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**WEST LONDON IS IN LINE;
A ROUSING HYMAN RALLY****Electors Assemble in Force and Hear Convincing Addresses On Campaign Issues.****Mr. C. S. Hyman Exposes Disgraceful Methods Employed Against Him in the Canvass.****The East and the West Heard From—Mr. MacDonald, of Pictou, Draws an Amusing Picture of Foster, Bennett and Gray Leading a Revolution.**

West London has fallen into line, and now occupies a front position in the Hyman ranks, which are marching on to victory.

Last night Collins' Hall was packed to the doors, the Liberal rally proving one of the most successful political events the suburb has as yet known. Hon. Mr. Hyman, Mr. E. M. MacDonald, M. P., of Pictou, N. S., Mr. R. G. McPherson, M. P., of Vancouver, B. C., Mr. Walter Scott, M. P. for Assiniboia, and Mayor Campbell addressed the electors, and while the closest attention was paid to the arguments of the speakers, they were frequently interrupted by shouts of approval, and by outbursts of enthusiasm. Of the latter there seemed to be no limit.

In this respect the meeting was remarkable, and it appeared that the people of West London have grown tired of the false arguments of Mr. Hyman's opponents, and have determined to put down such tactics, once and for all.

Mr. Hyman again took up the autonomy bill and explained it fully and to the satisfaction of his hearers, and as he exposed the duplicity of his opponents and the methods to which they were resorting to secure his defeat, more and more he was greeted by round after round of applause. In the strongest language, Mr. Hyman denounced the men who are seeking to set the people of London at each other's throats, and his condemnation of these methods met with the full and unqualified approval of his hearers.

The speeches of Messrs. Scott, MacDonald and McPherson were to the point and pleased the electors greatly, while the address of the mayor made a deep impression on all present.

MAYOR CAMPBELL**Civic Head Says Large Proportion of Conservatives Want Hyman at Ottawa.**

In his opening remarks, Mayor Campbell assured the electors that he had not come to talk politics. This year, there was something of more importance to him than politics—it was the welfare of the city of London. Anything that was going to advance the interests of his native place he was ready to support. He could even vote for a Conservative to go to Parliament, if necessary, if he thought the election of such a person would help London more than the return of a Liberal. London at the present time is in a rather unique position in its relation to legislative bodies. Its member in the Local House is connected with the cabinet, although without portfolio. Heretofore London has never occupied such a position in Local House affairs. In regard to the Dominion Government, London is even in a better position by having as its representative a member of the cabinet, Mr. Hyman. Mayor Campbell could not help but say that the people should be proud of the fact that London's Dominion member is a member of the cabinet. He was satisfied that the large proportion of the Conservatives in London feel the same way. They wanted to see Mr. Hyman there. They do not want to see a Liberal Government at Ottawa, but under the present circumstances they are willing to tender Mr. Hyman the compliment of election by acclamation.

Caucus Decided London Fight.

"But it seems," said Mayor Campbell, "that cannot be done. A caucus in Ottawa decided that London must be contested. The leaders of the party in the Province of Ontario, situated in Toronto, decided that the people of London have been coerced into having a fight with Mr. Hyman, but I do think there is a sufficiently large number of people in the city, who will on this occasion feel there is more than party politics to be considered, and who will by their votes help to swell the majority for Mr. Hyman."

"We are told by these gentlemen

from Toronto, who are running this show, that great principles are at stake. It is not a mere local matter at all, they say. The principle of freedom for the Northwest Provinces is at stake, and they must make a fight in London in order that the Government might see the opinion of the electorate on the question. Is this not a queer place to come to get a contest? London and the Province of Ontario have no direct interest in the matter. The new provinces are Roman Catholics, and it is in them that the contest should take place. Take it up there, and do not come here, 2,000 or 3,000 miles away, and ask the people to vote against the Government. Why don't they contest the matter up there? The Conservatives threw out the challenge to the Government to open a seat and the Government did. What was the result? There was not a man who would come out against the Government candidate, and then the Conservatives offered the excuse that the constituency was largely of foreign population and was strongly Roman Catholic.

Answers to Coercion Charge.

"Do you mean to tell me that if the people of the west were opposed to the autonomy bill they would not have made a fight? Do you mean to tell me that the people going up from other provinces are so mean spirited that they would not make a fight if they were not satisfied?"

"No better answer can be given to the charge of coercion than the fact that the Conservatives could not get a man to run against Mr. Oliver."

"Why don't they send Maclean?" asked an elector.

"Well," said the mayor, "Mr. Maclean is a man always ready to make a challenge but who never puts up the fight. For you it is a question of your own city. The fact of the Government is not at stake in this fight. An adverse vote in London would not affect the policy of the Government."

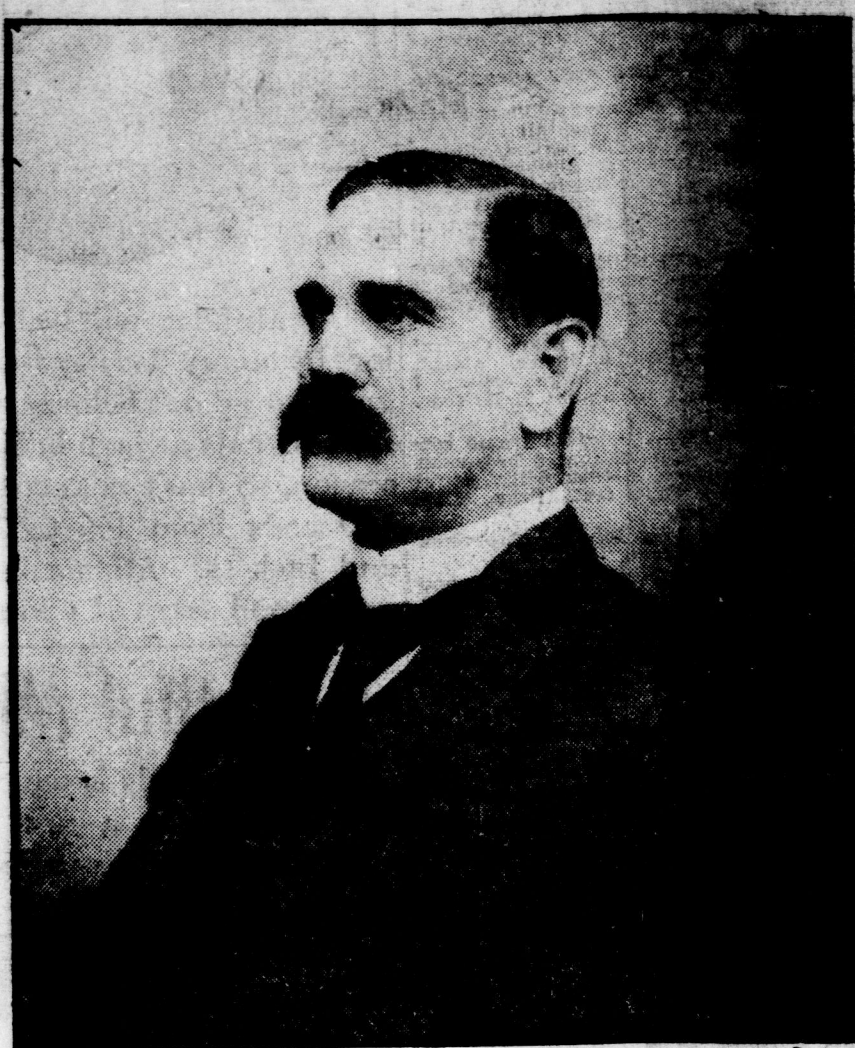
"There is one thing that is at stake. Shall the city of London by its representative have the possession of power in the best interests of its city?"

"Shall it have a voice in the councils of the Dominion, or shall it give up the reputation it may gain by shall it give up all the cause of pride it has in an influential position it may occupy at Ottawa? Shall it give all that up and accept back seat on the Opposition benches? I hope the people of London will rise and give Mr. Hyman the biggest majority he ever had."

A WESTERNER SPEAKS**Scores Conservatives for Raising False Cries—Borden's Right about Face.**

Mr. R. G. McPherson, M. P. for Vancouver, followed the mayor, and he was received with cheers. He said he deemed it a great privilege to have the opportunity of addressing the people of London in behalf of London's member, who was also his good friend, Hon. C. S. Hyman, Minister of Public Works. Possibly nothing he could say in eulogy of Mr. Hyman would be new to his hearers, but he was pleased to add his quota toward the good work of electing Mr. Hyman by a very large majority on the 13th of June.

The people of London have a very plain question before them—a question which they will be called upon to decide on June 13. The question is whether the people still have confidence in Mr. Hyman, and whether they desire to have Mr. Hyman, the Minister of Public Works, represent them at Ottawa, or whether they desire to elect Mr. Gray to the Ottawa Opposition. Every voter before he casts his ballot should weigh this question carefully, and vote in the best interests of his city. The people have had the record of Mr. Hyman for many years to guide them in their judgment of the class of man he is. He was born and had lived all his life amongst them. The people of London elected Mr. Hyman to the Dominion House, and he wasn't there long before the good judgment of the people of the city of London was recognized, and Premier Laurier called the member for London to join him on his council board and assist him in the (Continued on page 5.)



Charles Smith Hyman—a London boy, born and bred. Received his education in the schools of London. At 24 years of age, head of the large industrial establishment which bears his name.

At 28 years of age a member of the City Council.
At 30 years Mayor of London.
At 32 years of age president of the Board of Trade.
At 33 years of age chosen as standard-bearer of the Liberal party in London, and nearly victorious.
In 1891 elected to the House of Commons for the first time.
In 1901 chosen to preside over the most important committee of the House.
In 1903 appointed chairman of the Redistribution Committee.
In 1904 called to the Cabinet without portfolio.
In 1905 sworn in as Minister of Public Works.
A large employer of labor, with a pay-roll amounting to between \$40,000 and \$50,000 a year.
An employer who has always been on good terms with his men.
A man who has given the best that is in him to the service of his fellow-citizens, and the interests of his native city.

Who has made himself a power in the affairs of the country by sheer ability, and who has given London the benefit of his influence.
Mr. Hyman now comes to his fellow-citizens, and asks them whether they desire that he shall, as their representative, take over the great responsibilities which he has been asked to assume by the leader of the Government. Do the people of London desire that the portfolio of public works, the highest position in the gift of the Premier, shall be in the hands of a London boy? Mr. Hyman has earned his honors; he has been called the hardest-working member of the House of Commons. His fellow-citizens have now the opportunity to crown his career.

DISHONEST JOURNALISM

A misleading dispatch, sent from Ottawa the other day, conveyed the impression that the Seventh Battalion among others, would be reduced in strength by a new order of the militia council.

The dispatch was published by The Advertiser, the Free Press, and nearly every daily paper in the country.

When the full text of the militia council's order was received, it was found that the Seventh Battalion would not be affected.

The Advertiser published this information, and the Free Press, although requested to do so by officers of the regiment, REFUSES TO CORRECT THE MISLEADING DISPATCH.

"Where," it asks, "was Mr. Hyman with all the influence of a cabinet minister, when he permitted London's crack corps to be subjected to this reduction?"

London crack corps is to be subjected to no reduction, and the Free Press knows it.

No language is too strong to characterize such conduct, but it is a sample of our contemporary's ethics in this campaign, and of the methods employed against Mr. Hyman in the canvass.

Questions for Mr. Bennett

If the school legislation is so intolerable, and so outrageous that it will justify armed rebellion, let Mr. R. B. Bennett tell London electors tonight WHY?

Premier Haultain declared that if he were dictator he would not alter the Northwest school system?

J. J. Young, Conservative, M. J. A. of Calgary, said on Feb. 22 last that if the bills left the system unchanged all intelligent people would be satisfied?

The Conservative Lethbridge News on March 16 last declared that "If the Northwest members give support to a clause continuing the present minority privileges and no more, they will fairly represent the feelings of the Northwest people as a whole?"

Mayor Laird, Conservative, of Regina, declared that to continue the school system would leave no ground for reasonable complaint?

A Conservative mass meeting at Regina, held on April 3, refused to pass condemnation upon the bills?

Two advertised indignation meetings at Calgary drew an attendance of only two men, and 32 or 33 men and boys, respectively? And why Mr. Bennett did not issue his call to arms then?

The bills have not been placed before the Northwest Legislature?

Premier Haultain has failed to fill seven local seats, which have been vacant since last fall?

Men like G. A. Hay, of St. John; Dr. Milligan, of Toronto; Dr. McLaren and others have failed to discover any indignation in the Northwest?

Men like Dr. Bryce, Dr. Baird and Dr. Carmichael declare that the legislation is wise and proper?

Edmonton, with a distinct majority of 600 English Protestant voters over all other voters combined, accepted the bills without protest?

Scarcely a man except strong Conservative partisans west of Lake Superior objects to the education clause?

In the Assembly, he (Mr. Bennett), voted approval of the draft bill, which, in the 1902 local elections, Premier Haultain declared in his printed address to the electors, "provided for the application of the B. N. A. act to the proposed new provinces AS IT DOES TO THE PROVINCES OF CANADA?"

REVENUE INCREASED**Collections for London Office for May Exceeded Those of Month in 1904.**

The returns for the London inland revenue office for May show total collections of \$35,128.56, as follows:	
Spirit ex warehouse	\$ 4,833.51
Malt ex warehouse	5,713.72
Tobacco ex warehouse	1,223.88
Raw leaf ex warehouse	6,324.82
Cigars ex factory	9,557.43
Total	\$35,128.56
The total for May, 1904, was \$34,857.78, an increase this year of \$440.78.	

MADE MASTER OF TITLES.
Mr. Philip E. Mackenzie, of Rat Portage, formerly of the firm of Magee, McKillop & Murphy, of this city, has been appointed to act temporarily as local master of titles for the Rainy River district.**TORONTO DICTATION.**

(Prof. Bryce, of Winnipeg.)

The only coercion in sight is that of a narrow-minded handful in Toronto who wish to coerce our western people into an agitation that is distasteful to them. There is a feeling of resentment in the west against the interference of these Toronto dictators. They may save themselves the trouble. The Dominion has outgrown the dictation of any one city or of any one clique. Please tell these Toronto agitators that if the western people do not know they are being coerced it is because there is no coercion.

FIELDING, PATERSON AND HYMAN**Three Cabinet Ministers Will Speak at Princess Rink On Monday Night.**

The attention of every voter in London is called to the Liberal mass meeting to be held in the Princess rink on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

There will be seats for everybody, and speeches will be delivered by three members of the Liberal Cabinet, as follows:

HON. C. S. HYMAN, M. P., Minister of Public Works.

HON. W. S. FIELDING, M. P., Minister of Finance.

HON. WM. PATERSON, M. P., Minister of Customs.

Every issue now before the people will be discussed so that all may understand.

All voters, Liberal, Conservative and Independent, are invited to be present.

The Liberals have all to gain and nothing to lose by giving the widest publicity to the true facts in connection with the Autonomy Bill and the other issues.

A special invitation is extended to the ladies of London to be present. Special provision will be made for them and competent ushers have been secured to see that every person is accommodated with a seat without any trouble.

TOGO'S MONUMENT.

Tokio, June 3.—In response to thousands of suggestions and inquiries received, the navy department has decided to erect an enormous lighthouse on Okino Island as a monument to commemorate Admiral Togo's great naval victory over the Russian fleet in the battle of the Sea of Japan. It is planned to have the light show for a distance of 80 miles, covering almost the entire scene of the battle. The lighthouse will be erected by popular subscription, which, it is believed, will be opened throughout Japan at once.

Crushed Beneath Cars.

Winnipeg, Man., June 2.—Last night Richard Paul, a carpenter by trade attempted to crawl under the cars in a railway yard, but the yard engine started and crushed him. He died in the hospital. He was 50 years of age and leaves a wife and family. Up to May 31, according to official returns from the inspector's office at Winnipeg, 24,165 cars of wheat passed inspection, as against 32,615 for the same period last year. This represents 35,876,400 bushels inspected this year.

THE WEATHER.**Tomorrow—Fine; Showery.**

London, Saturday, June 3.
Sun rises, 4:38 a.m. Moon rises, 5:18 a.m.
Sun sets, 7:56 p.m. Moon sets, 3:32 p.m.

Toronto, June 2—3 p.m.
The weather continues fine and very warm in Manitoba and the Territories. In Ontario the day has been fine and cool, and in Quebec cool and showery. Rain has fallen in the eastern portion of the Maritime Provinces, while in the western portion it has been fine.

Minimum and maximum temperatures: Victoria, 50-62; Kamloops, 54-75; Edmonton, 48-50; Calgary, 48-50; Qu'Appelle, 50-59; Winnipeg, 44-78; Port Arthur, 38-62; Parry Sound, 48-62; Toronto, 44-68; Ottawa, 42-58; Montreal, 50-60; Quebec, 46-61; St. John, 42-52; Halifax, 42-48.

FORECASTS.

Saturday, June 3—3 a.m.
Today—Light variable winds; fine and moderately warm.

Sunday—Southeasterly winds; fine in the morning, but showery before night.

TEMPERATURES.

Stations.	8 a.m.	Min.	Weather.
Calgary	54	36	Cloudy
Winnipeg	50	30	Rain
Parry Sound	52	36	Clear
Toronto	50	42	Clear
Ottawa	54	44	Fair
Montreal	54	44	Clear
Quebec	50	46	Fair
Father Point	48	44	Cloudy

WEATHER NOTES.
The weather is fine throughout Ontario and Quebec. The temperature continues high in Manitoba and the Territories, and heavy showers have occurred in some localities, with a good prospect of more.**LOCAL TEMPERATURES.**
The highest and lowest readings of the thermometer at the local observatory for the 24 hours ended at 3 p.m. Friday were: Highest, 61°; lowest, 31.5° above.**Billy Gray and King Edward**

By the mercy of Providence, there is always a laugh in the bitterness of politics, and the Free Press has found it. Our voracious contemporary's statement that a vote for Billy Gray is a vote for King Edward adds to the humor of Mr. Gray's candidature.

This is not to say, mind you, that the Free Press looks on Mr. Gray as a joke. On the whole it takes him seriously—for the next week or so at any rate—and if King Edward's name has any influence in these parts, it will just have to get out and hustle for the man the Free Press is obliged to honor.

Mr. Gray is going to need some help, but nobody ever expected that King Edward would be pressed in as a party worker. It certainly was a stroke of enterprise on the part of the Free Press to enlist King Edward's sympathies in the election by hinting that the seat would be turned over to him if Billy Gray won it. Billy is the straw man, it seems, if King Edward gets the votes, he should get the seat. It is a promise.

But what a fierce light it throws on the professions of the Conservative press, which, while it lectures London people for the sinful pride of wanting a cabinet minister to represent them at Ottawa, as much as declares that it will swap Billy Gray for a king, if he can be coaxed to come over and attend to the job!

When King Edward heard first that Billy Gray was running for him in London Over Seas, he was as much surprised as he was pleased. It seems that Billy had not written to him for some time—men are so careless about mere friendly correspondence—and King Edward had almost made up his mind that Billy had forgotten him. He wondered at it, too, because postage stamps are only two cents now, and it don't cost any more to send a letter to Buckingham Palace than it does to Springfield. Then he reflected that Billy had been busy with politics ever since last November, and probably hadn't time to write, and so he forgave him.

