of Nervous Exhaustion Cured by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.



Mrs. John McKellar.

What sympathy you feel for anyone whose nerves twitch and jerk, and what resolves you make to never allow your nervous system to become exhausted, until paralysis of some form claims you as a victim.

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Mrs. John McKellar, 11 Barton street east, Hamilton, Ont., writes:—

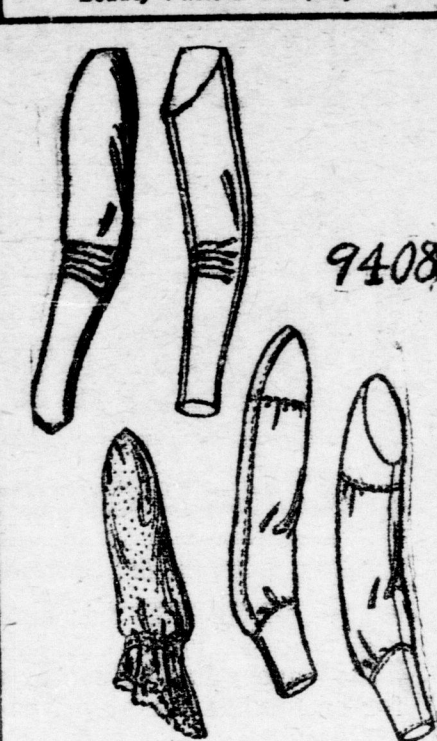
"I was injured some years ago, and that left me with a broken-down nervous system. I could not rest, suffered from twitching of the nerves and disagreeable nervous sensations.

"I then began using Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and can say that I never used any medicine that did me so much good; in fact, I am entirely cured of my old trouble. The Nerve Food not only strengthened the nerves, but also built up my system in every way."

Under date of Aug. 29, 1912, Mrs. McKellar writes, confirming her cure, and states that she has had inquiries from many people who had heard of the great benefits she obtained from Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 8 for \$2.50. All dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

Advertiser Patterns

Beauty Pattern Company.



No. 9408—A Group of New Sleeves.

Ladies' sleeves. A stylish, two-piece dress sleeve is here shown, also a pleasing short sleeve model, suitable for dresses, waists, negligees and home blouses, and a new bishop sleeve. The pattern comprises all three styles illustrated, and is large. The two-piece sleeve will require 1 1/2 yards of 26-inch material. The short sleeve 1 1/2 yards, and the bishop sleeve cut in three sizes—small, medium and will require 3/4 yard for one pair of sleeves for a medium size.

A pattern of this illustration mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents in silver or stamps.

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Age (if child's or misses' pattern).....

CAUTION.—Be careful to inclose above illustration and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is bust measure, you need only mark 32, 34, or whatever it may be. When in waist measure, 22, 24, 26, or whatever it may be. If a skirt, give waist and length measure. When misses' or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the age. It is not necessary to write "inches" or "years." Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from the date of order. The price of each pattern is 10 cents in cash or in postage stamps.

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Freak Died in a Short Time—

A Big Addition to the

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[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingessoll, Jan. 13.—A cow belonging to

Mr. Anson Hughes, a Berchem farmer,

residing near Zenda, gave birth to a

double-headed calf on Saturday. The calf

was of unusual interest because of the

fact that each head was perfect in the

opinion of the veterinarian who was in

tendance. The second head protruded

from the side of the shoulder. The calf

at the time of birth, otherwise an

attempt to rear it would doubtless have

been made.

Enlarge Postoffice.

An agitation which was inaugurated

by the board of trade about three years

ago may result in much-needed improve-

ments being made shortly to the post-

office.

It has been felt for some time that the

accommodation for the public was alto-

gether too limited, and the board of trade

took up the matter making representation

to Ottawa, which culminated in

plans being forwarded and the matter

discussed officially. However, no definite

understanding was arrived at, and the

matter was left in abeyance.

Since that time the conditions have

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STRONGLY IN FAVOR OF PUBLICITY CAMPAIGN

London Vegetable Growers Met on Saturday.

A well-attended meeting of the London

Branch of the Ontario Vegetable

Growers' Association was held in the

county buildings on Saturday after-

noon, Mr. W. G. Bycroft presiding.

Mr. Bycroft spoke strongly in favor of

the publicity campaign, and made a

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A little Danderine tonight—now—any time—will surely save your hair. Island pending an appeal from an order of deportation. Despite reports that James would be sent to Ellis Island, he was not detained longer than was necessary. He made an affidavit that he was born in this country and still retained his citizenship, although he had lived in Paris for the past six years.

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A STRONG APPEAL TO YOUNG MEN

Belmont Pastor Exhorted Them to Enter the Ministry of God.

SUNDAY IN THE CHURCHES

Sermons Preached From Many Pulpits by Local and Other Pastors.

The evening service at the Wellington Street Methodist Church yesterday was conducted by Rev. A. E. Jones, of Belmont, who made an appeal to the young men to enter the ministry. He said that Christ while on earth made the preaching of the gospel his main object, and therefore there was no doubt but that the preaching of the gospel was the best vocation today. "The achievements and prosperity of the present day have never been excelled by any other era in the world's history, and the ministers of today have a very hard task to keep the public interest in the word of God. The men who enter God's service must be fitted for the work, and it must also be their chosen place, as there is no place for the man who thinks that he is not in his proper place today."

Mr. J. E. Magee addressed a large meeting of the Young Men's Club at 10 o'clock.

"Knowing Your Own City," was the theme of Rev. J. E. McIntosh's address at King Street Presbyterian Church last evening, when he made an appeal for the citizens of London to assist the members of the foreign element of the city to become good Christians and citizens.

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Mr. McIntosh said that this meeting showed that the foreigners are willing to listen to the gospel and also appreciated all efforts to help them.

Rev. J. G. Stuart, of Knox Church, preached on the subject, "Gideon's Band," yesterday evening, taking as his text Judges, vii. 7. By the three hundred men that lapped with I save you, and deliver the Midianites into thine hand. The speaker sketched the history of the Midianites during the days of Joshua until the time of Gideon. During that period of about 700 years the Israelites had lapsed into idolatry three times, and had been taken into captivity that number of times also.

At the time that the text referred to the Midianites were encamped on the plain of Esdraelon, which since that time has been the scene of many mighty conflicts. Gideon's band was composed of 300 men, and it was because of the fact that they had explicit trust in their leader, many great deeds had been accomplished in the past by small bands under capable leaders, and much good could be accomplished by the church in the rank and file that were in the leaders.

A Lambeth Preacher, Rev. R. J. Garbutt, of Lambeth, preached at Askin Street Methodist Church yesterday evening, taking as his text Isaiah, lii. 7. By the three hundred men that lapped with I save you, and deliver the Midianites into thine hand.

Rev. Mr. Garbutt spoke in the morning from the text: "And one man shall be as a thousand." He stated that at the present time in business and economic and mechanical affairs one man is now doing the work that many men did in the past. The same principle could easily be applied to church work by the members giving more money and doing more work. If this scheme was followed out, the speaker said that there would be a great impetus in religious work, and one man would be able to do as much work in the missionary fields as was done by several in earlier years.

In the evening Rev. Mr. Moorehouse, speaking from the text: "They were called Christians first at Corinth," said that Christianity should be on the same basis today as it was in early times. He made an appeal for increased efforts towards the missionary projects of the church even to the point of sacrifice. While the members of the church should support the foreign missions, they should not neglect the church at home. If each member should get one more to join the church every year all the demands of the mission fields would soon be met.

Preached at Putnam. Rev. H. A. Graham, of Centennial Church, preached at Putnam yesterday, and the services at the local church were conducted by Rev. J. E. Jones, of Belmont, and Rev. Mr. Kerr, of Dorchester. In the evening, both services were of a missionary nature, and were attended by large congregations.

St. John spoke from Isaiah, li. 1 and 2, at the morning service at the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and said that there were great advantages in going back to the beginning, both in social and religious matters. He showed how different parts of the church life referred to happenings in the early Christian times such as Crucifixion, and different periods in the Christian year as Christmas, Lent and Easter. He emphasized the statement that if progress was to be made in religious matters it would be necessary to start at the beginning again.

"The Scum of the Earth" was the subject of the address by Rev. Warren L. St. John at Egerton Street Baptist Church last evening, and the text was Isaiah, li. 2: "Wherefore do ye spend money for that which is not bread?"

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"The laws of the universe and the desire of everyone," said the speaker, "is happiness, and it can be found if sought after in the right way. So many people today are content with ease, such as the ease and comfort of the life of the rich. The richest gold is not found on the surface, and the most precious pearls are found in the bosom of the mighty deep, and not on the shore."

"The world was made for man to work and develop it," he continued, "and God has given us a multiplicity of help in this development. The Bible says: 'All things are ours, but not to be abused.' There are two sides in our nature, the lower and upper sides. The cultivation of the latter means the development of character. What are we doing with our spare time? Reading useless and worthless literature? There is nothing more tragic than a frivolous life. I do not mean a debauched or degraded life, but merely one that misses the best that can be obtained."

"Young people," he said, in concluding, "keep an inner chamber, where the scum of life can never enter, keep a deep mine in the soul where the gold of life can be mined, and keep a safe in the mind, where sweet thoughts and holy aspirations may grow unmolested, 'A Holy of Holies.'"

In New St. James. Rev. A. E. Jones, a ministerial graduate of Queen's University and Queen's Theological College, preached in New St. James' Presbyterian Church on Sunday. Mr. Fitzpatrick has visited his life to the Reading Camp Association in the lumber and mining districts in Northern Ontario and Quebec, and his address along these lines was most interesting. Mr. Fitzpatrick stated that he has over 300 college students working under him in connection with the lumbermen. The aim in conducting this campaign was to make loyal Canadians and useful, intelligent citizens of the country, who would not only be able to give law to lawlessness.

