

SIXTY TOWNS AND CITIES ARE REPRESENTED AT CONVENTION

Ontario Boards of Trade Begin Sessions Thursday With Program Full of Live Subjects of Municipal and Provincial Interest.

A. C. Pratt, M. P. P., Port Dover; Col. H. Brock, president of the Toronto Board of Trade, and Sir George C. Gibbons will be among the speakers at the complimentary banquet to be tendered by the London Board of Trade to the representatives of the Associated Boards in Ontario Thursday night. Sixty-four boards will be represented, and there will be more than 120 visitors.

The convention opens at 11:30 tomorrow morning. More than thirty important resolutions, ranging over a wide variety of subjects, will be discussed. As the majority of them are in the interests of the entire province as well as of the particular boards of trade, standing sponsor for them, most of them will probably be incorporated by the convention.

Want Duty Remitted.
Owen Sound board of trade will move a resolution urging the remission of the duty on the bituminous coal which is used on the lake steamers. Coal dealers in Owen Sound complain that Canadian steamers, on account of the higher price in Canada, necessitated by the duty, always go to American ports to take in coal.

Port Dover board will move a resolution asking for improvements to the Port Dover harbor.

Busy little Belleville's board of trade will present no less than eight resolutions, not the least interesting of which is one asking the Associated Boards to suggest to the local boards the desirability of interesting the agricultural population in their work, and encouraging farmers to become members. Belleville also stands behind a resolution calling for the assimilation and co-ordination of commercial laws.

Many Matters for Discussion.
Other resolutions are in favor of: A uniform Dominion insolvency law; Reciprocal demurrage—Owen Sound, Guelph and London; Reformation—Guelph; Municipal government by commission—Guelph; Encouragement of the cattle industry—Guelph; Government railway development of Ontario—Toronto, Guelph.

To Protect Creditors.
Legislation dealing with bulk sales to protect creditors in the event of dealers selling out to wholesalers—London.

The appointment of a provincial fire marshal—Hamilton, Guelph. Good roads—Belleville, Guelph. A parcel post system—Belleville, Sudbury, Toronto.

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A DAY WITH GEN. JONES AND HER ARMY

Their Feet Are Sore, Their Legs Are Tired, Their Skirts Are Muddy; But Will They Give Up? Never! No—Never!



"General" Jones and Her Suffragette Soldiers, on Their "Hike" to Washington.

CANON TUCKER SEES TAFT RECEIVE WORD OF MADERO'S DEATH

Sits Three Seats Behind President in Church of St. Bartholomew.

Canon Tucker saw the telegram announcing the death of Madero in Mexico City handed to President Taft while he was attending service in the Church of St. Bartholomew, New York, on Sunday last. Canon Tucker was in New York to speak in the afternoon in the splendid new Church of St. John the Divine.

"In the morning," he told The Advertiser today, "I went to the Church of St. Bartholomew, and having a letter from the dean of the diocese, I was shown to one of the best seats in the church. A few moments later an usher asked me if I would mind moving back a couple of seats, as President Taft was expected, and that seat had been reserved for him. Presently President Taft and Mrs. Taft entered, accompanied by an aide-de-camp. They were just two seats ahead of me, and I was able to get a good look at the President."

"While we were worshipping, a messenger came down the aisle and handed a telegram to the aide. I learned afterwards that this was the message telling of the killing of Madero in the streets of Mexico City. The President rose at the close of the service, and putting his coat over his arm, walked out of the church before the congregation began to leave. He left immediately for Washington."

Canon Tucker was much pleased by the hospitality extended to him while visiting in New York. The Church of St. John the Divine he characterized as being perhaps the most complete institution on the continent. It is beautifully situated, near Grant's monument, on the banks of the Hudson River, and in close proximity to the famous Columbia College, which is attended by 11,000 students. The building is constructed of gray stone, and presents a very handsome appearance. No amount of money or effort has been spared to make it complete. A school will be maintained to train men for the choir of the church, and this feature alone will cost about \$12,000 annually, according to Canon Tucker.

J. Pierpont Morgan is erecting a synod office on the grounds, which is being built and furnished without regard to expense.

Canon Tucker spoke on the subject of "The Bible" to a congregation of about two thousand persons.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—COLDER AT NIGHT.

Forecast.

Toronto, Feb. 26—8 a.m. Fog; light snow; cold; light winds; snow at first; colder by night.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Station	High	Low	Weather
LONDON	21.5	12	Snow
Victoria	49	30	Clear
Calgary	4	3	Clear
Winnipeg	12	28	Clear
Port Arthur	28	4	Clear
Perry Sound	18	6	Cloudy
Toronto	22	16	Cloudy
Ottawa	10	12	Clear
Montreal	12	4	Cloudy
Quebec	10	8	Clear
Bathurst Point	16	10	Clear

Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.
The cold wave which was in Alberta yesterday has spread over the Western Provinces, and the southwestern disturbance is now moving towards the Middle States.

The temperature has risen very considerably in Ontario, but continues low in Quebec and the Maritime Provinces.

STEAM AWAY CHEAPER SAYS WHITTENBERGER

General Superintendent of Grand Trunk Says Talk of Electricity Being More Economical Is Simply "Bosh" to Railwaymen.

"Operation of a railroad by electricity costs far more than it does by steam," said General Superintendent E. Whittenberger, of the Grand Trunk, in an interview with an Advertiser reporter today.

"There are a few places on the Grand Trunk system that are electrified," said Mr. Whittenberger, "but if it were possible to run the trains with coal over those spots you may rest assured that we would do it. Take, for instance, the tunnel between Port Huron and Sarnia. Trains were run through there by steam power for a long time, but on account of coal gas it had to be stopped and electricity substituted."

Operated at Loss.
"It costs us a good deal more to run those trains through the tunnel by electricity than it did by steam. All this talk about operation by electricity being cheaper is all bosh, because as soon as any railroad finds a way to operate trains cheaper than they are doing, they will quickly grasp that opportunity. The Grand Trunk and every large railroad system in the country is watching the progress of electricity these days, and as soon as it is seen that that is a practical and cheap method of locomotion, you can rest assured that it will be adopted."

The Long Coal Haul.
"Anyone who sits down and figures for a minute the long haulage of coal that all the railroads have to make to supply their engines with power at different points on the line, will soon realize that if a railroad was sure that steam would be eliminated by the stringing of overhead wires, electric power would soon be used."

Asked if he had heard whether his company intended making any offer for the lease or running rights over the London and Port Stanley Railway, Mr. Whittenberger replied that he had not. "The newspapers would hear of that sooner than I would," said he.

mental defectives, to provide institutions for the care of the feeble-minded and that municipalities be called upon to pay for the maintenance of their wards up to 21 years of age.

Downey Objects.
Mr. Joseph P. Downey, superintendent of the Orillia Hospital for the Feeble-Minded, expressed hearty sympathy with the objects of the deputation, but dissented to the reference that Orillia was only used for idiots, and submitted figures to show that a great deal of self-sustaining work was being done by the inmates. He did not think that training schools would meet the need, as the larger percentage of feeble-minded were of the unimprovable class. He scorned the idea of treating "high-grade defectives" on a silver salver and establishing a fancy sort of an institution for their cure.

With two more cottages Orillia had facilities for looking after an additional 200 children. It would be better for the Government to enlarge Orillia or build another institution, rather than erect training schools, which, he did not think, would serve the purpose in mind, and not prove profitable, as some municipalities were now objecting to the charge of ten cents per day levied for the care of children sent there.

Mr. J. H. Starr, commissioner of the juvenile court at Toronto, gave instances of no less than thirteen cases that he had dealt with since he received an invitation to join the deputation last Thursday.

Representatives from Hamilton and other places also spoke.

Remove Derrick Engine.
The large derrick engine which has been used for hoisting the steelwork on the new Perrin building, was removed today. It was placed on a sleigh and drawn up Dundas street, where its immense size and weight attracted considerable attention.

Five Thousand Feeble-Minded.
It was pointed out that there were 5,000 feeble-minded persons in the Province, of which 2,000 were children. Most of these required custodial care in training schools. The deputation asked that representations be made to the Dominion Government to exert more care at entry ports in the inspection of immigrants to have a bureau of record of the mentally defectives in Ontario, to have more municipal responsibility in the issuance of marriage licenses, to prevent the marriage of

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MR. BECK GETS INTO TIMBER LIMITS OF NORTH COUNTRY

Ontario Minister Is Owner of Large Tracts Near Iroquois Falls in New Ontario.

Intends to Use Wood On Land for His Box Factories in London and Hamilton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Cochrane, Feb. 26.—The activity of Hon. Adam Beck around his concessions at Iroquois Falls, and the extensive logging of wood at Kelson for use in his box factories at London and Hamilton, are a marked indication of the growing importance of the north as a centre of the lumber industry.

Cattle and Produce Markets

FOR OTHER MARKETS SEE PAGE ELEVEN.

HIDES.
TORONTO, Feb. 25.—Beef hides—City butcher hides, green, flat, 13c per lb; inspected hides, No. 1, 13½c; No. 2, 12½c; No. 3, 11½c; country hides, flat, cured, Texas steers, \$3 20 to \$6; stockers feeders, \$6 15 to \$8 10; cows and heifers, \$3 25 to \$7 50; calves, \$7 to \$10 50. —Receipts, 4,400; market weak: \$8 25 to \$8 50; mixed, \$8 25 to \$8 50; heavy, \$8 10 to \$8 50; roughs, \$8

James S. Robinson, formerly Bandmaster at Manhattan Beach, New York's favorite high-class seaside resort, and long with Barnum & Bailey, has taken Duffy's for twenty years. Says it puts new life in him.

"I want to tell all my friends about Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey. For ten years I was with Hengler's Circus in England, twenty years with Barnum & Bailey, and five years as bandmaster at Manhattan Beach, New York City, and many other shows. For twenty years I have taken Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey, and for the last four years I have never been without it. I have used it for malaria and dysentery, and found it the best medicine I ever took, and I have been living 76 years. It puts new life in me, and I thank the company for so grand a tonic."—James S. Robinson, 620 Main street, Paterson, N.J.

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calves, good, 100 lbs. and over, from \$5.50 to \$6.25, and poorer stock at \$4.50 to \$5.00 per cwt. Light ewes were bought at \$5.25 to \$6. Heavy ewes from \$4 to \$4.75 and good lambs from \$8.50 to \$9.50. On the hog market quotations were \$9.25 for fed and watered stock and \$8.90 f. o. b. Some representative transactions were Coughlin & Co. sold 92 cattle, weighing from 710 to 1,160 lbs. for from \$4 to \$6.
Dunn & Levaack sold 15 cows, for \$5 to \$5.85; 3 bulls, weighing near 1,200

A large number of citizens and firemen gathered, but nothing whatever could be done.

The origin of the fire is unknown.

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Suitable references were made to the prosperous state of the circuit, the

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LONDON, WEDNESDAY, FEB. 26.

A STRANGE CONJUNCTION.

At Victoria the other night, Mr. Foster, en route to Australia, discussed the naval question at a public meeting, Sir Richard McBride in the chair. Foster, McBride, the Pacific coast, and the naval question—what a conjunction! Foster, who launched the Canadian navy idea on the full tide of his eloquence, four years ago, McBride, who has for years pleaded for a Canadian unit in British Columbia waters against the yellow peril, and now meekly seconds his leader's proposal to put all Canada's naval expenditure into the North Sea.

"At Victoria, Mr. Foster felt that it would be discreet to take some account of local sentiment. To quote:

"Of course, some people will say that we are going to pay tribute for ever and ever, and that we are not going to have Canadian ships, manned by Canadians, and so forth. But that does not follow at all. . . . No man has a warrant for saying that the policy of contribution is the only policy of the Government, and that we propose to carry out that principle alone. That is as far as I can go without being political; that far it is necessary to go, because I think the expression of the idea that it is the Government's entire policy to adopt that principle should be contradicted. Only one part of the policy of the Canadian Government is before the people. It is to be followed by another, and that other is subject to the approval of the people themselves."