All the same the good news came with dreadful suddenness, and it took all the monarch's courage to bear up under the shock. The lion in the Free Press was the first intimation King Edward had that his old college-chum, Billy Gray, had entered him for the contest. It was also the last, for up to the present, Billy hasn't sent any word directly. However, King Edward expects a telegram any minute, and his secretary has orders to bring it right up to his room as soon as it comes.

King Edward realized, of course, that his candidature in London, Ontario, was a matter of the first importance. Constitutional principles were at stake. Could a limited monarch seek the suffrages of the people in this way? Could an hereditary sovereign accept votes? Could the divine right afford to toy with elections? Wouldn't the mere fact of Great Britain's King, standing for election in a colonial constituency, alter the relations of the colonies to the mother country? Wasn't it carrying democracy a little too far when a crowned head went to the polls?

Many questions arose, and King Edward worried a great deal. He would like to do all he could for Billy Gray, but Billy should have consulted him first. He felt just a little sore at Billy for having done this thing off his own bat and getting him into a hole.

Under the circumstances, the only thing he could do was to consult his cabinet ministers. Premier Balfour listened with a bored air. To save himself the trouble of thinking, he told King Edward that the Magna Charta and the Petition of Rights and the Habeas Corpus Act and a whole lot of other charters of freedom allowed Billy Gray to do what he darn pleased, and that if he had put King Edward's name up all King Edward had to do was to go through with it and look pleasant. Mr. Balfour was somewhat nettled at what he called Billy Gray's cheek in detaining him half an hour from his game of golf, and when he went out to the links he lost six balls and his temper.

Mr. Lyttelton, the Secretary for the Colonies, gave it as his opinion that this was Billy Gray's way of getting something in return for Canada's preferential treatment of British goods. He thought it was thoroughly in line with the Conservative policy of mutual benefits to use King Edward in an election campaign.

When the case was referred to Mr. Chamberlain, he said he rather favored Billy's plan of "freeing the King," because it tended to draw the colonies closer to the mother country.

The question having been looked at from every point of view, King Edward decided that if he didn't like it he would have to lump it. And so it happens, that lacking instructions to the contrary, King Edward's name will be allowed to stand, and will go before the nomination meeting next Tuesday. Whether it will go on the ballot or not in another story. Grave questions of precedence crop up. Whose name would come first, Billy Gray's or King Edward's, or since a vote for King Edward is a vote for Billy Gray, would it appear this way, "William Gray (alias King Edward)." It is a very nice and difficult point.

European diplomacy, we are bound to say, was somewhat startled at the news that King Edward had taken his coat off and was running for Billy Gray over in Canada. The ruler of the mightiest empire in the world taking part in a popular election! It struck them as something tremendous and mysterious. It was significant, but what did it mean? They haven't been able to find out. All they know is that King Edward is working for Billy Gray and the fact fills the minds of ambassadors and plenipotentiaries and chancellors with vague unrest. The incident pretends something. What? King Edward doesn't butt in in this way for nothing. What's up?

Russia inquires anxiously if Billy Gray's alliance with King Edward bears any menace toward the situation in the far east. France wants to know if it will disbar her enteric cordials with England. Turkey is uneasy lest Billy Gray's two hundred and twenty-five pounds of weight should jar that delicate thing, the balance of power. The Balkans demand whether it is going to affect their war cloud. Bloody little Serbia, tired of King Peter, casts its eye on Billy Gray, the side partner and running mate of the Emperor of India, and wonders if Billy would care for a throne in case he can't get a seat in London. In short, there isn't a Diet, or Reichstag or Parliament of any kind in Europe where this Billy Gray-King Edward incident hasn't come up.

Governments have been interpellated. Who is Billy Gray? What does he look like? Is there anything in him? What does he know? If not, why not? The order paper is littered with questions about Billy Gray. Cabinet ministers are obliged to rise and explain that they can't say anything about him, that he never had a past, that he never did anything that they can remember, but they admit that his association with King Edward is comparatively well known. President Roosevelt, who is closer to the scene of action, knows Billy Gray. He is glad to meet any friend of King Edward's. The President says that King Edward can run in London for all he cares. The Monroe Doctrine doesn't apply.

Nobody with blood in his veins should envy Billy Gray his good luck. Any person of experience will tell you how handy it is to draw a king when you need one. Many a man has waited weeks and weeks and has sat up nights looking for the king that never came. Billy gets the card he wants on the first deal. He is going to hold it out for the rest of the game. He will keep the king up his sleeve. A royal flush of pride overspreads his countenance when he thinks of his familiar footing with the king. The only thing that is better than a king is four kings.

Some time ago Billy Gray was posing as the friend of labor, now he is the friend of King Edward. Labor has soured, to some extent, on Billy, and the aristocratic tendencies of the strike-breaker are asserting themselves. When Billy Gray links arms with King Edward he is in the company he likes best.

It is a long step from workman's friend to chum of royalty, but Billy Gray is the man that can do it. His is the faith which does not need to remove mountains, because it doesn't see mountains to remove. Offering only a passive resistance to ideas, Billy Gray can believe anything that will suit his purpose, a happy faculty, which saves him a great deal of thinking on political and other questions.

A vote for Billy Gray is a vote for King Edward. This proposition, though simple, is likely to get mixed up. Let's get it straight—a vote for King Billy is a vote for Edward Gray! Pshaw! That isn't it! You can see how puzzling it is when you come to figure it out. As Sir Toby says, a plague o' these pickled herrings.

To avoid confusion, why not put the case this way—a vote for Hyman is a vote for Hyman, good government, British fair play, and the constitution.

T. S.

GRAY CANNOT DENY IT

Mr. William Gray, the Conservative candidate, is the man who went to St. Thomas at the time of the last street railway strike in this city, and told the people of St. Thomas to assist the strike-breakers by riding the cars to Springfield. He called the delegate of the London unions a curse to the community.

Mr. Gray at that time was a self-constituted strike-breaker. By word and deed he did his best to knife the union men of London.

He has been challenged repeatedly to deny the charge, but he dare not. If he had the temerity to deny the part he played against the union men in 1899, he would be immediately confronted by the affidavits of those whom he fought at the time of the strike.

Mr. Gray's organ in London squirms under the charge, but like Mr. Gray it dare not deny it.

When Mr. Gray canvasses a union man, let that union man ask him what he did to unionism in 1899.

Mr. Gray seeks to pull the wool over the eyes of the workmen, but they have found him out. They will pay off old reckonings on June 13.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

CHESAIRE GREEN.—THESE LOTS ARE SELLING FAST. IF YOU WANT A CHEAP BUILDING LOT YOU SHOULD GO TO THE CHESAIRE GREEN. REMEMBER THAT THERE ARE SEWERS, A WATERWORKS SYSTEM AND SIDEWALKS ARE ABOUT TO BE LAID. THE TAXES ARE VERY LOW. AS THE SURVEY IS OUTSIDE OF THE CITY LIMITS, IT IS MUCH NEARER THE CENTER OF THE CITY THAN ANY OTHER SURVEY THAT IS OUTSIDE THE CITY, AND IT IS NEAR THE INDUSTRIAL PART OF THE CITY. LOTS ARE SOLD ON EASY TERMS.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

FRANCES STREET.—Frame cottage, brick foundation, 3 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen, woodshed, lot 40x125 feet. Price, \$1,200.

ELMWOOD AVENUE.—Brick two-story house, 4 bedrooms, parlor, reception hall, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen, bath and washbasin, gas and electric light and fixtures, cellar under all of house; chicken coop, fruit trees; lot 40x125 feet. Price, \$2,500.

DUCHESSE AVENUE.—Story and a half brick veneer, 4 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen; lot 28x125 feet. Price, \$2,500.

RIDGEWAY.—BRICK TWO-STORY AND ATTIC 4 BEDROOMS, DOUBLE PARLORS, DINING-ROOM, LIBRARY, KITCHEN, MANTEL AND GRATE, MODERN CONVENIENCES, CLOTHES CLOSET, FRONT AND BACK STAIRS, FRONT AND SIDE VERANDAS, LOT 50 FEET FRONTAGE, A BARGAIN.

GROCERY STORE.—Frame, on brick foundation; newly fitted up, plate glass front, residence attached, containing 4 bedrooms, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, woodshed, gas and fixtures; new barn; lot 40x125 feet. Price, \$2,500.

BRISCOE STREET.—Frame two-story and attic, brick foundation; 3 bedrooms, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, veranda, good cellar, furnace, gas and fixtures, woodshed, barn, henhouse; lot 60x125 feet, three-drains. Will sell cheap. Call for particulars.

COLBORNE STREET.—Two-story frame, brick foundation, 4 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen, good cellar, electric light and fixtures, sink, hard and soft water in house, laundry room, cement sidewalk, garden, in first-class repair; lot 20x145 feet.

COLBORNE STREET.—CENTRAL VACANT LOTS. CHEA. WOLFE STREET.—The only vacant lot on the street. Call at once if you want it.

WANTED—VETERANS' GRANTS. LORNE AVENUE.—New story and half brick veneer, on cement block foundation; 4 bedrooms, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, pantry. Will sell cheap. Call for particulars.

O'BRIEN STREET.—New frame cottage, on cement block foundation; 3 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; lot 33x120 feet. Price, \$1,500.

STANLEY STREET.—Two-story and attic brick veneer, 4 bedrooms, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen; all modern conveniences; lot 32x150 feet.

CLARENCE STREET.—Frame cottage, 2 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room and kitchen. Only \$1,000.

PRINCESS AVENUE.—New story and quarter brick veneer, 5 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen, cement cellar; lot 23x125 feet. Only \$1,500.

LORNE AVENUE.—New brick story and half, 4 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen and summer kitchen; lot 33x150 feet. Only \$1,500.

WATERLOO STREET.—New story and three-quarters brick veneer, cement block foundation, 3 bedrooms and dressing-room, dining-room, library, bath, veranda, cement walks, all modern conveniences.

HILL STREET.—Brick cottage, 2 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen; lot 20x125 feet. \$1,100.

MARMORA STREET.—NEW BRICK VENEER STORY AND HALF, THREE BEDROOMS, BATH, PARLOR, DINING-ROOM, KITCHEN, PANTRY, SUMMER KITCHEN, CELLAR, CEMENT SOFT WATER CISTERN, EASY TERMS, ONLY \$1,800.

DUFFIN AVENUE.—Brick two-story and attic, 3 bedrooms, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, summer kitchen, all modern conveniences. This is one of the best properties in the city. Can be bought right. Call for particulars.

MARY STREET.—East of city limits, near intersection of York and Mary streets, 2 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, w.c., closets, double cellar; lot 28x120 feet. \$2,200.

LOUISA STREET.—Some fine building lots, which I can sell cheap. Call and get price.

WORTLEY ROAD.—Brick story and half, 4 bedrooms, double parlors, dining-room, breakfast-room, sewing-room, kitchen, woodshed, all modern conveniences; lot 52x120 feet. Will be sold cheap, as owner is leaving the city.

GRAND AVENUE.—VACANT LOT, 10x50 FEET. THIS IS A BEAUTIFUL LOT, AND RUNS THROUGH TO FERGUSON AVENUE. LOTS CAN BE LAID OUT ON BOTH STREETS. WILL BE SOLD CHEAP. CALL AND SEE ME.

MUIR STREET.—Brick cottage, 2 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, bath, pantry, shed; lot 50x120 feet. Price, \$500.

DREANEY AVENUE.—New frame story and half, 4 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, pantry, woodshed; lot 23x125 feet. Only \$1,400.

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RUSSIAN ADMIRAL CALLED POOLTOON

The Surrender of Nebogato's Ship a Contemptible Spectacle.

LONDON, JUNE 3.—THE TOKIO CORRESPONDENT OF THE DAILY TELEGRAPH AGAIN TODAY SENDS INTERESTING ADDITIONAL DETAILS OF THE NAVAL BATTLE RECEIVED FROM MOJI, SASEBO AND OTHER POINTS. IT IS STATED THAT WHEN REAR ADMIRAL NEBOGATOFF SURRENDERED THE RUSSIANS HOISTED RED FLAGS ON THEIR TOP MASTS WITH RUSSIAN FLAGS BELOW THEM. THE CHEWS WERE DRAWN UP IN PARADE ORDER ON THEIR DECKS, AND SOME OF THE SAILORS WERE WAVING WHITE FLAGS. THE WHOLE AFFAIR, THE DISPATCH SAYS, WAS A CONTEMPTIBLE SPECTACLE.

The correspondent of the paper who witnessed the battle says that towards dusk when the fighting was most fierce, there were some sickening sights beyond human power of description. The Sasebo correspondent describes some pathetic scenes. Exhausted, faint, Russian sailors striking on places beneath high cliffs in remote and deserted parts where there were no roads.

Another correspondent of the Daily Telegraph says that the captain of the armored cruiser Dmitri Donskoi, who interviewed, admitted the foolishness of trying to force the Tsu Straits. He said that the Japanese navy is the finest in the world. The crews were so cool and brave as to appear almost like demons and not human.

It is stated that Admiral TOGO ON THE NIGHT BEFORE THE BATTLE, WHEN HE KNEW FROM HIS SCOUTS THAT THE RUSSIANS WOULD BE OFF TSU ISLAND, THE FOLLOWING MORNING, AND KNOWING THAT ALL HIS PREPARATIONS WERE COMPLETE, SLEPT SOUNDLY.

Several Prominent New York Sportsmen Were Aboard.

New York, June 3.—The Tribune says: Friends of Edmund Randolph, the owner of the bark-rigged yacht Apache, which sailed from Sandy Hook last night, at noon on May 17, in the name for the German Emperor's cup, are beginning to be anxious for her safety, for all the other yachts have been sighted since she was last reported by the steamer Columbia, at 7 o'clock on the morning of May 22. She was then in latitude 40.25, longitude 50.50 west.

Right in her course, less than 500 miles to the eastward, was a field of icebergs through which the little Apache passed in safety. It is now

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M. Scott and Northwest Opinion.

Mr. Scott had an opportunity to give the west a chance to speak. He was the rightful successor to the Hon. Clifford Sifton as Minister of the Interior. He it was who would have been chosen to follow Sifton into the cabinet. Why, then, did he not succeed to the position? Why did the Government refuse the portfolio to Walter Scott? Could it have been that Walter Scott knew that he could not have been elected? The above is from an article in the Free Press attacking Mr. Scott's declaration that the Northwest people are satisfied with the educational clause in the Autonomy Bills. Since Mr. Scott's entry into Parliament five years ago he has made a remarkably good showing, and has many friends, not only in the Northwest, but in other provinces, who would be glad to see him in the cabinet. When, however, the Free Press states that Sir Wilfrid Laurier pursued an unnatural course in selecting Mr. Oliver, of Edmonton, instead of Mr. Scott, to succeed Mr. Sifton, it is making a statement which will not bear analysis. Mr. Scott himself was one of the first to declare that Mr. Frank Oliver was the logical and natural successor of Mr. Sifton in the Interior Department. Frank Oliver has been in public life more than twenty years. Prior to 1896 he was an invaluable member of the Northwest Assembly. In 1896, he entered Parliament, since which time he has been prominent and active as a champion of Northwest interests. In his opinion that Mr. Oliver should not have been chosen for the Interior portfolio, the Free Press entirely disagrees with Mr. Borden. Before his appointment, Mr. Borden, day after day in the House of Commons challenged the Government to appoint Mr. Oliver Minister of the Interior and open the Edmonton constituency. On March 31, Mr. Borden said:

"I think that Mr. Oliver would make a very good Minister of the Interior and I am inclined to press his claims. He is a good friend of mine personally, though I differ from him what politically, and I stand here to urge the claims of my honorable friend from Edmonton to this position. He is a gentleman of great persistence, and of great ability, and, as we all know, a gentleman of absolute and perfect independence upon all questions."

On the same day the Hon. G. E. Foster dared the Government to open any single constituency. "Give us," he said, "one single, solitary instance, and only one, of carrying out that policy which I described here the other day when I said that there remains for the Prime Minister to give one single solitary instance of allowing one portion at least of the people of the Northwest to pronounce upon the policy of this bill, which is so all-important to that country."

Col. Sam Hughes at the same time declared that the thing for the Government to do was to appoint Mr. Oliver Minister of the Interior and put him in the field in the Northwest to test the feeling of the country in that way.

Mr. Bennett (East Simcoe) ventured to say that everyone knew that the First Minister and his cabinet were afraid to take the bull by the horns, so to speak, and test popular opinion in any Northwest district. The Opposition at that time generally recognized that Mr. Oliver was the natural selection for the portfolio. Col. Hughes had previously declared that the whole Northwest was up in arms against the Autonomy Bills. The Roman Catholics, he said, would fight, and the Galicians would fight, against these measures, because the Galicians had come to Canada seeking freedom. The Government took Mr. Borden and his followers at their own word, appointed Mr. Oliver, and opened Edmonton. It was then found that the Opposition did not even dare to present their autonomy policy before the people of the Northwest. Col. Hughes did not appear in the Edmonton district to lead his Galician hosts in arms against the bills. On the contrary, it is alleged by the Opposition that it was useless for them to attempt to fight in Edmonton because of the presence there of Roman Catholics and Galicians.

In stating that Roman Catholics and Galicians constitute the majority in Edmonton, the Free Press is entirely in error. The city of Edmonton itself is a purely English and Protestant as is the city of London, and in the whole Edmonton constituency the Protestants outnumber the Catholics by three to one, and the English outnumber all others by a distinct majority. The financial vote in Edmonton last November was 5,061, composed of 2,335 English, as against 2,226 of all others, or an English majority of 609. The 2,226 of all others comprised 565 French, 256 German, 525 half-breeds and 780 Galicians. The half-breed polls gave Mr. Oliver 208 majority, the Galician polls 230 majority, the German polls 254 majority, the French polls 235 majority, and the English polls 916 majority. Mr. Oliver's English majority, therefore, practically equaled the majority contributed by all of the other elements combined.

Competent authorities agree that upon the school question issue the Government could at the present time carry any one of the Northwest constituencies. The refusal of a Conservative public meeting in Regina to pass condemnation upon the autonomy bills pretty clearly indicates the sentiment of West Assiniboia, which is Mr. Scott's constituency. The testimony of men like Dr. McLane, Dr. Bryce, Dr. Baird, Dr. Carmichael and scores of others who are in a position to give impartial testimony to the fact that there is absolutely no agitation in the Northwest against the autonomy bills, completely outweighs the wild declaration of Mr. Bennett, of Calgary, who has come all the way to London to express his indignation, instead of voicing it

either in his own home in Calgary or in Edmonton when the opportunity offered. As Mr. Scott pointed out at Thursday night's meeting, if the Conservatives are not satisfied with Edmonton's expression it is open to them to seek other tests of Northwest opinion. Mr. Haultain has it in his power to call seven local bye-elections in vacant constituencies scattered over the whole Northwest. He has had it in his power to call a meeting of the Legislature. The latter would be the really constitutional procedure. His demand for autonomy as framed in his draft bill had been approved by the Legislature, the natural course for him to pursue would be to call his Legislature and submit to it the Government's proposals. He has failed to do so, as he has failed to hold the seven bye-elections, for the reason that he knows, as Mr. Bennett also very well knows, that Northwest public opinion overwhelmingly approves not only the education clause, but the autonomy bill as a whole.

Stoning the Prophets.