Man and His Soul. That man has himself alone to blame if he loses his soul, in view of the fact that he has been given a soul, and offered him by the Creator, was the gist of a sermon preached at St. Peter's Cathedral yesterday morning by Rev. Father Tierney.

Rev. Father Tierney afforded ample opportunity to save his soul, Father Tierney declared, and should take all advantage of the grace of God by which he may be strengthened against temptation.

The inclination to depend upon a deathbed repentance embodies too great a risk, he said, and should be guarded against carefully.

Including, Father Tierney urged his people to receive the sacraments frequently, and to lead pure and holy lives.

YOUNG MEN MUST OBEY COMMANDMENTS. Rev. Richard Whiting Spoke on Interesting Subject in First Methodist Church.

"If the young man of the twentieth century wants to be good, he must respect and obey the Ten Commandments." Thus spoke Rev. Richard Whiting on Sunday evening, taking as his text, "Christ's Interview with a Young Man." The special young man who was introduced to the congregation of the First Methodist Church was he who came to the altar to receive the sacraments of the church, and who was introduced by the preacher to the average young man who goes to church today and tries to be religious.

The minister contended that the mere honoring of the Ten Commandments to have a knowledge of them would not enhance any man's chances of inheriting eternal life. He must also know the substance of the commandments and practice the same in his daily life.

"Honor thy father and thy mother," said the pastor. "That blessed Fifth Commandment should have a revered place in the memory of every true boy, God pity the boy who dishonors his parents."

The choir was conspicuous on account of the entire absence of ladies. The men, over 50 voices strong, occupied the choir loft and rendered two splendid anthems, "Hallelujahs" and "Webster," the two male soloists, gave a pleasing duet number entitled, "The Night Is Far Spent."

WEALTH DOES NOT MAKE THE MAN. Rev. Mr. Bingham's Sermons in Talbot Street Church.

"Man is God's greatest treasure," said Rev. H. Bingham, in the course of his Sunday evening sermon in Talbot Street Baptist Church. "Man was made by God, breathing into him the breath of life not by the touch of his finger as David spoke of."

Mr. Bingham contended that the majesty of man which was the subject of his sermon, was not based on considerations, such as wealth, learning, culture or eloquence, but upon qualities such as personality, mind, reason and will.

Another way in which the preacher stated man's majesty was revealed in his creation. It was also revealed by his communion with God himself. A final way was revealed in man's coronation. God had created man to have dominion over land and sea, the forces of nature and every created thing. Through Christ he had dominion over sin, pride of life and lust of the world. He was encompassed with the glory of God.

The men's Baraca Bible class was addressed by Mr. Finlay Perrin, who spoke on the subject of "Ideals." The meeting was largely attended, and Mr. Perrin's address was greatly appreciated.

At the evening service the choir was entirely made up of men who had prepared special music for the occasion.

Rev. A. Fitzpatrick Addressed Large Congregation in St. Andrew's. Rev. A. Fitzpatrick, of Toronto, who inaugurated the reading camp movement in Canada, gave an interesting account of this work before a large congregation in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday morning.

Mr. Fitzpatrick told of the work since its inception about twelve years ago to its present day growth. The movement originated in California, and met with much opposition from the men and the lumber and mining interests. Mr. Fitzpatrick soon recognized that to get to the men he would have to be as one of them, so he hired as a lumberman in one of the camps. Thus, working hard all day cutting logs and holding meetings in the camp in the evening, he was able to solve the problem of reaching the hearts of the men.

Since then the work has met with success wherever it has been tried. The old opposition is gone and in its place there is sympathy and assistance from the lumber and mining interests who realize the great benefits to the employees.

In concluding he expressed the need of more interest from the Government and people in this great movement. One-third of Canada's inland revenue comes from the mines and forests, and the men engaged in this work should be given the same opportunities as the boys and men of more civilized parts of Ontario.

In the evening, Rev. Dr. Ross preached on "The Origin and Nature of Redemption." His text was "God so loved the world that He gave His only begotten Son that whosoever believeth in Him should not perish but have everlasting life." Dr. Ross will conclude this subject at next Sunday evening's service.

RESCUE WORK IN SLUMS BY LATE DR. BARNARDO

A Vivid Tale of Great Moral Uplift Campaign in England.

The work of the late Dr. Barnardo in his rescue campaign in the slums of Old London was vividly told at the Auditorium on Sunday afternoon and evening by Rev. W. J. Mayers, an official who has devoted the greater part of his life in Dr. Barnardo's great work.

Mr. Mayers, in relating the origin of the Barnardo work, stated that it was the crossroads signs, "Stop, look, listen," which first drew Dr. Barnardo to Christian service. He accomplished all three commands. Instead of going to India to serve as a missionary, as he first intended, Dr. Barnardo remained in London and founded a refuge for the poor of the great metropolis.

"The doctor has now been dead seven years," said Mr. Mayers. "He died as he lived. His mission was the rescue of homeless waifs and claiming them for Christ. His great work serves as a monument for him. His name will be always remembered, as numerous societies have been organized bearing his name. The Barnardo School in London accommodates over 9,000 children, and fully 2,000 of the inmates are either cripples or orphans."

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EX-POLICEMAN TELLS OF FROZEN NORTH

Mr. D. McArthur Formed One of a Party Which Was Sent to Hudson Bay.

COMPASS IS NO GOOD

In Ungava the Needle Becomes Magnetized, and It Is Difficult to Define Direction.

Mr. D. McArthur, a former member of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police, who is now residing in South London, addressed a large meeting of the Men's League in Askin Street Methodist Church Sunday morning on his experiences in the Hudson Bay district, where he spent five years.

The speaker was a member of a detachment of twelve sent north to collect customs, and also on account of the dispute between the Canadian and American Governments as to whether the Hudson Bay was an inland sea or not. The party sailed from Quebec, and stopped at various ports on the coast of Labrador and Hudson Bay before arriving at Fullerton, where he was stationed. The squad which Mr. McArthur belonged to was composed of picked men, and no member of the detachment was a user of liquor, as the climate in that country is such that it seriously affects those who drink alcohol in any form.

A Wild Place. Fullerton is about 500 miles north of Fort Churchill, and one trip was made each week to get the mail and orders. He said that deer and bears were plentiful, deer particularly. On one occasion the party had to stop for two days to allow a herd of deer to pass. He corrected the impression that the natives of that country killed raw meat, by saying that they did not like it any more than white people.

The country around Fort Churchill is suitable for growing potatoes and other kinds of vegetables, while at Split Lake, between Norway House and Port Nelson, tomatoes are very common in the gardens. One man, who had been stationed in the Peace River district, said that when the country near Split Lake was cleared it would be as suitable an agricultural district as that north of Edmonton.

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WESTERN ONTARIO SEAFORTH MEETING

Oddfellows' Officers Were Installed by the Grand Master.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Seaforth, Jan. 12.—The following officers for 1913 of Fidelity Lodge, No. 55, I. O. O. F., were duly installed by District Deputy Grand Master McTaggart, of Blyth, at the regular meeting: P. G.—Charles Layton. N. G.—M. McKellar. V. G.—M. De Lacey. Recording Secretary—Dr. F. Harburn. Financial Secretary—Charles Aberhart.

Treasurer—John C. Thompson. R. S. N. G.—Wm. Golding. L. S. N. G.—Ed. Mole. R. S. V. G.—Fred Twiss. L. S. V. G.—J. A. Stewart. R. S. S.—N. Buchanan. L. S. S.—M. Liddle. I. G.—J. Ben Duffy. O. G.—J. G. Docherty.

After the installation ceremony the brethren adjourned to the Commercial Hotel, where an excellent supper was served, followed by a splendid program of speech and song.

SONS OF SCOTLAND Alex. Stobie Chosen Head of Seaforth Lodge for 1913.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Seaforth, Jan. 12.—At the last meeting of Camp Lady Nairn, No. 55, Sons of Scotland, the following officers were elected for 1913: Chief—Alex. Stobie. Past Chief—W. E. Hinchley. Chaplain—Robert Steele. Chaplain—James McMichael, sen. Financial and Corresponding Secretary—A. D. Sutherland. Trustees—W. E. Hinchley. Marshal—W. R. Smith. Standard-Bearer—Willard Elliott. Senior Guard—Alex. Sutherland. Junior Guard—Robert Broadfoot. Physician—Wm. Ballantyne and Alex. Stobie. Auditors—Dr. C. Backay and Alex. Stobie.

PLEASANT SURPRISE St. George's Choir Made Presentation to Goderich Organist.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Goderich, Jan. 12.—The choir of St. George's Church assembled after practice and Mr. Fotheringham, the rector, on behalf of the choir, presented the organist, Mr. Roy Adams, with a handsome silver shaving set. He was very much surprised, but expressed his thanks in a short speech. Refreshments were served and a pleasant evening spent.

ELECTED OFFICERS Mrs. Rumsey Is New Regent of the Daughters of Empire.

[Special to The Advertiser.] St. Marys, Jan. 12.—At the regular meeting of Carroll Chapter of the Daughters of the Empire, officers were elected as follows: Regent, Mrs. Rumsey; first vice-regent, Mrs. Glen; second vice-regent, Mrs. Spark; secretary, Mrs. J. W. Eddy; treasurer, Miss Emma Fraleigh; standard-bearer, Mrs. Morphy; secretary for Echoes, Mrs. N. M. Currie.