Language of this kind is intended to be a soporific for British Columbians. They are asked to be quiet for three or four years, while the Government pursues its do-nothing policy — do nothing for Canada—in order to hold its Quebec support. To dangle the prospect of a Canadian naval service before them, as Mr. Foster does, shows almost incredible assurance, after Mr. Borden's emphatic declaration that—

"nothing of an efficient character could be built up in this country within a quarter or perhaps half a century. . . . It is really any need that we should undertake the hazardous and costly experience of building up a naval organization, especially restricted to this Dominion, when upon just self-respecting terms we can take such part as we desire in naval defence throughout the existing naval organization of the Empire?"

It will take more than Mr. Foster's extraordinary powers of equivocation to explain away Mr. Borden's utterance. Mr. Foster's own Canadian navy panegyric returns on every occasion to accuse him of the most cold-blooded desertion of principle. It is to be hoped that it will give him many a twinge of conscience in Australia. The Canadian Government has also betrayed the Commonwealth, which jointly agreed with Canada upon the creation of national navies, to co-operate with each other and with the Imperial fleet. The less Mr. Foster says in Australia about Canada's recent role, the more comfortable he will be.

A FREE COUNTRY FOR COMBINES.

It is useless to look to the Ontario Government to set the law in motion against combinations in restraint of trade. The Attorney-General has openly declared that he will not lift a hand. He depends on the Government's overwhelming majority in the House to uphold him, and to prevent an attack upon him from being pushed to the danger point.

Neither does the recent speech of the Minister of Finance hold out any hope of redress at Ottawa in the near future. The Conservative party in the House of Commons was for immediate action in 1911. In moving for a public investigation of mergers, Mr. Monk produced statistics to show that combinations had been formed in Canada within a few preceding years with an authorized capitalization of \$214,750,000, of which \$168,076,000 had been actually issued. This was only a partial list at the time; since then the merger capitalization has grown greatly. It is conservatively estimated at over half a billion dollars. Mr. Monk said with truth that a large part of this capital represented merely good will and other fictitious items, adding significantly:

"Consequently when these companies claim protection upon the cost of production, this cost is always made to include interest on the capital. . . . In fixing that protective or customs tariff you are sure not to consider in any way the payment of dividends or returns upon fictitious capital which has not been at any time really invested in the business."

Mr. Borden was so impressed with the seriousness of the situation that he demanded legislation at once. He spoke of the attempt to shut out competition, and the capitalization of possible future profits, as "two evils to which the attention of Parliament might very well be directed." Certain industrial concerns in Canada, he said, were under the thumb of American trusts, which fixed the output and prices in this country. He thought Parliament had sufficient information, without

further investigation, to "put some legislation on the statute book."

Two years later Mr. Borden's Finance Minister tells Parliament that there is no need for immediate action. Legislation to govern the stock issues of industrial companies would come gradually. "There have been great evils in connection with the issue of watered stock of industrial companies," he said, referring to conditions in Germany and other countries, "but we have not yet reached that stage with regard to our (Canadian) industrial companies."

The evils for which Mr. Borden demanded an instantaneous remedy two years ago have miraculously disappeared, with the crossing of that gentleman from the left to the right of Mr. Speaker.

A VERSATILE CONTEMPORARY.

The naval plebiscite to be asked for by Nationalists in the House of Commons, will give the Kingston Standard a new opportunity to show what authority it has for lecturing The Advertiser on the evils of partisanship.

Two years ago the Standard supported Mr. Monk's demand for a similar plebiscite, which was then a weapon that could be used against the Laurier Government. The Standard now applauds the Borden policy of tribute, and is wrathful at the suggestion of a reference to the country by means of a general election. We shall watch its attitude toward a plebiscite proposal which is embarrassing to its own party.

The Standard, like two other Conservative dailies in Ontario, was also an enthusiastic supporter of the reciprocity agreement in the first stages of the discussion. It had only scorn for those who pretended to see something inimical to British connection in a free exchange of hogs and wheat with the United States. But when an election loomed up, the Standard suddenly discovered high treason in Laurier's policy and waved the flag as violently as any of the pocket-patriots.

The Standard's boasted independence seems to be under strict control. It is never allowed to get out of hand when it might collide with the party's interests.

Lord Nelson, who died yesterday, inherited his ancestor's title, but seemingly nothing else.

The United States is no longer "the land of the free," for the trusts and combines. That distinction has passed to Canada.

Australia is to have a fleet of her own. Is Australia disloyal or separatist?—Toronto Globe.

No; merely self-respecting.

From reports of the speech of Mr. Bennett, of Calgary, in the House of Commons, it is inferred that he gave an imitation of a western windstorm as nearly as the human voice could do it.

Having denied the prairie farmers a higher price for their wheat, the Ender Government is now about to make them pay more for their fruit if reports are correct.

The Essex Historical Society is doing a good work in marking the notable spots in the county. We have so little history in Ontario, measured by time and not by events, that we should conserve it like our natural resources.

La Patrie, the Montreal daily, which makes grave charges against two federal cabinet ministers, fought for the Conservative party in the last election, and has since supported the Borden Government, so that its allegations cannot be dismissed as a Grit canard.

An active and useful citizen has passed away in the death of Mr. J. V. Jones. He had lived in London 50 years, and might almost be classed among its pioneers. To the last he retained the love of Scotland and things Scottish, which is characteristic of his race, and defies time and distance.

PAARDEBURG DAY—"THE LINE WILL ADVANCE!"

[Contributed.]
The last command given by Wellington at Waterloo, and given before and since on many a glorious British battlefield, was heard for the first time by Canada beyond the seas at Paardeburg, on the 27th of February, 1900.

We will make those inspiring words form the motto of our race, in peace, as well as in war. "The line will advance." Our history shows one continuous advance for the uplift of humanity, from Alfred translating the Bible, the barons securing the Magna Charta from King John, William granting the Petition of Rights, Victoria giving us the Reform Bill, down to "the giving back of the land to the people," which is being secured today by parliamentary methods, it is one story of advance.

How vain are reactionary methods against the rising of such a tide, how vain to offer the motherland money, that she does not require, and we do not possess, instead of service, and co-operation, and self-reliance, duty, which should be our pride and pleasure to perform.

Let us not forget on Thursday to offer publicly and privately our tribute of commendation to the memory of those who fell at Paardeburg, while pointing out to us the path of duty and honor—"The line will advance!"

WHERE IS IT?

[Ottawa Free Press.]
Seeing that Parliament can put a man in for not telling why can't Premier Borden be forced to tell about that missing "emergency?"

LORD NELSON'S HINT.
[Dundee Advertiser.]
The Scotsman's conviction that Scot-

land is the heaven and the rest of the universe the lump, comes out amusingly in this story:

At the battle of Trafalgar, two Scots, messmates and cronies from the same village, happened to be stationed near each other when the celebrated signal was displayed from the admiral's ship. "Look up and read, Jock," said one to the other. "England expects every man to do his duty—not a word for your old Scotland!"

Jock cocked his eye at the flag and turned to his crony. "Man, George, is that a 'your sense'?" he asked. "Scotland expects every man to do his duty—that's just a hint to the Englishmen."

JUST TO START THEM.

[Boston Transcript.]
He—What are you going to give Kitty and Jack for wedding presents?
She—Oh I guess I'll send Kitty the bunch of letters Jack wrote me when we were engaged.

WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN.

[London Opinion.]
Editor—Have you submitted these poems anywhere else?
Poet—No, sir.
Editor—Then where did you get the black eye?

HER HABIT.

[Tit-Bits.]
"It did Jack no good to marry his stenographer, for she continued the habit of the office in her home."
"How so?"
"When he starts to dictate she takes him down."

WHY NOT CANADA?

[Toronto World (Con.).]
So eager are young Australians to train for the commonwealth navy that candidates for the Royal Navy College were selected by ballot. It seems that in the commonwealth there were those who anticipated and asserted that sea service would be unpopular. They have been proved wrong in their surmise, and there is little reason to believe that the service would not have equal appeal in Canada.

"The Australian Government has taken pains to insure that the lads entering the service are well trained, and made comfortable, so that the sea service shall be constantly popular. Pay rates on the training ship have been fixed at \$2.62 per week for first-class, and \$1.75 per week for second-class. Pocket money on account of service pay is allowed on scale ranging up to 50 cents weekly, and the balance is placed to the credit of each boy in the Commonwealth Bank."

THE SCOTCH AND THE "SILLER."

[Toronto Star.]
In Toronto a Cameron, a MacNeill, and a McKay have refused his salary offer from the United States. Who says that the Scotch are "over fond of siller?"

SIGNS OF THE TIMES.

[Edmonton Journal.]
If an enterprising aviator carries out his present plans, visitors to the coast next summer may travel from Vancouver to Victoria by aeroplane. There will be a charge of twenty-five dollars for the fare, and the aviator will presume, for sea bathing en route.

THE SCOTTS OF DAILY LIFE.

[Toronto Star.]
When the thermometer sinks to zero, of the Scot is only an inconvenience, and a topic for conversation for a good many of you. But it means more to those who deliver bread and milk at your doors, to those who occupy the houses, and where the storm must be faced, to those who must rise before daylight and make the first tracks in the snow. These are the Scotts and Amundsons of daily life, whom you ought to keep in mind.

SACRED TAXES.

[Toronto Star.]
Sir James Whitney has perhaps been too severely censured for his reported utterance that single taxers are on the way to the abolition of marriage and religion.
Belief in the efficacy of taxes for national and religious purposes is by no means confined to the Premier of Ontario.

There are people who believe, or say they believe, that Canadian nationality and British connection depend upon our retaining food taxes along the American border. They have argued that if the United States Congress removed food taxes, and Canadian wheat be sold freely in the United States, Canada and the empire would be in danger.

There are also people who believe that the empire can be saved only by taxing the bread of the people of Great Britain. They want only six cents a bushel, which really seems very little for saving an empire, but the people of England will not pay the price. If six cents a bushel were stand between the empire and destruction, may not the taxes on improvements be the bulwarks of marriage and religion? If untaxed food would draw the United States, might not untaxed improvements lead us into polygamy? We cannot see that Sir James Whitney is so very far from the other restrictionists.

FRUGALITY.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]
"John, dear, it's too bad that we have to pinch and save, and economize on everything we buy, and live there such a thing as a money trust?"
"Yes, love; I think there is."
"John, dear, why don't you join it?"

LABOUCHERE ON MR. ASQUITH.

[Westminster Gazette.]
The late Mr. Labouchere was a shrewd parliamentary critic and could not be accused of distributing praise too lavishly. In the column Labouchere printed in this week's Truth there is an interesting criticism of Mr. Asquith during his first full parliamentary session. Writing in the issue of Truth for March 31, 1887, Mr. Labouchere says: "By far the best speech made during the session by a new member was that of Mr. Asquith on the motion of Mr. Smith, for taking the time of the House for coercion. It was a clear, to the point, admirably argued, and in language far above silphoid House of Commons English." These qualities of lucidity and powerful argument are still the chief characteristics of Mr. Asquith's oratory. Indeed, Mr. E. E. Smith has admitted that the Premier's mastery of the English language is the envy of the House.

ALONG THE ROAD.

[Robert Browning Hamilton in the Century.]
I walked a mile with Pleasure,
She chattered all the way,
But left me none the wiser
For all she had to say.

I walked a mile with Sorrow,
And ne'er a word said she;
But, oh, the things I learned from her
When Sorrow walked with me!

GREAT ORATORS; CHARLES FOX, THE RUPERT OF DEBATE

[By Special Arrangement With
the Winnipeg Telegram.]

