













## STRATFORD MAN IS ASSISTANT SCHOOL INSPECTOR HERE

Was Named at Meeting of Board of Education.

## MANY SALARY JUMPS Janitors of Public Schools Are All Awarded Increases.

Board of education transactions: Appointed V. K. Greer of Stratford assistant inspector at an initial salary of \$2,500. Made Inspector C. B. Edwards' salary \$3,700 a year. Granted Dr. Fuller an increase of \$200 to \$1,200. Increased the janitors' salaries ten per cent. Granted John Clemens an increase of \$200, making his salary \$1,400. Fixed the rate of wages for John Hutchinson at 33 cents an hour. Petition for a school in the vicinity of Quebec and Oxford streets was left to No. 1 committee. Filled the communication of the Principals' Association regarding the salary schedule. Decided to make application to the department of education to have the London Art and Technical School given the standing of a technical high school.

**Asked For Delay.** W. T. Strong urged that the appointment of the assistant inspector be held over. He thought that the local teachers, if qualified, should be given the position rather than an outsider. His reason for asking delay was that the principals were asking the department to make the qualifications for inspectors, such that all principals could qualify. Inspector Edwards pointed out that the principals had been asking for this for many years. He was of the opinion that the department would not accede to the request. He stated that there was one teacher in London who was qualified to fill the position, but he had not applied for it.

H. Hayman said that no applications had been received from any London teachers, and urged that the appointment be not delayed.

**Opposed Outsiders.** Mrs. A. T. Edwards said that there was a feeling in the city that outsiders should not be picked for the good positions of the city if it were at all possible to give them to qualified citizens.

Chairman J. S. Barnard thought the appointment of W. H. T. Mooney to the principalship of the collegiate institute proved that the board would always choose London teachers for any advanced positions where at all possible.

Inspector C. B. Edwards expressed himself in sympathy with the citizens in asking that the London teachers receive first consideration where possible.

After the discussion the board unanimously voted it to V. K. Greer at an initial salary of \$2,500, with increases up to \$3,000 a year.

**Nurses Under One Body.** Chairman J. H. Saunders of the board of health was present to ask that the board take some action with a view to placing the school nurses under the board of health. This was referred to No. 1 committee for further consideration.

Capt. C. Fletcher appeared before the board in support of the petition of A. Bishop and T. Edwards asking for a school in the vicinity of Quebec and Oxford streets. He pointed out that the children from this section have to cross the C. P. R. tracks in order to get to a school. The distance that many of them are obliged to go necessitates their carrying dinner. In some of the schools he asserted there was no provision for a lunchroom where the children might eat. The question of a new school was referred to No. 1 committee and the committee requested a lunchroom was left with Inspector C. B. Edwards.

**Also Ask Increase.** Ten kindergarten assistants asked for an increase in salary. They pointed out that whereas formerly the difference between the assistants and the other teachers was only \$100, it was now \$200. They contended that they had been overlooked when the salary schedule was made recently, and they asked for consideration. The question was referred to No. 1 committee.

The request of the collegiate janitors for more pay was left with No. 3 committee for consideration.

E. Smith and W. N. Manning registered strong opposition to the amount of homework that is given the children. The statement was made that some of the teachers were having the children do some at home.

Inspector C. B. Edwards was instructed to see that the teachers did not overstep in the matter of giving homework to be done at home in the future.

On motion of W. N. Manning, Mrs. Ronald Harris the appreciation of the board was expressed to Hon. Dr. H. J. Cody for his service in connection with the opening of the Technical School.

J. S. Barnard, W. N. Manning and Mrs. A. T. Edwards were appointed a committee to bring the advantages of the Technical School before the board.

W. T. Strong suggested that some steps be taken to improve the playgrounds for Simcoe street school. This was referred to No. 2 committee.

## COURSE ON TRACTORS TO RUN TWO DAYS AT TECUMSEH HOUSE

Work on Gasoline Engines Also Included in Free Teaching.

Under the auspices of the Ontario Department of Agriculture, a two-day course of instruction in the use of tractors and gasoline engines will open at the Tecumseh House on Monday. The following is the program: Monday, 1:30 p.m.—(a) General principles of the gasoline engine. (b) Battery ignition. 8:00 p.m.—(a) Marmet ignition. (b) Carburetion. Tuesday, 10:00 a.m.—Demonstrations with cross-sections of gasoline engine, carburetor, magnetos, etc., and the study of engine in actual operation. 2:00 p.m.—(a) Operation and care of gas engines. (b) Engine troubles. No fees are charged those attending these courses.

R. M. C. BEAT QUEENS, KINGSTON, Feb. 4.—The play-off in the Junior O. H. A. series here was won by R. M. C., who defeated Queens by 5 to 2.

## INSTANT POSTUM yields a delicate aroma and delicious flavor, and it's economical.

## WELFARE WORK OF S. A. C. NOW FILLING BIG WANT IN LONDON

Miss Keene Makes the First Monthly Report.

## SOME IMPORTANT WORK Meeting Families of Soldiers, Strangers Here, Is Most Useful.

Miss Hilka Keene, welfare visitor for the Soldiers' Aid Commission, has made her first end-of-the-month report, entering upon her duties as visitor and helpful sister to the families of returning soldiers on December 15. In the weeks that have intervened her days have been filled to overflowing with visits to homes of sickness or other distress, meeting wives and dependents of soldiers on their arrival, and in various ways fulfilling her mission. The influenza epidemic has been responsible for her calls for help. Since December 15 she has helped in some way 75 cases, making 101 calls.

After a busy first month of visiting and so on, she steps for a few minutes into the welfare work of the Soldiers' Aid Commission. By and by she will go down to the station to welcome the wives and children of soldiers who are coming in by a noon train. She feels her inability to do all she would like to do. Through meeting the soldiers' wives coming as strangers to the city, she has come to the conclusion that the most important service that can be rendered them is to put them in touch with the advantages which the city offers in the way of services of public health nurses, child welfare clinics, etc.

**Help Is Needed.** Of supreme importance in the very beginning is finding clean, comfortable boarding-houses. It is most important, she emphasizes, to initiate the newcomers into the ways of the city. Many of them do not even understand the housing system in Canada, and need help and explanation concerning marketing here. For this reason, Miss Keene insists, follow-up work is required after the wives and dependents are not.

In the welfare work she has the assistance of the public health nurses and the housewives' welfare organization.

Cases are reported by her to these public health nurses, who, in turn, bring cases of sickness in homes of the newcomers to the attention of the department of the Soldiers' Aid Commission. Now it is the baby of the city which requires to be taken to the baby clinic.

The child welfare nurse subsequently visits the home to show the mother how to prepare the food in a way which is required to restore the babe to health.

**New Organization.** The other day in the city a Neighborhood Workers' Association was formed, one of the chief promoters of which is Miss Keene. The idea is that all the public health nurses and welfare workers, social investigators or volunteer welfare associations will thus get closely in touch with one another for confidential exchange of information in order to prevent overlapping and to exchange advice. Further, an effort will be made to have the relief committee of the city council meet with this organization.

Sometimes a case arises where a soldier's family is financially embarrassed through continued illness or for some other cause. The influenza epidemic has been responsible for the fact that relief work has been required in a number of cases. Under the co-operation of Mrs. A. T. Edwards, a vegetable depot has been equipped on Carling street to do efficient work. A vegetable depot is operated in the basement of the city market. Women members of the Soldiers' Aid Commission have rendered important services in providing extra for lunches and supervising the lunches at the barracks when the boys come home.

With regard to the ravages of the influenza epidemic, seven members of one family were sent to the hospital. In another case, when both parents were sent to hospital, the orphan children were cared for in the orphan's home in their absence.

Miss Keene sums up in these words the chief aim of the welfare department of the soldiers: "Welfare is intended to help people to help themselves."

## THIRTY RETURNED MEN OFF MEGANTIC ARRIVE IN LONDON

Came in at 7:20 p.m.—Many Detained Previously.

## TOO MANY 'EATS' AT DEPOT Men Well Treated—Many of 142nd Battalion Included in Party.

Of eighty-eight returned soldiers off the megantic, thirty came to London, the others having left in the train at points east of here. The district depot authorities, knowing that the number of the returned soldiers was always considerably less than the total number whose arrival is announced in advance, were prepared to feed only about forty, and even then the supply of "eats" was considerably in excess of the capacity of the men who reported at the school. These, in fact, numbered barely a dozen.

The men reached London via the C. P. R. on the 7:20 train last evening. There was a fairly large and enthusiastic demonstration at the station, although the crowd was not nearly so dense as it has been on one or two recent occasions when returning men have arrived over the Grand Trunk. As usual the men whose homes are in the city went direct to their homes, while those who went to Princess Avenue School, a considerable proportion were men whose homes are in the United States. Most of these decided to remain in the city.

**Treatment Good.** The men stated that their trip across the Atlantic was a pleasant one. The accommodation was described as excellent and the food quite beyond criticism. The veterans declared that they could not have asked for better treatment than was accorded them, and that the port but also on the train from St. John.

W. J. McWha, of St. John, N. B., accompanied a number of his fellow veterans who volunteered their services as Y. M. C. A. workers on train trips from the Atlantic coast to inland points, accompanied the London party as far as this city. The men said he kept them supplied with cigarettes, writing paper and magazines, and that he was untiring in his efforts to make them comfortable in every possible way.

No less than five of the men who returned last evening were former members of the 142nd Battalion. Of these Ptes. Ed. Sands and J. Ditty, both of this city, served together in France with the 1st Battalion. The latter was wounded at Arras last fall. Sands came through without becoming a casualty from wounds although a severe cut on the back of one hand is a constant reminder to him that on one occasion he had a very narrow escape.