Acknowledgment was received from the National Chapter of a subscription of \$50 to the Knox memorial fund.

FALL WAS FATAL John Currie Died While Home on Visit at Wiarton.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wiarton, Jan. 12.—Mr. John Currie died unexpectedly yesterday morning as the result of a fall on Christmas Eve. He leaves a widow and infant son, besides his parents and brothers and sisters at Tobermory. He had mining interests and had come to spend the winter in Wiarton.

ARMSTRONG-LITTLE. [Special to The Advertiser.] Teeswater, Jan. 12.—A very quiet wedding took place recently, when Mr. R. E. Little, hardware merchant, became the husband of Miss Jessie Armstrong, of Dunnfrieshire, Scotland. Rev. W. A. Brader, of Knox Church, was the officiating clergyman.

HELD FOR THEFT. [Special to The Advertiser.] Windsor, Jan. 12.—Isaac Lauffer, of Berlin, Ont., was taken from a Grand Trunk train here by the police yesterday, and is being held for the Berlin police on a charge of theft. Lauffer is charged with stealing a trunk and a suitcase from a train here. The officers identified him from a description which was wired to Windsor.

CONSTITUTION Can Be Cured.

You cannot expect to be well if you allow your bowels to become clogged. What is necessary is to have a free motion of them every day, and to keep them in this condition all the time if you wish to be strong and healthy. If you don't keep them open the system will become clogged up with poisonous matter and produce constipation, headache, dyspepsia, bad blood, etc.

Keep the bowels in good condition by using Burdock Blood Bitters; the remedy that has built up an unrivalled reputation, during the past thirty-six years, as a cure for all troubles arising from a constipated condition of the bowels.

Mr. Thomas Calder, East Lower Fort Garry, writes: "I am writing you to let you know what Burdock Blood Bitters has done for me. I suffered very much from constipation and none of the medicines I took agreed with me. Now I am B.B.D. Since taking it I have not been troubled."

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NEWSPAPER BURNED OUT Plant of the Moncton Times Destroyed by \$10,000 Fire.

Moncton, Jan. 12.—The plant of the Moncton Times was gutted by fire this afternoon and much of the printing machinery and stock destroyed. Four employees in the building were cut off by the flames and had to be rescued by the firemen.

It will be several days before any of the machinery in the plant can be used, and arrangements have been made for printing the Times in the office of the Transcript. The loss will be about \$10,000.

Widow of Late Rev. Dr. Gundy Buried at St. Thomas. [Special to The Advertiser.] St. Thomas, Jan. 12.—The funeral of Mrs. D. Gundy, widow of the late Rev. John Gundy, formerly pastor of the Baptist Church, was held here this afternoon at 2 o'clock. Mrs. Gundy resided in Toronto, and was 80 years old. Dr. Gundy, of this city, is a brother-in-law for her.

In closing, Mr. Mayers said that the support of Canada had never been asked or received, although many of the good citizens of this country had been inmates of Dr. Barnardo's homes.

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District Personals

PARKHILL. Perchill, Jan. 12.—The farmers of this vicinity are taking advantage of the good sleighing to get all their teaming done, such as hauling logs and wood. Those who are preparing to put basements under their barns in the spring are busy getting the material on the ground.

One of the most enjoyable dances of the season was held at Sam McWhirter's of the Centre road, recently. There were about 75 people present. A splendid time was spent by all.

The Beachwood congregation are going to build a new church in the spring in the place of the old one. The members are engaged at present hauling material for the purpose.

Mr. Archie Gilchrist, who is a street car conductor in Detroit, is at present visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Gilchrist, of the Centre road. Mr. Angus McCormick, who has been sailing the Great Lakes for the past season, arrived at his home on the 14th conclusion of East Williams recently.

BRUSSELS. Brussels, Jan. 12.—The first hockey match of the season was played here Friday between the town team and Teeswater. In the local league are teams from Teeswater, Lucknow, Wingham and Brussels.

An old resident of this locality died recently in the person of Mrs. J. D. Russell, of this town. She was 85 years of age, and had lived in Morris Township over 40 years. Her husband owned a ship over 20 years. Her sons, John and James, and two daughters, Mrs. Sharpe, of Goderich, and Miss Rebecca, at home, survive.

James Ballantyne made about a clean sweep at Mitchell Poultry Show with his Columbian Wyandottes. He took 11 prizes in all and had a very worthy exhibit.

Mrs. J. D. Russell, a former well-known resident of Brussels, passed away at her home in Stratford recently, in her 79th year. She is survived by her husband, Mr. J. D. Russell, of the Centre road, and Mr. J. D. Russell, of the Centre road, and Mr. J. D. Russell, of the Centre road.

The Crescent Club and the Masonic Lodge No. 100, of this town, are holding their annual meeting at the East House, in the town hall recently.

The annual meeting of the East House Agricultural Society will be held Wednesday afternoon in the town hall. The next Thursday afternoon, Rev. Dr. Oaten on "Citizenship." There will also be a ball and prizes awarded to the sewing contest, and a full program.

TEESWATER. Teeswater, Jan. 12.—Mr. Haylock intends taking a trip to Kent county soon to visit relatives.

Mr. A. E. Jones, of the Laymen's Missionary Movement, will preach on behalf of missions in the Methodist Church at both Seaforth and Teeswater, on Jan. 13.

Mrs. Allen, of Wingham, C. P. R., has paid a flying visit to her mother and sisters here.

Bert Hiscox and wife spent a few days at their home with Mr. Hiscox's parents here.

The A. F. and A. M. brethren are looking forward to a very successful time this year. The new officers are taking hold of their special department, and are endeavoring to make a good showing at the D. D. G. M.'s visit.

Mr. M. Grimes is well enough to come back to his own home here, after a long siege of grip in Toronto.

WALKERTON. Walkerton, Jan. 12.—A. E. Quinn and his son, L.

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Fourth.—That the provisions of the Canadian treaty for a settlement by joint commission of "questions or matters of difference" between the United States and Canada offer a further reason why no administrative officer should authorize a further diversion of water, manifestly so injurious to Canada, against Canadian protest.

Wharves will be built on the Roy City mills property, recently acquired for \$800,000. These will be 1,500, 1,800 feet long and cost about \$50,000.

It is announced that the work clearing the right of way will be started from Steveston eastward on Monday.

Howard Pioneer.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ridgetown, Jan. 13.—The funeral of John Schott, aged 88, and one of the pioneers of the district, was held at Bothwell on Sunday afternoon. He died at the home of his daughter, Isaac McLarty.

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THIRTY-SEVEN BELOW.
 Moorhead, Minn., Jan. 12.—The weather was so cold yesterday that the clock in the weather bureau stopped, according to the official forecaster, and he was unable to tell positively at just what time the mercury registered 37.2 degrees below zero. It fell to that point, however, during the day, the lowest of the record, and within a half degree of the record of several years past.

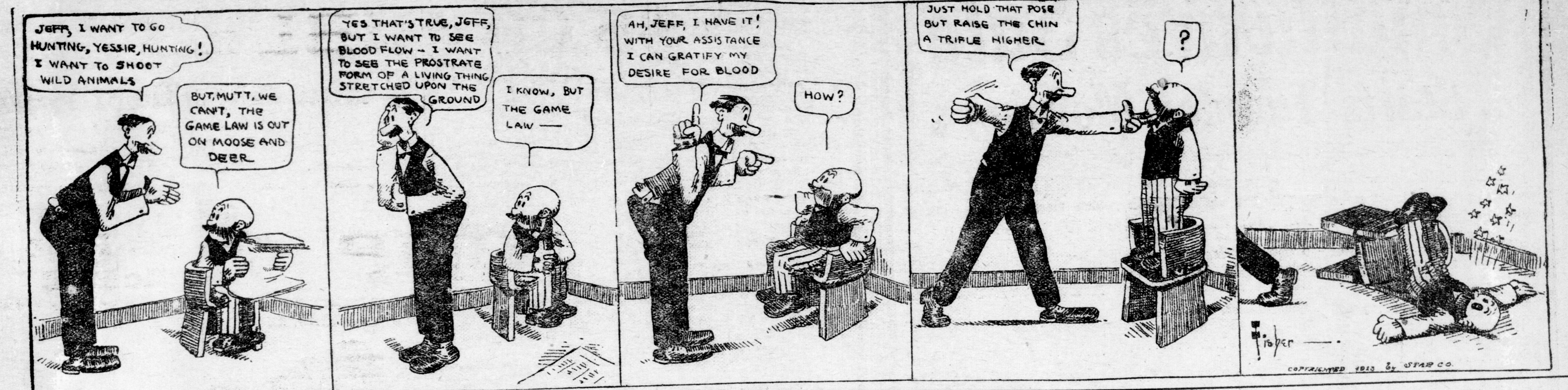
ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTS

And Now Jeff Is Thoroughly in Sympathy With the Moose

By "Bud" Fisher

LONDON CLUB CONTRACTS
WILL BE ISSUED THIS WEEK

Manager Deneau and Two Local Directors Held a Conference in Windsor on Saturday—Several New Players Will Be Given Try-Outs.

[BY JINX.]

President Stevely and one of the directors of the London Baseball Club went to Windsor on Saturday to interview Manager Rube Deneau in regard to issuing contracts for the coming season. Deneau has several new players whom he expects to bring to London in the spring for try-outs, and while some of these may be tendered a contract right away, so as to prevent them signing up with anybody else, it is likely several players will be tried out before signing.

Contracts Issued.