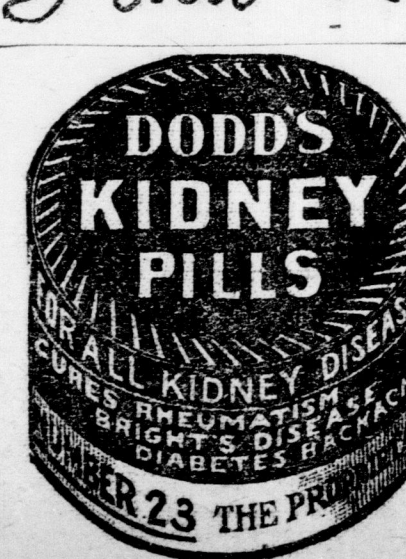
In reading the lives of famous orators I have been specially impressed with the fact that distinction in public speaking has come after years of study and practice. The elder Pitt is an example of such assiduity; Charles James Fox, whom Macintosh calls "the most Demosthenian orator since Demosthenes," is another illustration of the same fact. Fox was a close student of language and oratory from his earliest years. At Oxford his favorite studies were the classics, history and Demosthenes' speeches. He has left on record this saying, that "the study of good authors, and especially poets, ought never to be interrupted by any man who is to speak or write for the public, or indeed, who has any occasion to tax his imagination, whether it be for argument, for illustration, for ornament, for sentiment, or for any other purpose." But Fox not only memorized and declaimed privately the best passages from the masters, he seized every occasion at college to engage in public speaking. He even went in for theatricals, and acquired considerable celebrity as an actor. After he entered Parliament he was not abashed by his extreme youth (he was only 19), but spoke on every measure that came before the House. "During five whole sessions," he once said, "I spoke every night but one, and I regret that I did not speak on that night too." This constant practice would not be tolerated in a modern House from such a stripling, but those were leisurely days and much speaking was not the crime that it is regarded today. Besides, Fox was no spouter of platitudes.

His constant study of models and this daily practice soon made Fox a power in Parliament. He was not so eloquent as the Earl of Chatham, not so solid and imposing in his style as Burke, but he was the greatest debater in the House of Commons. Burke himself called him "the most brilliant and accomplished debater the world ever saw." One of his strong points was his ability to pass and repass his subject in fascinating review, enlightening every part of it, and binding even his adversaries in a kind of spell, for the moment, of involuntary assent. A favorite trick of Fox was to state his opponents' case even stronger than they could present it themselves; then, after viewing it in the roughest light, he would proceed to bring in his objections and would end by tearing it to pieces. This deadly work was performed in the language of the man of the greatest good nature, and in language of astonishing simplicity for that rhetorical age. Respecting his diction, Fox said, "Give me an elegant Latin and a homely Saxon word, and I will always choose the latter." Vigorous ideas, rather than gold-plated rhetoric, made Fox a brilliant orator.

As far as delivery is concerned, Fox did not produce a favorable impression in beginning a speech. It was difficult for him to lose his self-consciousness. Awkward at first, fumbling his papers, and knowing where to put his hands, he went along in a limping style, but soon he warmed to his subject and lost himself in his theme, his voice gaining strength and fullness, and his whole being expanding with the ardor of his convictions and his earnestness. When his eloquence was at its height, Sheridan says that Fox spoke with lightning rapidity and with breathless anxiety and impatience. Some of Fox's speeches had to do with the French revolution, with which he was an ardent sympathizer, and in opposition to George III's policy towards the American colonies. His speeches do not lend themselves well to quotation, but the following paragraphs from his speech "On the Policy of the Bourbons" is an illustration of his style:

"Oh, but you regretted the partition of Poland!" Yes, regretted! You regretted the violence, and that is all you did. You united yourselves with the actors; you, in fact, by your acquiescence, confirmed the atrocity. Let unfortunate Warsaw, and the miserable inhabitants of the suburb of Prague, in particular, tell! What do we understand to have been the conduct of this magnanimous hero, whom, it seems, Bonaparte is not to be compared? He entered the suburb of Prague, the most populous suburb of Warsaw; and there he let his soldiery loose on the miserable, unarmed, and unresisting people. Men, women and children, nay infants at the breast, were doomed to one indiscriminate massacre! Thousands of them were inhumanly, wantonly butchered, and for what? Because they had dared to join in a wish to ameliorate their own condition as a people and to improve their constitution, which had been confessed by their own sovereign to be in want of amendment. And such is the hero upon whom the cause of religion and social order is to repose! And such is the man whom we praise for his discipline and his virtue, and whom we hold out as our boast and our example; while the conduct of Bonaparte unites him to be even treated with as an enemy!"

John Doe.



The immediate need for an animal ambulance in London is again demonstrated by the cases reported in The Advertiser of Tuesday. The Humane Society will have the co-operation of all citizens in the work of raising funds to secure one.

ENOUGH SAID.

[From the Press want ads.]
A very handsome carriage horse. Broken to all sights.
921 Wellington street.
The home of Hiderow.

Oh, Queen of Birds!
She is no bird of paradise.
She may be fat and dumpy,
And if you stir when she's "sot,"
You'll find her prattle wherever I go,
And laugh her with my pen.
She isn't used to beauty, but
She's the clucking hen.

Beware the lady with the Dorothy bag. The suffragettes in England use them for the carrying of hammers.

A Chicago preacher lost a suitcase full of sermons. Everything will be forgiven if the thief will read them.

Hon. "Muggsy" McGraw has taken out an accident policy for \$100,000. Evidently fears that someone may Snodgrass it again.

Ye Couplet.
The electric-cat
Is after the fat.

A local Bob Pretty recently had occasion to make a settlement with a company because of the fact that his wife was injured.

A friend was asking if the settlement had been satisfactory.

"Not so bad! Not so bad!" replied the afflicted husband, or "I think so. I'd almost be willin' to go through it again."

The Boy Who Lost His Birthday.
A boy came into the editorial offices of The Advertiser on Tuesday to ascertain the year of the visit to London the Less of His Majesty King George. He was given the date.

"Why do you want to know, bub?" he was asked.

"Me father forgot my birthday, but he knew it was the year the King came," answered the lad.

Some queer querrists find their way to the oracle (who, by the way, is fairly well fortified with records and almanacs and things, and even if the oracular gentleman can't find out, the answer can be dug up somewhere). At the risk of dispelling a fond illusion, it's most a case of "Look! Look! Look in the book!"

The genius of the matter is knowing in which book to look. But it's a pleasant thing to restore a lost birthday to a little chap. It's a handy thing to have about, so long as one is of the male sex.

And is the golden story of real estate to be told in this fair city?

Ever Notice That When
The story opens like this, "It happened twenty years ago," a glance at the illustrations finds hero, heroine and the lesser lights garbed to the letter in the advance styles of the spring of 1913?

If the practice of spanking suffragettes who damage golf links becomes universal, the game will be given wonderful impetus.

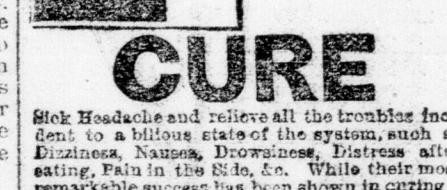
All a publicity commissioner seeking population will need to do will be to advertise that his town has a militant suffrage organization and a golf links.

BUILDING INCREASES

Permits Show \$22,895 Total, Advance of \$7,310.

Building permits in London for the past month, in spite of the inclement weather, amounted to \$7,310 more than those of February, 1912.

During February of 1912, 22 permits for buildings, to cost \$15,555, were issued, and so far this month 31 permits for buildings to cost \$22,895, were issued. Building Inspector Piper expects a banner building year, and says that prospects for a boom were never better.



SICK HEADACHE and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Bloating, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

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MEXICAN SITUATION NOW LESS TENSE

Not Likely That the American
Army Division Will Be
Called On.

SOME SMALL UPRISINGS

Followers of Late President Madero
Are Not Expected to Give Much
Trouble.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, Feb. 25.—With prospect of armed opposition to the new provisional Government in Mexico reduced to a few small threatened uprisings by followers of the late President Madero, it is the opinion of the administration officials here that chances for the use of the military arm to protect American interests have greatly diminished.

The concentration of troops at Galveston will continue, but admittedly the purpose is now principally to test the working of the new system of army reorganization. Major-General Carter, commander of the second division, due to arrive in Galveston within the next 24 hours, will take the opportunity offered by the assembly of a complete division of troops to put them through their paces, thus affording the various regimental and brigade commanders practically their first opportunity to direct the movements of the large bodies of men that fall to their command in time of war.

If the complete division is assembled in Galveston, at Texas City, about seven miles distant, and in the camp just opened near Houston, before the end of the present week, the military experts feel that they will have accomplished a creditable feat.

Madero's Policies.
Vera Cruz, Feb. 25.—It is reported here that Senor Francisco Madero, widow of the late ex-president, holds policies of life insurance amounting to several hundred thousand dollars, which have been given out by several American companies.

The departure from Mexico of Ernesto Madero, uncle of the late president, and former minister of finance, has resulted in a check being made of the cash in the Government treasury, which showed the existence of a balance of \$25,000. This amount, however, does not represent the whole of the immediately available resources of the new administration, as there are various deposits in both foreign banks, which can be drawn upon by the Government.

BOARD OF WORKS NAMES POSSIBLE ENGINEERS

W. S. Harvey, of Lethbridge;
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and W. N. Ashplant,
of England.

Messrs. W. S. Harvey, of Lethbridge, Alta.; R. H. Parsons, of Ottawa, and W. N. Ashplant, of England, were selected as possible candidates for the position of city engineer at a special meeting of the board of works, held last night. The names will be suggested to the city council at its next meeting.

City Engineer Brazier was recommended as an assistant.

The salaries of the three applicants run from \$2,000 to \$3,500 a year.

There were 31 applications, and for some time the members of the board of works have been considering the references of the different applicants.

City Engineer Brazier considered that he was appointed by the council last year to the position permanently. If he could fill it, but members of the council claim that he was only appointed until a man with considerable experience could be secured.

Asked if he could make any statement in reference to the action of the board, Mr. Brazier replied that he would not until after the council met and decided what it was going to do.



MANUEL CALERO,
Mexican Ambassador at Washington.



The artists and critics may rave as they will
Of prudishness prim and precise,
They claim that it hampers their art and their skill
To have to be proper and nice.
But for all of its squeamishness, all of its cant,
It holds us to decency, plain,
And I'm willing to lift up my voice in a chant,
A hymn to the "Puritan Strain."

It may be a trifle too rigid and grim
And hard on the spirit of youth,
But it keeps the commandments from growing too dim
And it holds to the right and the truth.
It's harsh and unyielding in many a way
That causes but worry and pain,
But a man or a nation won't go far astray
If controlled by the "Puritan Strain."

It's helped us to conquer the country we own
Which stretches from sea unto sea,
It's sobered and tempered us while we have grown
A nation united and free.

It's grappling undaunted with problems most vast,
With power of hand and of brain;
That grim, granite purpose will save us at last—
Thank God for the "Puritan Strain!"

Whooping Cough SPASMODIC CROUP BRONCHITIS ASTHMA CATARRH COLDS



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WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Katherine Leslie's Chat.
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Cynthia Grey's Replies.

GREATEST MOVEMENTS ARE THOSE THAT AFFECT ENTIRE HUMAN RACE

Splendid Conception of a Universal God and World-Wide Brotherhood of Man
Presented by Dr. Symonds Before the Women's Canadian Club
on Tuesday Afternoon.

It was a world-wide vision, a conception of the one God, and the universal brotherhood of man, that Dr. Symonds, of Montreal, presented to members of the Women's Canadian Club yesterday afternoon in his address on "World Movements."

"I do propose," said Dr. Symonds, "to speak on any particular world movement, but rather to describe what I mean by world movements. While there are many problems of the city, nation and of the world, the great movements of the day, which are fraught with greatest possibilities for good or evil, are those which affect the general welfare of the human race."