When a man who grows up, gets his education and conducts his business right amongst us, rises to a position of eminence, the loyal citizen, in such a case, glories in the success of his neighbor, is proud of his advancement, and of the credit his attainments in literature, science or politics shed upon the place of his nativity. Yet there are always some minds, small and envious, which look upon a neighbor's preferment as an offense. In the case of Charles S. Hymon, there were enough voters in London above that small and envious spirit to again and again elect him to the House of Commons. It is true that his election has every time been opposed with a bitterness referable partly to that spirit of envy, partly to the fact that he was the first to wrest his native city from age-long Tory domination. Even now some find it hard to realize that the days when London was a Conservative pocket-borough are finally past. Hence, when this son of London, who, if he had been a nobody, would have held the seat for five years, comes back to his native city for confirmation of the honors the Prime Minister of Canada has thought him fit to wear, and for a further mandate from his own people for the service he has been called on to undertake for his country, no unenvied trick is omitted to deprive him and his native city of the honor and benefit. What means all this cry of Provincial Rights which the Tory party is step-fathering with such a show of zeal? It is simply another catch-cri to disparage Laurier, who keeps them out of power at Ottawa, to beat Hymon, who robbed them of a constituency they thought devoted of heaven to Tory purposes. No Liberal will fail to see through the motives of this campaign, a contest which many fair-minded Conservatives deplore, or will be fatuous enough to intrust the care of Provincial Rights to the lifelong enemies of such rights.

The Battle of Tsu Shimu.

The absolute and overwhelming defeat of the Russian armada in the Straits of Korea is still of too recent occurrence to be fully grasped. So stupendous has been the Russian disaster that it stuns the imagination of the world. It requires the perspective of time to supply an adequate conception of the historic nature of such an event. In seeking a parallel amongst the great sea fights, the mind at once reverts to Trafalgar. The two conflicts have several points in common. Nelson's victory shattered Napoleon's sea forces, confining his operations to the land and dissipating all danger of the much-feared invasion of England. The defeat of the Baltic fleet has virtually annihilated the Czar's sea power, at least, as regard the present conflict, and the great menace that hung over the Japanese, the severing of communications between Japan and the Asiatic mainland, has been removed. That Togo, like Nelson, was keenly alive to the supreme importance of destroying the enemy's naval power, was shown in the message sent his captains: "The destiny of our empire depends upon this action," practically a duplication of the British hero's famous signal.

In other respects, however, the battle of Tsu Shimu, so named by the Japanese admiral, stands unique, and easily the greatest amongst the great sea fights in the world's history. In point of tonnage and armament used, in the weight and cost of the projectiles, in the number of vessels of all types engaged, in the stupendous financial loss, and in the numbers of officers and men killed or taken prisoners, the struggle in the Straits of Korea stands alone. A rough and conservative estimate of losses sustained by the Russians in sunk or captured vessels places the value of the warships in the vicinity of \$100,000,000, while the number of men who perished or surrendered will be close to 10,000.

The contest gives food for thought along another line. It was practically the first great engagement between modern battleships. Dewey at Manila battered up a few helpless hulks, while Schley and Sampson at Santiago encountered a badly demoralized and poorly led fleet. Togo himself has said that the battle of the Yalu, in which he destroyed the Chinese fleet, was scarcely a fair test of the modern battleship destructive qualities. On the other hand, in the Korean Straits, both admirals brought into the conflict the very latest of modern fighting machines. We know that almost of the entire Russian battleship section of Rojestvensky's fleet was destroyed or captured and that the work of destruction was accomplished with great rapidity. This would indicate the use of the torpedo or the submarine, and it may be that the navies of the world may have to greatly modify their present policy of construction.

Most of Russia's fleet has been converted into submarines.

Is it possible that Mr. Gray is bluffing on a pair of kings—King Edward and King Billy?

The report that the Russian war chest is depleted probably means that the French bankers refuse to cough up.

Mr. Borden comes to London tonight to give citizens the benefit of his constitutional doubts.

Foreign critics of Russia are puzzled to know the difference between zemsky sobor and zemsky drunk.

Hear the Big Three at the Princess Rink Monday night—Fielding, Paterson and Hymon.

How would it do to mobilize Billy Gray and rush him up to the Northwest to lead that rebellion?

Bennett, of Calgary, is a corporation lawyer, who spends much of his time fighting legislation asked by western miners. He is good company for a strike-breaking candidate.

The choice of a site for the new departmental block at Ottawa has been postponed until Mr. Hymon's return. Mr. Hymon will be returned on the 15th inst.

The wheat crop in the Northwest is looking great. The people there are more concerned about it than about raising a crop of agitators. They leave that to Toronto.

Mr. Haultain admits that the bye-election in London, no matter what the result, will make no difference in the policy of the Government. But it will make a big difference to London, whether it is represented by Mr. Hymon or a man who can never fill Mr. Hymon's shoes.

Bennett's Balderdash.
[Hamilton Times.]

Bennett, the Tory-hired orator, who couldn't get together a hundred in the Northwest to listen to his drivel, at London, threatened to deliver a lecture to the Tories don't have their way about the autonomy bills. Rev. Dr. Bryce says the Northwest is well pleased with the conditions, and that the people will prefer Dr. Bryce's opinion to that of the Tory hireling.

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WEST LONDON IS IN A ROUSING HYMAN RALLY.

(Continued from page 1.)

government of the country. (Applause.)

And thus when Mr. Hyman was honored the people of London were highly honored, and their judgment in electing him was indorsed. This honor of having a cabinet minister for a member comes with very few constituents. (Cheers.)

Conservatives Raising False Cries.

The Conservatives are appealing to the people of London to vote against Mr. Hyman. On what grounds are they making that appeal? If the people would go carefully over the record of Mr. Hyman, they would find that the appeals of the Opposition leaders would not hold water. If they failed in its duties toward the people, if it has failed to advance the interests of the country in all respects, it is open to censure. But the Opposition cannot in one single instance, point to an omission on the part of the Government. (Applause.)

Continuing, Mr. McPherson said the Conservatives were attempting to throw dust in the eyes of the London electorate by raising false cries. They are centering their whole attack on the autonomy bill, and are asking the people of London to decide whether the autonomy bill is a good thing for the west. But he did not believe the people of London would be led away by these false cries. The Conservative party was always talking and always issuing challenges, but it was always failing. In the House they had dared the Government to open up a constituency in the west and test the issue. But when the Government appointed Mr. Oliver, Minister of the Interior, Edmonton was opened up, and what was the result? The Conservatives could not find a man to run against Mr. Oliver. Where were these champions of the Conservative party—these champions who had been bragging that they would drive the Liberal party out of power with the jargon of an ass? They simply crawled in their holes and said nothing. And they did in Edmonton—they will crawl in their holes. (Laughter and cheers.)

Borden Only Nominal Leader.

The Conservative party of a few years ago, continued, is not in existence today. The Conservative party of today is appealing to the people of London on unfair issues, and are attempting to cloud the real issue. They come to the people without a policy, without an issue, and if the truth were known, without a leader. Mr. Borden is the nominal leader, but he has not the power to lead, else why was it that in the House during the present session, various members of the Conservative party today are Mr. Sproule, W. T. Maclean and Sam Hughes.

A voice—What about Foster? Mr. McPherson replied that Foster has been seen in the background. The people of London and the entire Dominion know that the arch-conservative of 1896. But yet such men as Foster have the effrontery to come to London and attempt to talk to the people of the west by the Liberal Government. The people of the Northwest Territories have been existing self-government for 20 years, and amongst the laws they passed for themselves were the school ordinances of 1881. These school laws have been found to work so satisfactorily that though they have been in operation fourteen years, not one complaint against them has been registered by either Protestant or Catholic. And it is this school system the Government intends giving the provinces.

The speaker believed it to be the best school law in existence today. And Premier Haultain, of the Northwest Territories, asked the Government in his draft bill of 1896 to give the people of the new provinces the school laws which they had framed for themselves in 1891.

Mr. McPherson then read from a speech of Mr. Borden's made in 1896, to show that when a minority has been granted a privilege, whether that minority be Protestant or Catholic, under the B. N. A. Act the right or privilege cannot be taken away by the Legislature. Mr. Borden also pointed out at that time that the separate school clauses were placed in the B. N. A. Act for the protection of the Protestants of Quebec in the first place. But today Mr. Borden thinks the issue and has no decided opinions upon anything. Surely such a man as this is not a man to come to London and preach to the voters of London to vote against their townsman, Hon. Mr. Hyman. The voters of London will not be led away by such chaff. (Cheers.) Mr. Borden said that the legislation that Manitoba passed in 1894 would not be coercing Manitoba and he says that passing

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legislation wiping out acts that the Northwest Territories themselves have passed would be coercing them.

A Case of Jekyll and Hyde.

Can you fancy any more direct case of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde, facing both ways on the same subject? Mr. McPherson asked. No great leader had ever shown as complete a right about faces as that taken by Mr. Borden. (Hear, hear.) The people in the west have no more thought of the autonomy bill than they have about the weather in the eastern provinces. The speaker knew the west. He had lived in it for eighteen years. He knew the spirit of the west, and he knew that the Government of the Ottawa had put its seal upon legislation that the new provinces had passed, and the new provinces are satisfied. He knew further that the people of the west when they see that the Ottawa Government, at whose head stands the greatest man Canada has ever produced—(cheers)—is gathering around the council board men of the stamp of Charles S. Hyman, would feel still further satisfied. (Continued applause.)

MR. WALTER SCOTT

Western Shows Infringement of Provincial Rights by Conservatives.

Mr. Walter Scott, the member of the Dominion House for Assiniboia, was accorded a warm reception. Mr. Gray, he said, had admitted that Mr. Hyman was a fit and proper person to be appointed Minister of Public Works, and he also recognized that the matter of having a cabinet representative for the city of importance to London, but he claimed, in the first place, that the school clause of the autonomy measure is so important that London should sacrifice Mr. Hyman and the city's interests to stand up for the people of the Northwest Territories, who appear to be the only ones interested in the measure. Mr. Scott feared that some of the members of the Opposition were trying to lead the people away by a side wind. There was such a thing about a year ago—the Dundas incident.

"I am here to say to you," continued Mr. Scott, "that the school clause of the autonomy measure—because it has already been dealt with to the satisfaction of the people of the west—is not the issue. The issue is the infringement of the rights of the people of the west. There are many erroneous ideas prevailing in regard to the autonomy granted the territories. Some people thought that up to the present time the Northwest has not enjoyed any autonomy, but Mr. Scott went on to show that for the past thirty years the people of the Northwest have had a larger measure of educational autonomy than the people of the Province of Ontario. So far as the autonomy bill was concerned, Mr. Scott maintained that if there was any infringement of provincial rights, it was not to be found in the educational clauses.

Infringement of Rights.

"I will point out where there is a most violent infringement of provincial rights," Mr. Scott went on, "and as a Liberal, I will say that the Liberal party is not responsible for it. Under the old Conservative Government it was made impossible for any municipality in the Northwest to levy a tax on the C. P. R. Today we get limited autonomy, and the Liberal Government takes some other action to abrogate those exemption features, and I say again, that if provincial rights are infringed, it is not the Liberal party, but the Conservative party and Government that is responsible. This is clearly shown in the contract made with the C. P. R. in 1883."

"Would you stop the legislation that is proposed in regard to the new provinces?" Mr. Scott asked. "These measures have already been approved by a majority of 81 members of the House of Commons, including a number of Conservatives—the second largest majority ever given in the House on a great measure."

If London elected Mr. Gray, and he was put in a Government with Mr. Borden, how would the issue be dealt with in regard to education? The Conservatives could not get their own people to vote for it. In closing, Mr. Scott declared that the people of the west are satisfied with the measure, and did not want the question of education opened up at all.

THE NEW MINISTER

Mr. Hyman Tells of Disgraceful Canvass of Gray's Friends.

The cheers which greeted Mr. Hyman when he arose to speak lasted several minutes. The West Londoners shouted themselves hoarse. Mr. Hyman began his address by remarking that this was the first opportunity he had had since West London was made a voting part of the city to address the voters there. He was sorry that in November last the people of West London had to give a majority vote against him, but he hoped for better things this time. (Cheers.) He referred to the speech he had made in the House of Commons from the west. They did not come to London to stir up religious strife or propagate false cries. They came to London for the purpose of telling to the people of London the exact truth in connection with the autonomy bill. He did not think that was a gentleman in Canada, with the possible exception of Mr. Oliver, Minister of the Interior, more competent to speak on the autonomy bill in all its phases than was Mr. Scott, of Assiniboia.

The people are told that there is only one issue, the school clause, but he disputed the cry. There are many issues in this election. The Government of the west is a member of the cabinet, but the law requires that when a member is called to the cabinet he must go back to his constituents and secure their indorsement, and his opponents, more especially those in outside cities, had seen fit to oppose him.

And once again he was before the people, asking them for their support. He could fairly claim that in every position in which the people had placed him—all the way from alderman to

member of Parliament—he had at all times labored for the good and advancement of the city of London.

Should Be No Election.

"In my canvass of London," continued Mr. Hyman, "I have found a great many people, many of them not of the same political faith as myself, who declare that they see no reason why I should have been opposed this time. I think if the matter had been left to the people of the city of London there would have been no election."

"It seems strange to me that notwithstanding the fact that the country prospects of the Interior are bright and that the people of the whole Dominion have indorsed the Liberal Government as a good government, we should find ourselves called upon to fight this bye-election in London—a bye-election in which they tell us the autonomy bill is the one issue, which if this is so, is an issue which does not directly interest the people of London, but more properly the people of the west."

"It seems to me that the proper place to test the feeling of the people on the autonomy bill would have been in the Northwest, where the people are gathered around the council board men of the stamp of Charles S. Hyman, would feel still further satisfied. (Continued applause.)

Mr. Scott is at the head of affairs and brings around him men of the caliber of Mr. Hyman, so long as the country safe. (Cheers.) The people of the Northwest, Mr. McPherson said, are interested to a greater degree in immigration, railways and the proper administration of the laws than the people of the east. He said further, that if it were not for a few residents of Toronto, there would not be a contest in London.

A Disgraceful Canvass.

"I can tell you, ladies and gentlemen, that the canvass which is going on against me in the city of London today is a disgrace to the city and to its people. I have never seen a canvass which is so simply astounding. I have heard of voters being approached, and before the autonomy bill was explained to them, they were asked the question, 'Are you for King Billy or for the King?' (Cries of 'shame!') This is the canvass of the Conservatives in London. This is the religious strife they are trying to raise in this city."

Mr. Hyman then went on to explain that in the minds of many of the people of London the autonomy bill is a religious issue. He said that the school question in the Northwest, whereas the school question is only a religious issue in the west, is a religious issue in the west. He said that the Government of the Northwest has proposed to give to the proposed new provinces of Alberta and Saskatchewan the same educational rights as the Northwest Territories, with the provisions of the B. N. A. Act. It deals with all the powers of provincial government.

The school clause of the bill were taken up, and Mr. Hyman explained that the people of the west are being given the law they framed for themselves, a law which has been in force for fourteen years, a law which guarantees national schools, where Protestant and Catholic children attend together. A law which gives equal rights to Protestants and Catholics, a law which the Liberal Government has never been able to carry out in a single particular. (Cheers.)

Mr. Hyman in speaking of the alleged infringement of provincial rights, declared that the only coercion ever practiced on the people of West Canada was put into force by the Conservative Government of 1883. At that time all the land of the company in the west was exempted from taxation for all time. The C. P. R. in Western Canada has not the power to tax the lands of the C. P. R. The lands of all other companies and of all individuals may be taxed, but the lands of the C. P. R. could go free. This is the way the Conservative Government coerced the people of the west. (Cheers.)

VOICE FROM NOVA SCOTIA

Mr. MacDonald, of Pictou, Was in a Humorous Vein

Mr. E. M. MacDonald, M. P. for Pictou, N. S., made a splendid speech to the people of London. He spoke in an intimate tone to his audience. He told of how in November last the people of his province had had the opportunity of choosing between sending eighteen men to support Premier Laurier or to support Mr. Borden. The people of Nova Scotia knew Mr. Borden, and the result was they sent the whole eighteen, every representative in the province, to Ottawa to support Sir Wilfrid Laurier, and he carried on his good government of the country. (Cheers and laughter.)

The electors had heard Mr. McPherson, from Vancouver, speak, and now he (who came from the other extreme of the Dominion), would address them. He wanted to let the people know that he was not a Liberal, but a Conservative, and himself had but one idea, and that was to tell the people of London that the Liberal party of this country, who were asking that Mr. Hyman be sent back to Ottawa as Minister of Public Works, (Tremendous applause.)

Had the Liberal members of Parliament been asked to select a cabinet minister, which they were not, as the selection of Mr. Hyman was made by the Liberal party, not a dissenting voice would have been raised against Mr. Hyman. (Cheers.) The party wants him, and the country needs him. (Cheers.) Now the people of London are asked whether they are going to be true to themselves and to the interests of London—whether they are going to support Mr. Hyman and send him to Ottawa as a powerful cabinet minister, or whether they are going to vote for Mr. Gray and send him to

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Ottawa to sit in the solid shades of the Opposition for the next four years. Why aim we having an election now? he asked. It is because some one has come around with an old wives' story about a revolution in the west. The voters should not allow themselves to be led away by these bugaboo cries. They should remember their duty to themselves and to their country. (Cheers.)

When the people vote they should consider the men who are opposing each other, and also just what each man can do for the city of London if he is elected. And if the people looked at the record of the present Government and compared it with the record of the Opposition, they would be sure to go forth and vote for the Liberal Government, and the Liberal candidate on the 13th of June. (Cheers.)

Besides, there is no Conservative party at Ottawa. (Laughter.) If Mr. Hyman desires to convert the Conservative party of London to Liberal ideas all he will have to do is to take them to Ottawa and allow them to hear the speeches of their alleged leaders in the House of Commons. (Laughter.)

Gray and King Edward.

"But then you will be told that a vote for Gray is a vote for the King, and a vote for Hyman is a vote for Laurier," said Mr. MacDonald.

A voice—A vote for Gray with a hammer in his hand. (Laughter.)

He wanted to tell his hearers that the Conservative party of Canada has never had a leader who has been cured by Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets. Take the case of Mrs. James Bradley, of Dixie, Ontario. She has been cured. Here's what she says about it herself:

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old-fashioned story book being recited to you?" (Renewed laughter.)

Mr. MacDonald paid further attention to the head of the traitors' nest, and in conclusion he told the electors that in this contest they owe a duty not only to themselves and the city, but to Canada, and that greatness which is sure to come, notwithstanding the efforts of the Conservative disunionists who are harping on such questions. The electors should give an answer to these demagogues. (Cheers.)

PRINCESS WILLFUL

Christened Her Brothers With Squirt As They Stood in Uniform.

Berlin, June 2. — At the horse show this week the Crown Prince took a prominent part, leading off in the Flower Corso in a dog cart, with his beautiful team of fine, quick-going brown-bay cobs. The Crown Prince was well, holding his reins in approved English style. His cart was decorated with white carnations and garlands of snowballs.

During his election now, he threw the flowers vigorously at the women in the private stand. The Prince's engagement to the Crown Princess has also won over to the ranks of the automobilists and has ordered two Mercedes automobiles. The 12-year-old daughter, wigwig supreme in the imperial palace, where she is known as "Princess Willful." Practical joking is her great delight. Recently the Kaiser summoned his two youngest sons to inspect them in their new uniforms. Their sister, though, hid behind a screen and squirted water at them, inspiring the inspection by the Kaiser, who roared with laughter, and after keeping the princes several minutes in this uncomfortable situation, released them, telling them their new uniforms had been duly christened.

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HON. MR. OLIVER AT THAMESFORD

Splendid Reception Given the New Minister of the Interior.