Pte. Ed. Gerrard, another Londoner who enlisted with the 142nd and who served with the 15th at the front, was wounded last year for the first time. Pte. W. H. Hill, a native of Okanogan, went overseas with the C. M. C. two years ago. He was not allowed to go to France but has served in several different hospitals in England.

## FERRY SUGGESTED TO CROSS THAMES RIVER A LA VENICE

Manager Buchanan Offers Alternative For Bridge.

## PARKS SUPT. IS THROUGH Resignation of F. Dawson Is Accepted by Parks Committee.

At a meeting of the parks committee, held yesterday afternoon, it was decided to recommend that the resignation of Parks Superintendent F. Dawson be accepted. Chairman Jared Vining suggested that a former employee of the board, R. B. Smith, would make a suitable superintendent. After some discussion it was decided to advertise for a man to fill the position. The individual members of the board were also requested to get in touch with any possible applicant. The question of salary coming up, it was thought that the board might better pay \$2,000 if a good man could not be secured for less.

**Asks For Lease.** W. N. Lowry, the lessee of Springbank pavilion asked for a lease for five years, commencing this spring at an annual rent of \$1,000 a year. No action was taken on this, as the old lease has this year still to run. The present rental is \$500.

E. V. Buchanan presented the estimates for the year which were approved. They include the full half mill appropriation of \$20,800, the \$1,000 surplus of last year's board and \$1,700 income from rentals and amusements in the parks.

Out of the \$23,500 total it is estimated that \$10,000 will be spent on Springbank Park, \$5,200 on Victoria Park, \$3,100 on Queen's Park, \$500 on other parks, and \$1,000 on training, and \$1,800 on general expenses.

**Suggests Ferry.** E. V. Buchanan suggested that instead of the usual "cantilever" bridge across the river, a cable ferry be built. A pump-house, a ferry be installed there this year. He thought that two boats could be arranged on a cable, so that intending passengers could work their own passage. This little detail will be further discussed later.

## NO BOLSHEVISM WHERE YOU HAVE THE OPEN BIBLE

Rev. H. H. Bingham's Farewell Address To Bible Society.

## NEW HEAD INTRODUCED

Rev. Principal Waller Is Now President—Year an Excellent One.

Rev. Principal C. C. Waller, D.D. of Huron College was introduced as the new president of the Western Ontario Bible Society at the annual meeting held last evening in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Rev. H. H. Bingham, doing the honors. The yearly reports were the best ever presented, according to Dr. McCrae, who placed them before the meeting, the financial report showing receipts amounting to \$2,714.91 and cash in the bank to the amount of \$2,714.91 after all disbursements had been made. The report also shows that \$6,000 was last year remitted to the Canadian Bible Society. The report taken as read, were seconded by President Braithwaite.

An interesting feature of the evening's program was the presentation of seven new life memberships by the Rev. Prof. T. G. A. Wright, J.M.A. and President Braithwaite, Ph.D. These life memberships were presented to the Rev. Canon Gunn and the Rev. A. A. Bice of London, the Rev. Arthur Johnson of Ilderton, Mrs. Rosina Clark of London Township, Mrs. Israel Taylor and Mrs. D. H. Gillies of London, and Miss Anna Pearce.

**Bible Achievements.** The address of the evening was delivered by H. H. Bingham on "The Achievements of the Bible," this being his farewell address before leaving for the west. The whole object of Mr. Bingham's address was to point out how the Bible had been instrumental in giving the world the greatest literature, the noblest in art and music, the best in government and the highest in religion.

"The Bible stands wholly unique in the realm of literature," declared the speaker. "There is not a form of literature which this book does not contain, whether it be lyric, dramatic or didactic poetry, history, biography, philosophy, hymns, prayers, romance, law, visions, religion. All is found here. What a marvellous impression it has made on the English language and on the literature of the world. Our literature is saturated with ideas from this book. Shakespeare is full of it. We see it in Tennyson and Browning. No great statesman ever made a great speech without some form of reference to it. No book seems to bring together so many of the great ideas of the world as the Bible does on the sideboard of the peasant."

**Found in Music.** "In the realms of music and art its influence is found in the best that has been produced. In music we have the songs of David, and the great oratorios of the ages, Handel's 'Messiah,' with its wonderful 'Hallelujah Chorus'; Haydn's 'Creation,' the product of three years of prayer before God on the part of the musician, and Mendelssohn's 'Elijah,' the most dramatic oratorio that ever was written. We should have been benefited of these without the Word of God."

And what is true of music is also true of painting and sculpture. The art of painting and sculpture is also found in the Bible. The Bible is the greatest work of art and music, the best in government and the highest in religion.

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If fermentation of food in the stomach can be prevented, you go a long way towards stopping the most frequent ailment of the day. Doctors who have studied the formula of Dr. Hamilton's Pills say it would be difficult to find a remedy better adapted to stomach ailments. After once using Dr. Hamilton's Pills, the stomach is cleared of the sour, fermenting matter that causes gas, heartburn, indigestion and headache. You will be pleasantly surprised at the smooth, easy way in which Hamilton's Pills tone up the liver, kidneys and stomach.

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To strengthen the muscular system, to bring a keen edge to the appetite, elasticity to the step and brightness to the eyes, nothing can compare with Dr. Hamilton's Pills. Sold everywhere in 25c boxes.

galleries are filled with Fra Angelico's, Michael Angelo's Raphael's and Rubens' production, of which we should have been benefited had it not been for the influence of the Bible.

**Principles in Government.** "The achievement of the Bible in the realm of government has been very great. From it we get the exalted principle on which all good government is based—justice, honor, freedom. I wonder if we live up to those great principles as we are demanding that the Germans should. God help us that we do, and that we be doers of the word. The Bible will always be a barometer of a nation. You never have outbreaks of Bolshevism where you have an open Bible. There are three or four things to do with the Bible which make it a book that make for great civilization. It inspires all great philanthropists and helps them to serve the bruised and broken of the nation. It supplies the only evangel of Christ.

To get the Bible into the life of the nation, we must print it, publish it and practice it. Then we shall save our country from drifting into those conditions which breed war. If the Word of God, with its teachings, is inculcated in the minds and hearts of the people, it will help to solve the great social ills of the time.

Lastly comes the achievement of the Bible in the realm of religion. I do not need to prove that this Bible is the greatest of literature. It deals with the great issues of the human heart. It is the great ally of all missionary propaganda.

I know we have destructive higher criticism of the Bible. I know we have enough of theological, German-

ized attacks on the Bible. But why worry about that? I don't want any criticism of the Word of God. It is its spiritual message that I care about."

Rev. R. J. Bowen, district secretary of the London Bible Society, also spoke on his work and the needs of the society for funds. He outlined the wonderful work which the society had done during the recent war by distributing khaki-bound Testaments among the soldiers in France, and how that same work will be continued throughout the military hospitals on the return of the men. His own experience among the soldiers overseas gave him plenty of evidence that the Testaments were faithfully read and carried right into the battlefield. Four hundred thousand copies have been placed in the hands of Canadian troops by the society, 11,000 of these going to soldiers in this district.

The speaker mentioned specially the splendid way the people of London rallied to the Bible Society campaign at the beginning of winter, going far beyond the amount asked for with \$3,000 collected.

**Musical Program.** A musical program of rare excellence was rendered by a chorus choir and soloists of the Methodist churches of the city, under the leadership of E. W. Goetze, Quantz, organist of St. Andrew's Church. "This Church Triumphant" and "Over the Mountains Hoary" were the two choruses sung. In addition to this a quartet was given in which Mrs. J. Garfield Munroe, Miss Francis Cullis, Charles Jolley and A. G. McCulloch took part.

The following names appear on the new executive: Vice-presidents, Very Rev. Dean Lewis, D.D., Rev. J. G. Stuart, M.A., Ven. Archdeacon Tiedeman, D.C.L., Rev. D. C. MacGregor, B.A., Rev. W. H. Chris, B.A., Rev. W. A. C. Bingham, Rev. R. G. Peever, D.D., and J. C. Middleton; honorary secretaries, Prof. W. J. Patterson, M.A., Rev. A. L. Beverly; treasurer, Edward Trove; general committee, Rev. W. J. Ashton, B.D., Rev. J. N. Norton, Sheriff Cameron, J. H. Chapman, Rev. A. Bice, B.A., Rev. Canon Craig, B.D., Rev. J. T. C. Morris, Rev. H. T. Ferguson, B.D., J. Holman, Rev. N. S. McKechnie, Rev. James MacKay, Prof. K. P. R. Neville, Ph.D., J. K. H. Pope, Rev. J. D. Richardson, B.A., Rev. G. B. Sage, D.D., William Scarlett, President E. R. Braithwaite, Ph.D., Rev. Canon Tucker, D.C.L., W. J. Underwood, W. H. Wortman.

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## ONE GIRL DEAD AND ONE HURT BY P.M. ENGINE

Level Crossing Fatality Occurred at St. Thomas on Tuesday Afternoon.

## TWO GIRLS RUN DOWN

Legs Amputated To Save Lives, But Shock Too Great For One.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 4.—Hazel Purcell, aged 16, is dead, and Mary Deacon is in a critical condition in the Amasa Wood Hospital, as a result of being struck by a Pere Marquette yard engine today. The engine passed over the limbs of both girls, and amputations followed at the hospital.

Miss Purcell's right leg was amputated at the thigh, and a blood transfusion was later resorted to in an effort to save her life, but the shock proved too great. She succumbed at 5 o'clock.

Miss Deacon's left foot was crushed above the ankle. It was amputated at night. Her condition is critical.

## Few Saw Fatality.

The accident occurred so suddenly that few persons, even those who were actually within view of the tracks, are able to tell clearly just how it occurred. According to the railway authorities, the engine was pulling out of the local M. C. R. yards to proceed around the "Y" to the P. M. yards, when it was actually upon them. Believing that they could get across the tracks before the train reached the sidewalk, they linked hands and endeavored to run across. They must have misjudged the distance and the speed of the train, for the second they were beneath the engine.