The One-God Religion.
The fact that the one-God religion, and the uniting of the entire human race evolved, Dr. Symonds stated, from the ancient Hebrews and Greeks. Regarding the former, the Semite people held many ideas in common. Among these was their conception of God. Each nation appeared to have their own God peculiar to themselves, and upon whom they looked as practically residing in their own country. The Hebrews worshipped Jehovah, the Assyrians, Ashur, the Babylonians, Moloch, and so on. Amongst the Hebrews, it was probably not until the time of the prophets that a wider outlook came, when Amos and Isaiah saw a vision of one God, Jehovah, who should be worshipped by all the nations of the earth, and as a consequence all men should be knit together by ties of brotherhood.

"This idea became stronger and stronger in the New Testament. We have there a conception of God which is free from all national peculiarities, all national exclusiveness; it is for all people, universal, and I believe that the idea of the one God and one race evolved and is evolving under the divine guidance."

Greek Philosophy.
"Among the Greeks in the early days we find an exclusiveness equally as great as that of the old Hebrews, but as times went on there finally sprang up a philosophical conception of God, different from the Hebrews. They believed in a God of universal reason, and finally that all men should become philosophers."

It might be a matter for discussion with some whether this idea of one God and one race was being carried out in the Christian Church. Dr. Symonds believed that it was. "The fact that we have seen the light of sight of, and that within recent years the conception of Christianity as the universal religion was becoming more realistic all the time. One handicap in the past was the lack of knowledge and the difficulty of communication amongst nations."

"The time now is ripe for the realization of the idea of a world society, and the most important problems which affect us today are not those which deal with our own country, nor with the Empire to which we belong, but that all people unite in learning to solve race problems and helping each other for a common good."

East and West.
The closeness of East and West, Dr. Symonds considered one of the most important facts in world affairs of the present day. "To quote Kipling," said Dr. Symonds, "East is east, and west is west, And never the two shall meet." "But they are meeting, and the war in which the East is absorbing and adopting ideas and methods of the west is astonishing."

In war, the speaker showed, the Japanese and Chinese were introducing English and German methods into their armies; in politics, constitutional government was sweeping away the ancient governments of the East; in education, also, western ideas were being absorbed, and the universities of Great Britain and Germany were filled with students from many countries of the East; western methods of surgery and medicine now prevailed in many parts of China, Japan and India.

World Movements.
"We may say, in fact, that politics, war, education and science are no longer national things; they are world movements. All these things, which are so important in the development of society, are becoming universal, and it is the duty of all to fight against, and to protest against race prejudice wherever it exists."

There were also many things which the East could teach us, the lecturer asserted. Their very mediocrity was a lesson, and in many respects their superior intellectuality and spirituality was a valuable example to people of the West, who were so devoted to material things.

Necessity of the Nation.
"This idea of world-wide brotherhood did not, however, imply that individual nations should be done away with."

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY

Take care of your health and balance your budget. Your year will give you many small opportunities, some of which you will see and profit well by. Those born today will be fortunate in many ways and will gain wealth. They will be able to accidents and should learn to swim and be careful around the water.

The nation is a collection of families. First the family, then the tribe or clan; then the nation formed of many families and many tribes. When the nation came into existence was its affairs destructive to the family? Not at all. It was needful for the peace and harmony of the family be preserved. Any attempt to destroy the family would be fraught with disaster for the nation and for the entire human race. And just as the evolution of the nation did not destroy the family, so we may say that the evolution of the universal society does not involve the destruction of the individual nation.

New Canadian Nation.
"In this country, where we have people from almost every nation of the world, it means that we are going to produce a new nation, and just as families are to be knit up and knit together in the bonds of fellowship and love, so ought we as members of a nation stand together as closely as we can, always seeking to improve the ideals and conditions under which we live. And we must remember that we are a nation of great opportunities and privileges, with a golden future lying before us, all given as a sacred trust to pass on to other nations."

Anything that tends to break down race prejudices or religious prejudices, and anything that tends to bring a larger measure of light and love to the whole human race, that is the calling of the 20th century, which is but beginning its glorious work upon the earth."

A most hearty vote of thanks was tendered Dr. Symonds at the close of his splendid address. Mrs. McLean, who presided in the absence of the president, conveying the motion on behalf of the club.

At the informal reception held after the meeting, Rev. R. W. Norwood also spoke briefly.

KEEPING RADIATORS CLEAN.
Besides being uncleanly it is unhygienic to let dust accumulate in the crevices of steam radiators. It is a breeder of microbes which are absorbed into the lungs.

Now it is not easy, as every housekeeper knows, to keep dust from radiators; the ordinary dust cloth seems quite inadequate to do more than "suck up" the surface of the pipes.

But there is a brush with a curved handle and long, slender bristles like a giant toothbrush, that goes into every part with perfect ease. These brushes not only keep radiators clean, but they are just the thing to brush off the tops of window ledges or to clean the fender of the open grate or to run along picture molding.

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THE FREQUENT SCHOOL GIRL.
A—1. Frequent shampoos and nightly brushing help to keep the hair in good condition. If the ends are split,

To boil fish have the pan or pot large enough to allow the entire fish to be under water. To four quarts of water add one teaspoon of salt, juice of one lemon or one-fourth cup of vinegar.

Wrap the fish in a cheese or muslin cloth, drop the fish in the kettle just before the water begins to bubble. The fish will cool the water a little and this will keep the skin from breaking and allow the fish to quietly simmer, not boil rapidly.

Take it up after you have allowed it seven minutes for each pound of fish to be boiled. Do not let it sit in water after it is done, but take the cloth off carefully and place the fish on a hot platter. This can be served with any of the following sauces:

Cream of Egg Sauce.
Two cups of milk in double boiler, two even tablespoons flour rubbed smooth into one even tablespoon of butter, pinch of salt, turn the flour and butter paste into the milk and cook fifteen minutes over slow fire. Have three eggs boiled hard, chop the whites and put into the cream dressing. Just before taking it up turn it over the boiled fish, put yolks of eggs in "rice" and sprinkle en-



New Fashions for Modern Woman



Up-to-date designers and dressmakers are giving to the modern woman so many beautiful and original fashion designs that the best dressers are "passing up" more and more the eccentric ideas which the French are continually sending over here, as the kind of gowns which must be worn for the fashionable woman.

This spring the French designers all show the influence of Turkish and Bulgarian ideas, while the designer is using the exquisite line and chaste decoration of the Greeks.

The illustration demonstrates the ability of the modern dressmaker to equal if not excel the new importations from France. It is quite as artistic in line and coloring and much more suited to the ordinary form and temperament than those oriental affairs which Paris seems to be going wild over.

This gown is worn by Miss Rose Leslie, the actress. In all for the Ladies and is the design of Joseph of New York. It is of white chiffon with rhinestone trimmings, with a Grecian key design and rhinestone girdle. Underneath the chiffon about the knees is a pink sash which holds the skirt into the narrow confines that are not imperative.

Daily Healthogram

THREE REQUIREMENTS in the daily health building are:
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A—1. Frequent shampoos and nightly brushing help to keep the hair in good condition. If the ends are split,

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Cream of Parsley Sauce.
Use the cream sauce as given above, adding one thin slice of an onion to it. When ready to serve take out onion and add two tablespoons full of minced parsley. Turn a little over the boiled fish and send the remainder to the table in gravy boat.

Lemon Sauce.
One and one-half cups stock, one-fourth cup of vinegar, one slice of onion, thickened with flour, boil ten minutes, add one small cucumber pickle, one-half a green sweet pepper and five chives, all chopped fine. Garnish fish with slices of lemon, on which sprinkle minced parsley. Send cream sauce to table in gravy boat.

Ohio Sauce.
Three tablespoons of cooked mayonnaise, one-half tablespoon of onion, one tablespoon of horse radish, one tablespoon of cucumber pickle. Put these through the meat grinder, blend it with the mayonnaise, add two tablespoons of cream. Serve very cold.

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BILLY STEVENS—His Story

XXIII.—Billy Looks for a Home.
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Billy's eyes were always large and dark, but the better his health became, the larger and darker those liquid eyes grew. Mrs. Z., who was thinking of taking him, came up to the ward to see him. But she could not "see her way." It was a financial question. Just as it is with the people responsible for the Balkan war and the banking act, so it was with Mrs. Z. The money market is "tight" just now. She had to think of the family. Her husband was at work, but he was on the "night shift" and did not get anything alarming in the way of pay. And there were three nice big children going to school, aged respectively 10 years, 12 years and 13 years—the youngest a boy and the other two girls. So she went out to work at Elizabeth's Tea Room from 11 a.m. to 3:30 p.m., for which she received \$2.00 a week, which just paid the rent. It seemed like a necessity. And if she took Billy she would need to stay at home. It was a financial question. But Billy's large dark eyes looked at her "so reproachful-like," she said. Billy was looking for a home.

SAUCES FOR BOILED FISH
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Mandarin Sauce.
Six small seeded cucumbers and

five or six young onions, put through meat grinder, sprinkle with a salt-spoon of salt, allow to stand one hour, drain, add the juice of one lemon and a dessertspoon of vinegar. Mix thoroughly. Serve very cold.

WOMEN'S INSTITUTES
MOUNT BRYDES

Mrs. Parsons, of Forest, will give lectures to the members of the Mount Brydes Women's Institute and their friends in the schoolroom of the Methodist Church Thursday, Feb. 27, at 8 o'clock, and in the town hall at 8 o'clock.

A good program of vocal and instrumental music will also be given.

A cordial invitation is extended to all. MRS. ISABEL A. WOODS, Secretary.

Household Tips
SAVES THE DINING TABLE.

Cover the silence cloth with white oilcloth and bind the edges together with white tape. This saves washing the mat and keeps it new. It also preserves the polish of the dining table, which is often harmed by spilling hot dishes. The tablecloth can be slipped on without sticking to the padding beneath.

TO KEEP FLOWERS.
Flowers will keep very fresh overnight if they are excluded from the air. Wet them thoroughly, put them in a damp box and cover with wet raw cotton or wet newspaper then place them in a cool place.

HOW TO CLEAN GAS MANTLES.
A good way to clean gas mantles or gas burners that are blackened by carbon deposits is to sprinkle sodium chloride or "salt" upon them while burning. This causes the carbon to burn away and prolong the life of the mantle and increase the efficiency of the light or burner. In laboratory combustion furnaces deposits of carbon can thus be removed.

In the Sewing-Room
Here are some "short-cuts" in sewing: opportunity affords until a good supply is on hand. Then take them all to the machine for stitching. Much stitching can be accomplished in a short time if the work is thus prepared. Have a number of hobbing wound with the thread you are to use, the machine oiled and in perfect order before beginning work. Also have an extra spool of thread of the kind in use so that more bobbins may be wound as needed without unthreading the machine.