Thamesford, June 2. — Hon. Frank Oliver, Minister of the Interior, and Mr. Tait, M. P. for Strathcona, arrived at Thamesford this afternoon, and a crowded meeting here tonight in the interests of Mr. George Smith, Liberal candidate in North Oxford. Both speakers confined themselves wholly to the issue raised by the school clause, and their comprehensive addresses were listened to with keen interest, and it was evident from the warm applause which greeted them, completely carried conviction to the minds of the audience.

The chair was occupied by Dr. McWilliam, and the meeting was opened with a short address by Mr. J. W. Mahon, of Woodstock, who, in moving a vote of thanks to the speakers at the close, declared that after hearing the addresses he was sure that Mr. Oliver had done his duty. The Liberals of Thamesford would be glad that the Opposition had made the school clause the issue. It was an issue on which they would be licked out of their boots.

Mr. Oliver referred briefly to his reasons for participating in an Ontario campaign. What was a Northwest question had been brought before the people of this Province for judgment, and it was necessary that the opinion of the west in regard to it should be heard. The Liberal Administration had been accused of being false to Provincial rights. These required defining. A single province had only such rights as were held by other provinces. Confederation could not have been brought about unless the provinces had given up certain of their rights. There was no such thing as independent provinces. They were all necessarily subject to the constitution, by the terms of which the provinces had been created. The Government had to respect these. If, instead of defining the rights of the minority, as it did in the amended clauses, it had left the educational question open, the Roman Catholics should have appealed to the courts and the question would have been thrown back into Dominion politics.

The Northwest was proud of its school system, and did not want to endanger it by involving it in further legal and political procedure. By taking any other course than it did the Government would have endangered the school system in Canada, except in the Northwest and British Columbia, where there thoroughly state-controlled schools. Manitoba had them in its statutes, but not in practice. If the system were the same as that in Ontario they would certainly go against the Northwest. The principles were altogether different. In the one there was the most effective clerical control; the other none whatever. In stating that they would on an account accept the school clause as it originally stood, Mr. Oliver said that he had good intentions, the western Liberal members had shown themselves ready to maintain the rights of the west at all costs. The west did not need the services of those who at the present time set themselves up as its champions.

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PERE MARQUETTE MEN ARRESTED

Cain and Gihula Held by Government Re Deportation Proceedings.

St. Thomas, June 2. — Col. Sherwood, chief of Dominion police, arrived from Ottawa this afternoon and arrested Everett E. Cain, trainmaster, and chief dispatcher, James R. Gihula, of the Pere Marquette Railway, for the purpose of deporting them to the United States.

Both are American citizens and were formerly employed on Missouri Pacific at St. Louis.

The arrests were made in obedience to warrants issued by the Attorney General of Canada, under the great seal of the department of justice.

On being taken in charge they held consultation with the counsel of the Pere Marquette, which had been retained by the railway company. Initial proceedings towards their liberation.

A writ of habeas corpus will be applied for tomorrow in the high court of Toronto and served on Col. Sherwood on behalf of the Canadian Government, which will not be returnable until Monday.

The matter will then be argued by the counsel for the officials and Mr. Shipley on the part of the crown on the merits of the alien law. If the judgment is adverse to the officials, deportation may follow unless an appeal be made to the higher courts. This will be done by the Pere Marquette.

In the meantime they are in custody of Col. Sherwood until the matter is settled one way or the other.

There were eleven officials and employees named in the order of the Privy Council for deportation. These two are selected as coming more closely than the rest under the alien law, and as test cases for the courts to pass upon. The matter is greatly interested in the matter and it was the sole topic of conversation on the streets tonight.

Rivers-Wilson III.

Chicago, June 1. — Sir Charles Rivers-Wilson, of London, president of the Grand Trunk Railroad, is ill at the Hotel Waldorf Astor. It is not thought that his indisposition is serious, but he was too ill today to receive any visitors.

Earthquake Kills Hundreds.

Cettigne, Montenegro, June 2. — Later details of the earthquake from Scutari, Albania, show that 500 persons were killed and 250 injured, and that the town has been completely devastated. There were 150 deaths. The inhabitants are now living in the open while the foreign consuls have been provided with tents. The authorities have organized parties to search for the bodies of victims. It is feared that the list of

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Miss Nellie Young, London South, is at Paris, the guest of Miss Myne.

—Miss Elliott, this city, is holidaying at her old home in Goderich.

—Mr. Thomas Marr, London, is visiting A. R. Burgess, Port Huron.

—Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Ramey intend moving here shortly from Glen Oak.

—Miss Goode, of Toronto, is paying a brief visit to friends in the city.

—Miss Louie Jackson of Toronto, is at her home in South London for a month.

—Miss Powell, this city, is the guest of her niece, Mrs. George Harris, Cattonia.

—Mrs. Harry W. Bowles, of this city, is at the home of her cousin, Mrs. B. Hogarth, Tilsonburg.

—Mrs. (Dr.) Anderson and Miss Carrie Wiltse, of Mitchell, were in the city a few days with friends.

—Miss McGeary and Miss Libbie Patten, Horton street, are in Stratford for a few days with friends.

—Mr. E. Read, of this city, has taken charge of the Corin tinsmith and plumbing business in Tillsonburg.

—The corner stone of the new Roman Catholic separate school at Walkerville will be laid on Sunday by Bishop McEvay, of London.

—The serious illness of Mrs. R. H. Ironsides has called her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Muirhead, of Paris, to the city.

—Mrs. A. G. Barnard (nee Kippen), will receive at 8 Brighton street, on Thursday afternoon and evening and Friday afternoon, June 8 and 9.

—Service preparatory to communion has held in King Street Presbyterian Church last night, when fourteen new members were received. Rev. Mr. McCrae, of Westminster, conducted the service.

—Sergeant Harry Evans, of the Twenty-seventh Regiment, who has been taking a long course of instruction at Wolseley Barracks, has returned home to organize his company for camp.

With the exception of No. 1, regimental depot of the Royal Canadian Regiment, he should be able to turn out a first-class company.

SEVERED HIS DEGREE.
Mr. Percy Ashplant, son of Mr. Hubert Ashplant, of this city, has secured his degree of D.D.S. from the University of Pennsylvania, at Philadelphia, having passed his examinations in a very creditable manner.

LEAVING OLD HOME.
The Disciples of Christ in Lobo will meet for the last time in their old home at Poplar Hill tomorrow. Rev. Colin Sinclair, of St. Thomas, will preach morning and evening, at 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. The present church building will be razed to build a new edifice.

McNALL-McCALLUM.
Miss Susie McCallum, of Newbury, was recently united in marriage to Mr. F. McNall, of this city, the ceremony taking place at the residence of the bride's mother, Mrs. Duncan McCallum, Rev. S. D. Jamieson officiated. About 25 guests were present and the

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presents were many in number and costly. Mr. and Mrs. McNall will live in this city.

RECEIVED A LAND GRANT.

Mr. Arthur Dalgleish, of this city, formerly a member of the police force, has just received from the department at Toronto a certificate for 160 acres of land in New Ontario, as a reward for his services in the South African war.

He is having been a member of the Royal Canadian Regiment.

COMPLETED COURSE.

Captains Pence, Corrie, Westaway and Madden, and Lieut. Fowler, of the Twenty-fifth Regiment, and Lieutenants McInnes, of the Thirty-second Regiment, and MacKay, of the Twenty-sixth Regiment, completed their course of instruction at Wolseley Barracks, and left for their respective homes yesterday.

SPECIAL MUSIC.

The Salvation Army brass band is giving some special music on the streets now. Saturday night, 7:30; Sunday open air. Market square; Sunday services as follows: Open air, 10 a.m.; 2 o'clock in Victoria Park; Citadel, 3 and 7 p.m.

WILL LAY CORNER STONE.

Rev. A. Blair, of Nassagaweya, will lay the corner stone of the new Roman Catholic church on Wednesday next, at 2 p.m. The following will be present and will speak briefly: Rev. Messrs. Clark, Stuart, MacGillivray, of London; Henderson, of Appin; Reede, of St. Thomas; McIntyre, of Tempe; and Rae, of Aylmer.

COMMUNION SERVICES.

Communion services will be held in Knox Church, Belmont, Sunday morning. Service again in the evening at 7:30. Confirmation service was held in St. George's Church on Tuesday. There were five applicants, the corner stone of the new Kilmarin church will be laid on Wednesday, June 7, at 2 p.m. A number of leading divines are expected to take part.

TOO MUCH IN EVIDENCE.

An old man named Bryant was charged before Squire Lacey with importing and selling opium. The complaint was that Bryant divested himself of his clothing on the bank of the Thames, just below the Cove Bridge, and proceeded to wash his shirt, not paying attention to the fact that two members of the opposite sex were not far away. The old man did not appear before the squire in person, but was represented by proxy, and taxed a small fine and costs of court.

New rubber-tire Victrolas, Hueston's.

MUNDY SHOWS

Will Exhibit Here Week of June 19 Under Auspices of Old Boys.

John W. Moore, general press representative and promoter of the great Mundy shows arrived in the city last night, and will take up the reins of advertising the largest and most beautiful carnival company in America. It requires a lot of cars to transport the great Mundy shows. The company even carries two immense electric light plants, generating 5,000 16-candle power lights and 25 arcs.

There are 20 mammoth attractions, in addition to three special features, viz., Diavolo looping the loop, Arthur Holden's drive of 92 feet into five feet of water, turning a complete somersault in the descent, and Marvello leaping the gap on a bicycle.

The surrounding country will be advertised within a radius of 100 miles, and special reduced rates will apply.

CUTTING DOWN THE REGIMENTS

Recent Order Better Approved Of As It Becomes Fully Understood.

The late militia order issued by the Government has been causing a great deal of comment all over the country. But the better the order is becoming understood, the more it is appreciated by critics. As explained in a recent issue of The Advertiser, the order has little practical effect on the militia, but it is affected appreciably. But it must be remembered that it is necessary to prevent the military expenditure from assuming dimensions which would impose a serious burden upon the people. The whole of the military expenditure for the year has not yet been submitted to Parliament, but when the supplementary estimates are brought down by the Minister of Militia it will probably be found that the total military expenditure will not be less than \$5,000,000. The military expenditure is therefore in the aggregate very far in excess of any previous year, probably nearly double, and it represents a tax of \$1 a head upon every man, woman and child in the country—that is to say, several dollars upon each adult taxpayer.

A very large part of this year's additional expenditure is the result of taking on the military expenditure assumed by the imperial authorities in regard to the military establishments at Halifax and Esplanade. The past has largely been left to the Northwest Police, must now be provided for on a scale commensurate with the new provincial status, and this will include military organization on something like the same plan as Manitoba.

The Northwest Mounted Police are not sufficient. There must be a properly constructed defense force with the necessary establishments in the chief centers of population.

Following is the establishment authorized by the Dundonald scheme for an eight-company regiment:

Officers..... 46
Staff-sergeants and sergeants..... 90
Drummers and buglers..... 25
Rank and file..... 296

Total, all ranks..... 458

The peculiarity about this establishment was that it provided for double the number of officers and sergeants needed. This was done with the object of training the extra officers and non-coms. in time of peace, and in the night they would be sent to recruit a local defense corps should the active regiment be ordered out on service.

Under the new establishment the figures for the different ranks are as follows:

Officers..... 32
Sergeants..... 33
Buglers..... 8
Rank and file..... 294

Total, all ranks..... 367

The rank and file is made up of 24 privates and 24 corporals. It will be seen, then, that the reduction amounts to 418 men, and that the new establishment amounts to 25 men in all ranks. It will, therefore, lose nothing.

Special attention paid to spring wedding orders. Hueston's lively.

THE KILLING OF ALBERT SHANNON

Railway Men's Evidence Given at Inquest—Crew of the First Train Blamed.

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REQUEST LAID OVER

City of London Has No Money to Fight Consumption.

A request to aid in the fight against the white plague was made before No. 1 committee yesterday afternoon by Mr. E. T. Young, of the National Sanatorium Association of Gravenhurst. Mr. Young addressed the meeting and pointed out that a patient usually stayed in the hospital for about four months, and therefore two beds could be used for about six patients a year. Mr. Young asked for \$600 to furnish two beds at Gravenhurst. The request caused a great deal of discussion, but it was finally laid over until September, lack of funds being given as the reason.

An interesting petition was received by the committee from residents living on Richmond street between Albert street and Central avenue. It stated that the street cars go round the "V" at the northwest corner of the intersection of Richmond and Albert street, and therefore two beds could be used for about six patients a year. Mr. Young asked for \$600 to furnish two beds at Gravenhurst. The request caused a great deal of discussion, but it was finally laid over until September, lack of funds being given as the reason.

The conductor of the second train, which crashed into the rear of the other and crushed Shannon to death in the caboose, said that the crew of the first train, which arrived at London East from Toronto at 4:45 a.m., testified that he told the yardmaster that 22 flat cars were to be left in the east yards. Hence, the engineer, Charles Galloway, was instructed to back into the siding.

The engineer testified that he did not know another train was coming up on his rear when he commenced to back, so dense was the fog. He said that the conductor of the first train, who was backing into the siding, was backing into the siding, according to the company's instructions.

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And others will address the meeting.

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LONDON'S NEW BANK

Business of Sovereign Bank Shows Large Increase for the Year.

The Sovereign Bank of Canada, which recently opened a branch in this city, on Richmond street, opposite the city hall, have issued a statement of the year's business to April 29, 1905. Local shareholders will be pleased at the substantial increase in every department. Every appointment necessary for the promotion of a financial institution has been placed in the branch of the bank in London, and under the able management of Mr. Frank E. Karn, the bank is sure to receive its share of city and country business.

F. E. KARN, LOCAL MANAGER.

In the statement mentioned above, the deposits show a total of \$8,316,000, an increase over last year of \$2,600,000. The assets increased from \$8,994,000 to \$11,565,000. Profits were satisfactory, amounting to \$134,000, or more than double the amount required to pay dividends. The quarterly dividends were paid, amounting to \$65,000, and \$50,000 transferred to reserve fund which has now reached \$400,000. The sum of \$10,000 was written off bank premises account, and \$5,000 applied to rebate of discount on bills not yet due.

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Rank and file..... 294

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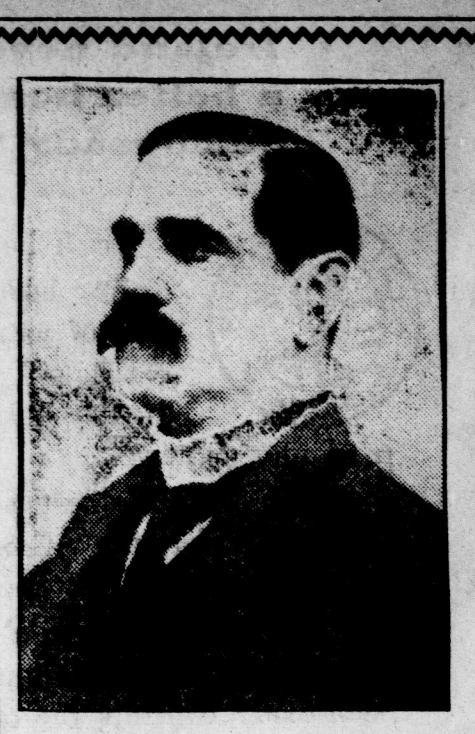
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Tonight Madam Adige and her den of lions make their last appearance at



MISS HENRIETTA CROSMAN.
WHO WILL BE SEEN AT THE GRAND ON MONDAY EVENING.

the Vaudeville. Next week's bill does not comprise any sensational novelties like the above, but is composed of bright, refined comedy and musical numbers. Barry and Johnson head the bill in their burlesque travesty skit. These clever artists are known from coast to coast, having appeared in all the leading vaudeville theaters in America. They are somewhat after the Wood and Ray type, who made such a tremendous hit here several weeks ago. Hague and Herbert are a new team in the east, coming direct from the Orpheum circuit in the far west. They are a pair of Irish conversationalists and rapid-fire talkers, who do not depend on red wigs and ragged jokes to create laughter. Bobby De Rue, the minstrel man, is one of those fellows of indelicacy who make you feel at home, combining grace with good humor. Harris and De Loss is another new team to vaudevillians, introducing Mr. Harris as Simple Willie in his funny acrobatic stunts, and his famous original stuttering song. Warren and Remshaw, a pair of musical comedians, who have a way of mixing mirth, music and song, which keeps the audience in good humor for six or eight minutes. Thomas and Payne are a pair of entertainers of a shady hue, introducing one of those scintillating singing and dancing turns, entitled "The Colored Aristocrats." Daly and Kelso, a pair of young men, who are fast climbing the ladder of fame as entertainers of bright, sparkling wit, and dancers par-excellence. Another good subject is promised for the moving pictures, which, in addition to the

ST. JOHN RIVER AFFAIR

The U. S. Assured That New Brunswick Will Not Interfere.

Ottawa, June 2.—In connection with the St. John River affair the United States made representations to the Canadian authorities some time ago that there was likely to be interference on the part of New Brunswick, Canada replied, after consulting with New Brunswick, that there was no likelihood of anything of the kind. The Wentworth election case was argued in the supreme court today. Mr. A. B. Aylesworth appearing for Sealey, and Lynch for Smith.

Essential Elements.

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above acts ought to make a very pleasing bill.

Henrietta Crossman makes it a principle never to accept the hospitality of homes when she is on the road. This rule is based on both courtesy and conscientiousness. Of course, Miss Crossman has friends in many cities throughout the country, and time was when she accepted invitations to make their homes her home during her professional visits. But the discovery was forced upon her, more especially after she became a star, that she could not longer take such favors. First of all, there was the uncomfortable sense that domestic arrangements were upset on her account. But she felt she was keeping persons up late to await her return from the theater, and realized that her hostesses always thought she must maintain this vigil. Again, she knew her late breakfast made trouble, and if she tried to have her hours conform to those of families of regular customs, she herself lost much needed rest. Next she appreciated the fact that as a guest it was her duty to visit as much as possible with her hostesses, and there again she found that her duties kept her much in the theater and she takes the view that time given to society is time stolen from the public, which in return for its favors demands the best she has to offer, and this means frequent rehearsals and much study. Hence, Miss Crossman holds that during the theatrical season she has no right to mingle social pleasures and work. As a consequence she declines nearly every social invitation and never puts up at a friend's house. Naturally, in the big cities where she stays for several weeks she occasionally

ALL IS LOVELY IN VENEZUELA

Castro Say Quarrel With Us Is Patched Up and Debts Being Paid.

Caracas, Venezuela, Thursday, June 2.—President Castro read his message to Congress today. He said that the Venezuelan Government had maintained good relations with foreign countries in the degree that the respective representatives desired. Therefore the relations of Venezuela with all countries were relatively cordial. The Government had acceded to the desires of the respective representatives of foreign countries as far as justice, equity, and dignity and honor of the nation permitted. On the other hand, Venezuela had duly paid the allies the amounts peremptorily demanded by them, and had then paid him 30 per cent of the customs duties collected at La Guaira and Puerto Cabello. When these claims had been paid, the 30 per cent of the customs duties would be devoted to the payment of the claims of the other powers, which had been paid peremptorily. In regard to other debts of Venezuela, the Government of Venezuela had twice sent Gen. Jose Antonio Velutini to Europe to make new arrangements with her creditors. Continuing the president said: "With the United States, through causes foreign to our will, and without the least responsibility on our part, we have had a slight difference, but the discussion of the questions seems to have made the facts clear to the American Government. Judging from the measures the said Government lately passed in favor of our good and cordial friendship. These questions refer to the Bermudez and Orcon companies. The latter have already been adjudged under the protocols, but nevertheless Mr. Bermudez desired a new arbitration. The Government could not accede to this, as the sovereignty and independence of the republic were involved. In conclusion the president expresses the hope that diplomatic relations between Venezuela and the United States would be renewed at no distant date.