Contracts will be forwarded to all the players on the London reserve list. This includes, besides the regular players, Earle Powell and Harry Furse, who were suspended last summer, and Sammy Smith and William Kelliher, who were brought back toward the end of the season. Several holdouts are expected, but it is unlikely that any of the players will be given increases. The London Club has been paying some pretty steep salaries, and according to the directors, while the players claim that they were all working at low figures. However, a salary limit has to be lived up to this coming season, so there will have to be a cut somewhere.

Some Players Deneau Has. Among the players Deneau will bring to London in the spring are: Joe Cambria, the little Italian, who played with Berlin for a year and a half. He was released last spring, because he was not fast enough for the Bees, so it is not likely that he will stand much

of a show with London. Meyers, another member of the Berlin champions, will also be tried out, but he is another doubtful quantity. A pitcher named Higgins, who claims he led the O. P. League last summer, will be given a trial, but if he is the same Higgins that made the same declarations to the St. Thomas management last summer, and was let go by that club after a couple of try-outs, he will not probably last long.

A fellow named Bowers, who has been troubled with the fever in the south, wants to come to London, and will benefit him, and he is willing to play ball as a side-line. He will be given a trial.

A 400 Hitter. Another player named Marshall, who claims a batting average of .400 in the Columbus City League, is another of Manager Deneau's choices, and he will receive in London for a few days next spring. If he demonstrates that he can deliver more than those 400 punches in the Canadian League, he will get a regular berth.

This is Manager Deneau's list so far, but he has several more players in view. Hynes in Berlin. President Stevely has received a letter from Owner McGredie, of the Portland Club. He wants to know something about Hynes. President Stevely has written him all he knows about the lanky pitcher, who is at present in Berlin, working in a felt factory.

DOINGS IN CITY HOCKEY CIRCLES

The City League officials will meet to-day and decide several important matters that have arisen in connection with the league affairs. The Meds and Hyman game may be played first on Wednesday, commencing at 7:30 a. m. to test the mettle of the players to attend the Meds game, which is held on that evening.

The No. 36 Club of Dundas Centre Methodist Church, challenge any team in Western Ontario, average age 18, to a game of hockey. Address Manager Dan Sinclair, 759 Queen's avenue.

The First Hussars and London Junior O. H. A. teams will meet some night next week in a game at the Princess rink. The game was to have been played this week, but has been called off.

The Orient Club was credited with a win at Drumbo, by a Richmond street rival. The Advertiser had the true result of the game, which was 5 to 3 in favor of Drumbo. The P. P. also claimed that Drumbo won their district last year. Now, London was grouped in with Drumbo last year, and Paris beat London for the honors. Drumbo only won one game in the district. This shows how reliable a certain sporting page is.

Billy Portland is liable to get himself unpopular in this city if he does not let

up on that rough work. Local fans complained unfavorably on his work in this regard on Friday night.

The boys of King Street Presbyterian Church from the age of 12 to 15 have organized a hockey team with the following officers: Honorary president, G. E. Perry; president, Alvin Steele; secretary, Howard McLeod; treasurer, Blake Jones; manager, James McLaughlin; captain, Oliver Mowat. An effort is being made to form a junior league with the East London churches, but until the organization is completed, the King's Own will accept challenges from any teams at the above age. Address Howard McLeod.

A reorganization meeting of the Memorial Church Anglican League Hockey Club was held on Friday evening, and the following officers elected: Honorary president, R. W. Nowpord; president, Mr. D. H. Howden; vice-president, Mr. R. W. Kline; secretary-treasurer, Roy Hamby; manager, Rev. S. R. Heakes; executive, Messrs. W. Anderson, M. Pantou, F. C. Wells, F. Dowell, W. Callahan, G. A. Jones. The team has been reorganized and the line-up will be a much stronger one than that of last Monday when St. Paul's beat Memorial in the opening Anglican League game.

THE WEEK IN
LOCAL SPORTS

Monday. United Church League hockey at Simcoe street rink—Anglican League, Memorial vs. St. Georges; Presbyterian League, King Street vs. Knox Church; Methodist League, First Church vs. Hill Street.

Indoor Baseball League at the Armories—Sixth Field Battery, vs. R. C. R.; First Hussars vs. Fifteenth A. M. C.; St. Andrew's Senior Girls' Basketball League—Miss McMillan vs. Miss Love; Miss Allen vs. Miss Stevenson.

Tuesday. Manufacturers' Hockey League at the Westminster rink—McCormicks vs. Perrins; Greene-Swift vs. Lawrence & Jones; St. Andrew's Senior Boys' Basketball League—Smith vs. Slater; Little vs. Anderson.

Wednesday. City Hockey League at the Simcoe street rink—Orient Club vs. Army Medical Corps; Empire Made vs. Hyman; Seventh Regiment vs. First Hussars.

Thursday. Manufacturers' Hockey League at the Westminster rink—McCormicks vs. Perrins; Greene-Swift vs. Lawrence & Jones; Intermediate O. H. A.—London at Guelph Victoria.

Indoor Baseball League at Armories—R. C. R. vs. Fifteenth A. M. C.; Sixth Field Battery vs. First Hussars.

HOCKEY

SATURDAY'S RESULTS.

O. H. A. Senior.

St. Michael's 9, University of Toronto 2.

O. H. A. Junior.

University of Toronto 7, Simcoes 5.

Interprovincial League.

Ottawa College 7, Stewarts 4.

xHillsdale 3, Brockville 3.

National Hockey Association.

Tucumseh 5, Toronto 2.

Wanderers 11, Ottawa 5.

Quebec 4, Canadiens 3.

Northern League.

xDrayton 10, Palmerston 6.

Warton won by default from Hanover.

Ottawa Valley League.

xAlmonte 6, Carleton Place 4.

Exhibition Games.

Cleveland 4, Parkdale 3.

Boston A. A. 6, Montreal A. A. 0.

Games Today.

O. H. A. Senior—Stratford vs. Parkdale at Toronto; Peterboro at Kingston.

O. H. A. Intermediate—Bradford at Barrie; Collingwood at Midland; Seaforth at Goderich; Alvinston at Stratford.

O. H. A. Junior—Kingston College Institute at Trenton; Cobourg at Oshawa; Peterboro at Port Hope; St. Andrew's at Upper Canada; Toronto Canoe Club at Hamilton; Ingersoll at London.

Maritime Provincials League—Moncton at Sydney.

Northern League—Hanover at Owen Sound.

Christy Mathewson
"Dean of Pitchers"

New York, Jan. 11.—Christy Mathewson of the Giants, who climbed into major league harness in 1906, today became "Dean of the major league pitchers" through the release to a minor league club yesterday of "Jack" Powell, last of the St. Louis Americans, who began his big league career in 1909.

TECUMSEHS WON
FROM TORONTOS

Spread Over Ridpath Aggregation Like a Blanket and Won Easily.

QUEBEC LEADS LEAGUE

Defeated Canadiens on Saturday Night in Quebec—Ottawa Beaten by the Wanderers.

THE N. H. A. STANDING.	W.	L.	For.	Agst.
Quebec	4	1	27	13
Canadiens	4	2	20	17
Tecumseh	3	2	23	17
Wanderers	2	3	25	21
Torontos	1	5	25	42

Toronto, Jan. 12.—The stalwart Tecumsehs on Saturday night followed up their defeat of Ottawa by beating the Torontos in the first meeting between the two local N. H. A. teams by 5 to 2. Those who expected the Torontos to win because of their speed were not a few. The Torontos' hustling game against Wanderers had not been forgotten, but when play had been in progress about ten minutes on Saturday night, it was plain to be seen that the Indians would win. They spread over the Ridpath team like a blanket, and smothered them. The score at the end of the first period was 2 to 0 in favor of the Tecumsehs. At the end of the second period four to two. Wilson scored the last goal of the game. The line-up: Tecumsehs—Goal, Nicholson; point, G. Naiman; cover, H. McNamara; centre, Smith; right, Corbett; left, Throon. Torontos—Goal, Marchand; point, Davidson; cover, Cameron; centre, Foyson; right, Wilson; left, Neighbor. Referee—Lou Marsh; Judge of play, A. Anglin.

QUEBEC NOW LEADS.

Quebec, Jan. 12.—In the presence of a record house and after the finest display of hockey seen in this city for a number of years, Quebec defeated Canadiens last night by a score of 4 goals to 2, and made themselves leaders in the N. H. A. It was a battle of giants from the first sound of the whistle, and kept the spectators guessing all through the match, for until the long sound "time up," it was impossible to say who would win out. The line-up: Canadiens—Goal, Vezina; point, Dubouché; cover, Lavoie; centre, Lalonde; right wing, Pitre; left wing, D. Smith. Quebec—Goal, Moran; point, Munnery; cover, Hall; centre, Malone; right wing, Marks; left wing, T. Smith. Referee—Tom Melville. Judge of play, Chas. McNamara.

OTTAWA WERE EASY.

Montreal, Jan. 11.—Ottawa never had a chance to win. The Wanderers defeated them tonight at the Arena in the soundest manner of any club that has visited Montreal this winter. The locals outplayed the Senators at almost every division, and more than doubled the score by a score of 10 to 2. The line-up: Wanderers—Goal, Boyes; point, Ross; cover, S. Cleghorn; wing, Hyland; centre, Russell; wing, O. Cleghorn. Ottawa—Goal, Lesueur; point, Shore; cover, Lake; wing, Roman; centre, Daragh; wing, Broadbent. Referee—Dr. W. G. Wood, Toronto; assistant, J. T. Brennan, Montreal.



DAVE BRADSHAW, formerly of Stratford, now on the line-up of the St. Michael's hockey team, Toronto.