Avoid unnecessary basting. Items folded and well broken down need no basting, neither do seams unless fitting is required. Run all straight seams on the machine as near the edge as will hold on the right side, then turn and fold a medium seam and stitch on the wrong side, and all is done, with no

Gingham Day

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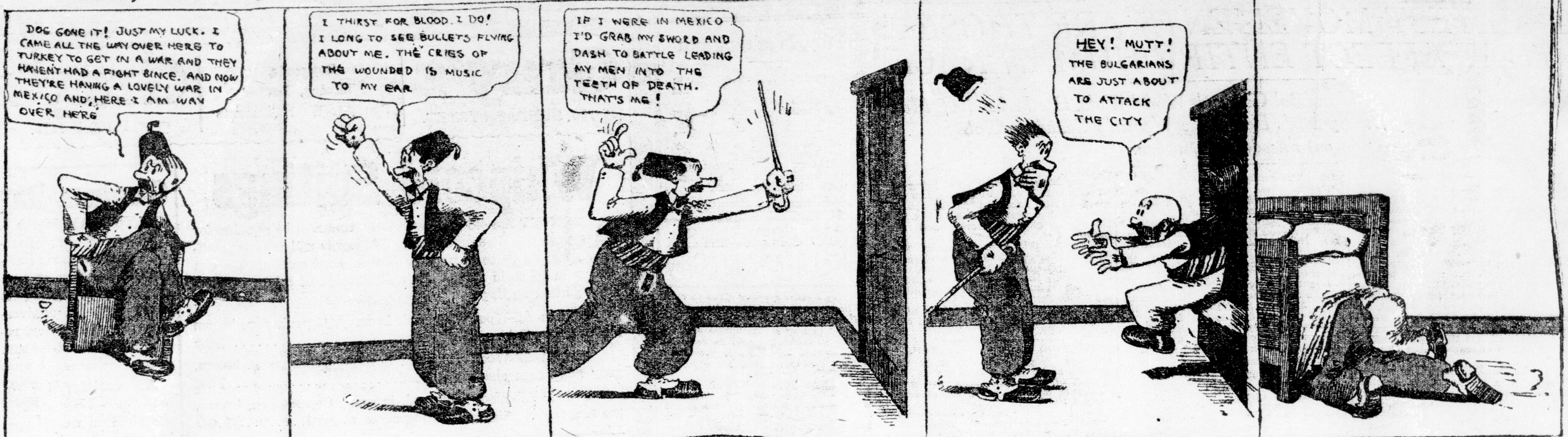
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SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTS

Mutt, the Guy That Put "He-He" in Hero

By "Bud" Fisher

LUCKNOW MEETS
THISTLES IN FINALSWill Battle for Western Ontario
Tankard Cup at London
Club Rink.

London Thistles and Lucknow found their way into the finals of the Western Ontario tankard games at the London Club rink yesterday. When play finished at 2 o'clock this morning, the Thistles and the Lucknow rinks were the only survivors. These two will battle today in the final game for the tankard cup.

The games yesterday were filled with interest. In the first round games, Sarnia went down before Lucknow; Windsor succumbed to Stratford; Stratford put St. Thomas out, and the London Thistles vanquished the London Club. In the second round, Stratford and Thistles were matched and Lucknow went up against Plattville. The Thistles nosed out Stratford by seven shots, Tillson and Ballantyne playing a tie game, while Fulton beat Turnbull 19 to 12. Lucknow beat Plattville by six shots, Smith beating Milne by five shots, and Murdoch beating Grieve by one shot.

The scores of the days were as follows:

First Round.	
Lucknow, A. McKenzie, A. R. Stuart, T. Watson, G. H. Smith, 16	Sarnia, A. R. Johnson, A. R. Smith, A. J. Johnson, D. McGibbon, 8
Lucknow, D. Towers, W. McIntosh, W. Allan, J. G. Murdoch, 20	Sarnia, W. J. Constable, J. L. Buchanan, Capt. Campbell, Macdonald, 17
Total, 36	Total, 25
Plattville, W. Randall, Alex. Pratt, A. Grieve, James Grieve, 21	Windsor, W. J. Jordan, 9
Plattville, Andrew Grieve, A. Smith, A. Harman, G. H. Milne, 22	Windsor, J. E. Platt, A. Langlois, J. Trebilcock, Dr. Wright, 12
Total, 53	Total, 20
Stratford, George Bailey, W. Boles, W. Miller, C. Turnbull, 20	St. Thomas, J. Chandler, E. S. Anderson, J. Rivard, 13
Stratford, W. Oman, W. Mallon, C. E. Nasmyth, T. Ballantyne, 13	St. Thomas, Dr. Taylor, R. Fraser, R. D. Emslie, W. Cameron, 17
Total, 33	Total, 30
London Thistles, E. Brown, E. Keene, A. M. Heenan, W. Fulton, 21	London Club, J. Trebilcock, Dr. Wright, 12
London Thistles, C. Smallman, C. Ture, J. Backus, L. E. Tillson, 16	London Club, E. Reltz, J. Wambles, J. Evans, T. Gillen, 13
Total, 37	Total, 25
Second Round.	
London Thistles, L. E. Tillson, 17	Stratford, T. Ballantyne, 12
W. Fulton, 19	K. C. Turnbull, 12
Total, 36	Total, 29
Lucknow, J. H. Smith, 17	G. H. Milne, 12
J. G. Murdoch, 14	J. Grieve, 13
Total, 31	Total, 25

INTERNATIONAL HAS
TROUBLE WITH LIMITNearly All the Clubs Have Many Players
Holding Out for Increases in Salary.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Feb. 26. — Club owners of the International Baseball League are said to be facing a serious situation because of the new salary limit of \$6,000 a month for each club, as compared with \$8,000 last year. With the exception of the Newark club, which has signed all of its men, the entire circuit is reported in difficulties because of "hold-outs" players generally demanding more rather than less salary. Only eight of the Jersey City club's men have signed. In Rochester the situation is such that C. T. Chapin, the club owner, has issued by telegraph an ultimatum to the players that unless they come into the fold by next Saturday they will be suspended for the rest of the year.

The \$6,000 salary limit is one fixed by the National Association of Minor Leagues and approved recently by the National Baseball Commission, against the protests of President Barrow, of the league. Under the circumstances the club owners declare they are powerless, as they have offered their reluctant players as much as possible.

T.R. & A.A. GET
A GOOD LEADDefeated St. Michael's in First
of Senior O. H. A. Finals by
Score of 7 to 2—Game Was
Most Strenuous of Season.

Toronto, Feb. 26.—T. R. and A. A. turned up trumps in the first half of the senior finals at the Arena last night and emerged with a nice comfortable lead to start the second game on Monday night. St. Michael's were never in the hunt in the goalgetting line, and after the hour's strenuous work the tally stood 7 to 2 for the black and white.

Don't run away with the idea that it was a one-sided affair. It was a battle from the first minute until the final bell was rung. The grand work of the Toronto back line won the game and hard checking featured throughout.

It was just about the tightest little tussle of the season, and the big crowd was treated to all kinds of hockey. The striped-shirt boys were the best in every department for the first half, but St. Michael's came stronger after the rest and it was the telling work of Hunter and Heffernan, ably assisted by Dug Addison in the nets, that kept Toronto's lead safe. The half-time reckoning was 5 to 1.

Toronto broke faster than the saints in the first half with every St. Michael's man headed from the ice to the ether. Rankin fired after 10 minutes of play and little Martin MacKenzie was more than a match for him. Bick Gordon failed to hold McLean and Brown broke loose from Dutch Richardson time after time. Jimmy Platt opened up several good lone rushes during the first half hour, but could not penetrate the husky defence.

Hunter and Heffernan used the sand-whisk and bottled up their man between them nearly every trip. Addison was a wizard in the net and performed in perfect style. Both sides handed out stiff body checks throughout the whole game. It was easily the hardest checking game of the year.

The teams: T. R. & A. A. (7)—Goal, Addison; point, Hunter; cover, Heffernan; rover, MacKenzie; centre, Meeking; right, Brown; left, McLean. St. Michael's (2)—Goal, Thompson; point, Murphy; cover, Disette; rover, Rankin; centre, McManus; right, Gordon; left, Richardson.

Referee—Lawson Whitehead, Toronto.

FOREST CURLERS WIN
ANOTHER TROPHYCapture Vendome Cup at Sarnia, Making
Third Trophy Won This Season.

Forest, Feb. 25.—At Sarnia this morning, the Forest curlers won the Vendome cup, a much-coveted trophy in Western Ontario. This is the third trophy captured by the Forest curlers this season. In January they won the western district cup in London; last week they won the Bank of Toronto cup, in Petrolia, and now the Vendome cup. The citizens of Forest extended a hearty welcome to the victorious curlers on their arrival home from Sarnia this evening. Decorated autos, the Excelsior Band, and a crowd of citizens met them at the train and escorted them through the streets to the centre of the town, where an address of congratulations was made by Mayor Pettipiece, and rousing cheers given by the populace. If there are any other trophies to be won, the Forest curlers would like to locate them.

WELSH WANTS \$7,500
TO MEET O'BRIENHitch Occurs in Negotiations for Bout
in Liverpool.

Philadelphia, Feb. 26. — A hitch in the negotiations for the match between Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of England, and Xosang Jack O'Brien, was conveyed by cable to O'Brien's brother, yesterday, asking him to delay "Young Jack's" sailing for Liverpool, as Welsh has declared he will not enter the ring unless he is guaranteed the sum of \$7,500, win, lose, or draw.

O'Brien cabled that his brother had sailed on Saturday, and that if Welsh would not accept, that Matt Wells of the Australian champion, Mehegan, would be satisfactory at the same weight.

EMPIRE BRASS WON
AND SO DID PERRINSEast Enders Beat Lawson and
Jones by the Score of
9 to 1.

THE LEAGUE RECORD.	
	Won. Lost. For. Agst.
Perrins	9 2 62 21
Empire Brass	8 2 72 9
Lawson & Jones	5 5 35 47
McCormicks	2 8 18 51
Greene-Swifts	1 8 11 65

Empire Brass and Perrins won their games in the Manufacturers' League last evening before a large crowd at the Westminster Rink. In the first game, Empire Brass defeated Lawson & Jones by the score of 9 to 1. In the second contest, Perrins ran up the record score of the league by defeating the Greene-Swifts aggregation by 19 to 0.

The Empire Brass team started right in to win from Lawson & Jones, and that they were going to carry out this determination was evident from the face off. At half time the score was 3 to 0 in their favor, and they had played the printers off their feet. In the second half the Lawson & Jones team showed poor form, and the brass men romped all over the ice with the puck, scoring six more goals to their opponents' one. The teams were: Empire Brass—Watts goal, Crowley point, McPhee cover, Thorne rover, Morrison centre, Arthurs left, Clarke right.

Lawson & Jones—Talbot goal, McEneaney point, Orr cover, Land rover, Raison centre, Clarke left, Myers right.

Referee—J. Grannary.

Another Lunch for Perrins.

The second game was just a walk away for the players. At half time the Greene-Swifts were snowed under by the score of 7 to 0, and in the last half 11 more goals trickled through Bowman in the clothier's nets. The Perrins team displayed great teamwork and they made their opponents look foolish in their efforts to stop them.

The Perrins and Empire Brass teams will now meet in the play-off of the championship. The game will likely be set for Thursday night. The Empire Brass team has yet to play off a postponed game, but as it is with one of the weak clubs, it is not likely that it will be played.

The teams: Perrins—Howson goal, McIntosh point, Walker cover, Bryce rover, Simmonds centre, Murray left, Alken right.

Greene-Swifts—Bowman goal, Savers point, Westman cover, Muckler rover, Bartlett centre, Wilson left, Spence right.

Referee—J. Grannary.

NO HOLD-OUTS ON
GUELPH CLUB'S LISTMaple Leaf Players Have Returned All
Contracts Signed.

[Canadian Press.] Guelph, Feb. 25.—All Guelph's contracts that were sent to players of the 1912 ball team have been returned, Shaffer, last year's winning catcher, coming through with his yesterday. There are no holdouts.

DEROSIER SUCCUMBS
AS RESULT OF INJURIESFamous Motorcycle Record Holder
Dies in Springfield.

[Canadian Press.] Springfield, Mass., Feb. 25.—J. B. Derosier, holder of all the motorcycle records from 35 to 100 miles, died at his home here last night.

He was 33 years of age. Derosier's death was the result of injuries sustained during a racing meet in Los Angeles last summer.

JOE RIVERS WILL GET
MARRIED ON SATURDAYWill Then Leave for New York to
Meet Leach Cross.

[Canadian Press.] Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 26.—Joe Rivers, the lightweight boxer, and Miss Pauline Slitt, daughter of a contractor, will be married here on Saturday. They will leave next week en route to New York, where Rivers will meet Leach Cross in a return match of ten rounds.