BALFOUR HARD HIT

Losses By Election Where Issue Was the Fiscal Question.

London, June 2.—The bye-election in the Whitley division of the north riding of Yorkshire yesterday, following the succession of Ernest W. Beckett to the Grimthorpe peerage, owing to the death of his uncle, Baron Grimthorpe, April 29, resulted in the election of a Liberal, Noel Buxton, by a majority of 464 over George Beckett, Unionist, brother of the late member for Whitley. This was a crushing defeat for the Government as the election was mainly on the fiscal question, and in view of the fact that Whitley had been a Conservative stronghold for twenty years.

AGREES TO HELP AMER

Basis of the Understanding With Afghanistan.

London, June 2.—In the House of Lords today, Lord Newton, Conservative, asked for further information concerning the recent mission to Afghanistan, headed by Louis Dato, secretary for foreign affairs of the Indian Government, and criticized the treaty, which, he said, placed Great Britain in a difficult position, because the Amerer at any time might bring on a crisis. Foreign Secretary Lansdowne said the mission had achieved the main object for which it had been dispatched. Great Britain had assumed the well defined liability to go to the Amerer's assistance in the event of an unprovoked attack upon Afghanistan, and the foreign relations of Afghanistan were under British guidance and control.

Calve's Voice Silent.

London, June 2.—It is reported that Miss Calve has ruptured a vocal chord, and that she will never sing again.

The Montreal Conference.

Ottawa, June 2.—Rev. W. H. Sparling, of Quebec, pastor designate for Queen Street Church, Kingston, was elected president of the Montreal conference this morning, receiving 114 votes, the next highest, Rev. F. G. Lett, of Ottawa, receiving 46. Rev. George S. Cleveland, of Eglon, was elected secretary. The conference is the most largely attended in years. Rev. Dr. W. R. Young and C. T. Scott, coming in from western conferences, were introduced, and made a splendid impression.

A. P. Cockburn Dies.

Toronto, June 2.—Mr. A. P. Cockburn, secretary of the Muskoka Navigation and Hotel Company, died suddenly at his residence shortly before midnight tonight. He had just returned from Gravenhurst, where he had been inspecting a new summer home and gone to bed.

McMaster's New Chancellor.

Toronto, June 2.—The board of governors of McMaster University tonight appointed Prof. A. C. MacKay, as chancellor, to succeed Chancellor Wallace. Prof. E. M. Kelsted, M. A., D. D., of Acadia University, Wolfville, N. S., was appointed to the chair of systematic theology and apologetics, to succeed Dr. Goodspeed. Prof. William Findlay, M. A., Ph. D., was appointed professor of mathematics, to succeed Prof. A. G. MacKay. Prof. Findlay is at present at Barnard College, Columbia University.

Japs Shot Straight.

London, June 2.—The correspondent at Tokyo of the Daily Mail, cabling to his paper concerning the naval battle between the Japanese and Russian fleets, says: "Owing to the heavy sea in the earlier part of the battle, the Russian hulls were disclosed below the water line, representing a good target, and enabling the Japanese guns to usurp the functions of torpedoes. The commander of the torpedo boat destroyer Murazame, describing his attack on the battleship Kniaz Souvaroff, says he discharged two torpedoes against her from a distance of a hundred yards. All the Russian survivors confess that the Japanese formation was not very broken, and say that their shooting was magnificent."

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MURDERER ESCAPES

Lifer in Michigan Prison Pooled Jailers With Dummy.

Jackson, Mich., June 2.—Ever since he was received at the prison in July, 1902, Thomas McGrath, of Detroit, has been looked upon by the prison officials as a "bad man," and yesterday he justified their opinion of him by making his escape.

He fired up a dummy in his cell which completely deceived everyone passing through the corridor until about 10 p.m., when the keeper's suspicions were aroused by noticing that McGrath had been in the same position all the evening. He unlocked the cell and went in and found the dummy that McGrath had left. It is thought that McGrath fixed up the dummy in his cell and got away himself about 5 o'clock. He, therefore, has five hours' start of the officers. The entire prison force is scouring the country hereabouts for him, and the police in Detroit and other cities within 100 miles have been notified. McGrath is a lifer, sent up in July, 1903, for the murder of Hotelkeeper Warren in Detroit.

CZAR'S PROBLEM FOR ZEMSKY SOBOR

Russia May Let the People Decide As To Further War or Peace.

St. Petersburg, June 2, 5:23 p.m.—Although official confirmation is lacking, the Associated Press again hears from a very high authority that Emperor Nicholas has resolved to follow the ancient traditions of the House of Romanoff and summon a zemsky sobor to meet in the ancient capital of Moscow, to decide on peace or war and determine the form and prerogatives of the future Russian Parliament.

Prices on the Bourse today were steady, the effect of the Russian defeat in the Sea of Japan being offset by persistent reports of political changes. The diplomats agree that Russia must decide whether the peace negotiations shall begin. The idea that there is any concerted movement among the powers to force mediation upon the belligerents is rejected. The United States is mentioned as the only power which might possibly undertake such a delicate role, but President Roosevelt's attitude against taking any action, except at the request of Russia, is well known. The suggestion comes from Paris, however, that President Roosevelt might be induced to act upon the initiative of Foreign Minister Delcasse.

Lady Golf Champion.

London, June 2.—Miss Thompson, the Englishwoman who yesterday defeated Miss Margaret Curtis, of Massachusetts, won the international golf championship at Cromer today, defeating Miss Stuart, of Ireland.

Succession Duties.

Toronto, June 2.—The succession duties already received by the Provincial Government this year amounted to \$285,000. The estimates for the year were calculated on a basis of \$450,000.

KAISER WORKING TOWARDS PEACE

The German War Lord Comes Out in New Role—First Move Is Russia's.

Washington, D. C., June 2.—Emperor William of Germany has made it clear to President Roosevelt that he desires and will facilitate the restoration of peace in the Far East. All the tremendous influence possessed by the "war lord" of Europe will be exerted to induce both Russia and Japan to desist from further strife.

There is no thought or suggestion on the part of the Emperor that he shall act as mediator. He remains inflexibly convinced that the person who, above all, is fitted to perform this delicate task is President Roosevelt.

As is the German Emperor, the President has been seeking in his interviews with diplomats and attaches familiar with the Far Eastern situation, not only to ascertain their views with respect to the great naval combat, but also in regard to peace. Count Cassini's expected visit to the White House didn't take place yesterday or today, but he will see the President without further delay.

Mr. Takahira, the Japanese minister, has been, on the other hand, a frequent caller upon the President. With other members of the diplomatic corps he was invited to the White House today to witness the ceremony of the machinery of the Lewis and Clark exposition. He remained after the other guests had gone and for an hour discussed the entire peace situation with the President.

The President enjoys peculiarly agreeable relations with President Roosevelt and talks to him as frankly as the President does to him. The result is both Governments understand each other and the importance of this in facilitating peace can be readily imagined. It is believed the President would like to obtain a formal statement from Japan as to the terms which would be acceptable to her, but whether anything of the kind has been made cannot be definitely established. Minister Takahira said upon leaving the White House that his Government had not reached a decision as to the terms to be offered, and added positively:

"Jimmy" Hope Dead.

New York, June 2.—James Hope, otherwise known as "Jimmy" Hope and "Old Man" Hope, leader of the band which robbed the Manhattan Bank in this city of nearly \$2,000,000 in money and securities, nearly 30 years ago, is dead at his home here. His wife said today that he died of grief, broken hearted because of the publicity which constantly kept his record alive. Hope was known as the last of the old time safe-breakers.

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BY ETHEL BARRINGTON

"I forgot to mention that Dr. Kent will be here from Saturday to Sunday."

"Dr. Kent?" Bertina paused in the act of brushing her beautiful hair, the color heightening ever so slightly in her cheeks.

"Do you know him?"

"Yes."

"And I promised myself the treat of introducing two kindred souls—to me!"

"For the pains of the past?" Bertina laughed her hostess. Then, with assumed indifference: "How do you like him?"

"Quite well—but about the skating?"

"I never knew you to go in for outdoor sports," said Mabel, with some surprise.

"Oh, yes, I—I have always taken an interest in them, and I'd like to be a proficient skater. At present my liking and performance are scarcely equal."

"Who is he?" demanded her friend, coolly, and the question caused Bertina to drop her hair in a sudden blond shower about her face as she answered from beneath the veil:

"Mabel, must there always be a man in the case?"

"No object without cause," laughed the other, "and I know you and your love of cushion and fireside life; you are ever 'My Lady Dainty,' and I can picture you turning into the masculine, sun-browned, short-skirted, independent—"

"Stop! stop!" cried Bertina, with hands to her ears. "What a frightful portrait! All because I take an interest in golf, and have decided to improve my skating, seeing that I am a guest at a country house-party, where—"

"You need not confess unless you want to; but I shall find out none the less," as the door closed behind her dearest friend, Bertina, chin in hand, slipped into a new scheme concerning this new fad for outdoor life.

"He'll find out some day—and then what will you do?" she scolded herself. "I really thought it was going to be restful here, and now—well, I'm not sorry he's coming, but—help! and alas for the cold and the skates! Life is more strenuous than I knew."

Strenuous it truly became. Bertina spent so many hours upon the pond that Mabel desisted here. She had resolved to skate, and skate she did, though the exercise was hard and made her sore, tired and not a little ruffled in spirit.

"For whom?" questioned Mabel, in the privacy of her own den. "It can't be Tom," she thought, "for he is a teacher to the ambitious Bertina. He was already bespoken matrimonially. Mabel inquired of him whether or not Dr. Kent was devoted to sports, but Tom scoffed at the idea, bearing testimony that a greater book-worm never went to college."

Saturday the doctor arrived, and to Mabel's amazement, he and Bertina talked of little but sports. Each displayed a wealth of knowledge, each displayed a wealth of knowledge, each displayed a wealth of knowledge. They discussed golf, automobiles, shooting and skating as though there were nothing else of importance in the world. As the young people were starting for the pond after luncheon Bertina hung back for a word with Mabel.

"I won't disgrace myself, do you think?"

"You do famously; no one would take you for a beginner, when the doctor joined them."

"I'm awfully sorry, but there is a little matter here which I must settle with the city about. I'll join you later. You'll forgive me?" Dr. Kent addressed his apology to Mabel, but Mabel smiled graciously. "A little healthy exercise will do you good, come happily after the hospital routine."

"Oh, yes—thank you."

The doctor departed, somewhat embarrassed.

"A novelty—to him," cried Bertina as they went down the steps.

"I forget he is such a devotee of sport," laughed Mabel, lightly.

The air was gloriously crisp; the ice was in perfect condition. Bertina skated first with one and then another, receiving many compliments; but to her the afternoon was not a great success. In the first place the doctor did not put in an appearance, and then came the skating. Bertina's skates struck against a rough piece of ice and threw her. When the others rushed to her assistance it was to find that she had turned her ankle, the pain of which rendered it impossible for her to continue. Tom helped her to the bank, a passing wagon was pressed into service and in a short time Bertina found herself ensconced luxuriously on a lounge before the library fire. She refused to allow Mabel to remain, insisting that she was going to sleep; and her hostess returned to her other guests. Bertina, the pain not troubling her unless she tried to stand, decided that this was not an unmitigated evil. The discussion of athletic amusements was much easier than the practicing thereof, and the coziness of the fire was grateful after the biting wind on the pond.

It was growing dusk when a man entered, one she would have recognized had the room been pitch dark, she told herself; even as she was unable to distinguish his features. The sofa was drawn to one side of the fire, in the deep shadow just outside the radius of light. The doctor, believing he was alone, took possession of an armchair and fell to gazing into the red coals. Bertina, who had been watching him, suddenly realized a sigh had escaped her. She let her lids drop and played at sleep, watching him from beneath her lashes.

He came noiselessly toward her, and after satisfying himself she slept, dropped to his knees and kissed her slender fingers. Bertina opened her eyes, and Dr. Kent pleaded boldly:

"I couldn't help it. I am so sorry to learn of your fall. You are sure you are not much hurt?"

"Only slightly. I must stay in for a few days; that's all."

"That's all?" repeated the doctor sympathetically. "I know how hard that will be to you. Will you—may I try to entertain you?"

"I couldn't think of accepting such a sacrifice—you who have so little time for your beloved sports."

"I care nothing for them," began the doctor, recklessly. "Bertina—"

He did not seem to realize that he had called her by name, nor that he was on his knees before her. "Bertina—I have a confession to make—I dared not come to the pond this afternoon, because I can't skate. When I first saw you they were talking about the 'outdoor girl' and you joined in with such enthusiasm that I pretended to be a skater. I was so sure of myself to gain your notice. Afterward, I was compelled to keep it up for I love you, but I'll turn away—I will honestly—if you will only have me."

Bertina's eyes opened wide. "And it was because I was told—believe me, I was an 'outdoor man' that—that I was so enthusiastic," she confessed, a tell-tale color rising in her cheeks. "I've always been a skater."

But he interrupted her. And after a while she asked:

"You truly love me—not because of your tennis or polo—skating—or anything—but just because it's I?"

"Just because it's you, sweetheart."

When they need not play at being outdoor folks any more?

"No," and Dr. Kent understood. The truth had been revealed, and some how Bertina found herself again in his arms with a vista of happiness, such as she had never dreamed of, opening wide before her.

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Sometimes one stumbles on a tragedy or a romance quite unwittingly and if you have a vivid imagination, you piece together all the little incidents of it in your own mind and wonder if you have guessed correctly.

Last night it was a romance we stumbled on. We were sitting in an upstairs box at a vaudeville theater. There were two other occupants of the box, a young girl and an older woman, who might have been her mother. They were obviously not accustomed to the theater, because their enjoyment of everything they saw was so fresh and unstudied, so naive, so full of innocent enthusiasm.

The girl was evidently very excited and restless until the third number on the programme, the playing of a young violinist, began. As he walked on the stage, she applauded vigorously. Then he began to play. He played remarkably well and was recalled by the audience. This time he appeared playing that little song which was so popular a few seasons ago, "Because I Love You." He played it exquisitely, and just as he came to the last bars—"Because I love you," he looked up at the girl in our box and gave her a very long, lingering look.

Then he ran off again, and as the audience recalled him, he gave a funny little imitation of a chorus-girl kiss, and drawing his hand behind his back, he threw one to the girl in our box as he went off again. She and the lady with her went out immediately to join him, and so there was the end of the little romance, as far as we were concerned, but we could not help wondering where and how and all about it.

There were six of us sitting around the drawing-room. One was a very well-known woman novelist, and the rest were all women writers of more or less fame. One of us propounded the question: "Is there a catty type of men parallel to the catty type of women?"

"There is," said one woman, solemnly.

"I know it; I've met him. He is the man who understands feminine vagaries much better than she does herself, who knows why she does all the silly little things that the woman herself does not know why she does; he knows just what colors and what style a woman should wear, and why she should wear them. I hate that sort of a man."

One of the other women smiled and said: "This is because I maintain that it is the man who can see through the catty woman and her wiles is really the manly man. I maintain that a man ought to have an instinct about women which enables him to detect the true from the false, and I think there really is an instinct in the truly manly man which does enable him to do that."

"Well, are there really so many catty

women as all that?" put in another girl.

"Indeed there are," said the woman novelist; "I know one. I went to a party with her once when I was quite a girl, and before we went, she said to me, 'There will be four engaged girls there tonight with their fiancés. Now, I shall have everyone of those four men ask to come home with me.'

She did it. They were one asked her, and when she came downstairs she said civilly to the assembled four, 'Oh, I just did it for fun. I'm going home with Mr. So-and-So.' There were four girls who went home in tears, and she bragged about it all that night."

"If I had been one of those four broken engagements," said another girl, meditatively, and we all agreed.

"But there wasn't," said the woman novelist, "not one."

"Quite on the same line," said another girl, "is the case of a girl I know. She is remarkably pretty, and, of course, has a great many admirers. Two are particularly devoted to her. We will call them Mr. Smith and Mr. Jones. Mr. Smith will ring her up and ask if he may call that night, and she will say, 'I'm so sorry; I have an engagement with Mr. Jones; but I'll tell you what I'll do. I'll ring him up and see if I can break it, because I'd so much rather have you.'"

"She hasn't any engagement with Mr. Jones at all, but she waits ten minutes, then calls up the other man and says: 'I've managed to put off Mr. Jones. It's awfully mean of me, because he sent me a lovely bunch of violets this morning, but I'd so much rather have you, so be outdone by Mr. Jones, sends roses and candy before he appears. It is a fine scheme, and she brags about it. Neither have found her out yet, but when they do—beware! A man will forgive anything but being fooled, and there will be a big crash some day.'"

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BEACH GIRLS AND WHAT THEY WEAR

THE VACATIONIST AT THE WATER RESORT MUST BE SMARTLY ATTIRED.

Mohair the Popular Bathing Suit, With a Growing Vogue for Taffetas and Peau de Soie—White Bathing Costumes Excluded.

[By Katharine Anderson.]

Girls who go to beach resorts may be divided into two classes—the girl who bathes and the girl who does not. For as white or natural colored costumes, should be careful to investigate first the rules of the summer resort at which she will spend her vacation. At a number of the very conservative beaches, white suits are not permitted. Of course, there is always the girl who selects the vivid scarlet suit, or something in blue of a very pale shade. She may depend upon it that she will be marked from the moment she appears on the beach, and may be grateful if she escapes the camera flashes. Brown is again shown in mohair and silk, but the woman who invests in this color takes a risk, as it may attract the very first dip in the salt water.

The girl who is spending her vacation at some fresh water resort, where the bathing in the lake or river has some advantage over the ocean bathing girl, because fresh water is not as hard on coloring as the briny salt, she can therefore allow herself more leeway in the matter of color combination, trimming, etc.

Elaborate is the general term to be applied to the bathing suit of the year. Very few plain-gathered skirts are shown. Some very short skirts are gored and fitted with all the care of a tailor-made creation. Again a silk skirt is fitted over the hips with the same finely stitched pleats shown in dressy gowns and a dash of flare just below the knee. For slender figures there is nothing prettier than the silk skirt laid in fine box pleats with knife folds and the pleats between and a pleated blouse to match.

Three stunning models are selected as examples. One is a black peau de soie, with skirt and blouse laid in tiny pleats lengthwise, while the lower part of the blouse and the sleeves are finished with deep nipped tucks running horizontally. Both the sailor collar and the pleatings down the front of the blouse are finished with black silk passementerie.

The second is a dark blue taffeta, with box and side pleats finished with hand embroidery in white silk, showing a scalloped edge and a pattern of disks. The third is a gored skirt and pleated blouse of brown mohair, with a neat and detachable collar of heavy white linen.

All of these suits have high necks. The summer girl has learned by sad experience that the burned neck becomes the decolleté gown at the evening hop. In connection with this fact it may be mentioned that the girl who wishes to keep her arms snowy white can now buy silk jersey gloves to match her bathing suit in color, and these are always worn in the water.