Employees of the Empire flour mill, working nearby, state that the engine was on the north side of the cab, and consequently did not see the victims for they were on the south side. "It was responsible," stated one eye-witness. One man voiced the opinion that one girl had been caught in the track and she dragged the other with her.

## Amputation Followed.

Miss Hazel Purcell, who suffered to a greater extent than her companion, was rushed to the hospital in an ambulance. It was found necessary to amputate the leg at the thigh. A transfusion of blood followed, but she passed away at a few minutes after 5 o'clock tonight. She was employed at the offices of Dr. W. A. Burns on North Wick street. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Purcell, reside on Fourth avenue, this city.

Miss Deacon, the other girl who was injured, is the daughter of Mrs. George Thompson of Chatham. She was employed in the offices of Dr. L. V. Savage, another local dentist, and had been rushing her home at 12 Maple street. She was dragged some distance after the accident, and her face was badly cut and bruised and her left foot was crushed above the ankle. She remained conscious, and was able to talk with those who carried her to a nearby home, where she remained until the ambulance arrived. Her foot was amputated at night, and she is reported to be resting, but in a critical condition.

## Miss Yarn Collins, stenographer in R. W. Johnson's office, was walking directly in front of the girls when they were struck. She managed to pass the engine, but it grazed her coat. She stated that she heard the girls scream, and looked around to see them under the wheels of the engine.

An inquest has been ordered for the coroner, and the remains will be viewed tomorrow morning by the jury.

## PESTILENCE CAUSE OF MORE DEATHS IN U. S.

LAST YEAR THAN WAR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Pestilence caused more deaths than war during the year 1918, according to the annual report of the New York Life Insurance Company, made public here today.

While the death losses paid by the company in 1918 exceeded those of the previous year by \$2,000,000, it was stated that the actual number of deaths was 5 per cent less than the expected mortality.

## CALL MEN TO COLORS.

HELSINGFORS, Feb. 4.—A decree issued by the Central Soviet of Moscow has called to the colors all men between the ages of twenty-nine and forty-five. The men will be ordered to prosecute the war in case the proposed conference on the island of Prinkipo fails.

## LABOR WILL ASK GOVERNMENT TO STIFFEN BEER

Dominion Trades Congress To Deputize Ottawa Today.

## TWO PER CENT TOO WEAK

Will Be Satisfied With Four To Six Per Cent of Alcohol.

[Special to The Advertiser.] OTTAWA, Feb. 4.—The workmen wants his beer, and 2 per cent does not satisfy him. That is what the Government will be told tomorrow by a delegation of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada.

In the old days, before the drought, the alcoholic contents of beer ranged from 6 to 12 per cent. In the cause of temperance the labor men will be satisfied with a beer containing between the present minimum and the past maximum, say 4 to 6 per cent. They contend that if the Dominion permits this, the provinces will permit the brewers to raise their standard accordingly.

They will contend that their request is strictly a "temperance" one.

It is believed that the Government is prepared to legislate for one year at the coming session existing restrictions on the liquor traffic which were enacted as a war measure. At the close of that period a Dominion plebiscite will be taken. Whether in the validating legislation any modifications will be made, such as those asked for by the labor men, to existing restrictions remains to be seen.

From present indications Quebec, the only "oasis" in the Dominion at present, will go completely dry in May next.

## EXPECTS TO HAVE

SIBERIAN RAILWAY

O. K. IN MONTH

U. S. Ambassador Morris Insists Upon Retaining the Allied Troops.

VLADIVOSTOK, Sunday, Feb. 2.—(Associated Press).—The feature of the plan for operating the trans-Siberian railway, which is in process of elaboration at conferences between John F. Stevens, the railroad expert, American Ambassador Morris, and representatives of the Allies, is that the line shall be guarded by American and Allied troops.

Mr. Stevens is reported to have said that only under that condition will he undertake the task of rehabilitating the railroad. Ambassador Morris is said to support him. The ambassador is clothed with plenary powers to conclude the plan of operation which, it is expected, will be perfected within a month.

## "Whiskey Mash" in House Responsible For Fine of \$500

ORILLIA, Feb. 4.—Charles H. Draper, hotelkeeper, of Elmvale, charged with having a barrel of whiskey in his house, contrary to the permission of the Ontario temperance act, was fined \$500 and costs here today by Police Magistrate Clark.

## CHINAMAN FINED IN GODERICH COURT

GODERICH, Feb. 4.—Lee Han, a Chinaman, appeared in police court here yesterday before Magistrate Clark on a charge of stealing some collars from a young farmer of Ashfield by the name of McAdams. When Mr. McAdams came for his laundry, the local Chinaman said that they were not in his possession. The young man had an information and in court Lee still maintained that the collars were not left at his laundry. On the evidence of a few witnesses, Magistrate imposed a fine on Lee Han for \$2 and costs, amounting to \$15.

# \$15,000 OVERSTOCK SHOE SALE

Thursday, February 6, at The Peoples Shoe Store, Starts One of Greatest Shoe Selling Events London Has Ever Known!

Infants' Soft Sole Shoes go at **49c Pr.**

75 Pairs Ladies' Fine Shoes go at **98c Pr.**

Men's and Women's Black Felt Slippers at **50c Pr.**

Men's Over-shoes clearing at **\$1.50 & \$2 a pair**

**20% DISCOUNT** Off all Trunks, Suitcases and Club Bags

THE MOST ASTOUNDING SALE this favorite store has ever announced—a SALE that will interest the whole city and surrounding country—A SALE for everybody. BRIEFLY the story is this—we are heavily overstocked and inventory is near. Much of the heavier merchandise that should have been disposed of during the month of November, December, and January is still with us—due to the epidemic and mild weather we've been having, and drastic measures must now be taken to get this stock down. It's not profit we're after—all incomplete lines go at sweep-away prices. Be on hand early for opening day specials.

## MEN'S SHOES

Men's Dark Brown Calfskin Shoes, military and English styles, Acme soles, rubber heels, \$6.00 values. Sale price **\$4.95**

Men's Hockey Shoes; they make splendid shoes for indoor wear, \$3.50 value. Sale price **\$2.25**

Men's Black and Tan Grain Leather Work Shoes. Sale price **\$3.98**

Men's Fine Dress Shoes, values up to \$6.00. Sale price **\$3.50**

Men's Stubproof Rubbers, leather tops, \$4.50 value. Sale price **\$2.50**

Men's One-Buckle Lumbermen's Rubbers. Clearing price **\$1.75**

Men's Stubproof Rubbers, two-buckle and laced styles. Sale price **\$2.50**

Men's Fine Quality Rubbers, \$1.50 value. Sale price **.98c**

Men's Low Overshoes, \$2.25 value. Sale price **\$1.50**

Men's Leather Leggings, \$2.25 value. Sale price **\$1.48**

## WE NEVER FORGET

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A DANDY HARDWOOD PENCIL BOX GIVEN AWAY FREE with every pair of Boys' and Girls' School Shoes.

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Big assortment of Ladies' and Growing Girls' Fine Shoes, values up to \$5.00. Clearing overstock sale price **\$3.48**

Ladies' Fine Grey Kid High-Laced Shoes, \$7.00 values. To clear at **\$4.98**

Ladies' Comfortable Cushion Sole Shoes, \$6.00 value. Sale price **\$4.98**

Ladies' Brown Calfskin High Laced Shoes, with guaranteed fibre soles and rubber heels, \$7.00 value. Sale price **\$5.00**

Ladies' Felt Shoes. Sale price **\$1.49**

Ladies' Fine Quality Rubbers to fit any style shoe **89c**

EVERY PAIR OF HOCKEY SHOES AND SKATES IN OUR STORE GO AT SWEEP-AWAY PRICES.

Men's Hip and Short Rubber Boots. Special **\$3 Pair**

75 Pairs Ladies' Rubbers on sale Thursday at **50c Pr.**

Men's Heavy Rubbers go at **75c Pr.**

Ladies' Fine Shoes, Button and Lace styles, clearing at **\$1.98 pair**

Men's Strong Scuff Shoes, **\$2.48 Pr.**

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## PRISONER ADMITS HE PERJURED SELF IN FISH NET CASE

Called as Witness Against His Alleged Pal.

HE ADMITTED STEALING

Said He Told Wrong Tale in Trial of Hotel Proprietor.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 4.—Henry Kelley, the Port Stanley youth who was the other day arrested on a charge of stealing a number of fishing nets from H. A. Short's fishery at the lakeside, appeared this morning before Judge Collier and pleaded guilty. Sentence was deferred until Friday morning, but taken into the courtroom of the county magistrate, and there his evidence was taken before John Parker, another Port Stanley youth, who is implicated, and who was arrested the latter part of the week. Parker elected trial by jury at the next session and was allowed out on bail.

## Committed Perjury.

In his evidence Kelley stated that he had deliberately perjured himself by stating what he knew was absolutely untrue, when he appeared as a crown witness against Henry Butcher, the proprietor of the Loney House, the other day. Kelley's statement is "I do what was untrue. I was asked by Butcher to tell that story, and stick to it, which I did. The only portion of truth in it was the statement that I went into the Loney House by the side door."

Kelley told the court today that he had received bags from Butcher and an offer of money for any nets that he could get. He went and got Parker, and together they went to Short's fishery. The glass was out of the window, and he (Kelley) reached in and took the nets. They took one each on the first night, and later made another trip. The second time they took two nets, making six in all. He only sold three to Butcher, although he did not tell that in his evidence before the court. He got \$5 for them, while he swore at Butcher's trial that he got \$8. Butcher took the boys in through a back entrance to the hotel and bought the nets from them. Butcher gave him the bags to carry the nets in and told him that he would pay for them.