CANADIAN RUGBY UNION
DROPS THE ALERT CLUB

Hamilton Club Is Practically Ousted From Rugby By O. H. A. Action.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—The Canadian Rugby Football Union held its annual meeting at the King Edward Hotel yesterday when delegates from all clubs affected were in attendance. It was decided that the incoming executive should appoint a committee to look into the affiliation of this union with the A. A. U. of C. and report later. It was also learned that the committee appointed to look into the ability of the rules made no definite finding. A new committee was appointed.

The difficulty was evinced on the coming of the Alert Club in its connections with the O. R. F. U., now that it has been turned down by the O. H. A. The Alerts claim that the hockey and Rugby club are controlled by the one executive, therefore this affects their standing, which was good when they won their championship. The only way they can be properly reinstated is through O. H. A. action.

GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP
DATES ARRANGED

Executive Committee Appointed Them on Saturday.

New York, Jan. 12.—The executive committee of the United States Golf Association, following out the instructions given it at the annual meeting of the association on Saturday night, has fixed the dates for the three national golf championships of the year, which are published today. The first of the championships will be held during the entire week of Sept. 1 at Garden City, Long Island; the open championship, June 4 at Brookline, Mass., and the women's tournament, Oct. 13 to 18 inclusive at Wilmington, Del.

The committee renewed talk at the meeting of a movement to place the selection of championship courses entirely in the hands of the state governors. It was suggested that all the active clubs place their courses at the disposal of the association, and that names meeting the requirements for holding the championships over a certain number of these courses in rotation.

CURLING NOTES

Two rinks of London Curling Club curlers left this morning for Paris, Ont., where they will play in the "Colts" tournament, which opens in that town this afternoon. The London Club is the only club in London entering the tournament. The London Club has decided not to play this year. The following players will compose the two teams: Colin Currie, James Shaw, James Ball, James Ball, J. A. McKay, skip. Dr. Wrig, skip.

Two rinks of London curlers will attend the Guelph Diamond Curling Club tournament, which opens on Friday in that city. Two strong rinks will be taken, the following players having been selected: A. E. Barbour, F. Wilcock, Al Talbot, Fred W. Allen, skip.

Invitations are being sent out for the Thistle Club opening on Friday night next. Mr. C. K. Blisset is issuing the invitation as secretary of the house committee, and quite a large number of curlers and bowlers are expected to attend.

The district cup games will be played off at the London Curling Club on Tuesday, Jan. 22. The date of the Western District cup has not yet been announced, but it is expected that the local clubs will be notified this week.

The London Curling Club has a challenge in for the Malahide medal, which was contested last season. This medal is just for competition between the London and St. Thomas clubs, and there is need of a committee to regulate the rules for challenge. Last year the London Club challenged the Thistle Club to play for the medal, and were beaten in the matches. The St. Thomas club then challenged, and they succeeded in capturing it. The London Club then challenged the St. Thomas club, but the latter would not accept, claiming that two challenges could not be made in the same season. However, they forgot that the Thistle Club had accepted two challenges last year, and had lost it on the second challenge, which was according to the local clubs feel that some rules should be drawn up concerning challenges. This would do away with all disputes in the future. In the meantime, the London club have a challenge to name the date when the match is to be played off. Five rinks from each club take part in these games.

\$5,000 FOR YACHTING PRIZES. Cleveland, Jan. 12.—Winners in the sail yacht races this summer of the Inter-Lake Yachting Association will receive \$5,000 in prizes. The association has announced here yesterday after a meeting of the yacht committee at the home of Commodore George H. Worthington. The sail yacht races will be held at Put-In-Bay, in conjunction with the celebration of the presidency convention.

from the Intercollegiate Union, and the Alerts were officially dropped. A debate was precipitated as to the real meaning of being "dropped" or "expelled." The original motion was that they be "expelled," but the word "dropped" was adopted so they could take part in the sport. In case of an apology being sent to the O. R. F. U., would permit of them rejoining the O. R. F. U. The meantime, if they join another union, no team connected with the O. R. F. U. would be allowed to play them. It was subsequently decided to write to all the clubs to the effect that the Alerts have been "dropped" from the O. R. F. U., and expelled from the O. H. A.

Alberta Rugby Union sent a resolution that it will adopt snap-back system of putting the ball into play, and counting of points kicking dead ball line will be done away. Match was decided. The Quebec Union's suggestion of changing the number of players was unanimously voted down. The three-year rule was retained. The Canadian Union has not a representative on the board of trustees of the Grey Cup.

ST. MICHAEL'S BEAT
VARSITY 9 TO 2

Green Shirts Were Too Speedy for the Blue and White—4,000 People See the Game.

Toronto, Jan. 12.—St. Michael's were too speedy for the Toronto Varsity team in the first game of the season played in the Arena Gardens on Saturday afternoon, and easily won out by the score of 9 to 2. About four thousand fans turned out to see the game, which was fast from start to finish. The Varsity team was outplayed in every phase of the game. The St. Michael's forward line, the St. Michael's showed more team work than Varsity. The latter team was outplayed in every phase of the game. For St. Michael's, LaFlamme, McCanus, left wing, Richardson. Varsity—Goal, Parker; point, Frith; cover, Hanley; rover, Webster; centre, Murphy; right wing, Frith; left wing, Blakeley. Referee—Gren. Baldwin, Barrie.

TINKER WANTS KLING
FOR CINCINNATI

Has Gone to Kansas City To Make the Catcher an Offer.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 12.—Joe Tinker, shortstop and manager of the Cincinnati Reds, is in Kansas City today to make an offer to John Kling, catcher and manager last year of the St. Paul Nationals. Tinker was confident that he would obtain Kling's signature to a contract with Cincinnati for next year.

Juarez Results.

Sunday.

El Paso, Jan. 12.—Second choices had the call today before a good Sunday crowd. Gross landed Ydr in the fifth race at 15 to 1, and it was his second winner of the day. Summary: First race, three furlongs—1 Buena Vista, 115; 2 Dick Dodge, 114; 3 Manganesse, 110. Time—1:34 4-5. Second race, 1 1/4 miles—1 Misspation, 105; 2 Wadsworth 11, 102; 3 Silver Grain, 110. Time—1:55 2-5. Third race, 5 1/2 furlongs—1 Hazel C, 104; 2 Doss, 106; 3 Talloir Dip, 110. Time—1:38. Fourth race, 5 1/2 furlongs—1 Russell McGill, 107; 2 Mary Emily, 104; 3 Hugh Gray, 108. Time—1:37 3-5. Fifth race, six furlongs—1 Ymir, 112; 2 Parlor Boy, 104; 3 Sir Alcester, 110. Time—1:44. Sixth race, one mile—1 Matzie Gail, 105; 2 Orphey, 106; 3 Black Mate, 107. Time—1:40 2-5.

Saturday at Juarez.

Juarez, Jan. 11.—The races here today resulted as follows: First race, three-year-olds and up, selling, purse \$300, 1 mile—1 Falda, 110; 2 Lehigh, 109; 3 Jack Ellis, 105. Time—1:40 2-5. Second race, 4-year-olds and up, selling, purse \$300, 1 mile—1 Falda, 110; 2 Lehigh, 109; 3 Jack Ellis, 105. Time—1:40 2-5. Third race, six furlongs, purse—1 Titford, 107; 2 Chapultepec, 8; Irish Gentleman, Time—1:13 1-5. Fourth race, 5 1/2 furlongs, selling—1 Masado, 2; Masado, 3; Anne McGee, Time—1:14 2-5. Fifth race, 6 furlongs, selling—1 Manly, 114; 2 Masado, 3; Anne McGee, Time—1:14 2-5. Sixth race, 1 mile, selling—1 Insurance Man, 2; Welsh, 3; Gold of Ophir, Time—1:40 1-2.

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ONLY NINE RESULTS IN ENGLISH CUP

London, Jan. 11.—The first round of the Football Association Cup competition struck most unfortunate weather. At many places snow, fog and sleet prevailed, and the game could not be played, and the schedule was badly upset. Only sixteen of the thirty-two fixtures were played, and only nine of these sixteen produced results, so that but little more than one-quarter of the round is yet completed. The results were as follows:

ENGLISH CUP—FIRST ROUND.

Manchester City 4, Birmingham 0. Crystal Palace 2, Glossop 0. Croxson Club 0, Halifax 2. Swindon Town 2, Rochdale 0. Sunderland 0, Clapton Orient 0. Bristol Rovers 2, Northampton 0. Colham Athletic 4, Bolton Wanderers 0. Plymouth Argyle 2, Preston N. E. 0. Chelsea 0, Southern 0. In every case but Swindon and Queen's Park Rangers the winners were at home. Huddersfield Town were drawn.

Matches Postponed.

Liverpool vs. Bristol City. Everton vs. Stockport County. Bradford vs. Barrow. Leicester Fosse vs. Norwich City. St. Mirren vs. Albion. Gainsborough Trinity. West Bromwich vs. West Ham United. Newcastle United vs. Bradford City. Sheffield Wed. vs. Grimsby Town. Wolverhampton Wanderers vs. London. Caedonians. Portsmouth vs. Brighton and Hove Albion. Blackburn vs. Northampton. Stoke vs. Reading. C. Morse, of the New England League, who, it was stated in reports from Birmingham, N. Y., would be the president of the Northeastern League, has been elected to the position. He would be the president of the league until he read about it in the newspapers.

When Rube Marquard was reminded that his talk of demanding more pay for next year was foolish because he was under a contract with two years yet to run, the native Rube wanted to know why he should not break that contract if the St. Louis club could break its contract with Bresnahan. He had advanced that the Bresnahan contract isn't actually broken yet.