Snug-fitting caps of ottoman, covered with silk to match the suit, may be finished with a dashing bow or ribbon built on albatron lines. There has been a decided attempt to introduce a

new style of bathing hat made from silk, with a dashing brim done in braiderie Anglaise. These appeared last year under the title of the lingerie bathing hat, but they have not proven entirely satisfactory, and are far less chic than the turban which is finish of gay color, plaid in particular.

In the matter of footwear, the smartest bathing shoe is as high in the back as an ordinary boot, with straps across the front. As a rule, stockings match in color the foundation of the bathing suit, and dark shoes make the feet look smaller than the white ones, however cool and summery the appearance of the former. Long, loose raincoats are preferred by the American girl for her walk to and from the beach to the typical bathing cape of the English woman, and she who dresses at one of the bath-houses on the beach carries her bathing suit back and forth in a rubber bag, covered daintily with silk.

So much for the girl who bathes. The girl who poses on the beach or board walk will select her morning gown according to the amount of exercise or recreation she proposes to take. Linen by all odds the smartest fabric for morning wear, but it can be chosen only by that girl who is almost statuesque in her makings and poses; or by her friend who does not have a figure closely on her laundry bills. The beauty of a linen costume lies in its freshness, and this dresses quickly to suit air. The girl who dispenses her parasol, and wears other appearances gracefully against a pile of sand will sacrifice the freshness of her linen suit within the first half hour. Much more practical for such use is a skirt of serge, hopsacking, linen, Panama, shantung or voile. Even the white materials of this nature will stand sand and duty moisture, and worn with a tailored shirtwaist of linen or crash, they make the prettiest of morning costumes.

The beach in the morning is not the proper background for flirty lingerie waists trimmed with lace. They are for afternoon or evening. The leather or embroidered linen belts are preferred for morning wear to ribbons and other fancy trappings.

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BROWN MOHAIR, WITH WHITE LINEN VEST.

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"It suggested that at the time of the firing, the window, as well as the door of the room had been thrown open. Otherwise the fumes of powder could not have been blown so rapidly through the house. A draft in the room was necessary for that. Both door and window were only open for a very short time, however."

"How do you prove that?"

"Because the candle was not guttered."

"Capital!" cried the inspector, "Capital!"

"Feeling sure that the window had been open at the time of the tragedy, I conceived that there might have been a third person in the affair, who stood beside this opening and fired through it. Any shot directed at this person might hit the sash. I looked, and there, sure enough, was the bullet-mark."

"But how came the window to be shut and fastened?"

"The woman's first instinct would be to shut and fasten the window. But, hullo! what is this?"

It was a lady's handbag which stood upon the study table—a trim little handbag of crocodile skin and silver. Holmes opened it and turned the contents out. There were twenty £50 notes of the Bank of England, held together by an india-rubber band—nothing else.

"This must be preserved, for it will

A flower-bed extended up to the study window and we all broke into an exclamation as we approached it. The flowers were trampled down, and the soft soil was imprinted all over with footmarks. Large, masculine feet they were, with peculiarly long, sharp toes. Holmes hunted about among the grass and leaves like a retriever after a wounded bird. Then, with a cry of satisfaction, he bent forward and picked up a little brassy cylinder.

"I thought so," said he; "the revolver had an ejector and here is the third cartridge. I really think, Inspector Martin, that our case is almost complete."

The country inspector's face had shown his intense amazement at the rapid and masterful progress of Holmes' investigation. At first he had shown some disposition to assert his own position, but now he was overcome with admiration, and ready to follow without question wherever Holmes led.

"Whom do you suspect?" he asked.

"I'll go into that later. There are several points in this problem which I have not been able to explain to you yet. Now that I have got so far, I had best proceed on my own lines, and then clear the whole matter up once and for all."

"Just as you wish, Mr. Holmes, so long as we get our man."

had departed to his patients, and only the inspector and myself remained.

"I think that I can help you to pass an hour in an interesting and profitable manner," said Holmes, drawing his chair up to the table and spreading out in front of him the various papers upon which were recorded the antics of the dancing men. "As to your friend Watson, I owe you every attention for having allowed your natural curiosity to remain so long unsatisfied. To you, Inspector, the whole incident may appear as a remarkable professional study. I must tell you, first of all, the interesting circumstances connected with the previous consultations which Mr. Hilton Cubitt has had with me in Baker street." He then shortly recapitulated the facts which have already been recorded. "I have here in front of me these singular productions, at which one might smile, and they not proved themselves to be the forerunners of so terrible a tragedy. I am fairly familiar with all forms of secret writings, and am myself the author of a trifling monograph upon the subject, in which I analyze one hundred and sixty separate ciphers, but I confess that this is entirely new to me. The object of those who invented the system has apparently been to conceal that these characters convey a message, and to give the idea that they are the mere random

sketches of children.

"Having once recognized, however, that the symbols stood for letters, and having applied the rules which guide us in all forms of secret writings, the solution was easy enough. The first message submitted to me was so short that it was impossible for me to say more than to say, with some confidence, that the symbol

X

stood for E. As you are aware, E is the most common letter in the English alphabet, and it predominates to so marked an extent that even in a short sentence one would expect to find it most often. Out of fifteen symbols in the first message, four were the same, so it was reasonable to set this down as E. It is the letter that in some cases the figure was bearing a flag, and in some cases a cross. It was probable, from the way in which the flags were distributed that they were used to break up the sentence into words. I accepted this as a hypothesis, and noted that

been the starting-point of all the trouble. It had also every cause to think that there was some criminal secret in the matter. The lady's allusions to 'her past, and her refusal to take her husband into her confidence, both pointed in that direction. I therefore cabled to my friend, Wilson Hargrave, of the New York Police Bureau, who has more than once made use of my knowledge of London crime. I asked him whether the name of Abe Slaney was known to him. Here is his reply: 'The most dangerous crook in Chicago.' On the very evening upon which I had his answer, Hilton Cubitt sent me the last message from Slaney. Working with known letters, it took this form:

ELSI E REARE TO MEET THY GO.

The addition of a P and a D completed a message which showed me that the racial was proceeding from persuasion to threat, and my knowledge of the crooks of Chicago prepared me to find that he might very rapidly put his threats into action. I at once came to the conclusion that the man who was Dr. Watson, but, unhappily, I did not in time to find that the worst had already happened.

"It is a privilege to be associated with you in the handling of a case," said the inspector, warmly. "You will excuse me, however, if I speak frankly to you. You are only answerable to yourself, but I have to answer to my superiors. If this Abe Slaney, living in Elsie's house, is indeed the murderer, and if he has made his escape while I am seated here, I should certainly get into serious trouble."

"You need not be uneasy. He will not try to escape."

"How do you know?"

"To fly would be a confession of guilt."

"Then let us go to arrest him."

"I expect him here every instant."

"But why should he come?"

"Because I have written and asked him."

"But this is incredible, Mr. Holmes! why should he come because you have asked him? Would not such a request rather arouse his suspicions and cause him to fly?"

"I think I have known how to frame the letter," said Sherlock Holmes. "In fact, if I am not very much mistaken, here is the gentleman himself coming up the drive."

A man was striding up the path which led to the door. He was a tall, handsome, swarthy fellow, clad in a suit of gray flannel, with a Panama hat, a bristling black beard, and a great, aggressive, hooked nose. He flourished a cane as he walked. He swaggered up the path as if the place belonged to him, and he heard his loud, confident, and peevish laugh.

"I think, gentlemen," said Holmes, quietly, "that we had best take up our position behind the door. Every precaution is necessary when dealing with such a fellow. You will need your handcuffs, Inspector. You can leave the talking to me."

We waited in silence for a minute, one of those minutes which one can never forget. Then the door opened, and the man stepped in. In an instant Holmes clapped a pistol to his head, and Martin slipped the handcuffs over his wrists. It was all done so swiftly and deftly that the fellow was helpless before he knew that he was attacked. He glared from one to the other of us with a pair of blazing black eyes. Then he burst into a bitter laugh.

"Well, gentlemen, you have the drop on me this time. I seem to have knocked up against something hard. But I came here in answer to a letter from Mrs. Hilton Cubitt. Don't tell me that she is in this? Don't tell me that she helped to set a trap for me?"

"Mrs. Hilton Cubitt was seriously injured, and is at death's door."

"The man gave a hoarse cry of grief, which rang through the house.

"You're crazy," he cried fiercely. "It was he that was hurt, not she. Who would have hurt little Elsie? I may have threatened her—God forgive me!—but I would not have touched a hair of her pretty head. Take it back—your! Say that she is not hurt!"

"She was found, badly wounded, by the side of her dead husband."

"He sank with a deep groan on to the settee, and buried his face in his matted hands. For five minutes he was silent. Then he raised his face once more and spoke with the cold composure of despair.

"I have nothing to hide from you, gentlemen," said he. "If I shot the man he had his shot at me, and there's no murder in that. But if you think I could have hurt that woman, then you don't know either me or her. I tell you, there was never a man in this world loved a woman more than I loved her. I had a right to her. She was pledged to me years ago. Who was this Englishman that he should come between us? I tell you that I had the first right to her, and that I was only claiming my own."

"She broke away from your influence," said Holmes, sternly. "She fled from America to avoid you, and she married this Englishman in England. You dogged her and followed her and made her life a misery to her, and in order to induce her to abandon her husband who loved and respected her in order to fly with you, you feared and hated. You have ended by bringing about the death of a noble man and driving his wife to suicide. That is your record in this business. Mr. Abe Slaney, and you will answer for it to the law."

"If Elsie dies, I care nothing what becomes of me," said the American. He opened one of his hands, and looked at a note crumpled up in his palm. "See here, mister, he cried, with a gleam of suspicion in his eyes. 'You're not trying to scare me over this, are you? If the lady is hurt as the table, who was it that wrote this note?' He tossed it forwards on to the table.

"I wrote it, to bring you here."

"You wrote it? There was no one on earth outside the joint who knew the secret of the dancing men. How came you to write it?"

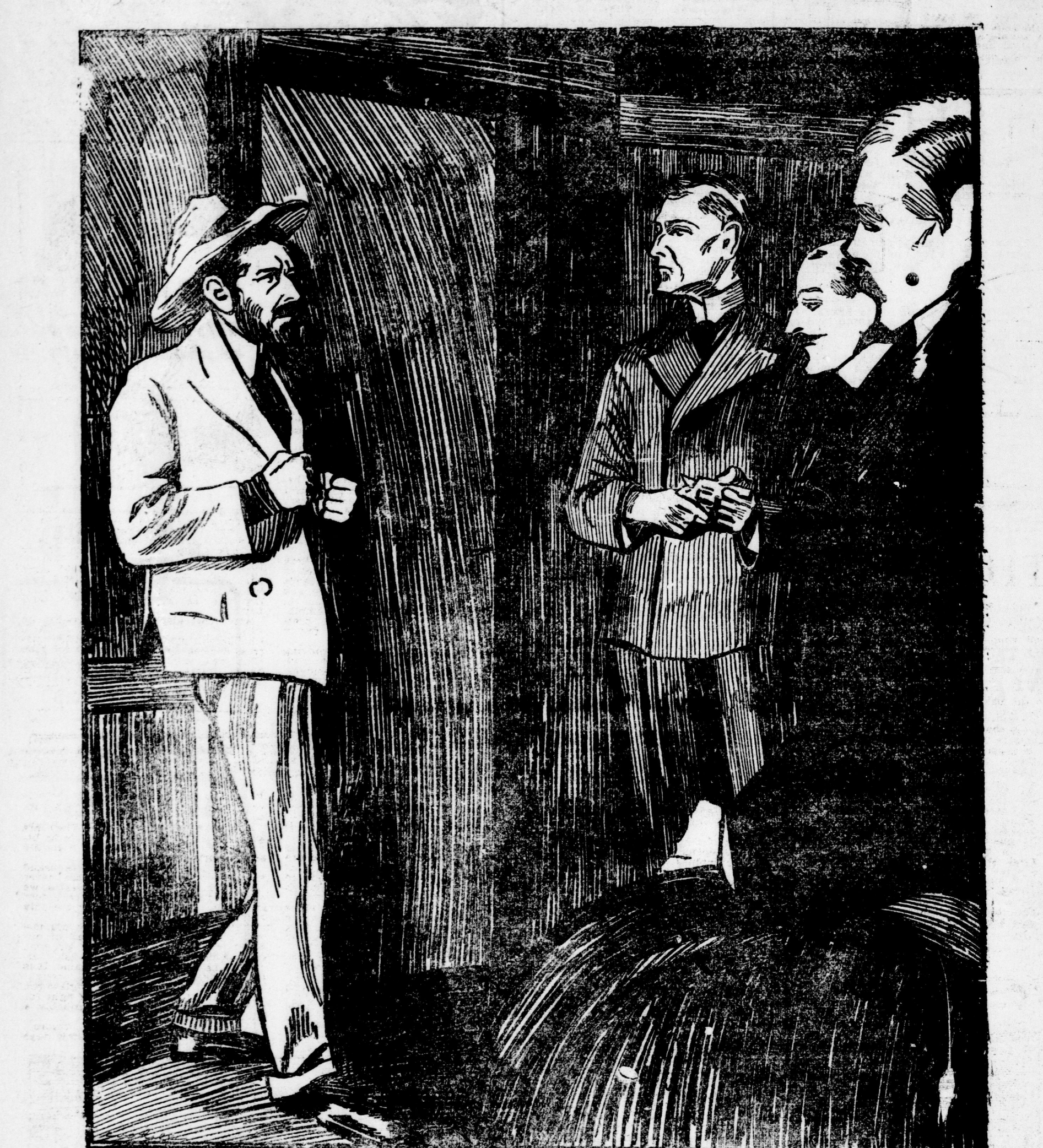
"What one man can invent another can discover," said Holmes. "There is a cab coming to convey you to Norwich, Mr. Slaney. But, meanwhile, you have time to make some small reparations for the injury you have wrought. See that Mrs. Hilton Cubitt is herself laid under grave suspicion of the murder of her husband, and the knowledge which I happened to possess, which has saved her from the accusation? The least that you owe me is to make clear to the world that she was in no way, directly or indirectly, responsible for his tragic end."

"I ask nothing better," said the American. "I request the very best case I can make for myself is the absolute naked truth."

"It is my duty to warn you that it will be used against you," cried the inspector, with the magnificent fair-play of the British criminal law.

Slaney shrugged his shoulders.

"I'll choose that," he said. "First of all, I want you gentlemen to understand that I have known this lady since she was a child. There were seven of us in a gang in Chicago, and Elsie's father was the boss of the joint. He was a clever man, was old Patrick. It was he who invented



I GUESS THE BEST CASE I CAN MAKE FOR MYSELF IS THE ABSOLUTE NAKED TRUTH.

figure in the trial," said Holmes, as he handed the bag with its contents to the inspector. "It is now necessary that we should try to throw some light upon this third bullet, which has clearly, from the splintering of the wood, been fired from inside the room. I should like to see Mrs. King, the cook again. You said, Mrs. King, that you were awakened by a loud explosion. When you said that, did you mean that it seemed to you to be louder than the second one?"

"Well, sir, it awakened me from my sleep, and so it is hard to judge. But it did seem very loud."

"You don't think that it might have been two shots fired almost at the same instant?"

"I am sure I couldn't say, sir."

"I believe that it was undoubtedly so. I rather think, Inspector Martin, that we have now exhausted all that

"I have no desire to make mysteries, but it is impossible at the moment of action to enter into long and complex explanations. I have the threads of this affair all in my hand. Even if this lady should never recover consciousness, we can still reconstruct the events of last night, and insure that justice be done. First of all, I wish to know whether there is any inn in this neighborhood known as 'Elsie's'?"

The servants were cross-questioned, but none of them had heard of such a place. The stable boy threw a light upon the matter by remembering that a farmer of that name lived some miles off, in the direction of East Ruston.

"Very lonely, sir."

"Perhaps they have not heard yet of all that happened here during the night."

"Maybe not, sir."

Holmes thought for a little, and then a curious smile played over his face. "Saddle a horse, my lad," said he. "I shall wish you to take a note to Elsie's Farm."

He took from his pocket the various slips of the dancing men. With these in front of him he worked for some time at the study table. Finally he handed a note to the boy, with directions to put it into the hands of the person to whom it was addressed, and especially to answer no questions of any sort which might be put to him. I saw the outside of the note, addressed in straggling, irregular characters, very unlike Holmes' neat preface handwriting, was consigned to Mr. Abe Slaney, Elsie's Farm, East Ruston, Norfolk.

"Is it a lonely farm?" Holmes remarked, "that you would do well to telegraph for an escort, as if my calculations prove to be correct, you may have a particularly dangerous prisoner to convey to the county jail. The boy who takes this note could not doubt forward your telegram. If there is any afternoon train to town, Watson, I think we should do well to take it, as I have a chemical analysis of some interest to finish, and this investigation draws rapidly to a close."

When the youth had been dispatched with the note, Sherlock Holmes gave his instructions to the servants. If any visitor were to call asking for Mrs. Hilton Cubitt, no information should be given as to her condition, but he was to be shown at once into the drawing-room. He impressed these points upon the boy with the utmost earnestness. Finally he led the way into the drawing-room with the remark, that the

sketches of children.

"Now, the first letter can only be A, which is a most useful discovery, since it occurs no fewer than three times in this short sentence, and the H is also apparent in the second word. Now it becomes:

AM HERE A.E. SLANEY.

On filling in the obvious vacancies in the name:

AM HERE ABE SLANEY.

I had so many letters now that I could proceed with considerable confidence to the second message, which worked out in this fashion:

A. ELRIE.

Here I could only make sense by putting T and G for the missing letters, and supposing that the name was that of some house or inn at which the writer was staying."

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figure in the trial," said Holmes, as he handed the bag with its contents to the inspector. "It is now necessary that we should try to throw some light upon this third bullet, which has clearly, from the splintering of the wood, been fired from inside the room. I should like to see Mrs. King, the cook again. You said, Mrs. King, that you were awakened by a loud explosion. When you said that, did you mean that it seemed to you to be louder than the second one?"

"Well, sir, it awakened me from my sleep, and so it is hard to judge. But it did seem very loud."

"You don't think that it might have been two shots fired almost at the same instant?"

"I am sure I couldn't say, sir."

"I believe that it was undoubtedly so. I rather think, Inspector Martin, that we have now exhausted all that

sketches of children.

"Now, the first letter can only be A, which is a most useful discovery, since it occurs no fewer than three times in this short sentence, and the H is also apparent in the second word. Now it becomes:

AM HERE A.E. SLANEY.

On filling in the obvious vacancies in the name:

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that writing, which would pass as a child's scrawl unless you happened to have the key to it. Well, Elsie learned some of our ways, but she couldn't stand the business, and she had a bit of honest money of her own, so she gave us all the slip and got away to London. She had been engaged to me, and she would have married me, I believe, if I had taken over another profession, but she would have nothing to do with anything on the cross. It was only after her marriage to this Englishman that I was able to find out where she was. I wrote to her, but got no answer. After that I came over and, as letters were no use, I put my messages where she could read them.