PRESIDENT STEVELY
AT SCHEDULE MEETINGCanadian League Clubs Meet at Toronto
Today to Arrange Dates for
Coming Season.

President Stevely, of the London baseball club, left for Toronto this morning to attend the schedule meeting of the Canadian League, which is being held in that city this afternoon. Frank Shaughnessy, manager of the Ottawa club, has drafted a schedule, and the league will pass on it today. If the schedule is satisfactory it will be issued in a couple of weeks.

GAME AT SARNIA
ENDED IN A FIGHTAlpha Club Was Defeated by Sarnia
Team by Score of 11 to 8.

Sarnia, Feb. 25. — In an exhibition game here tonight Sarnia Intermediate O. H. A. team defeated the Alpha Club of the London Church League, by a score of 11 to 8. The game was very rough and ended up in a fight. The winners' line-up was: Sarnia, Cameron; point, Dadds; coverpoint, Wilson; rover, Thorne; centre, Finch; right wing, McLellan, and left wing, Duncan.

Referee—Leckie, of London.

CITY LEAGUE GAMES
TONIGHT AT SIMCOELeague Will Also Provide Bill
at Simcoe on Friday
Night.

The City League executive met last evening and arranged to play two nights this week. The regular scheduled games will be pulled off at the Simcoe rink this evening, as usual, but next Wednesday night's contests will be played on Friday night of this week. The league will make an effort to finish the schedule by the end of next week. By playing on the two nights this week, only one night of the scheduled games remains to be played. However, there are three postponed games to be played, and if these interfere with the standing of the league, which they will in all probability do, they will be played off a week from this Friday. This will end the season as far as the league games are concerned.

Tonight's Games.

Tonight's games should prove interesting. The O. H. Club and Hyman teams will meet in the first contest, and as these two teams put up a great argument on the occasion of their last meeting, this game tonight should be worth while. The First Hussars and Meds. will meet in the second game, and this game should also be a hummer. The Meds. have a strong team and will give the Hussars a hard game. The last contest of the evening will be played between the Seventh Regiment and A. M. C. teams. The Seventh held the Ontario to a 3 to 2 score in their last game, and they are a hard team to beat with their present strength.

The games will be handled by Billy Borland, of the local O. H. A. intermediates, and as Borland is one of the best referees in the city, good clean hockey will be dished up.

WIARTON RAN UP BIG
SCORE ON WINGHAMHave Lead of 19 Goals in First
Game for the Free
Press Cup.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Wiarton, Ont., Feb. 25. — The Northern League Club tonight was watched by a crowded rink, and it was Wiarton's game from the first. At half-time the score was 10 to 2 in Wiarton's favor. The Wingham defence could not meet Wiarton's combination. The game ended 22 to 3 for Wiarton. The line-up: Wiarton—Bain, goal; Gildner, point; W. Ashley, cover; A. Ashley, rover; E. Myers, centre; Rock, left; G. Simmie, right.

Wingham—Groves, goal; F. McLean, point; J. Johnson, cover; Telfer, rover; Elliott, centre; C. McLean, left, and Pender, right.

Referee—Wally Hern, of Stratford.

VANCOUVER BEAT
PRODGER'S TEAMFastest Game Seen in Vancouver
This Season Won by
Home Team.

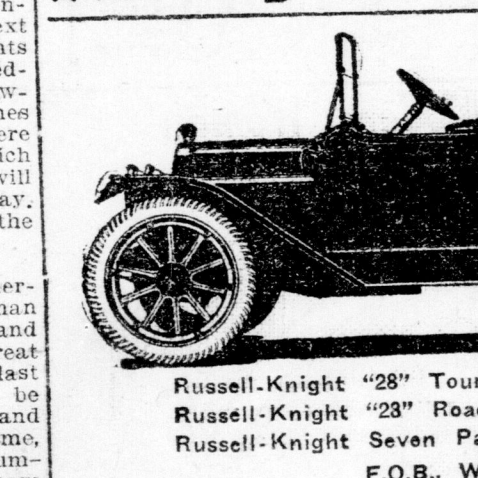
[Canadian Press.] Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 26.—In the fastest game seen in Vancouver this season, Vancouver trimmed Victoria Tuesday night by the score of 9 to 6. Lightning individual rushes, added to combination play of the most spectacular sort, kept the audience in a qui vive state throughout. There was not a trick in the game that was not exploited during the 60 minutes' play. Several penalties were handed out, but only for minor offences. Every man on the Vancouver team showed great speed, but Frank Patrick was never in better form. The feature of the game was his rush in the second period, when he took the puck unassisted through the entire Victoria team, and scored. Dunderdale was the bright star of the Victoria team.

Summary: First period—1, Vancouver, Kendall; 1:52, 2, Victoria, Prodger; 4:20, 3, Vancouver, Griffiths; 11:54, 4, Vancouver, Patrick; 1:06, 5, Victoria, Lester Patrick; 1:20, 6, Vancouver, P. Patrick; 4:10, 8, Vancouver, Griffiths; 1:25, Third period—9, Vancouver, McDonald; 2:15, 10, Victoria, Dunderdale; 5:14, 11, Victoria, Lester Patrick; 3:33, 12, Vancouver, Griffiths; 3:22, 13, Victoria, Dunderdale; 3:20, 14, Vancouver, McDonald; 1:38, 15, Victoria, Dunderdale; 1:30.

The lineup: Vancouver—Parr, goal; Patrick, point; Griffiths, coverpoint; Taylor, rover; Kendall, centre; Harris, right; McDonald, left.

Victoria—Lindsay, goal; Prodger, point; L. Patrick, coverpoint; Poulin, Dunderdale, centre; Rowe, right; Geige, left.

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SKIP PURDOM LEADS
FOR THOMSON TROPHYGames Will Be Continued at Thistle
Club Rink This Evening—Five Rinks
Still in the Running.

The games for the Warren Thomson trophy were played at the Thistle Rink last evening, but the winner of the trophy has not yet been decided. Only one rink was put out of the running last evening. According to the regulations covering the trophy a rink losing two games is out of the running. Skip Sid Swift's rink was the only one to go down, Skip John Purdom led with two straight wins, and as a result his rink will go into the finals. The other rinks each won and lost one game.

The play will be continued this evening. Two games will be played tonight, Skip Strong meeting Skip McGuffin, and Skip McDonald playing off with Skip McCutcheon. The winners of these two games will draw to see who will play the first games with the Purdom rink.

Juarez Results.
El Paso, Feb. 25.—Mimorioso landed the third race today at Juarez, and

was the only winning favorite. Doc Allen took the first at 10 to 1; otherwise it was a day for second choices. Hill was the winning jockey, with two firsts to his credit. Summary: First race, six furlongs—1 Doc Allen, 2 Angelus, 3 Jack Ellis. Time, 1:14.1-5. Second race, six furlongs—1 Camia, 2 Hesson, 3 Loving Mose. Time, 1:14.3-5. Third race, 5 1/2 furlongs—1 Mimorioso, 2 Mone, 3 Canoman, 3 Palatable. Time, 1:08. Fourth race, six furlongs—1 El Palomar, 2 Irish Gentleman, 3 Pride of Lismore. Time, 1:14.5-5. Fifth race, six furlongs—1 Cosgrove, 2 Orba Smile, 3 Colliet. Time, 1:14. Sixth race, 1 1/2 miles—1 Shorty Northcutt, 2 L. M. Eckert, 3 Gelico. Time, 1:50.3-3.

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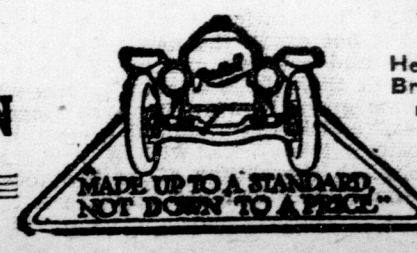
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INFIELD WONDER OF THE DETROIT TEAM IS MOTHER'S BOY AND IS PROUD OF IT.



OWEN BUSH

Indianapolis, Ind., Feb. 26.—Inasmuch as Owen Bush, the pee wee shortstop is a Detroit ball player, the supposition is that Manager Hugh Jennings is his boss. But Hughie is merely an assistant boss.

The real boss, chief adviser, the guardian angel of Owen Bush, is Mrs. Ellen Bush, 55, widow and mother of the spec marvel of the Detroit infield. Bush is "mother's boy" and glories in the title.

The Bush family reside in a pretty home at 214 North Walcott street; the home was a present from Owen to his mother.



HE IS A WONDER WITH THE BROOM AND THE DUST CLOTH



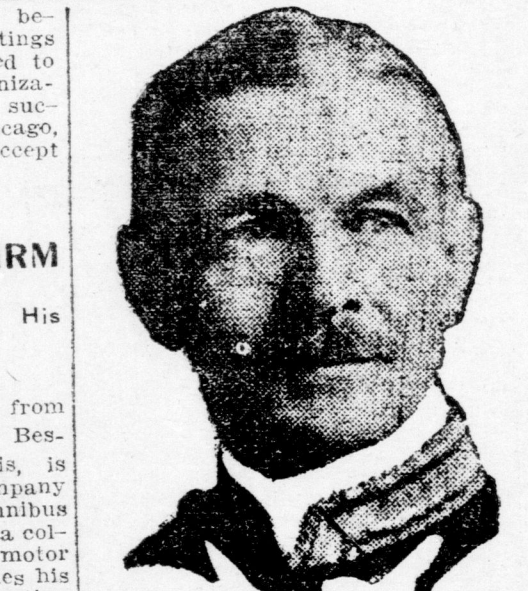
I READ THE PAPERS EVERY DAY TO SEE WHAT HE DOES

MOTHER

"He is a good son. He saves his money and I help him to do it. He always sent money home to be banked. I read the papers every day during the season to see what he does and, of course, I like to see him praised. I feel badly when he makes an error."

"When Owen was with Indianapolis I used to see him play nearly every day and it did me good to hear the people cheer him."

Another worshipper of "Donnie" is his sister, Elizabeth, who says the Detroit short fielder is a wonder with the



CAPT. SPENCER S. WOOD, Commanding the United States Battleship Nebraska, Lying Off Vera Cruz, Mexico.

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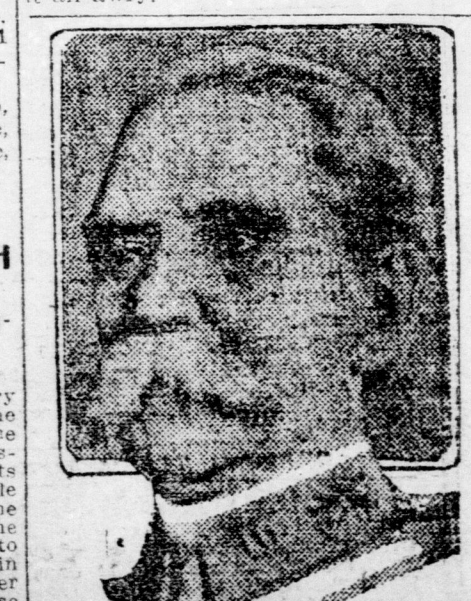
Practical Address by Mr. I. B. Whale. Proved Very Interesting.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Glencoe, Feb. 26.—The regular meeting of the Farmers' Institute was well attended and addresses by I. B. Whale, of London, and Mr. James, on birds, were very interesting.

A very closely-contested hockey game was played on Monday evening, between an O. H. A. team from Alvinston and the Glencoe team. The score was 4 to 3 in favor of Glencoe. Mr. Simon Williams, of Alvinston, refereed.

A shower was given at the home of C. O. Smith recently for Miss Irene Henry and Mr. Frank Hayter, whose wedding is announced for Thursday. Mr. Humphreys, local butcher, was painfully injured when, while walking on the icy sidewalk, he slipped and fell backwards. He was rendered unconscious for several hours. He is now improving steadily.