The county magistrate refused to dismiss the case, despite an urgent appeal by Barrister Lettich for the defence, but he allowed bail of \$200 each.

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## Canadians To Land at Maine, Hurry Journey to Homes

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 4.—Plans for landing wounded Canadian troops at Portland, Maine, with the approval of the United States Government, were announced today by the American Red Cross. Transfer of the men by rail across Maine and New Hampshire will cut many hours from their journey homeward from France.

The first shipment will depart at Portland in a few days, two consignments a month being arranged for thereafter. All will have full benefit of the canteen and motor ambulance service of the Red Cross.

## TANKS MAY BE USED FOR SUPPRESSION OF STRIKE IN BELFAST

Sinn Feiners Threaten To Take Advantage and Urge Strikers On.

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## MORE SHOULD HAVE BEEN DONE TO HELP DEVELOP RESOURCES

At Ingersoll Sir John Willison Says Time For Govt. Action.

OLD PREJUDICES TO DIE

Scientific Methods To Be Applied To Natural Resources As To Agriculture.

INGERSOLL, Feb. 4.—Having as its guest Sir John S. Willison of Toronto, chairman of the Reconstruction Association of Canada, the Canadian Club at its opening luncheon of the season at the Ingersoll Inn this evening, had the largest attendance in its history. It was the third time in recent years that Sir John Willison has spoken here. The attendance tonight indicates the enthusiasm of the club members.

## New Problems.

The subject discussed was "New Conditions and New Problems," in which the speaker gave a forceful summing up of conditions which must be considered in connection with reconstruction. He emphasized the statement that the problems of reconstruction were not in connection with reconstruction. He emphasized the statement that the problems of reconstruction were not in connection with reconstruction.

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## Maurice Breaks Out Again Starting a War Controversy

General Maurice, former head of the British information department, has published a book to prove that the first battle of the Marne was won by the British, not by the French, as has been popularly supposed. This because of its general futility and uselessness recalls that most classic of all triflings, Nero's fiddling while Rome burned.

With a world aflame with unrest that possesses the possibilities of a convulsion more dreadful than the one we have just gone through, widespread misery to be combatted, and a vast reconstruction of industrial and social conditions to be tackled, the average man's patience is strained by this introduction of a needless controversy. What does it matter now who was responsible for the turning back of the Hun hordes four years ago? Whether Joffre or French is entitled to the greater glory can well be left to a later leisure when academic discussion will be more in place. Just now the world is too busy striving to provide practical safeguards against future devilishness of outlaw nations to bother over the question as to whether British Tommy or French Poilu put the boot to von Klueck's outlaws.

It will be recalled that this officer's loquacity and tactlessness brought on a political crisis that only Lloyd George's skillfulness and good judgment prevented from seriously hampering the prosecution of the war. At this time, too, a book such as Maurice's seems a tactless invitation to a discussion that may cause a certain amount of irritability between the two peoples. It appears unnecessary and childish and may even be mischievous. Finally it is a dreadful waste of white paper with the price of that essential commodity aviating daily to greater heights.

## Subs Will "Come-Back" From Bad Reputation of the War.

Thanks to the illegitimate uses to which it was put during the war by the central powers, the submersible has become a dog with a bad name. Many a good dog and man has been spoiled through being forced into illegal acts. No matter how good and beneficial may be later intentions and actions, once they have sinned greatly it is a difficult task to "come back."

Suspicion bars them from the confidence and trust of others. The U-boat outrages have naturally enough started a healthy and widespread demand that they be outlawed hereafter as a weapon of war. British public opinion especially is in favor of such action. The long lists of Germany's sea murders are still too vividly before us. To mention subs makes us see red. We cannot yet consider them apart from the brutality and cruelty they introduced.

It is clear, however, that the submarine cannot be ruled out altogether, and that at present seems the only certain way by which its illegal use could be prevented should another nation run amuck after the fashion of Prussia. The aeroplane is destined to play a great part in world commerce, and we have not heard of any proposals that aeroplanes should be barred by a league of nations because Germany used them to bombard undefended towns and cities. And in the reconstructed world overseas craft are slated for a part quite as important as that of aircraft.

The problem seems to furnish another point in favor of a powerful international police force which will rigidly limit the number of submersibles the "scrap of paper" nations shall possess. Great Britain, France and the United States in their submarine operations observed the laws of humanity and the regulations governing international warfare. There need be no check on their expansion of the submersible as a factor of commerce. Through these nations the submarine will in time win its way to favor from which it has been barred by unlawful association with the Hun. The submersible possesses too much potentiality for usefulness to mankind to be destroyed outright. Surely means can be found to prevent its abuse at any future period.

## Government Cannot Dodge Liquor Issue Much Longer

"The pity wine should be so deleterious.  
For tea and coffee leave us much more serious."  
—Byron.

Wherever one may go in the circles of male-dom they are talking about the regulation of the liquor traffic. The railway engineer twists his mouth from under a hot towel and asks the police

court reporter who gets his face filled with Herculean beauty putty every Monday, "how many got fined this morning?" The boss barber chips in to say that some of the speak-easy fellows were peddling the cheapest of Imperial for \$6 a quart on Saturday night, which brings a cautious "Who had it?" from a man who admits his stock has gone down, but who avers that such hold-ups are a crime (a greater crime than boot-legging, apparently). A very ner-r-r-vous man in the last chair wonders where he could get one—and were these bromides any good?

The two-legged, man-sized, male-voiced citizen cannot be prevented from talking about the question of prohibition. And as war time measures of other sorts are wearing out, the big conjecture is as to what governments will do. The old joke about liquor being "Hearst" in Ontario is sprung again, and the usual aspersions that "Mr. Rowell's first name should be Nancy instead of Newton" go from mouth to mouth. The talking machines that are to be found around almost every lamp post have only one record to play, and that record is "How Dry I Am." A lot of them don't mean it, but they talk it.

The general question of whether or not John Barleycorn is guilty seems to have been lost in a mist of side issues. The sob side of the story is not working. The old-time weeping temperance orator with his female tremolos playing on "Where Is My Boy Tonight?" has gone into the limbo of forgotten things. Of course there are still old-fashioned mothers with old-fashioned black sheep for sons, but today the technicalities rather than the appeal to the jury by means of the heart-throb appear to have the curbstone counsel all engaged.

The fact is that it does not seem to have worked out to the satisfaction of anyone—save the licensed vendor. The physician is sore about it, excepting those who prescribe not wisely, but too well. The man who wants it is sore; the man who doesn't want it is sore. It prohibits too much or it does not prohibit at all. It is making more criminals and lawbreakers and drunkards than the hotels ever made, or it is not preventing men from getting liquor when they want it, according to the conviction and religious training of the arguer.

If a man has a bottle on him it costs \$200; if a man has a bottle in him it costs \$10; and no matter how a magistrate feels, not his to reason why. The virtue seems to lie with the one who has not consumed it all, but the law multiplies offence by twenty upon the hapless one who sips but does not swallow his quart in a few gulps.

One man says the Government should handle it. Another wants it shipped in as before. The doctor wants a line of sad-eyed and pleading patients taken far away. Many of them are suffering from something which has never yet been cured, except by eradication. As a physician he is licensed to prescribe any drug in the British Pharmacopoeia, but the law says if he overdoes the thing he will be hauled up like a colored cook and other workers on the underground railway that brings it in. The doctors don't like it, and it hasn't any friends among the druggists.

The rich-man-poor-man argument sounds heavily in the discussions. Here's a rich man died in Toronto, and it is discovered that he had between \$60,000 and \$75,000 worth of wet goods in his cellar. The poor man has to get his by divers methods, all of which are felonious in the breach. The orators do not agree that the poor man without a cellar full of it is the luckiest of the two.

Most people agree that both governments, federal and provincial, are afraid completely to abolish liquor without a vote of the people. They see the chance of an end to the war measures act in the event of an election, as it is believed all orders-in-council would be revoked automatically. It was under the war measures act that Dominion-wide prohibition came into existence.

The press is receiving letters signed with names that have no material owners which suggest various means of solving the problem, always with the idea of reclaiming the desert and irrigating the ways that are dry.

The police court is doing a business of big revenue, and most of the people who pay \$200 fines are poor men. The great difference between a bottle on you and a bottle in you is what displeases everyone, including some of those who have no alternative but to enforce the law.

Meanwhile the cause of temperance is losing a good many friends through injustices, alleged or imaginary, of the present system. "Drinking men" have said they would rather see the whole thing wiped out than the present farce to continue. Others say that regulation must inevitably be a faulty thing and that one might as well try to sweep back the ocean with a broom as to prevent the making of liquor. Some men, burning with a thirst, will drink anything from silo juice to hair restorer. Ranged up against these are those who say they are moderate drinkers, and who object to being penalized because other men are immoderate.

The one sane conclusion is that the issue must be faced. The people must decide. Already the two armies are arraying themselves. Page ads called the "drys" to action. The "wets" are unorganized, but numerous. They demand the chance to win back their "personal liberty." The clash is coming soon.