"Well, I have been here a month now. I lived in that farm, where I had a room down below, and could get in and out every night, and no one the wiser. I tried all I could to coax Elsie away. I knew that she read the messages, for once she wrote an answer under one of them. Then my temper got the better of me, and I began to threaten her. She sent me a letter then, imploring me to go away, and saying that it would break her heart, if any scandal should come upon her husband. She said that she would come down when her husband was asleep at three in the morning, and speak with me through the end window, if I would go away afterwards and leave her in peace. She came down and brought money with her, trying to bribe me to go. This made me mad, and I caught her arm and tried to pull her through the window. At that moment in rushed the husband with his revolver in his hand. Elsie had sunk down upon her floor, and we were face to face. I was heeled also, and I held up my gun to scare him off and let me get away. He fired and missed me. I pulled off almost at the same instant, and down he dropped. I made away across the garden, and as I went I heard the window shut behind me. That's God's truth, gentlemen, every word of it; and I heard no more about it until that had come riding up with a note which made me walk in here, like a jay, and give myself into your hands."

A cab had driven up whilst the American had been talking. Two uniformed policemen sat inside. Inspector Martin rose and touched his prisoner on the shoulder.

"It is time for us to go."

"Can I see her first?"

"No, she is not conscious. Mr. Sherlock Holmes, I only hope that, if ever again I have an important case, I shall have the good fortune to have you by my side."

We stood at the window and watched the cab drive away. As I turned back my eye caught the pellet of paper which the prisoner had tossed upon the table. It was the note with which Holmes had decoyed him.

"See if you can read it, Watson," said he, with a smile.

It contained no word, but this little line of dancing men—

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In the Day's Work.

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And:

"The two people hiding behind the lilac bushes felt their blood curdle."

And:

"Again came the wild, weird shriek."

And:

"Looking into each other's faces they found them the color of marble."

And then, after an interval of ten minutes:

"All of a sudden it came to them that the sounds were produced by a member licking her 15-year-old boy for drinking out of the mugs in his way home from the grocery, and she went on with them in the same happy strain as of yore. Life isn't a mere mistake, though, and one can't be too careful about getting the labels mixed. —Columbus Dispatch."

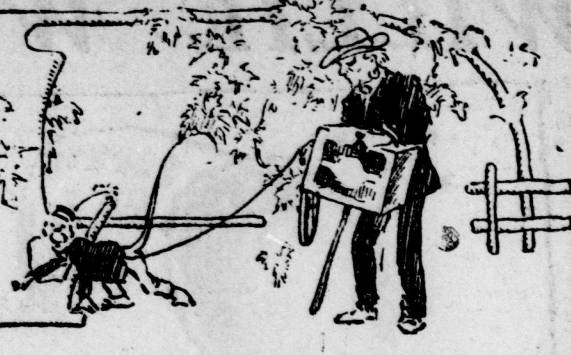
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Tom Tit's Experiment

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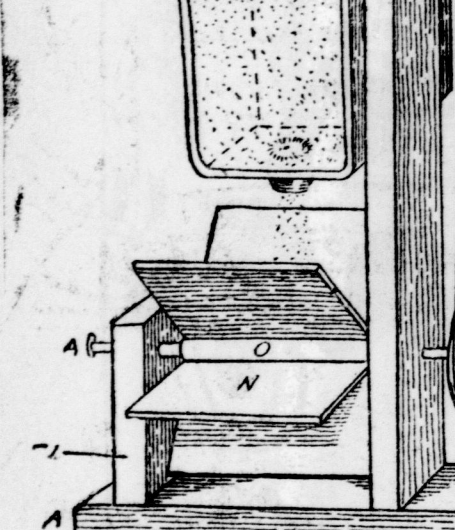
If not, don't miss it this week. Follow these directions by Tom Tit and you will have a motor to be proud of.

Take four pieces of wood about ten inches long, two and one-half inches wide and one-half inch thick.

Use one for the foundation, A-B. Set up the others, C, D and E, and fasten them to the foundation. Then set up a shorter piece, F, about three and one-half inches long.

Construct a sand wheel by first whitening the axle O, bore a little hole in each end, make the shaft wheel R, with a hole in the center of it; then, taking a long, thin nail, run it through O and R as an axle.

Before you do this, however, take visiting cards and with strong glue attach them, firmly to O as wings, N, for the sand wheel.



Parts of a Sand Motor

TROUBLES

MOTHER," said the little lad, "Does not have much time for play. Except on holidays, you see. When he's home and plays with me."

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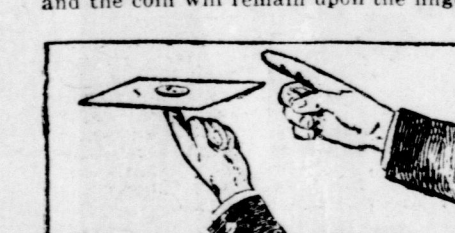
"Then you won't have much to do. And I'll stay all day with you. Guess you'll have to learn to play. Or what could we do all day?"

"Now you're always darning socks. You don't care for trains or blocks. No use giving you a toy-box, boy? Don't you wish you were a boy?"

"A. A. V. Thomson."

Coin and Card Trick

PLACE on the forefinger of your left hand held upright, a card; on the card place a penny or other large coin. You can remove this card without disturbing the coin. To do this, you must flip the card forcibly with the middle finger of the right hand. The pasted-board will be propelled across the room, and the coin will remain upon the finger.



Picture to Outline.

You see the dots, all numbered? Well, now, see who of you, boys and girls, can draw the outline, beginning at 1 and ending at 25, and find out what sort of picture it makes.

Polly Evans would like to see the result of your work.



For Quick Reading.

Can you repeat the following lines quickly without stumbling?

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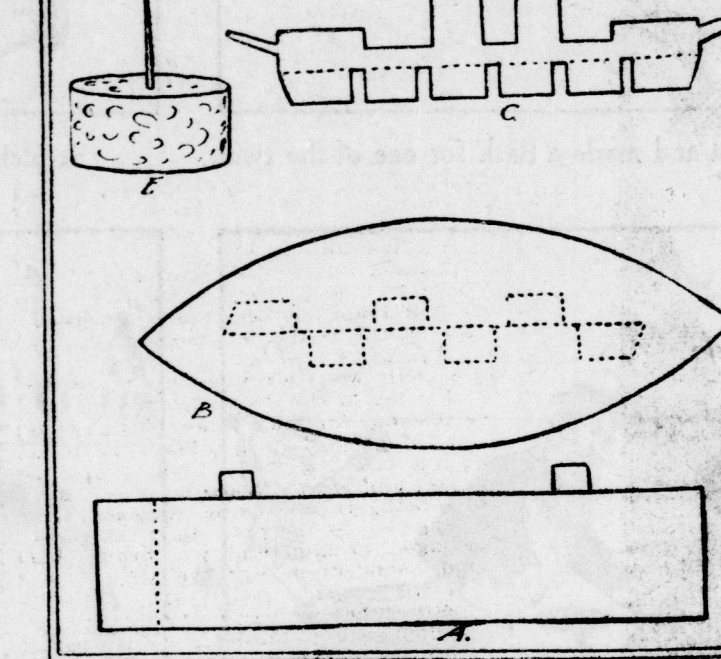
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Boat To Put Together

CUT out your points and scissors, boys and girls. Let's have some fun cutting out and coloring a boat.

Cut out the numbered parts and paste them on paste-board. Cut and A, together, placing each of the ends not marked by a dotted line over each of the ends which are marked by the dotted line, and pasting only as far as the dotted lines.

Bend the little flaps on A at straight angles; then place B upon AA and paste to the flaps.



Bend the flaps on C alternately to the right and left, so that each forms a right angle, and paste the flaps on the pieces marked D and E.

Take two corks of the same size as those shown, and stick a pin through the center of each. Place these two corks under the boat in the position shown in D, and stick the pins upward through E. Your boat is then finished.

Its appearance can be improved, of course, by placing silver paper upon the sides, etc.

You can then place your boat in a vessel filled with water, and, placing a tube in your mouth, blow through it, causing your little boat to rock on the waves.

AROUND THE WORLD GAME

THIS is such a jolly good game that it is worth your making special preparations for.

Suppose you hang on the walls a profuse number of railway maps, tourists' guides, etc., which can easily be got from railway and tourist offices.

You know what a parlor car looks like. Well, suppose you arrange the chairs in the room to look as much like those in a parlor car as possible.

The hostess should dress like an official guide or gatekeeper with cap and brass buttons. As each guest appears she should give him a ticket with this inscription printed or written on it, or better yet, painted prettily, so that it will do for a souvenir:

From Jollyville to Most Any Place. Good for Continuous Trip Only. (Write the date of your party.)

At the next door should stand an official to punch the tickets and hand each guest a traveler's guide. You should have made these guides yourself previously to the party. Use several sheets of white paper, each provided with numbered lines, bound with pretty water-color paper on which you paste or paint a picture of a tourist (easily found in any magazine advertising page) and the title, "Travelers' Guide."

When all your traveler guests are seated in the parlor car, call "all aboard," pull a tiny rope and make a bell ring—which means that the train has started.

Then let some one, imitating a vendor, carry a trayful of candy, peanuts, magazines, etc., up and down the car, making as much of a nuisance of himself to the passengers as possible, the more the fun.

Presently the train stops and the conductor should call out the place in the language of the country where you are now supposed to be. If in France, for instance, call out, "Paris! Descendez, messieurs les voyageurs."

At that all your passengers should arise, walk around the room and examine the numbered articles you have placed here and there. When they come to No. 1 they must guess what geographical place it stands for and write the name down on the line marked No. 1 in their guides.

After the guests have guessed for about ten minutes, make a "chon-choo" sound, call "all aboard!" and start off for another trip, landing presently in another country. Then all off for another ten minutes of guessing.

Here are suggestions for your puzzle articles:

A clear (for Havana). A cup and saucer (for China). Manila paper (for Manila).

Box of gold cream (for Greece). A new Noah's Ark (for Newark).

A bit of Castle soap (for Castle). A cork (for the city of that name).

A Leghorn straw hat (for Leghorn). A bit of coral (Naples).

The Red Sea (a red letter C). A picture of a man on a bicycle (Wheeling).

A bottle of cologne (to suggest that town).

An alphabet card of capital letters (to represent all the capitals).

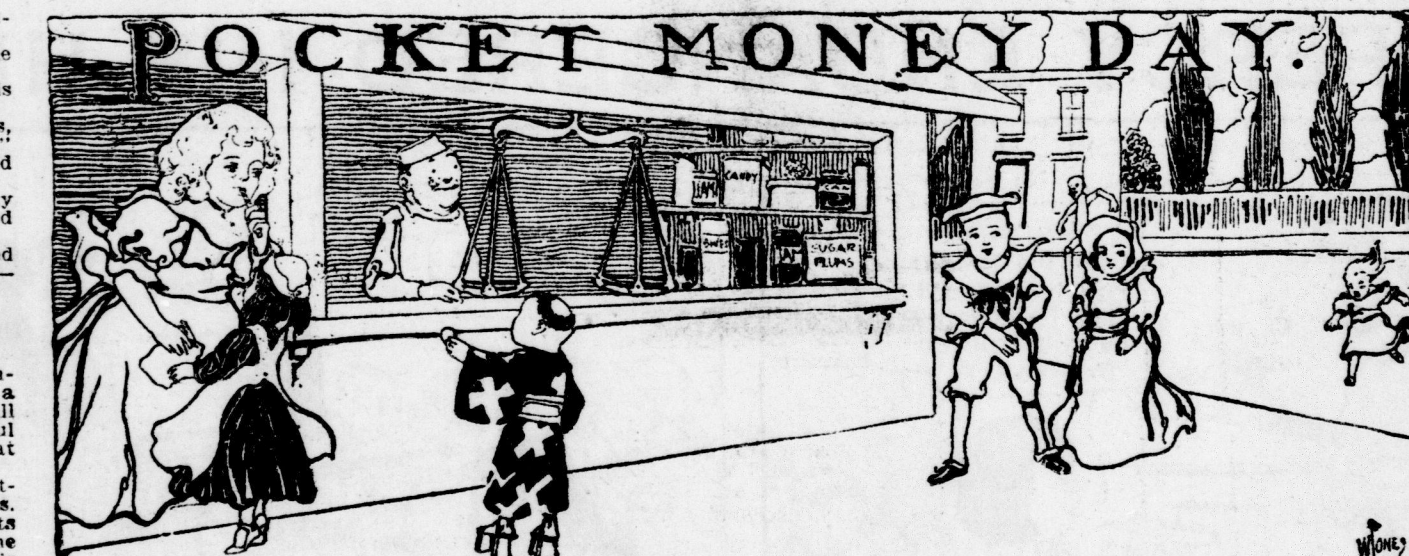
A bit of Dresden, of Delft and of Sevres china (to recall the three places of their manufacture).

A bit of the linen called "brown holland" (to suggest that country).

An orange (for Florida). Brazil-nuts (for Brazil).

Macaroni (for Italy). And a philopona ought to do very well for the Philippines.

After the guessing is over gather up all the travelers' guides and invite your guests to the refreshment counter, which should look as nearly like a railway lunch counter as possible. Sandwiches, fruit, cake, etc., should be served by a couple of girls appropriately dressed.



POCKET MONEY DAY.
All the dollies go for goodies, just across the way;
Mr. Goody gives them heaps, for just a little pay,
On Pocket Money, Pocket Money, Pocket Money Day.

PUZZLES & PROBLEMS

5. No matter how — I am, I will come
when you and for me.
Rulxu, one turn, lewl, roletub, yubs.

Answers to Last Week's Puzzles and Problems

Jumbled Proverb.
"Never scold your lips in other folks' broth."

Transposition Puzzle.
Poughkeepsie, N. Y. Eau Claire, Wis. Omaha, Neb. Vidalia, La. Louisville, Ky. Altona, Pa. Los Angeles, Cal. Niagara, N. Yorktown, Va. Scranton, Pa.

Riddles.
1. One (p).
2. It burns no longer.

Similes in Dryme.
As wet as a fish—as dry as a bone. As plump as a partridge—as poor as a rat. As strong as a horse—as weak as a cat. As hard as flint—as soft as a mole. As white as a lily—as black as a bear. As light as a drum—as free as the air. As plain as a pikestaff—as rough as a bear. As busy as a bee—as idle as a dog. As steady as a plumb—as uncertain as a weather. As slow as a tortoise—as swift as a dove. As gay as a jack—as sick as a dog. As proud as a peacock—as humble as a worm. As true as a pike—as false as a monk. As honest as a dog—as dishonest as a cat. As kind as a lamb—as cruel as a wolf. As cool as a cucumber—as warm as toast.

Domino Puzzle.
By gently pushing the domino marked "6," you can cause all the lower tier dominoes to move to the right just enough to cause five equal-sized rectangular vacant places to appear.

What Birds?
Here are three more pictures of birds for you to complete. Then, can you tell Polly Evans what kind of birds they are?

Riddle.
What is the difference between a hungry boy and a greedy boy?

Can You Read Polly Evans' Mind?
Polly Evans has thought of eight words. Here they are, several letters omitted. Now, can you read Polly Evans' mind and tell her the eight words she thought of?

Incomplete Sentences.
Following are half a dozen sentences, in each of which one word is left blank. See if you can find each word in the list of jumbled words and put in its proper place.

1. Kirk — is a very popular writer of books.
2. When children are not — they are likely to be petulant.
3. When we are in — our true friends come forward to help.
4. A Paris hat is usually an expensive

Match Puzzle.
Can any of you boys and girls tell Polly Evans how the position of seven of these eleven matches can be altered so as to make a six?

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True Story of a Parrot

HARLIE is a large green parrot, with a red head, green and yellow wings and a white ruff around his neck.

He came from South America, and is now about 15 years old. His home is in Baltimore, where he is a great pet in the family in which he lives.

Charlie is a very bright bird, and has a wonderful command of English for a parrot, and also speaks Spanish, in which language he is polite enough to give vent to his bad temper, which he displays more frequently than he did when he was younger.

Charlie loves his mistress dearly. In the morning, when she goes into the room where his cage stands, he always says, "Howdy-do." Charlie wants his breakfast. Then, if she gives him a cherry or a piece of apple or peach, he takes it in his claw, and, tasting it, says, "Pretty good, pretty good."

He knows the time of the different meals, and no one can confuse him. For instance, sometimes his mistress will say at breakfast time, "Does Charlie want his dinner?" and he replies, "Charlie wants his supper."

When visitors call he always greets them with "Howdy-do," and when they leave says "Good-bye," but when his mistress leaves, it is "Good-bye, dear."

His fond mistress has been in the habit of letting him out of his cage every day for a change, and very often goes all over the house with him perched on her shoulder. At such times he frequently says to her, "Come, kiss me; don't you want to?" or will vary it by saying, "Don't you want to kiss me, dear?" and then, if she turns her head, he will put his bill to her lips.

Charlie is a very vain bird, but a very clean one, and enjoys his bath nearly every morning, after which he spends much time preening his feathers, and when he is dry and every feather in place, he will say in the most complacent tone, "Char, pretty good, pretty good."

Once when his mistress was moving his cage was put in a dark room, from which everything had been removed. Charlie evidently did not appreciate this kind of treatment, for when in the even-

ing she came in to see how he was getting along, he said in the most disgusted manner, "What's the matter?"

When the stork brought a little baby girl to the home of his mistress, not long ago, Charlie at once became very jealous. Whenever he catches a glimpse of this wee baby, or hears her crying he ruffles up his feathers and gives vent to the most angry shrieks.

But one day he further showed his jealousy by doing something he had never done before, and which sealed his doom, for then his mistress decided to part with him. When she was carrying him around the house as usual on her shoulder the baby happened to cry, and it enraged him so much that he walked down her arm and deliberately took a nip out of the back of her neck. The pain was so great that she threw out her arm with great force she caused Charlie to land under a bed, where for some time he remained sulking and saying, "Poor Charlie, poor boy."

After this display of bad temper he was put back in his cage, and there Charlie will live until his mistress decides upon a new home for him. This will probably be in a country where there are no babies or other pets to excite his jealousy.

JESSIE BOWLES FISHER.

WHAT PHYLIS LEARNED ABOUT MINNOWS

LITTLE PHYLIS likes to go a-fishing, and she has brought home all sorts of things, from sea to land fish.

Many little stories of her "fishes" are told by Lenore E. Muelers in "Stories of Little Fishes." The new series tells what Phylis learned about minnows.

Phylis and her minnows were left alone at their summer cottage one day. Her father and brother Jack took the boat and went across to the other end of the lake to fish.

As they expected to be in the boat all day, mamma thought Phylis would do better to stay with her.

Phylis waited quite a while at first; for with her father and Jack as teachers, she was becoming quite a little fisherman. She had learned to bait her hooks and take the fishes off as well as Jack.

When she ran down to the lake shore, there on a great rock where she loved to sit, was a can of bait and her line and hook.

"He's the nicest brother I ever had," said Phylis, laughing. "You sit beside me, mother, and I'll show you what I can catch. Perhaps it will be a little fish. If it's a catfish, you'll have to run, or it will spout water all over you, you know."

So mamma sat down on the rock beside Phylis, and all was quiet for a while. Then the float began to bob up and down quite alarmingly.

"Mamma, and Phylis: 'you must keep still or you'll scare them away!'"

Another bobbing of the float, and Phylis gave a jerk which threw the fish straight against mamma's face.

"Oh, I beg your pardon, mamma," cried Phylis.

"Is it a whale?" mamma asked, as she wiped the water away.

"Well, really," began Phylis, and then she began to laugh, for the fish she had caught was no more than three inches long. "It is hardly a whale. I do not

know how it is that I nearly always catch minnows. They are only good for bait."

"Oh, no!" said mamma. "They are good to eat, except that they are so little and so full of bones that it hardly seems worth while."

"There are more than a thousand species of minnows. They are not large fish. In the Eastern States we scarcely ever find one more than a foot in length, and more often they are only a few inches."