The cobbler of Koepnick had an imitator the other day in Germany at Strassburg. A discharged non-commissioned officer, by means of a bogus telegram, ordered the entire garrison to parade in honor of an expected visit from the Kaiser. The German war machine is a marvelous one, but, as with most complicated mechanisms, a slight error in manipulation may set it all awry.



COL. E. Z. STEEVER, Commander of United States Troops, Department of Texas.

Late J. W. Jones Was A Prominent Curler

The death of Mr. J. W. Jones last evening removed one of the most prominent and popular curlers in the city. For the past 35 years the late Mr. Jones had been identified with local curling matters. He was one of the curlers of the old days who used the ice on the Cove for their games. There were no rinks in London then and the curlers would have to sweep the snow off the ice with their brooms before they could commence a game. He was one of the first supporters of a curling rink in this city and ever since he had been a member of the different curling clubs. He was a prominent skip for many years, and had captured many prizes.

FALKENBURG BOWLING IN TOLEDO TOURNEY

Former Ballplayers Is Participating in Big Pin-Spilling Event.

[Canadian Press.] Toledo, Ohio, Feb. 26.—Interest in the events scheduled for today in the A. B. C. tournament is centered in the out-of-town bowlers, who will roll. Two Cleveland entries are scheduled in the doubles when the tournament opens at 1 o'clock this afternoon. In the singles, Fred Falkenburg, former Cleveland American League baseball player, will participate. Falkenburg also will roll in the two-men events. He is paired with F. Wilson, Toledo bowler.

KIDNEYS WERE SO SORE DIDN'T KNOW WHAT TO DO.

GRAVEL AND SMALL STONES PASSED THROUGH THE URINE.

One of the most painful forms of kidney disease is Gravel or Stone in the Bladder, and is caused by the acid lime in the blood uniting and forming a gritty substance which lodges in the inner surfaces of the kidneys or bladder, and sets up a painful irritation.

To relieve these terrible pains it is necessary to keep the kidneys healthy for healthy kidneys secrete fluids that dissolve the gravel and stones, and they pass out through the urine harmlessly and without pain.

Mrs. Elmore Baldwin, Windsor, Ont., writes: "I was so weak I could not do my own work. I tried many doctors, and every one of them told me to go to some institution. Reading of Doan's Kidney Pills, I tried them, and am now well, and can recommend them to all. My kidneys were so sore I did not know what to do, but after using the Doan's Kidney Pills, you would be surprised at all the gravel and small stones that passed through my urine. Now I am well and able to do my own work."

Doan's Kidney Pills are 50 cents per box, 3 boxes for \$1.25, at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt of price by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont. When ordering direct, specify "Doan's."

NEW MEXICO MAY PUT BAN ON PRIZE-FIGHTING

Anti-Prize-Fight Bill Received With Favor in House.

[Canadian Press.] Santa Fe, N. M., Feb. 26.—The House yesterday adopted a favorable report on the proposed anti-prize-fight law, which would prohibit boxing contests of any kind within the state, making violation of the law a felony, punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both.

Charleston Results.

Charleston, Feb. 25.—The races here today resulted as follows:

First race, maiden 3-year-olds, purse \$300, 5½ furlongs—1 Kelly, 2 Juquin, 3 Fairy Godmother. Time, 1:10.

Second race, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$300, selling, seven furlongs—1 Hoffman, 2 Billy Vandever, 3 Ray. Time, 1:28.1-5.

Third race, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$400, 6½ furlongs—1 Sir Blaise, 2 Prince Ahmed, 3 Samuel R. Meyer. Time, 1:21.

Fourth race, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$300, selling, seven furlongs—1 Gardena, 2 Frank Hudson, 3 Ella Grane. Time, 1:29.4-5.

Fifth race, 3-year-olds and up, purse \$300, selling, 5½ furlongs—1 Chilton Queen, 2 Right Easy, 3 Grosvenor. Time, 1:08.

Sixth race, 3-year-olds and up, selling, mile and sixteen—1 Spindle, 2 Supervisor, 3 Irish Kid. Time, 1:48.4-5.

IRVINE ON TRIAL OVER BABE'S DEATH

Former Lobo Township Man Is Charged With Manslaughter.

[Canadian Press.] Calgary, Alta., Feb. 26.—Alfred Henry Irvine is on trial before the supreme court charged with manslaughter. Irvine and his wife were members of the Apostolic faith, one of whose principal tenets is a belief in divine healing. The little son of the family died, and Mrs. Irvine starved herself to death by fasting in hope that she could bring the baby to life. The body of the baby was kept in the house for six weeks, when the mother died and Irvine was arrested. The case continues.

The Irvines at one time resided in Lobo Township.

Saves Miles of Steps—Low Fixed Price

How One Club Member Uses Her Hoosier Cabinet to Save Work

Work Seated

I thought my kitchen was convenient. I didn't want a Hoosier Cabinet. Now I wouldn't keep house without one. First, look at this table. See! when I pull it out it locks. I can sit down at work! It is pure aluminum and much bigger than my old table.



Clean Sugar

Now look at this sugar bin. When I take out one scoopful another flows down—always ready. Just like this.

The sugar bin is made of rustproof metal and fills from the top here—just like the flour bin on the other side. The first sugar in is the first sugar out.



Everything Handy

Here is the dish cupboard. You see, even while sitting I can reach up to the highest shelf. It is a whole lot different than walking back and forth for everything, isn't it?

Easily Cleaned

See how easily I can take it apart for cleaning. Simple, isn't it? There is no place for dirt to lodge anywhere. That is why the Hoosier keeps so fresh and clean all the time. I can roll it up to the window or onto the porch if you like, and let sunshine into every corner. The Hoosier is the most sanitary Cabinet made.

Dust Proof

Now see! Five seconds after my work is done, everything is shut in behind dust-proof doors. My kitchen looks so much neater and everything is so much more easily kept clean. The Cabinet closed takes less room than a kitchen table. It is made of oak and guaranteed not to warp. Lasts a lifetime. I urge you to get one.

Crowds Enroll in Hoosier Club

37 Memberships Seized Eagerly—63 Left—End Is Near

Surprising beyond our expectations is this three days' record of Hoosier Enrollments. Each member has her Hoosier safely installed in her home now. Each is saving miles of steps today, and spending at least two hours less in the kitchen.

Which means, oh so few Cabinets left for the housewives

who are waiting until the last minute—the last minute that is soon due, at the rate memberships are going.

Will you delay while this grand opportunity is slipping away from you? Will you hesitate to be a Hoosier Member right away? Ask yourself what you gain by risking delay. Tomorrow may be your

Only Chance to Get Your Hoosier On Payment of \$1.00

Once you call and see the splendid, sturdy, handsome Hoosier with its wonderfully complete equipment, you will never be satisfied until you own one.

Its metal-lined flour bin, metal-lined sugar bin, metal-lined bread and cake drawer, the rows of glittering crystal jars for tea and coffee and spices delight every housewife. You can't get its marvellous array of patented conveniences anywhere else in the world.

A GLANCE SHOWS YOU how having everything all in one place within reach of your arm simplifies kitchen work and makes cooking easy.

Sitting at your work saves your health and strength. Every doctor will tell you that nothing is so injurious as long hours spent on your feet.

A SPLENDID ALUMINUM TABLE TOP, 40 inches square, which pulls out when you are using it, is another big exclusive feature of the Hoosier—Aluminum pure as the most perfect kitchenware is used on all Hoosier Cabinets.

No scraping and scrubbing to keep it clean—simple wiping leaves it silver-bright. You install a model kitchen the minute you get a Hoosier.

COMES ALL APART TO CLEAN, shuts up tight when you are through. Come in today and at least look it over. Don't wait until the last day, then decide you want one when it is too late.

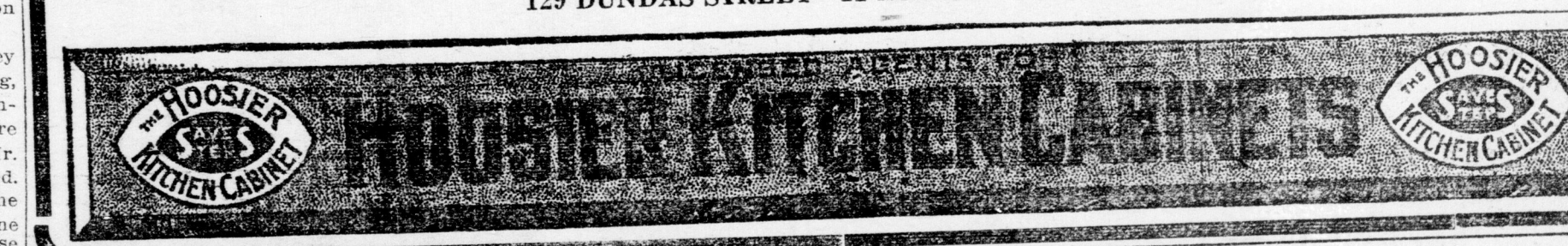
The low fixed price is made by The Hoosier Company. You are absolutely protected. You save money. The Hoosier Company supervises this entire sale. Women everywhere are getting Hoosiers on the club plan—that's why we can secure so few.

A space of many months is a long time to wait for something you want and need for hours every day—and you surely want a Hoosier as badly as you need one.

Will you then delay with hours of back-breaking kitchen work ahead of you? No! Be a Hoosier member. Resolve now. Enroll early tomorrow.

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A. WOLF SEES ROBIN AND MAKES NECESSARY AFFIDAVIT

Describes Minutely Actions of His Annual Harbinger and Phones For Notary Public.

A Wolf has seen his annual spring robin. He did not devour it, because he is not a lean, hungry timber wolf, and he has been saying "Good-bye, winter," all in vain for weeks.

Mr. Wolf, whose friends believe him to be a man who would not see robins without proper natural phenomena, first being duly sworn, deposed and says as follows:

"It was at 4:12 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The snow blew cold and stinging across our yard on Ridout street. I stepped out on my veranda, and to my astonishment and joy I beheld, standing on his left foot at the roots of a tree seventeen and one-third feet north by west from the second veranda post to the left, a robin.

Bird Takes Notice.

"Said robin, upon detecting my scrutiny, hopped twelve inches north by northeast to the lower right-hand twig of a tea rose bush, scratched his cervical vertebrae with his right middle claw, looked at me over his right shoulder, ruffled the feathers up about his ears and made some remark that I did not catch.

"I rushed into the house. 'Here, quick, some one, please, for a notary public,' I

Kerr, Bothwell.

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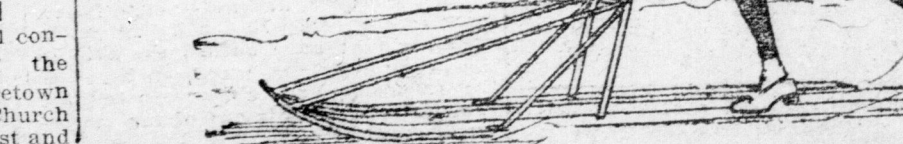
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A PUSH-O-SNOWBIL IS JUST LIKE A PAIR OF SKIS—ONLY DIFFERENT.

Any Boy Can Make a No "Pullees," All "Pushees," and Here Is How To Do It.

Get ready for the push-o-snowbille! As the little push-o-mobies became popular during the summer and fall, this 1913 winter model should be the real thing during the snowy days. It is really a pair of skis securely fastened together with either iron rods or wooden bracing, with a handle high enough to permit its being grasped while in a standing position. The person operating the "snow-



bille," as shown in the sketch, runs along until a good speed is obtained. A good momentum is obtained. The other foot is placed on the other ski and the thing is guided by twisting hard at the handle, just as the push-o-moblie is guided.

The new device can be made at home for very little money, hard wood being used for the skis and either iron rods or wood for the bracing and handle.