### EDITORIAL NOTES.

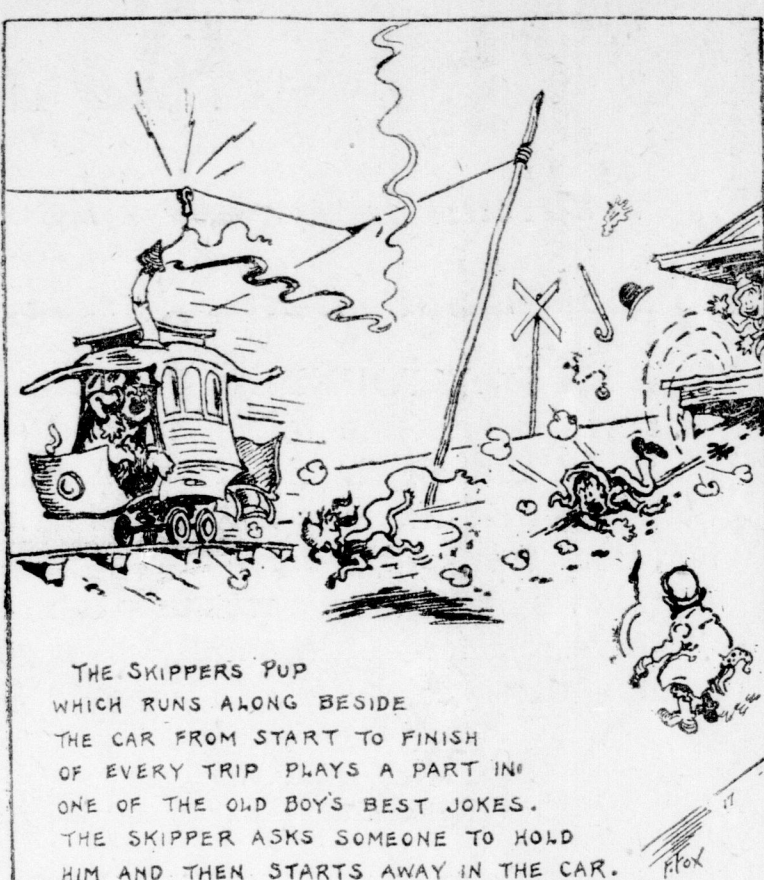
When it comes to handing out mandatory powers who is going to look after the Akhond of Swat?

Because of the strikes light breakfasts are the rule in old London. That should not be a great hardship to folk who have been on war rations for several years.

The ex-crown prince of Germany has started divorce proceedings against his wife. The lady might have good cause for a counter action on grounds of desertion.

When a youth Lord Northcliffe vowed that he would become a belted earl, a millionaire and the owner of the Times. He won all three, but the effort has sent him into semi-private life at a comparatively early age. Health in exchange for glory, gold and power—was it worth while?

## THE TOONERVILLE TROLLEY THAT MEETS ALL THE TRAINS (Copyright, 1918.) —By FONTAINE FOX.



THE SKIPPERS PUP  
WHICH RUNS ALONG BESIDE  
THE CAR FROM START TO FINISH  
OF EVERY TRIP PLAYS A PART IN  
ONE OF THE OLD BOYS BEST JOKES.  
THE SKIPPER ASKS SOMEONE TO HOLD  
HIM AND THEN STARTS AWAY IN THE CAR.

**The Advertiser's  
Daily Short Story**  
(Copyright, 1919, by the McClure  
Newspaper Syndicate.)  
**TRAPPING A POET.**  
By Izola Forrester.

"It is meant for you, France. 'Long, languid eyes of hazel hue, Mine are blue, so I'm out of it. Read on, sister.' Jess lifted laughing lips to the serious face before her. It was 7 a.m. Frances had just stepped to the door of their mountain shack for the bottle of cream left at dawn by Shandy Cone, the village milkman, and had discovered likewise a folded slip of paper under the door.

Poetry it was, unmistakably, and with purpose and intent in its hidden message: "Long, languid eyes of hazel hue, Shall life lose joy because of you? Shall I dream of hope, of life, Dependent on compassion's sigh?"

"Oh, isn't that quaint and mid-Victorian?" exclaimed Jess. "It's the tall, thin, pale, young man at Mrs. McCurdy's, France. Have you been secretly leading his young affections astray and not told your big sister a word about it?"

"I don't even know him to speak to!" Frances answered indignantly. "I don't like his poetry. It sounds like valentine verse."

She tucked it on the shelf behind the clock and wondered if possibly Shandy had burst forth in his poetry, but within a week another verse lay on the threshold, as Jess put it, and a little more so than the first:

"I send my mate-bird ringing far,  
Through spruce-time woods where song-  
birds are,  
And listen long your voice to hear;  
Canst find no answer for me, dear?"

"Now, that is worthy of Sir Philip Sidney," Jess said. "It has a true lyric touch. Greenwood tree, shepherd calling in the distance, etc. France, you are a hard-hearted and a little bit of a snob. You refuse to whistle back to him."

But Frances held to her own opinion, and when she had occasion to pass Hart Wade on the road down the mountain she merely lifted her chin higher and let him understand his poetry had not registered.

Not that she appeared to mind her attitude, she had to admit. He was a pleasant, rather plain young man, who had boarded at Mrs. McCurdy's farm for the fall and winter painting scenes of mountain snow and keeping to himself. Mac had told them he was an artist, one day when he had brought them down a load of firelogs from his woodlot.

She liked Mac. He was straight to the point and comradely. They had known him ever since they had come to Red Indian for Jess' health, and he had been a staunch friend and neighbor. Now and then he ran down to New York for a few weeks, but he always came back with a fresh load of new books and magazines, and shared them royally. He was rather broad-shouldered and stocky in build, with curly reddish hair, and blue eyes that had a habit of twinkling when he did not feel like speaking.

Frances had liked him because she could talk freely to him. Nearly all men expected you to either fall in love with them, she had decided, or to respect them. But Mac understood everything. They had gone on long tramps together through the mountains, and when the snow had fairly drifted over their little shack it had been Mac who came down and shielded them out, and brought food from his own store to them.

So she felt now she could speak to him about the poetry, and get a sensible, unbiased opinion on what she ought to do.

"The main question is," Mac said, as soon as he heard about it, "is whether it is good poetry."

"It seems very sincere," Frances admitted, not realising what a delightfully comforting picture she made in her brown cloak and fur cap against the masses of crisp leather-tinted oak leaves drying on the trees and the deep green of pines beyond. "I wonder if it is meant for me or for Jess?"

"Her eyes are blue, aren't they? I never noticed yours exactly." "Oh, mine are rather changeable, hazel and grey and green. Cat's eyes. She turned them on him gravely. "Do you think it is Shandy's?"

Mac chuckled. "Can't tell. Poetry's liable to break out anywhere just like measles," then said:

"I know what I'll do, Mac. He leaves them on Fridays, I've found out. I'm going to watch and see who it is. Or, no, that wouldn't do. You get up early, don't you? Suppose I watch him till 12, then you get up at 5 and watch, will you?"

Mac agreed it would be a great plan, only he was certain not even a poet would brave the trip up the mountain at 5 in February to slip poetry under the door. It must have been left in the evening, but he would watch on the following Friday.

Frances did not tell her sister, Jess had a way of laughing at serious things, but she knew when Mac came on guard for she caught a glimpse of him in the bright moonlight, standing like a sentinel over in the shadow of the pines by the roadway. He was ready to whistle sharply like an owl give the alarm, and Frances waited in the shack long after Jess was sound asleep. Finally it came, a little before 12, one long, tremulous whistle. She slipped her fur cloak around her and stepped out

## "Newspapers Are the World's Mirror"

Comment, Cleverness and More  
Verbiage From "Educators of  
the Common People" in Can-  
ada and Other Lands.

AN ALLOWABLE COUNTERFEIT.  
[Cincinnati Times-Star.]  
Look on this winter, and then on last. And thank heaven for the present "counterfeit" presentment.

COUNTING THE COST.  
[New York Sun.]  
Some great men are content with making history, others must make geography too. The people have to make the arithmetic.

A HOPELESS CASE.  
[Kingston Whig.]  
Boishevism thrives on empty stomachs and empty heads. President Wilson poses to fill the stomachs, but who can fill the empty heads? That task should have been started generations ago.

WOULD BOUNCE THEM ALL.  
[Newspaper Mercury.]  
A great number of Canadians are coming to believe that the only way to settle the foreign problem is the immediate deportation of the whole lot of foreigners now in this country back to the land they were glad to leave.

NOT SELF-SEEKING.  
[Philadelphia Record.]  
If it be true that the British cabinet rejects the demands of the British dependencies and accepts President Wilson's plan it is the strongest possible evidence of its desire to obliterate selfish interests in the way of carrying out the magnificent plan for international brotherhood and the preservation of peace.

KEEPING A DIARY.  
[Los Angeles Times.]  
This seems to be the season of the year when we begin to keep diaries. Two weeks from now is about the season of the year when we stop keeping diaries. Every once in a while we read of men who have kept diaries for years and years—since babyhood or longer.

What a weird idea to be locked up in that "relentless manner with the past!" Only, of course, they don't really. They say it did, but they lie about it. We saw one of these diaries once. Six months of it were filled with two entries repeated over and over: "Saw May," "Did not see May." The last entry was "Married May." That was the only sensible diary we ever saw, and we haven't a doubt in the world that it was all faked up afterward to jolly along May.

DAYLIGHT SAVING—A WARNING.  
[Galt Reporter.]  
Daylight Saving has about closed the gap between supply and demand in coal fields. To abolish it would, in these menacing days, with foreigners leaving the Pennsylvania mines, headed for the old homes in Europe, invite criticism and perhaps offensive action on the part of our neighbors. For be it

known that Canada was supplied with coal when there was an insistent demand in Pennsylvania, Ohio and New York, from consumers almost desperate over the condition of their bins, that American coal should first serve domestic needs before a pound was exported.

Would Canadians not put into the hands of American consumers a weapon to use in favor of their plea were we to refuse to help ourselves by adopting Daylight Saving to meet a serious condition, to reduce the consumption of coal and they will not be impressed by our necessities in this particular if we refuse to adhere to a policy which they have found timely, practical and profitable.

IT TAKES COURAGE.  
[New Success.]  
To live according to your convictions. To be what you are, and not pretend to be what you are not.

To say "No" squarely and firmly when those around you say "Yes." To live honestly within your means and not dishonestly upon the means of others.