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JOE M'GINNITY LEAVES NEWARK

GOES TO TACOMA TO MANAGE CLUB IN THAT CITY.

Newark, N. J., Jan. 12.—Joe McGinnity, long a conspicuous figure in baseball, has been handed a good-bye to the "fans" here yesterday and is on his way today to Tacoma, Washington, to take charge of the Northwest League club there, which he purchased recently. McGinnity was once a star of the major leagues, and won the nickname of "Iron Man" by his willingness to pitch double headers. For several years he has had a large interest in the Newark club of the International League, which he sold last fall.

YAMADA BEAT SLOSSON. Milwaukee, Jan. 11.—Yamada defeated George Slosson tonight at 18.2 miles by a score of 400 to 313. His high run was 72, while Slosson's was 58.

The plan of the New York Yankees to train in Bermuda will be put up to Frank Chance, Arthur Irwin, however, has gone to the islands to look over the field and investigate conditions.

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| Kimono Dress Shields, sizes 2 to 5. Regular 40c value, sale price..... | 25c | | | Pins, solid brass. Former price 5c paper, sale price..... | 2 for 5c |
| Brass Safety Pins, former price 5c, sale price, 3 for 10c | | | | | |
| 500 Brass Pins. Former price 7c, sale price..... | 5c | | | | |
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A STRENUOUS SESSION LIKES THE FREE LIFE

First Session of the Third Legislature Saw Many Acts Put Through.

[Canadian Press.] Regina, Jan. 13.—After a strenuous session covering six weeks, the session of Saskatchewan's third Legislature came to an end on Saturday. The lieutenant-governor assented to forty-four acts, together with the 24 assented to during the session, making a total of 68 measures added to the statute book of the province since the House met Nov. 14. Joseph Nolin, member for Athabasca, took his seat for the first time, bringing the number of Liberal members up to 45. The Opposition number eight.

Some further discussion took place over E. Bradshaw's woman suffrage resolution, which will not be put to the vote. J. K. Johnston, of Pelly, stated that he represented the single men of Saskatchewan, and supported the resolution, believing the general tone of public life would be elevated by an extension of the franchise to women.

Exception was taken by Mr. Wil-

loughby, who said that the anti-bussing legislation, embodied in the city act amendment, which provides that no city shall bonus an industry beyond a certain limit, was a restriction on the city's power to attract business, and that it was not a woman's place to be a city councillor.

Mr. Wiloughby said that Regina was the only city in the province that had any considerable area of land available for free sites for industries, and the new provision consequently placed Regina in an advantageous position, compared to other cities. The question was warmly discussed, but the bill finally passed.

SAYS MONTREALER KILLED A WOMAN

Colored Man Arrested at Instance of the Chicago Police.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Jan. 13.—Henry Bell, colored, arrested here at the request of Detective Sergeant Braxton, of Chicago, who says Bell is Charles Newton Estess, wanted for the murder of a white woman named Estess at Hart, in that city three years ago, appeared in the extradition court this morning.

Braxton said that Bell was the man he wanted, though, when examined on his method of identification, confessed that he was not sure whether Estess had been cut on the right or the left hand.

Judge Choquette, the extradition officer, enlarged the hearing till Friday next, and warned Braxton that evidence could not produce conclusive evidence for identification he would have to discharge Bell.

Bail was applied for and refused.

LADY ABERDEEN GUEST OF LAURIERS

Accompanied by Miss Asquith, Countess Arrives at Ottawa.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, Jan. 13.—The Countess of Aberdeen arrived in Ottawa this morning, in company with Miss Violet Asquith, daughter of Right Hon. H. H. Asquith, premier of Great Britain.

The two distinguished visitors came in the private car Loch Lomond, attached to the C. P. R. imperial limited, and remained in the city till about 8 o'clock.

Lady Aberdeen will address the Local Council of Women here this afternoon, and with Miss Asquith will leave for Toronto tonight.

While in Toronto Lady Aberdeen will be the guest of Lieutenant-Governor and Lady Gibson.

Miss Asquith will remain in Ottawa for a couple of days, before joining Lady Aberdeen.

SAW HUSBAND KILLED

Wife Had Not Seen Spouse Since His Descent Years Ago.

[Dover, N. J., Jan. 13.]—Deserted by her husband three years ago, Mrs. Frank Gibbs saw him for the first time, just as he slipped and fell beneath the wheels of a train he attempted to board, and was ground to death.

At the inquiry yesterday into the accident Mrs. Gibbs told how, as she was looking out of the train window on her home-bound way, she saw her husband on Saturday night, she caught sight of Gibbs as he fell to his death. She had married Gibbs three years ago, she said, but shortly after the wedding he deserted her, and she had never seen him until he met his sudden end.

GAYNOR'S TAX REFORM.

New York, Jan. 13.—Radical changes in New York city's tax system, whereby nearly a score of new sources of revenue are proposed to help meet the city's expenses, without increasing the burden on taxpayers, have been recommended to Mayor Gaynor, it was learned today, by a special committee, which he appointed to study this problem more than two years ago.

Some of the most striking proposals of real estate on the unearned increment of the tax now levied by the state, and give half of the proceeds to the city, and non-exemption of churches for local improvements.

About \$4,000,000 would be added to the city's income next year if the plan was adopted, and in ten years the increase would amount to \$15,000,000.

On a separate declaration that it favored abolishing the personal property tax, eventually, and "placing the burden of local government on those forms of property which represent values created by the community."

NEW OCEAN LINES.

Washington, Jan. 13.—The principal transatlantic steamship lines have decided a few days ago to change their lanes of travel across the ocean, the naval hydrographic office has prepared and made ready for distribution a supplement to its pilot chart, published two years ago. The new charts show the new route.

PREFERS PLOWING TO THE THEATRE

English Society Lady Goes In for the Strenuous Life on Alberta's Plains.

LIKES THE FREE LIFE

Says That Under No Consideration Would She Return to the Old Life.

[Canadian Press.] Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 13.—"I would rather plow than go to the theatre. I would rather plant corn than attend a pink tea. I much prefer carrying my horses to arraying myself in an evening gown. What's a butterfly social life in the midst of the English social circles from the inside. When the Boer war broke out she went to the front as a nurse, and there she awoke to the fact that there was something more in life than card parties and pink teas and bracing cold."

These are the views of no less a person than Miss Jack May, a slender and most charming young lady, who owns and operates a farm in the "wilds" of Canada. She is a daughter of Admiral May, of the British navy, and has seen life in the highest English social circles from the inside.

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Managed Dairy Farm.

Upon her return home she at once entered the Swanley Agricultural College, and at the conclusion of her course she became manager of a dairy farm. After a time she became manager of another farm in Kent devoted to general purposes of agriculture, from which place she came to the Canadian West. She bought a ranch of 320 acres in Northern Alberta, near a railway station, and now English society is watching her venture with interest. Not a man is employed on Miss May's farm. Her only companion and helper is a Canadian girl of 18, named the Free Life.

"Go back to society again? Not for worlds," she declared emphatically.

Although this little Englishwoman has sacrificed conventional life, she has not lost none of the charm that made her a favorite in select circles in the old land. Her everyday costume consists of stout leather boots and leather puttees, riding breeches of heavy blue serge, a man's shirt and a short khaki coat. When she desires to really "dress up" she wears a soft collar and a peasant's apron, which she and a loosely belted around the waist. She is delightfully picturesque, and her happy, care-free laugh is a rare thing in the West.

"I love the freedom of the life and the bigness of things out here on the prairie," she said recently. "In England one is bound by conventions as one's fields are girt with hedges. Here I can do as I choose. I wouldn't go back to stay under any consideration."

LADIES HELD ANNUAL MEETING

Missionary Society of Christian Church in Session.

The Ladies' Missionary Society of the Christian Church, Dundas street, held their annual public meeting Sunday afternoon, the program taking the place of the regular church service. Mrs. C. B. King presided and read the Scripture lesson. Mrs. E. B. Oliphant led in prayer. The address of the Lord's prayer was given by Mrs. H. Hayden. The church quartette and choir rendered good music, and Mr. George White a short appreciated solo. Miss Winnie Short rendered well a poem on sacrifice for the Lord's work. The pastor, Rev. B. H. Hayden, in making the call for the offering stated that the women of the Christian Church in Ontario, as part of their work, are this year putting \$1,000 in the missions at Tokio, Japan, and the offering of the evening would go to that place.

SENT FOR TRIAL ON CHARGE OF FRAUD

Belgrave Man Alleged to Have Obtained Money From Townsman.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wingham, Jan. 13.—George Carr, a young man, residing five miles from here, had his leg broken in two places between the ankle and knee, in his bush when he was cutting wood, his horse started unexpectedly, and one of the chains swung around swiftly.

Funeral services were held in the Salvation Army Citadel yesterday, by Capt. Pugmire, prior to his departure for London, England, where he has been transferred. Since Capt. Pugmire has been here he has secured over 40 converts.

John Chambley, of Belgrave, was committed to Goderich jail, for trial at the spring assizes on a charge of fraud, preferred against him by John Campbell, from whom it is alleged he obtained a sum of money. Chambley appeared before Magistrate Morton and bailed before.

CAMERON VS. HULL

Judgment Given in Local Case at Toronto.

Judgment in the case of Cameron vs. Hull was given by the chancellor on Friday last, at Osgoode Hall in favor of the plaintiffs on all points, with costs to be paid by the defendant Hull.

This is the last stage in litigation started about a year ago. In November 1911, the plaintiffs, Thomas W. Cameron and Clara Cameron, by written agreement, sold a small farm in North Dorchester for \$2,000 to the defendant Hull, who paid \$200 down.