The hornhead is a sort of minnow which is common in almost all of our small streams. Every boy or girl who goes a-fishing knows it. It is very active, and is most easily caught with a hook baited with an earthworm.

When caught it makes a great fight for so small a creature. It is probably a hornhead which you caught."

"The minnows have beautiful colors," said Phylis. "I caught one a few days ago, and its back was bluish green and its sides a bright green, with glints of gold where the light struck it. Underneath it was pale, but not exactly silver. Its fins were a pale red-yellow."

"That was a hornhead," said mamma. "The spring the males have a spot of crimson on each side of their heads and a rosy tinge on the under part of the body."

"Well," said Phylis, as she cast in her hook for another fish, "I think more of minnows than I did."

Cloth Made From Wood

United States Consul Atwell writes from Roubaix, France, to the State Department:

"Justin Muller read a paper recently before the Industrial Society of Mulhouse on certain printed goods, the warp of which is composed of cotton, and the woof of a thread made from wood pulp. These goods were introduced almost four years ago. At the outset sheets of wood pulp paper were cut into fine shreds and twisted into thread by machines made for the purpose. Later the paper process has been abandoned, and the wood pulp is passed directly over grooved metal sheets forming very thin ribbons, which pass in turn over a machine that twists them into a regular thread of any desired length."

"These threads of wood fibre are known as xylolime, silvalime and icelima, and are numbered like any others. The dynamometer resistance of this thread in a dry state, taking 100 as the resistance of jute threads, is about 55; that of cotton thread in a dry state is 100. The difference is widely in favor of jute and cotton; but it is thought that improvements may increase the resistance of the wood pulp thread. As it is to be used only in mixed goods great resistance is not of essential importance."

"Dischloths are made of this thread in connection with hemp and the mixture is washed, dyed and printed. While wet the wood pulp softens; but recovers its resistance in drying. There are already manufacturers for the production of wood fibre thread in Germany, Spain and Netherlands, and France will shortly have a factory. It is thought that this thread may be used advantageously in the manufacture of passementerie, and that it may replace jute and cotton in the composition of many articles."

Surprise Cut Out

Here is a jolly cut-out stunt. When you have learned to do it quickly and well, will be a nice surprise for you to spring on your friends.

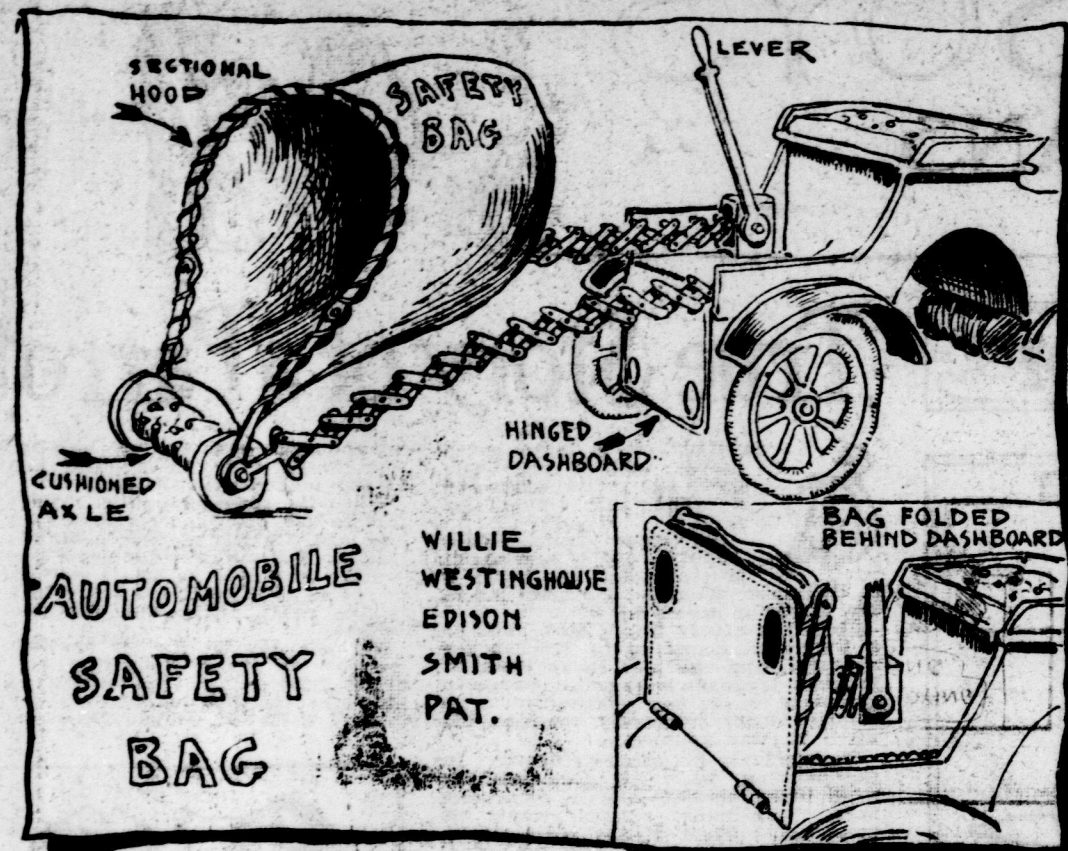
It is all in the folding. Follow the pictures and you can do it.

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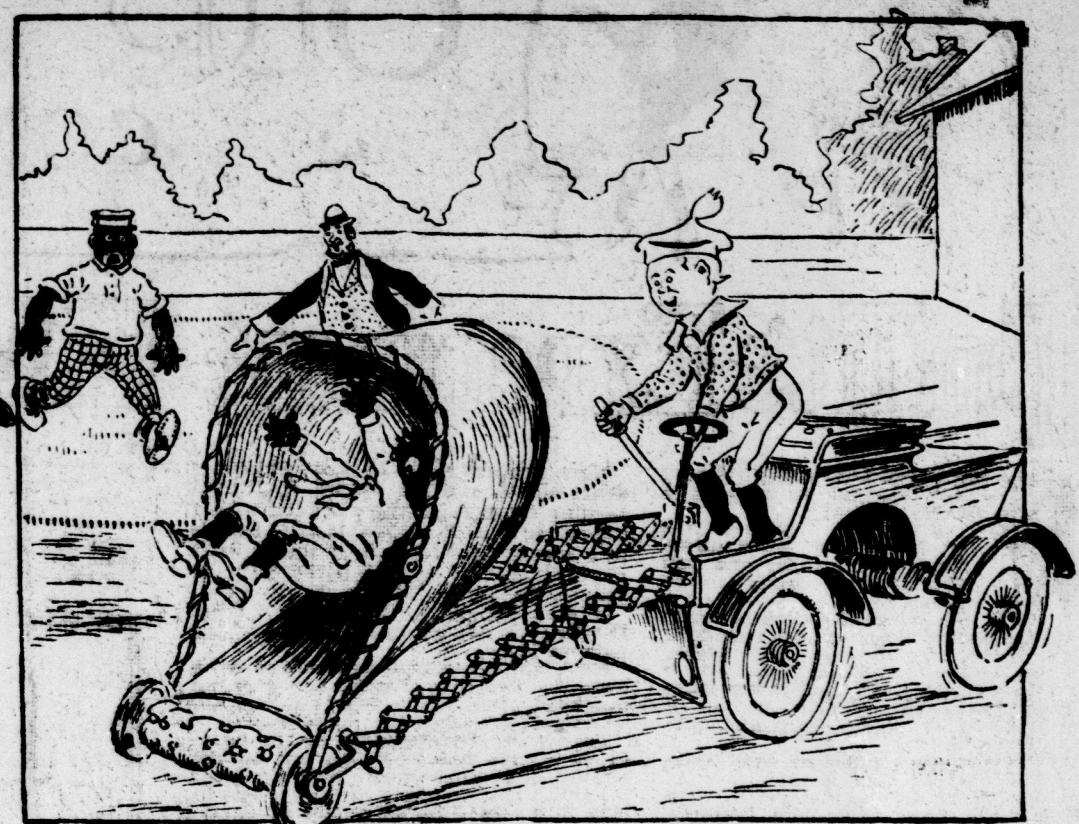
WILLIE WESTINGHOUSE'S AUTO LIFE-SAVING DEVICE



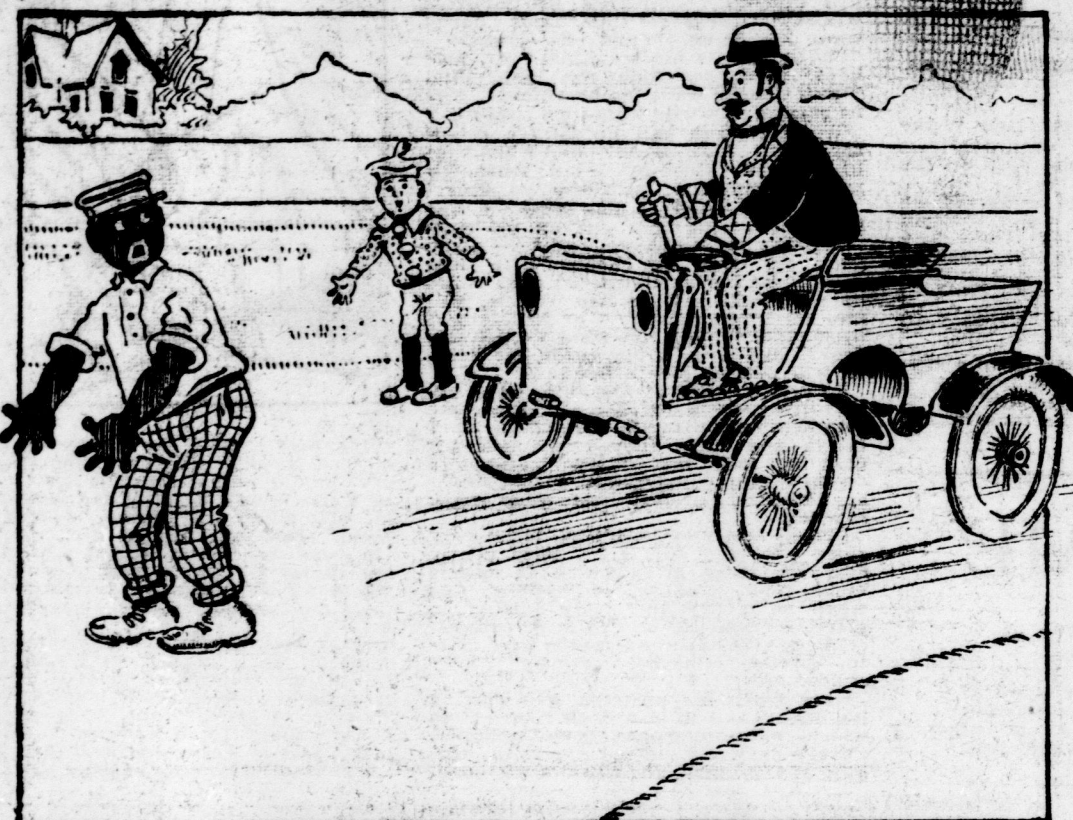
Dear Tommy—This is a diagram of an automobile safety bag which I designed.



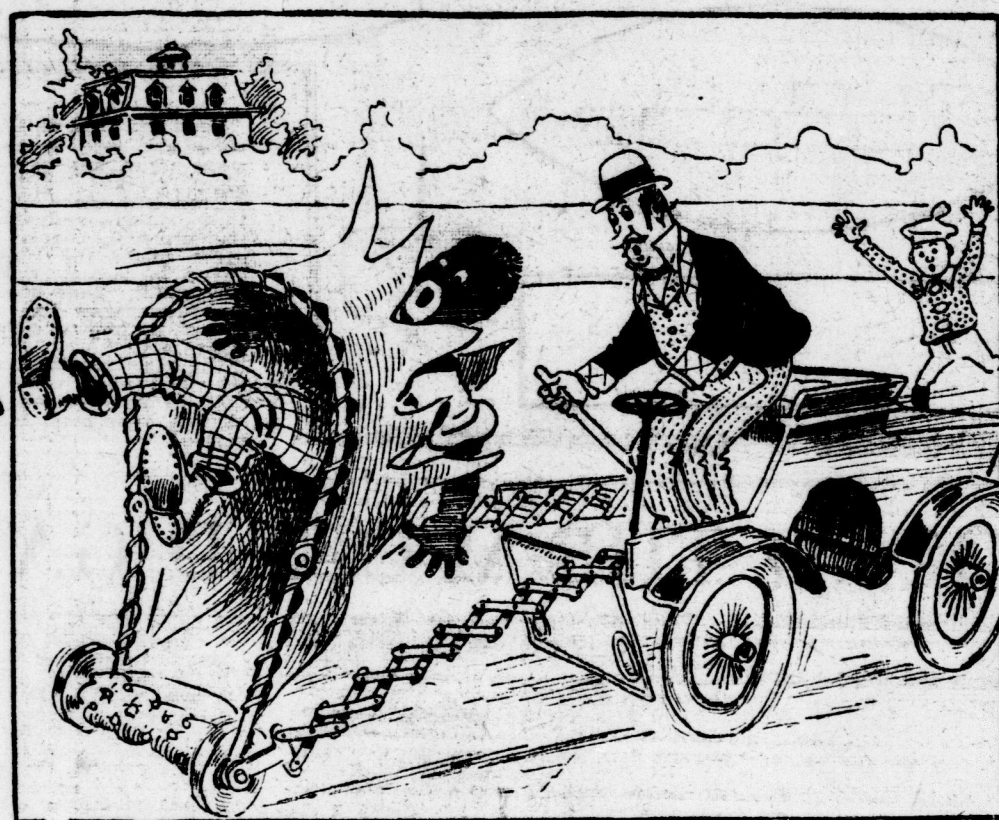
I attached it to our auto on the quiet and made a dash for one of the twins.



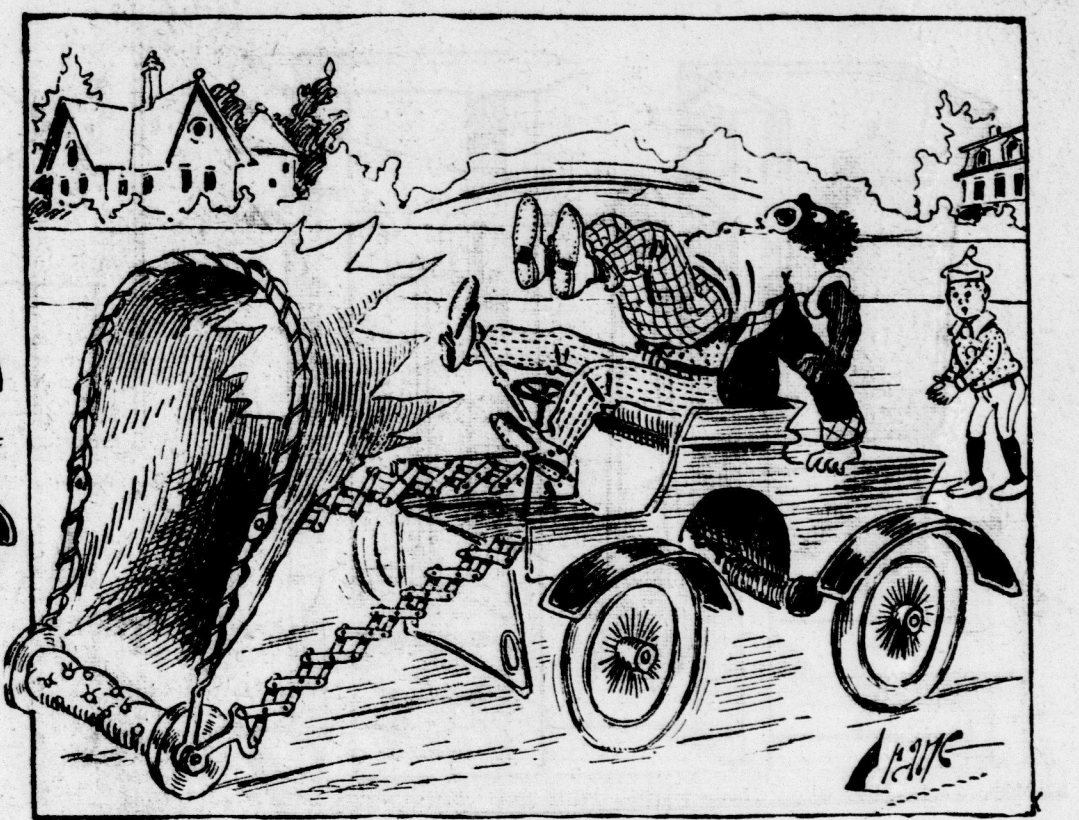
It picked him up without a jar, but nearly scared Papa and Jim into fits.



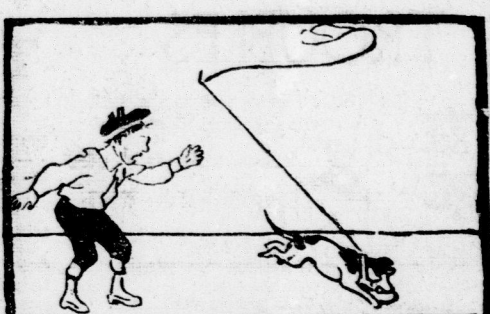
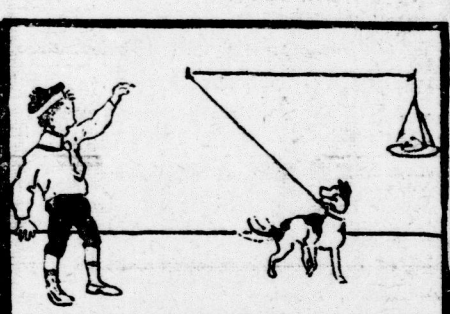
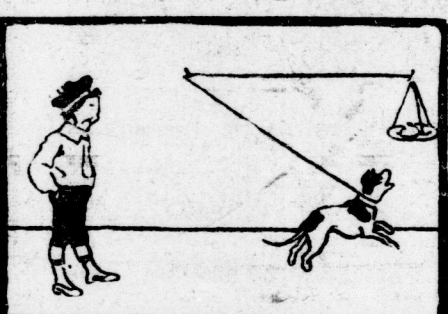
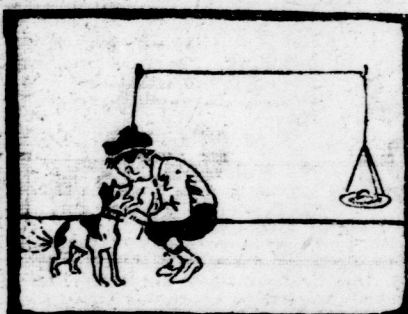
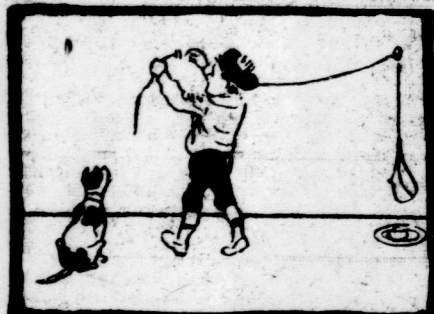
When Papa saw how it worked he coaxed Jim into being saved.



But it wasn't strong enough, and Jim went right through it, head first.



He landed on Papa, but neither was hurt—they were only scared. Willie.



HOW PRETENDING PERCY ENDANGERED HIS HEALTH BY STUDY