To speak the truth when by a little prevarication you can get some special advantage.

To refuse to knuckle down to and bend the knee to the wealthy, even though the elements of fate be success.

When mortified and embarrassed by humiliating disaster, to seek in your mind the elements of future success.

To refuse to do a thing which is wrong because others do it, or because it is customary with a string of hotels half way across the country.

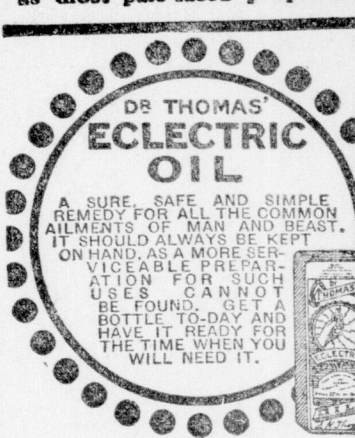
A party. One of these hotel proprietors is a genius, with a string of hotels half way across the country. Some years ago he was a hobo in a country hotel.

West Virginia. The other is a man who a few years ago was a riding master. He is now the head of a great hotel syndicate, which will shortly rebuild the old Murray Hill into a new "world's largest." These men and the vast caravansaries they run are typical of America. Heaven knows where this animal, if such it be, for monster hordes will end. "Ten thousand rooms, ten thousand baths," may come at no distant date. The thought they give us is the ever present amount of room at the top, in the middle, and way down to the base—room for all talents, every kind of career, if only we find our own particular room, in the world's great hotel.



**For Constipation  
Carter's Little  
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**Carter's Iron Pills**  
Will restore color to the faces of those who lack iron in the blood, as most pale-faced people do.



## Eyes Inflamed?

If your eyes are inflamed, weak tired or overworked; if they ache; if picture shows make them feel dry and strained, get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets from your druggist, dissolve one in a fourth of a glass of water and use as an eye bath from two to four times a day. Bon-Opto allays inflammation, invigorates, tones up the eyes.

Note: Doctors say Bon-Opto strengthens eye sight 50% in a week's time in many instances.

# Candy a Splendid Food

One of the most attractive forms in which food can be eaten—is candy.

Candy is composed principally of sugar, nuts, fruits, some fats such as butter, and chocolate.

All these ingredients are recognized by eminent medical authorities as food products, which the system craves and demands.

Let us examine their food values separately.

We all know that sugar is a body-building essential; about one-quarter pound of sugar being required by an adult every twenty-four hours.

Nuts and fruits yield a high percentage of nutritious materials.

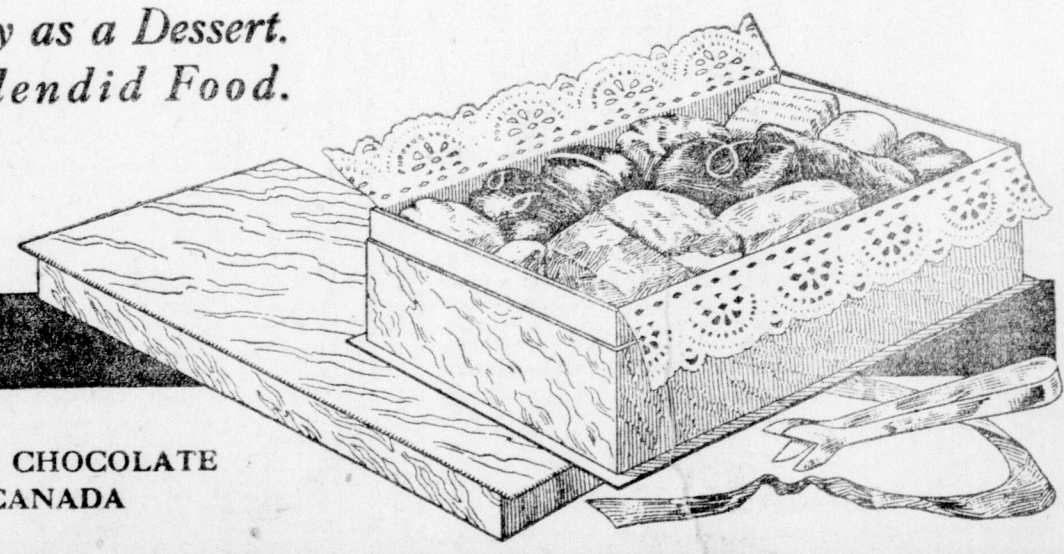
Fats supply the bodily fuel and should be used in every dietary.

Chocolate is a delightful stimulant, especially valuable in restoring energy.

Combine these ingredients and are they not still food?—satisfying, nutritious, essential and in a most delightful and properly balanced form.

Eat more candy. Candy is beneficial to all and harmful to none.

**Serve Candy as a Dessert.  
It Is a Splendid Food.**



CONFECTIONERY AND CHOCOLATE  
INDUSTRIES OF CANADA



## PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

### LEPERS FLOCK INTO MISSION HOMES IN INCREASING NUMBERS

Dr. Peever Addresses Meeting at Y.W.C.A. Residence.

An inspiring meeting of the Mission to Lepers was held in the Y. W. C. A. Wellington street, yesterday afternoon. Mrs. George Wood being in the chair. This society, though as yet quite small in numbers, is nevertheless doing an excellent work, and is at the present moment striving to interest the churches and other institutions in the city in the cause of the lepers. There is a tremendous field for endeavor here. Why, in Korea alone there are as many as 30,000 people so afflicted, and they also exist in great numbers in India, China, etc. These patients are not flocking in ever-increasing numbers to the mission homes, and many are being baptized. It seems that now, more than ever, they are waking up to the fact that there is solace for them here.

The diet during and after influenza. Horlick's Malted Milk, nourishing, digestible.

### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

Readers Are Invited to Phone All News of This Kind to the Society Editor. Phone 3670.

Mrs. Lanora Ruthergood, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Rice, for the past two weeks, returned to her home at Galt on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Ruthergood of Galt were week-end guests at the home of Mrs. John Rice.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Weir of Chatham were guests last week of their cousins, Mr. and Mrs. John Rice, Adelaide street. Mr. Weir is instructor of manual training at Chatham, and came to London to visit the new Technical School.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Archer, 63 Hamilton road, announce the engagement of their third daughter, Irena, to Norris L. Johnston, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. William Johnston of Adrian, Mich., the marriage to take place at home on February 10.

### Memorial Wreaths WEST FLORAL COMPANY

100-101, Dundas Street, E. W. 357

### Famous Old Recipe for Cough Syrup

Easily and cheaply made at home, but it beats them all for quick results.

Thousands of housewives have found that they can save four-fifths of the money usually spent for cough preparations, by using this well-known old recipe for making cough syrup at home. It is simple and cheap but it really has no equal for prompt results. It takes right hold of a cough and gives immediate relief, usually stopping an ordinary cough in 24 hours or less.

Get 2½ ounces of Pinex (50 cents worth) from any drug store, mix in a 10-oz bottle, and add plain granulated sugar syrup to make 16 ounces. If you prefer, use clarified butter, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, it tastes good, keeps perfectly, and lasts a family a long time.

It's truly astonishing how quickly it acts, penetrating through every air passage of the throat and lungs—loosens and raises the phlegm, soothes and heals the membranes, and gradually but surely the annoying throat tickle and dreaded cough disappear entirely. Nothing better for bronchitis, spasmodic cough, whooping cough or bronchial asthma.

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### A Labor Saving Combination

"It is the last straw that breaks the camel's back." So runs the old proverb. And it is the little extra efforts which tire you out on wash-day.

**Eddy's**  
Indurated Fibreware  
Washtubs and Washboards

form a combination which save you much extra labor. Indurated Fibreware tubs are much easier to lift and to move about. They keep the water hot for a much longer space of time, because they do not conduct heat as metal does. They are easier to keep clean, because they are made in one piece without joint or seam, and the hard surface is impervious to liquids or odors. And they cost no more. Last longer, too. Eddy's Twin Beaver Washboard has a double rubbing surface of Indurated Fibreware which loosens the dirt quickly and saves many tiresome motions.

The E. B. EDDY CO. Limited  
HULL, Canada

Also makers of the Famous Eddy Matches

### Advertiser Patterns



A GOOD BUSINESS COSTUME.

Waist—2693. Skirt—2701. One could have skirt and waist in this model of one material, such as serge, gabardine, tricot or satin, or the waist could be of crepe, crepe de chine, silk, satin, or linen, and the skirt of serge, satin or velvet. Plaid or check suiting would make a serviceable skirt. The waist pattern, 2693, is cut in seven sizes—34, 36, 38, 40, 42, 44 and 46 inches bust measure. The skirt pattern, 2701, is cut in seven sizes—22, 24, 26, 28, 30, 32 and 34 inches waist measure. For a medium size the waist will require 2½ yards of 36-inch material. The skirt will require 3½ yards of 44-inch material. To make the entire costume of one material will require about one yard of 36-inch material. Width at lower edge is 24 yards with plain drawn out. TWO separate patterns, which will be mailed to any address on receipt of 10 cents FOR EACH pattern, in silver or stamp.

Name .....  
Town .....  
Province .....  
Age (if child's or miss's pattern) ....  
Measurements: Bust ..... Waist .....

Caution: Be careful to include the above information, and send size of pattern wanted. When the pattern is sent, you need only mark 35, 36, or whatever size you want. If you want waist measure, 22, 24, 26, or whatever, you may mark that. If you want length measure, when miss's or child's pattern, write only the figure representing the length in inches. Patterns cannot reach you in less than one week from the date of application.

### Daily Bible Question Club

UNIFORM LESSON FOR SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 9, 1919.

ONE GOLDEN TEXT SUGGESTION. By Rev. T. S. Linscott, D. D.

QUESTIONS FOR TODAY. Jethro's counsel—Exodus xviii: 1-27.