The plaintiffs then brought this action to compel payment of the remaining \$1,800, and the case came to trial before the chancellor at the midwinter assizes on Wednesday last. Judgment was given in favor of the plaintiffs, and it was given as above. Blackburn & Weekes, for plaintiffs; Meredith & Fisher for defendant Hull.

HELD FOR FRAUD.

Boston, Jan. 13.—John Bennett, a local mining share promoter, who was indicted Saturday on a charge of obtaining \$68 from three women by false pretences, pleaded not guilty in the superior court today and was held for trial. He was unable to furnish the \$20,000 bail required.

LONDON STREET RAILWAY

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the city as a whole, hoping thereby to give better service to private concerns using the line, also cheaper and better accommodations to all railroads entering the city by this road. The ratemakers should be given a vote on this matter at the earliest date possible so the question can be dealt with in time to handle it ourselves, if the ratemakers so decide, or lease it to some other corporation.

The bylaw submitted to the ratemakers, having carried by a large vote, must be dealt with at once. Personally I consider the citizens of London on their good judgment in this matter, and wish to impress the council with the fact that it is our duty to carry out this project to a successful end.

I advise the city hall committee to at once consider the question of making the larger building in the Spencer block (now owned by the city) into a station to house the different civic departments now quartered in the present hall, what the cost would be, the time it would take, etc., so the council can decide the advisability of vacating the present building at once, a vote is possible.

City Hall.
The alteration and improvement of these buildings are now a standing item on the city council's agenda. An agreement between the city and the city on further expenditures, to cover the work, the matter should be taken up when the council meets.

Storm Sewers.
This matter has been given a good deal of study by No. 2 committee of last year, and it is now in the hands of Mr. Chipman, who is giving the topographical survey made by the city engineer a complete study, and we may expect a complete report from him at an early date.

This is one of the most important questions confronting us at the present time, as many of the principal residential streets are awaiting the completion of the sewerage system, and the city is put to back up and down.

City Extension.
I recommend that the street lighting be placed along the streets of the city, wherever the hydro poles now are at once, further extensions being made as the need arises.

Also that the question of postal delivery be taken up with the department at once. Also that the necessary police protection be supplied.

Better Roads.
This possibly more directly affects the people as a whole than any other question. It should be given priority over all other questions, and the city should be able to save money and get better results on work done in this way, both in walls and curbs.

Street Lighting.
This council must have more light on our residential streets. We should have a light on every pole on most of the streets. This could be done at a great extra cost, and would more than repay the city.

Publicity Department.
This department has had a good, progressive year, though this fact may not have been apparent to the general public, and with the prospects in view, we trust this will be a banner year for London in this department. Let everyone get behind the commissioner and boost our city. We have a city worth while, and the responsibility of its future rests with you. If we and the citizens do our duty, London will come into her own, which is in the front rank of the cities of this great Dominion.

Feeling assured that this council will act in every way for the advancement of the good work, I look forward to a very pleasant and progressive year. Wishing you one and all the greatest year London has yet seen.

MCFORIST'S LUCK.

[Harper's Weekly.] "Well, Blithers, what luck did you have with your new car?" asked Jarro-way.

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Much is said about the "six best sellers." This refers to books that for the time being are most popular in the public eye. Books of fiction usually outrank all others in the list.

It is interesting to note that during the year 1911 the combined sale of the six best sellers amounted to only a little more than half a million copies. But there is a seventh best seller, which should be placed first, for during the same period the Bible had a sale of more than a million and a half copies, or more than three times that of the six best sellers.

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Today's certificate is printed on another page. Clip it without delay. You may have your choice of either the Catholic or Protestant editions.

DOMESTIC COMBAT.

E. Trowbridge Dana, grandson of the poet Longfellow, who was recently married in Cambridge, with a beautiful ritual of his own composition, said the other day to a reporter:

"If all couples gave to marriage the profound thought and reverence that my wife and I gave to it there would be fewer mismatings."

"The average married pair, it sometimes seems to me, are like the Binkses."

"Pa," said little Tommy Binks one day, "what's a weapon?"

"A weapon, my son," Binks answered, "is something to fight with."

"Then, pa," said little Tommy, "is marriage a weapon?"

In her book on "Old Irish Life," Mrs. J. M. Calliwell says that her uncle, Major William Poppleton, one of Napoleon's guards at St. Helena, received a gold snuff-box from the emperor. Forty years after the major's death an inquisitive visitor at his old home in Ireland found a closely folded paper in the box, which proved to be a letter from Napoleon to the Count of Las Cases. The long-concealed letter was finally delivered to Las Cases' son.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

The Weather.

The thermometer fell to 25 degrees above zero last night, the coldest dip of the winter. A year ago it was 25 degrees below zero in London.

An Artistic Calendar.

The Carling Brewing and Malting Company of this city have issued a very artistic calendar to the trade and friends. It is one of the prettiest of the many fine calendars sent out by this firm.

Somewhat Improved.

The condition of Mr. Henry Mahon, of 58 Wilson Avenue, West London, the aged crossing watchman who was struck by a Grand Trunk freight train at Ridout street, some days ago, is reported to be somewhat improved at Victoria Hospital today.

Stove Set Fire to Wall.

The fire department had a run to 14 Dundas street, the residence of Mr. Arthur Burton, on Saturday evening about 9:30 o'clock. An over-heated stove pipe ignited the wall when the family were away. Neighbors saw the smoke and called the brigade. The blaze was extinguished in short order. The loss was about \$30.

Hooper-Kennedy.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at 4 o'clock Saturday, at the parsonage of Talbot Street Baptist Church, Miss Teresa Jane Kennedy becoming the bride of Mr. Albert Edward Hooper.

The young couple, both of whom are residents of this city, was unattended, and the nuptial knot was tied by the Rev. H. H. Bingham. Mr. and Mrs. Hooper will take up residence at 4 Edith street.

A Pleading Recital.

A pleasing recital was given last Saturday afternoon by the following pupils of the London Conservatory of Music—Misses Grace Crouse, Kathleen Rose, Gladys Hodgins, Norma Dickson, Elsie Pickell, Margaret Murray, Jean Henderson, Ruth Davis, Doris Nelles, Grace Sing, Marjorie Croden, Mildred Granger, Hazel Taylor, and Master Elvin Berry.

STRATHROY MEETING

Fine Program Was Much Enjoyed by Women's Institute.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Strathroy, Jan. 13.—The regular meeting of the Women's Institute was held in St. John's Hall. A most interesting program rewarded the extra large turnout. Mrs. (Rev.) W. H. Graham gave an address on "Thoughts for the Coming Year." Miss Hazel Douglas sketched the life of Whitlitter. A reading by Miss Armstrong, and solos by Mrs. A. W. Bixel, and Mr. Wilson completed the program.

Wm. G. Meekison and sister, Miss Jean Meekison, have returned home from New York city, where they have been holidaying for the past week. They accompanied Mr. and Mrs. George Sulman and son, of Chatham, who are leaving on a three months' trip to Egypt and eastern countries.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTE.

Mrs. Parsons, of Forest, will address the Women's Institute of Wilton Grove in the First Presbyterian Church on Wednesday, Jan. 15, at 2:30 o'clock, in connection with the Farmers' Institute, which will be held the same day.

BURIED AT WARDVILLE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

West Lorne, Jan. 13.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary McMillan, held from her late residence here yesterday afternoon to Wardville cemetery, was largely attended. Among the mourners were Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McMillan of London. The late Mrs. McMillan resided on King street in London for some time.

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The Dunbar worked every minute on the stage, the numbers being made up of solo work, bell ringing, piano and violin numbers, and in concluding the four delighted the audience with a grand opera burlesque.

A dozen Barnardo boys, who took part in Sunday afternoon's program were present, and with the others, thoroughly enjoyed the entertainment.

Robert Lorraine in "Man and Superman."

Among the few cities included in the limited tour of Robert Lorraine and his London company of players under the management of the Lieber Company in "Man and Superman," London has been included, and on Wednesday night the young English star will be at the Grand Theatre, where he has been playing since his first appearance in London. Lorraine, who has been recognized by the London critics as the most brilliant of England's young comedians. Indeed his wit and versatility put him on the same plane as the distinguished author of the play.

"The Gamblers."

Charles Klein's "The Gamblers" will come to the Grand Friday and Saturday. In this play Mr. Klein has taken gambling as his theme, not the petty kind, but that which is done in seven figures on Wall street. John Emerson, an old school financier, who hitherto has been satisfied to count profits by the thousands, is induced by an ambitious enemy, breaks a federal law and both father and son and their partners face prison sentences. All but the son are saved by the intervention of a woman.

EASTMAN-M'CHESNEY

Pretty Warwick Girl Becomes Bride of Young Arkona Man.

A quiet New Year's wedding was solemnized at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph McChesney, fourth line of Warwick, when their daughter, Grace Mae, was united in marriage to Rae Cameron Eastman, of Arkona.

While Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartlett played the wedding march, the bride party took their places under the bridal arch of evergreens. The bride was beautifully attired in cream satin de chene, and wore a large picture hat, and carried a bouquet of bridal roses, lily of the valley and smilax. She was given away by her father.

The bride was assisted by her sister Beatrice, and the groom by his brother. As the last strains of the wedding march were heard, the Rev. H. W. Wright performed the ceremony, in the presence of about thirty relatives. After the benediction, the happy couple received hearty congratulations.

After a dainty wedding dinner, the bride and groom took their departure for their future home at McEwan, Ont.