7. Verses 7-8.—What would you say was the bond of union between Moses and Jethro, his father-in-law?

8. WHAT PART DOES THE KEEPING UP OF THE GOLDEN TEXTS OF AFFECTION AND WELCOME PLAY IN KEEPING THE REAL FIRE OF LOVE AND RESPECT BURNING?

(This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by the members of the club.)

9. When Christian relatives meet, what is the effect of telling each other of God's dealing with them?

Golden Text.—Bless ye another's burdens, and so fulfil the law of Christ.—Gal. vi. 2.

A PASTOR SHOULD NOT DO ALL THE PREACHING.

Wherever attempts to do much accomplish too little, and when we do work that others ought to do we injure them and decrease the quantity and quality of the good work which is being done.

We should bear one another's burdens, but we do not accomplish this when we are the work which others ought to do. Helping people unload some of the burdens of life is frequently accomplished by helping them to do the work which God intends them to do; to do their work for them is but to rob them of a great many of the lives of a great many.

The modern plan of the pastor doing all the preaching is not the New Testament plan, and it is a poor plan. In almost every congregation there are men and women who could preach as well as a pastor, and the opportunities to do so would be a blessing to them and greatly help in spreading the gospel.

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### GRAND PRESENTATION OF CERTIFICATES BY ST. JOHN AMBULANCE

Demonstrations of Work Also Given on February 21.

A grand presentation of certificates to the members of the St. John Ambulance divisions in the city for the years 1918 and 1917 will be made at a big open meeting to be held in the Normal School, on the evening of February 21. As yet full arrangements have not been made in regard to the program, but it is expected that the work of the division will be demonstrated, as well as that of the men's brigade.

### Western Ontario Women's Activities

SIMCOE I.O.D.E. ELECTS OFFICERS.

The annual business meeting of the St. John Ambulance Chapter, 1 O. D. E., was held, when the report of the treasurer, Miss Lawson, showed total receipts of \$9,207.10 during the year. Of this all was expended except \$315.33. The officers were elected by acclamation as follows: President, Mrs. W. L. Tomlinson; first vice-president, Mrs. Richard Edmonds; third vice-president, Mrs. L. P. Aiken; secretary, Mrs. T. E. Shihler; assistant secretary, Mrs. T. E. Langford; treasurer, Mrs. R. L. Dugit; standard-bearer, Miss Mattheve; councillors, Mesdames Simpson, Brady, Werrett, H. F. Cook, W. Burt, Joslin, Auckland, Mesdames Haskett, Incombe and Lawson.

### DORCHESTER RED CROSS.

The Dorchester Red Cross shipped to Hyman Hall for January the following articles for refugee work: 34 pairs children's socks, 57 pairs children's dresses, 38 pairs women's drawers, 30 children's nightgowns, 34 children's night dresses, 11 children's dresses, 5 children's shirts, 12 boys' shirts, 2 pairs pyjamas. The Red Cross Chapter of Dorchester will hold its annual meeting on Wednesday, February 6, in the Presbyterian Church. Mrs. A. T. Edwards of London, organizing secretary of the Red Cross, will be present and speak on the work for the coming year.

### DORCHESTER LADIES' AID.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church purpose holding an "at home" on Friday, February 1, in the basement of the church. A good program will be given, after which lunch will be served.

### LUCASVILLE W. I. REPORT.

The Lucasville branch of the Women's Institute has just completed a bale for

### CYNTHIA GREY'S MAIL-BOX

Helena Olympia.

Dear Miss Grey,—I saw where Sweet Sixteen wanted my address, so am now sending it to you to forward. If you have the poems "The Dying Nun" and "Answer to the Gypsy's Warning," will you please forward them to the envelope inclosed? Yours truly, HELENA OLYMPIA.

### That Pattern.

Dear Miss Grey,—Mother would be like many others, who have the stocking-foot pattern, so I am inclosing a stamped envelope for same. Mother and I both enjoy the Mail-Box letters very much, and have received much help from them.

We wish Mrs. Homebird would write again and tell us how the "wee birds" are doing. Also dear Mr. Mail-Box, have they deserted the Mail-Box? I will sign my pet name, BABY ELEPHANT.

### Forgot the Stamp.

Dear Miss Grey,—This is my second visit to the Mail-Box, although my first wasn't exactly encouraging. I wrote to you a long time ago asking for the songs "The Gypsy's Warning" and "The Answer to the Gypsy's Warning." I have not received them yet. I saw in the Mail-Box that you were sending them, but I have not received them yet. I saw in the Mail-Box that you were sending them, but I have not received them yet.

I wonder if Another Sweet Sixteen got many correspondents yet. I would like to write like her, and would write first. Hoping I haven't vexed you in any way, and patiently waiting for the much-coveted song and a letter from Another Sweet Sixteen, I remain yours sincerely, SWEET SIXTEEN.

P. S.—If A. S. S. has enough correspondents I would like some one of the other Pages to write to me, and I will answer promptly. Would like someone 16 or 17 years old.

Ans.—It was even so small a thing as a 3-cent stamp that caused the delay, you see, while you sent the envelope, you forgot the stamp, and a gentle reminder on my part failed to elicit it. I have not sent you any more, but you are supplied by Mrs. R. V. W. and shall notify you in the Mail-Box if any correspondents wish to write you.

Ans.—(1) I haven't room to print the song, as it is quite long. (2) Take note of a reader's recipe for "Toor Man's Fat" it may be just what you need for the floor. (3) Yes, I am very much; look just like your penman!

Dreadful To Be Gloveless.

Dear Miss Grey,—I see where "Gloveless" wanted to know how to do a lady's mitt, so I thought I would help her out, for it is dreadful to be gloveless, is it not? I should so love to have "The Gypsy's Warning" and "The Answer to the Gypsy's Warning" and I have much pleasure in sending it to you.

ENGLISH BUNNY'S MOTHER.

Ans.—The directions have been sent to "Toor Man's Fat" it may be just what you need for the floor. (3) Yes, I am very much; look just like your penman!

To Make Orange Sticks.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am a reader of your page I thought I would print in if you can spare me a little room. I hope you haven't had the flu. My mother is just getting over it. I am 11, and in the sixth class. Am going to send a recipe for orange sticks. Cut

Ans.—It seems like imposing upon good nature, Beth, but if you HAVE time, and WANT to kindle a good fire, some more patterns would be very acceptable. The demand for them is increasing. I thank you, for the crochet designs inclosed.

Luck for P. G.

Hello, Everybody.—May I blow in for a few minutes, and it is too late to wish you all a happy and prosperous new year? Am sending illustrations of "Toor Man's Fat" taken from the Home Journal, 1909, and asked for by P. G. Hope it is not too late. Might also add that I am a mate of Mrs. Kid and have read with interest a good many of her "ponies" of school scrapes we both love. MIDGE.

Ans.—"Try, try again" seems to have been a good motto in P. G.'s case. I am sure she will be delighted to receive the copy sent by Midge.

Rug Painting Queries.

Dear Miss Grey,—I wonder if the correspondents that sent in the directions for turning carpets into linoleums will let me know through the Mail-Box. If the paste the uses of floor and rug is cooked like a wallpaper paste? Is it very thick, or about the same as is used for papering? Also if she thinks it would answer equally as well on a tapestry or Brussels rug? Mine are worn, so that the pattern shows only in the corners and here and there in the border. About how much flour would it take to cover rug 14½ ft.

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MUTT AND JEFF.—There's Nothing Ordinary About Jeff.



Woodstock Juniors Take Game from London Team

Woodstock Boys Outplayed Locals at Jubilee Rink Last Night by Score of 11 to 3—Carson Brothers Showed Great Speed—Locals Han dicapped by Sticky, Soft Ice.

The Woodstock Junior O. H. A. team defeated the London youngsters by the score of 11 to 3 at the Jubilee Rink last night. The locals were outplayed and outplayed by the visitors. Although Woodstock ran up a big score the London boys put up a big game, and it was one of the fastest and cleanest games staged in this city this season. The ice was sticky and soft, and it was one of the first periods. Soft spots near both goals caused several of the players on both teams to fall, but no one was injured. Billie Carson's youngsters are real hockey players and handle the puck in a regular form. Combination work of the winning team was the best thing to perfect. William and Frank Carson, the two fast wing players, were the best men on the ice for the visitors. The last goal of the game was scored when it comes to making they go like blue streaks.

A fair crowd of spectators turned out to see the game, and nearly every fan was pleased with the exhibition of hockey that was displayed. Tom Munro was the referee, and he only handled out several penalties during the three periods.

Dutch Logan played a remarkable game for London. He saved many goals from bouncing into the London goal by catching the puck just in time. Logan was responsible for two of the three goals scored by the locals.

Arthur Gillies was without a doubt the star on the London lineup. He got away several times, but not having a mate who could keep up to him, was left out in the cold. Art was closely watched by Woodstock, and three or four players were buzzing around each other in good corners.

Both teams started out with a rush and in good corners. One minute and thirty seconds after play started, Logan got the puck and shot in the first goal for London. This was a real encouraging for the home team. Thirty seconds later Bill Carson did the same for the Woodstock six. Logan came back and in three minutes made another shot good. Norman scored after twelve minutes of play. Bill Carson made a nice sweep and scored another for Woodstock. The period ended by the score of 3 to 2, in favor of the Forest City.

The second period was a fatal one for the home team. Woodstock's last goal came before the bell sounded. London did not manage to get a single goal in this period. Bill Carson started the period off by scoring in a goal before one minute of play. The home team continued to play two shots in a row. King, the captain of the visiting team, made a nice shot, and the puck from Bill Carson in the corner of the London goal and shot in the score 10 to 2 in favor of Woodstock at the end of the second period.

King scored the only shot in the last period. Bill Carson took the liberty of the game, and Tommy, who refereed the game, did not manage to get a single goal in this period. The period ended by the score of 11 to 3, in favor of Woodstock.

The teams lined up as follows: Woodstock—Goal, Carson; Defense, Gillies, Melnyk, Carson, King, Burgess; Wing, Carson, Norman; Subs, Carson, Dubrui. London—Goal, Logan; Defense, Carson, Melnyk, Carson, King, Burgess; Wing, Carson, Norman; Subs, Carson, Dubrui.

Summary: First Period, London—Logan, 3 minutes, 20 seconds; Woodstock—Carson, 20 seconds; London—Carson, 5 minutes; Woodstock—Carson, 17 minutes. Second Period, Woodstock—Carson, 20 seconds; Woodstock—Carson, 6 minutes; Woodstock—Carson, 15 minutes; Woodstock—Carson, 15 minutes; Woodstock—Carson, 15 minutes. Third Period, Woodstock—Carson, 17 minutes; Woodstock—Carson, 17 minutes; Woodstock—Carson, 17 minutes.

Penalties: London, 4 minutes—Logan, 3 minutes; Woodstock, 3 minutes—Carson, 2 minutes; King, 1 minute.

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Glencoe Takes Game from Tillsonburg

Davenport Given Lively Reception at Tillsonburg Rink Tuesday Evening.

TILLSONBURG, Feb. 4.—In the third game of season 12 here this evening the locals went down to defeat before the fast Glencoe team by the score of 11 to 3.

The local team was badly handicapped by the absence of Baker, the star goalkeeper, who is ill with the "flu." At the last minute an inexperienced man was put in goal, where he had never played before.

The first period opened by a fast play, mostly in the Glencoe end, but the locals failed on shooting. The period ended by the score of 3 to 1 in favor of Glencoe.

In the second period the visitors mixed it up, and seemed to get the better of the game. This caused criticism from the boards. In fact, some three hundred fans were on the ice after the referee was escorted to the hotel after the game by the police and the local team.

The visitors were heavy and the ice was sticky. The locals depended on the speed of their players. In Glencoe, the Davenport played a stone-wall game, while Walker and F. Carroll, stood for Tillsonburg.

The line-up: Tillsonburg—Goal, Carroll; Defense, Carroll, Carroll, Carroll; Wing, Carroll, Carroll; Subs, Carroll, Carroll. Glencoe—Goal, Carroll; Defense, Carroll, Carroll, Carroll; Wing, Carroll, Carroll; Subs, Carroll, Carroll.

WOODSTOCK HAS A bunch of clean hockey players, and every man on the team has been playing for some time. This brand of hockey pleased the London fans.

WHEN THE VISITORS appeared on the ice they received loud cheers from the spectators. Everyone was anxious to see the red and whites in a game.

TORONTO BLUESHIRTS WIN FROM CANADIENS Queen City Team Shows Great Form and Speed, Winning by Score of 6 to 3.

TORONTO, Feb. 4.—In a rather listless exhibition in the National Hockey League game here tonight against the Canadiens, the Blueshirts showed a command lead in the initial period, and thereafter were not forced to extend themselves to gain the verdict. The visitors used their regular line-up with the exception of Hall, who is suffering from an injury to his leg.

Arena showed good form and had a distinct edge in speed. Randall proved effective and his grand rushing end-play proved a nuisance to the Canadiens. The game was a close one, but the Blueshirts were the victors in a hard-fought battle.

The teams lined up as follows: Canadiens—Goal, Lindsay; Defense, Lindsay, Lindsay, Lindsay; Wing, Lindsay, Lindsay; Subs, Lindsay, Lindsay. Blueshirts—Goal, Lindsay; Defense, Lindsay, Lindsay, Lindsay; Wing, Lindsay, Lindsay; Subs, Lindsay, Lindsay.

Summary: First Period, Canadiens—Lindsay, 3 minutes, 20 seconds; Blueshirts—Lindsay, 20 seconds; Canadiens—Lindsay, 5 minutes; Blueshirts—Lindsay, 17 minutes. Second Period, Blueshirts—Lindsay, 20 seconds; Blueshirts—Lindsay, 6 minutes; Blueshirts—Lindsay, 15 minutes; Blueshirts—Lindsay, 15 minutes. Third Period, Blueshirts—Lindsay, 17 minutes; Blueshirts—Lindsay, 17 minutes; Blueshirts—Lindsay, 17 minutes.

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Jack Kearns and Tex Rickard Reach Agreement—Dempsey to Get \$27,500.

NEW YORK, Feb. 4.—Jack Kearns, manager for Jack Dempsey, tonight reached an oral agreement with Tex Rickard whereby he matched Dempsey to meet Jess Willard for \$27,500 and one-third of the motion picture rights. The time and place of the match were not fixed. Both Kearns and Rickard agreed to meet Jess Willard for \$27,500 and a signed on Dempsey's arrival here from Salt Lake City. Rickard will post 25 per cent of Dempsey's share sixty days before the bout.

MOUNT FOREST DEFEATS WINGHAM IN N. H. L. GAME

MOUNT FOREST, Feb. 4.—Mount Forest defeated Wingham by the score of 14 to 7, in the Northern Hockey League game here Monday night. The line-up: Wingham—Goal, Campbell; Defense, Campbell, Campbell, Campbell; Wing, Campbell, Campbell; Subs, Campbell, Campbell. Mount Forest—Goal, Campbell; Defense, Campbell, Campbell, Campbell; Wing, Campbell, Campbell; Subs, Campbell, Campbell.

Summary: First Period, Wingham—Campbell, 3 minutes, 20 seconds; Mount Forest—Campbell, 20 seconds; Wingham—Campbell, 5 minutes; Mount Forest—Campbell, 17 minutes. Second Period, Mount Forest—Campbell, 20 seconds; Mount Forest—Campbell, 6 minutes; Mount Forest—Campbell, 15 minutes; Mount Forest—Campbell, 15 minutes. Third Period, Mount Forest—Campbell, 17 minutes; Mount Forest—Campbell, 17 minutes; Mount Forest—Campbell, 17 minutes.

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Benny Leonard Not Using "Knock-'Em-Dead" Punch

Has the Lightweight Champion Lost His Left-Hand Wallop, or Is He Saving It For the Future?—Cuba Race Mad—Many Baseball Lieutenants Moved Up To Managers the Past Season.

BY FRANK G. MENKE. Will history repeat itself in the case of William ("Kid") Gleason and Jack Coombs, the fledgling managers, 1917?

Before the advent of that "men behind" in the past few years has resulted in the case of the clubs involved. And it also has proved that the lieutenants have in some instances been the real managerial gents.

George Stallings leaped into national prominence in 1914 when he piloted the Braves to pennant heights. A great left-hander, Stallings, a great left-hander, Stallings has been performing wonders. Since then, the lieutenants have been the real managers.

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Leonard's Famous Wallop MISSING. Benny Leonard apparently has abandoned his famous left-hand wallop, which made him a world's champion, and enabled him to compile an imposing record.

The punch, partly a left-hand cross, and partly an upper-cut, is one that has baffled the defensive tactics of every man it was used against. It is a short, heavy, powerful punch, and it is a short, heavy, powerful punch.

Leonard exhibited the ripper for the first time in his career, when he knocked out the champion, He then gave it the severest test against Freddie Welsh and the result was a knockout. The left hand was the main dependence—and the right hand was the main dependence.

Leonard joined the army as a boxing instructor, since which time the lieutenants have been the real managers. Since then, the lieutenants have been the real managers.

Has Leonard lost the necessary "knock-'em-dead" power of the left? Or did he purposely avoid attempting to knock out that starling contender, who has never failed to win for him a knockout victory?

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LOOKS LIKE GOOD SEASON ON MICHIGAN SHORTSHIP CIRCUIT

Stewards Gather at Mount Clemens—Officers Elected.

MOUNT CLEMENS, Mich., Feb. 4.—The stewards of the Michigan Short Ship Circuit gathered at the Park Hotel tonight for the annual business meeting. The talk generally presages a successful season.

Charlotte was the only applicant for a new berth in the circuit and was accepted. The only discordant note came from Port Huron, where the organization claims to have lost \$2,000 on the 1915 season, and in a letter to the meeting, the date of July 1-4 is asked. These data would give the tunnel city two holidays and a chance to recoup their losses.

Mount Clemens, Dexter Park, Port Huron, Bay City, Saginaw, Saginaw Fair, Toledo Fair, Michigan State Fair, Kalamazoo and Grand Rapids fairs, were represented. Monroe being the only absentee.

All the officers were re-elected. Geo. E. Hulton of Detroit, president; Wm. T. Engelman, Kalamazoo, vice-president; Thomas F. Morris, Saginaw, secretary-treasurer; John J. Carnahan, superintendent on transportation. The schedule committee has not yet reported.

BRANTFORD DEFEATS GALT IN O. B. A. GAME

Opening Game in Intermediate Series Played at Brantford Last Night.

BRANTFORD, Feb. 4.—In the first game of the intermediate basketball series tonight Brantford defeated Galt by the score of 22 to 18. The game was a close one, but Brantford's superior shooting and combination play proved the difference.

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MILD WEATHER HAS SPOILED ICE RACES

Event Scheduled For Mount Clemens Called Off.

MOUNT CLEMENS, Feb. 4.—Continued mild weather has compelled the indefinite postponement of the ice-racing meeting scheduled to open at the Clinton View Track here this afternoon.

GAMES STAGED DAILY AT ELGIN GOLF LINKS

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 4.—For the first time in probably 30 years the Elgin Golf and Country Club are able to participate in this favorite sport.

Several interesting games were staged yesterday and again this afternoon. The rain caused the grounds to become a little soft last evening, but by this afternoon they had dried out again and were in first-class condition.

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