The bride's travelling suit was of navy blue, with a large picture hat. Among the many beautiful presents was a handsome set of furs from the groom, and a check from the bride's father.

PREACHED AT PARIS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Paris, Jan. 14.—Canon Downie, of Port Stanley, conducted special services in St. James' Church here yesterday. Both the morning and evening there were large congregations in attendance.

PETER FAIRBURN WILL HAVE A NEW TRIAL**Man Sentenced for Burglary Still Maintains He Is Innocent.**

A Kingston dispatch states that Peter Fairburn, who was sent down from this city by Judge Macbeth to serve a three-year term for having assisted John Murray, alias Murphy, in the burglary of the Arva Roller Mills, has been assured that he will obtain a new trial within a short time. The matter was taken before the court of appeals, by Mr. P. H. Bartlett, of this city, who defended the men.

Murray, so the Kingston story states, now admits his part in the crime, but it is said that he is willing to take the stand to swear that Fairburn was not with him when he blew the safe in the Arva mill.

Fairburn stoutly maintained that he was innocent, and that he did not meet Murray until shortly before they were arrested in the bar of the King Edward Hotel. Both were intoxicated and attention was attracted to them when Fairburn attempted to extract a roll of bills from Murray's pocket. The latter appeared to be merely a farm hand, and the first idea of the authorities was to afford him protection until he revived from the intoxication. However, it was learned upon his arrest that the money in his possession tallied almost exactly with the amount taken from the mill office.

BOYS ON LONG WALK PASS THROUGH LONDON**Two Lads Claim They Are Out to Win a Big Wager.**

The Hamilton Herald says: Looking none the worse for their long grind, Frank Rae and Ernest Clark, two San Francisco boys, visited the Herald office Saturday morning after completing a trip of 3,500 miles across the continent on a journey around the world, the success of which will mean \$2,000 to each of them. The boys were brought to the Herald office by Harry Marsh, commissioner of industries, who gave them a letter certifying that they had visited Hamilton en route.

Mr. Rae, speaking of the trip, said: "We left Prince on Nov. 20, and have biked it ever since. We visited Denver, Chicago, Indiana, and crossed into this great Canada of yours from Detroit, the same place, I believe, where the famous Canadian invasion of the war of 1812 was made. We visited London, Canada, Galt and other cities in this section, and will leave here for Niagara Falls, Rochester and New York, where we will take a boat for Liverpool. From there we will walk to London, Peterborough, and then across the English Channel, and then to Galt. We intend to visit the Holy Land and all the other notable Asiatic and European countries during our trip."

"Before we were we were 'dipped.' Every nickel we had in our possession was taken from us, and we have had to work our way as best we could. We are allowed to ride the bumpers if we wish, and the hospitality of some kind-hearted freight or passenger conductor, but under no condition can we part with any coin for such assistance. In each city we have to report to the mayor or some other civic official, and in our daily report we include his certificate."

The young fellows say they feel fine, and they also look the part. The trip is under the management of C. Adams, of the San Francisco Times, who had charge of all arrangements regarding the route, etc. Mr. Rae and Mr. Clark look fit to finish the journey like staked horses, and they have not been tired down to any stated time in which to make the trip.

MET AT NEWBURY

Mrs. Johnston Is President of New Ladies' Aid.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Newbury, Jan. 13.—The ladies of the Methodist Church met at the home of Mrs. J. F. Johnston recently, and organized a ladies' aid. The officers elected were as follows: President, Mrs. Johnston; vice-president, Mrs. Hopper; secretary, Ida Haggitt; treasurer, Jennie Weaver. The ladies will hold their first meeting on Thursday of each month.

BURIED AT RICHMOND.

Aylmer, Jan. 13.—The funeral of Mrs. Roxana Norton, widow of the late William Norton, was held from the residence of her son, George, in Bayham yesterday afternoon to the Richmond Cemetery. Deceased was 82 years old.

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PETROLEA ODDFELLOWS INSTALLED OFFICERS**District Deputy Grand Master Tully, of Mooretown, Was Present.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Petrolea, Jan. 13.—D. D. G. M. Tully, of Mooretown, assisted by P. G. Gorman, Simms and Seward, of Mooretown, and P. G. Church and Taylor, of Petrolea, installed the officers of Friendship Lodge, No. 65, Petrolea, at the regular meeting.

About 50 Oddfellows, including a number from Wyoming, were in attendance.

After the ceremony of installation was concluded, refreshments were served in the lodge room, and addresses were delivered by the D. D. G. M., the visiting brethren and some of the older lodge members.

The meeting broke up about midnight after one of the most enjoyable evenings in the history of Friendship Lodge.

The officers for the ensuing term are as follows:

N. G.—Charles Morrison.
V. G.—John Bradley.
R. S.—James Hamilton.
P. S.—J. J. Matthews.
Treasurer—John Sinclair.
L. S. N. G.—P. M. Wood.
L. S. N. G.—James Craig.
L. S. V. G.—Ed Hyatt.
Warden—Rupert Hyatt.
Conductors—Frank Church.
R. S.—James Stewart.
L. S.—James Maw.
Chaplain—Harry Clark.
I. G.—Thomas Kelley.
G. G.—James Viduan.
The district L. O. L. for Enniskillen district meets in the L. O. O. F. hall, Petrolea, on Tuesday next.**OFFICIAL VISITS OF D. D. G. M. BANGHART**

Schedule for January and February is Announced.

The following are the official dates set for Dr. Banghart's visits in January and February:
St. Mark's Lodge, No. 34, Port Stanley, Tuesday, Jan. 14.
St. David's Lodge, No. 302, St. Thomas, Thursday, Jan. 17.
St. Paul's Lodge, No. 107, Lambeth, Wednesday, Jan. 22.
Union Lodge, No. 380, London, Monday, Feb. 10.

It is expected that a large number of brethren will accompany the distinguished brother to St. Thomas on Thursday evening; also to Lambeth a week from Wednesday. In both cases he will go via the Traction line, leaving on the 7 o'clock car.

ENORMOUS INCREASE IN LOCAL CLEARINGS

Bank Figures for London Show a Tremendous Jump of 49 Per Cent.

The following table shows the bank clearings in Canadian and United States cities the past week, with the increase over the same week of a year ago:

	Inc.
New York	\$2,339,721,000
Chicago	342,106,000
Boston	180,924,000
Philadelphia	198,343,000
Pittsburg	98,873,000
Kansas City	62,822,000
Montreal	60,982,000
San Francisco	60,415,000
Toronto	32,072,000
Vancouver	27,228,000
Calgary	14,120,000
Ottawa	5,857,000
Victoria	5,953,000
Quebec	4,915,000
Edmonton	4,790,000
Halifax	2,616,000
St. John	2,272,000
Regina	2,258,000
London	2,581,000
Saskatoon	2,648,000
Moose Jaw	1,773,000

DINNER TO J. A. McNEIL

Former London Newspaper Man Goes to The Montreal Gazette.

Toronto, Jan. 13.—On the eve of his departure for Montreal to take a position on the Gazette, Mr. John A. McNeil, a well-known Toronto newspaperman, was tendered a dinner by a number of his intimate friends at the Hotel Mowat on Saturday night. Mr. O. M. Ross acted as chairman, and Mr. Harry Anderson as vice-chairman. During the evening a number of addresses were delivered, in which reference was made to the fine qualities of the guest, and regret expressed at his departure from the city. The feature of the dinner was the presentation to Mr. McNeil of a beautiful set of gold and pearl dress studs and cuff links. Representatives of the several Toronto newspapers, transportation and business interests were present, and the gathering was marked by much harmony and good fellowship.

Mr. McNeil was for some time a member of the London Advertiser, later going to the Mail and Empire, and more recently representative of the Canadian Press.

Excuse haste and a bad pen,

is obsolete in modern business correspondence and is rapidly becoming so in social correspondence.

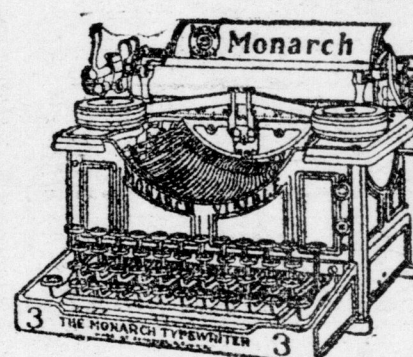
A hand-written letter inevitably has a repellent effect upon the business man who opens it. His first thought is that his correspondent who writes "longhand" isn't modern— isn't progressive— isn't up-to-date—in fact isn't a good business man.

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Monarch Typewriter Company Limited, 144 BAY STREET, TORONTO, ONT.**LONDON WILL LEAD THE PRESENT YEAR****It Is Expected City's Building Permits Will Go Over the \$3,000,000 Mark.**

The building expenditures of 37 of the principal cities and towns of the Dominion for 1912, says the Contract Record, reached the huge total of \$785,888,535, which represents the proportionate increase of 41 per cent over the corresponding returns for 1911.

Toronto heads the list, while Hamilton is tenth, one place lower than it was a month ago.

London is close to the bottom of the list now, but watch the Forest City in 1913. It looks as though the permits will go over \$3,000,000 this year.

"Taken as a whole," says the Record, "the returns indicate consistent but vigorous development, with well-balanced activity in the larger centres. The figures are particularly eloquent as to the prospects for the present year."

Following is a list of the cities with permits over \$1,000,000 during the year just ended:

Toronto	\$27,041,761
Winnipeg	20,475,350
Calgary	20,394,220
Montreal	19,641,955
Edmonton	14,448,818
Regina	8,208,155
Saskatoon	8,047,309
Hamilton	7,640,500
Port William	5,491,800