WESTERN ONTARIO

PARKHILL BALL

Bachelors Were Hosts at a Most Enjoyable Dance.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Parkhill, Feb. 26.—The bachelors ball, held here last evening in the town hall, was a decided success. The following attended from a distance: Messrs. G. F. Steele, D. Laurie, F. Watts, and Miss J. Steele, from Forest; Mr. John Wilson, of Mexico City; Mr. W. Leach and Mr. F. Parker, of Alisa Craig; Miss Stearn, of Alisa Craig.

At the close of the ball a dainty luncheon was served to those present in a very efficient manner by Mr. R. H. Hodgins, of this town. The Epworth League of the Methodist Church here entertained the members of the Centenary League last evening. The topics were given by Mr. J. Ferguson and Mrs. William Bell, of the Centenary League. The musical program was given by the members of the league here, including a piano solo by Miss Louise Griffith, and a piano duet by Misses Louise Griffith and Coral Durr. Messrs. John Brower and M. Armstrong gave a trombone duet. At the close of the program refreshments were served by the league here.

THORNDALE DANCE

Assembly in Masonic Temple Was Attended By Many Londoners.

Thorndale, Feb. 26.—The officers and members of the Mount Olivet Lodge, No. 300, A., F. and A. M., were hosts at a well-patronized "At Home" last evening in the Masonic Temple. More than 100 couples were present, and a well-arranged program of dances was successfully carried out. Lunch was served at midnight. The London Lady Harpers provided the music. The managing committee was composed of Messrs. Bert Logan, Dr. J. R. Armstrong, W. G. Lee, Bert Mossip, Dr. H. M. McAdden, R. L. Guest and James Carrothers. The patronesses were: Mesdames R. L. Guest, (Dr.) Armstrong, Logan, Fitzgerald, Smuck, Mitchell and Harding, and Miss Lee.

HORSES DROWNED

Driver Escaped When Ice on Bay Broke Near Wiaraton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wiaraton, Feb. 25.—Today Mr. Wm. Hill crossed the bay with a load of logs, and just as he reached Wiaraton Point at Colpoys the ice gave way and his team of horses fell in and were drowned. Mr. Hill saved the load and escaped himself.

GOING TO WOODSTOCK

Mr. and Mrs. Wilsie Were Highly Honored at Muncey.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Muncey, Feb. 26.—The members of the Women's Missionary Society and Junior Bible Class held a social in the classrooms of the Muncey Road Church, at which a farewell address was given to Mr. and Mrs. Wilsie by the members of the Missionary Society, and also an address and Bibles to Master Ervin and their Sunday school class. Mrs. H. W. Jones read the address for the society, and Miss Helen Thompson for the Sunday school class. Mr. and Mrs. Wilsie have bought a farm near Woodstock and will move there shortly.

PLEASANTLY SURPRISED

Belmont Congregation Cove Pastor a Handsome Fur Coat.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Belmont, Feb. 25.—The congregation of Belmont Methodist Church recently presented their pastor, Rev. A. E. Jones, with a beautiful fur-lined coat, accompanied by an address, expressing their great appreciation of his work in building up the church in all its departments. In reply, Mr. Jones expressed his very great pleasure at being so royally remembered on the anniversary of his birthday.

ATTENDING CONVENTION

Exeter Will Be Well Represented at the Alliance Meeting.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Exeter, Feb. 25.—Exeter will be well represented at the Dominion Alliance convention this week. The following are some of the people who went: Rev. G. H. McAllister and wife, Rev. E. G. Powell, Rev. and Mrs. S. Sharpe, E. A. Follick and wife, Mr. Saxton Pitton, C. B. Snell and A. J. Ford.

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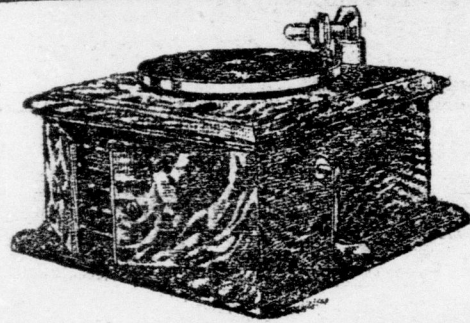
There are some things so exactly right that to mention them brings calm and repose. And to use Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets gives the stomach just that kind of lift that makes you check up one hundred per cent. to the good. Particularly is this true with those who suffer with sour stomach. You feel so mean that you actually hate yourself. And yet in a few minutes these tablets sweeten the stomach, arrest unnatural fermentation, start a powerful digestive action and prevent the formation of gas.

They are composed of only such ingredients as are approved by the very best of physicians.

Real, live, progressive people want to be around where the activities of life embrace whatever circumstances dictate. If a house party serves a Welsh rarebit go to it. It isn't the easiest thing in the world to digest, is true, but what of it? Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will take care of you, keep your stomach in control and your dreams won't see an army of hobgoblins playing hobs with your nerves. Many physicians regularly prescribe Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets for the stomach disorders of patients who are ill with some constitutional malady. They do so for the reason that these tablets are not a patent medicine and their composition is known and recognized as the most approved and most powerful of all digestants.

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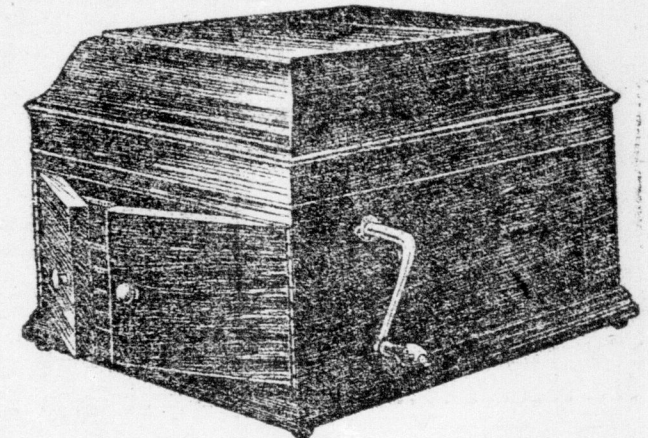
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ONCE RICH MAN BURIED BY COUNTY

John Doan Reduced to Poverty by Unwise Speculation.

[Canadian Press.]

Welland, Feb. 25.—John B. Doan, once one of the wealthiest men in this district, was yesterday buried at the county's expense in Doan's Ridge Cemetery, a burying ground that he himself had opened many years before. He died in the industrial house at the age of 82 years. In earlier life he owned many farms in Crowland Township, but unwise speculation reduced him to poverty.

GAVE HIM A CANE

Mr. Henry Crowe Is Leaving Paisley for Port Elgin.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Paisley, Feb. 26.—Mr. Henry Crowe, J. P., cattle dealer, and a prominent resident of Paisley for 20 years, was presented by the citizens last evening with a gold-headed cane and an address, on the occasion of removing to take up his residence in Port Elgin.

The presentation was made in the council hall, Mr. H. B. Putnam presiding. The address was read by ex-Warden Shoemakers, who spoke, among other things, of Mr. Crowe's good qualities as a citizen. Mr. John Jacques presented the cane.

Mr. Crowe replied in felicitous terms, expressing thanks and appreciation. Impromptu speeches followed by Messrs. F. Carter, J. S. Steele, Alex. Galbraith, ex-Warden Shoemaker and others.

APPOINTED SECRETARY

W. Jackson Will Look After the Blyth Agricultural Society's Work.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Blyth, Feb. 26.—The directors of the Blyth Agricultural Society at their regular meeting appointed Mr. W. Jackson secretary-treasurer at the same salary.

It was decided to again have the field competition this year, as they claim it is a great advantage to the farmer.

Mr. R. R. Sloan, who was delegate to the Ontario Agricultural and Fairs Association at Toronto, gave a splendid report of the meeting.

WENT THROUGH THE ICE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Florence, Feb. 26.—Albert, the 7-year-old son of Mrs. Osborne, went through the ice into deep water while standing watching some men making repairs at the dam. The workmen soon pulled him out, and he is none the worse for his experience.

HAD AN ICY BATH.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Blyth, Feb. 26.—Laurie Utley had a narrow escape from drowning when, while skating, he got into a deep hole. He possibly would have been drowned had not some of his companions, who were at hand, assisted him, so he received nothing more than a cold bath.

FELL ON ICE WALK.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Aylmer, Feb. 25.—Dr. G. F. Clarke, while walking to his office slipped on an icy sidewalk and fell heavily. He was picked up and taken home, where it was found that his back was hurt.

TANK IS REPAIRED.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, Feb. 25.—The tank which supplies the Grand Trunk engines with water and which has been out of commission for some days, has been repaired. While the repairs were being made Chief Allen allowed the company to use a hydrant and lent them fire hose.

WINDSOR FUNERAL.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, Feb. 25.—The funeral took place to St. Alphonsus Cemetery yesterday of Patrick Cusack, who died in London recently after an illness extending over four years. He is survived by his widow and two daughters (Ethel and Katherine), and two sons (George and Leslie), all living in Detroit.

CALLED TO WHITECHURCH

Rev. J. Ure Stewart, of Napier, May Leave St. Andrew's.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Napier, Feb. 26.—Rev. J. Ure Stewart, pastor of St. Andrew's Church here, has received a call to Whitechurch in the Presbytery of Maitland. There is to be a meeting of the congregation next Sabbath after service to talk over the matter. Mr. Stewart has not yet expressed his opinion as to whether he will accept it or not.

STROKE WAS FATAL

Mrs. Southern, of Sarnia, Died While Visiting Her Daughter.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, Feb. 26.—Mrs. Southern, of Sarnia, who while visiting her daughter, Mrs. Charles Laidlaw, Second line, and stricken with paralysis, from which she never rallied. The funeral was held on Monday from her daughter's residence to Arkona Cemetery, where interment was made.

THAMESFORD "AT HOME"

Oddfellows' Splendid Program Delighted Large Numbers of Guests.

Thamesford, Feb. 25.—The annual "At Home" of local Oddfellows, held in the town hall, was a great success. Following the banquet a fine program of vocal and instrumental selections was given, after which a dance was held.

Mr. Cyril Sifton, son of James Sifton, a former resident, is visiting his uncle, Joseph Sifton.

The Mission Band will meet on Saturday at the home of Miss Lily Wallace, at 2:30 p.m.

The Sacrament of the Lord's Supper was commemorated in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday, when eight were added to the communion roll. Preparatory services were conducted by Rev. T. Sawyer, of the Methodist Church, and on Sunday evening by Rev. Mr. Bright, of Ingersoll.

DIED AT WALKERTON.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Walkerton, Feb. 25.—The wife of C. Patrick, broom manufacturer, died today. She leaves a husband, but no family. Mr. Patrick formerly lived in Galt, and has many friends in that locality.

LONDONER BUYS FARM.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Muncey, Feb. 26.—Mr. Edmond Robinson has sold his farm to Mr. Wm. Clark, of London, \$5,800 being the price. Mr. Robinson will move to Alberta in the spring.

NO CLUE YET.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wingham, Feb. 25.—A special G. T. R. detective is here trying to locate the parties who tampered with the switch running into the Western Foundry from the main line. No clue has as yet been discovered.

ODDFELLOWS ATTENDED.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wingham, Feb. 25.—The funeral of Richard Laird, who died in London Hospital recently, held under the auspices of the I. O. O. F. from the family residence on Main street this afternoon, was largely attended. Besides his wife, two daughters survive.

HORSES SELL WELL.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wingham, Feb. 26.—Mr. Douglas Anderson has sold two of his valuable horses, one driver and heavy working horse, for a handsome figure.

TURNED TOO SHARPLY

German Aviator Killed by Fall of Sixty Feet.

[Canadian Press.]

Muelhausen, Germany, Feb. 26.—A German military aviator, Sergt. Helensider, was killed, and his companion, Lieut. Linke, slightly injured today when their aeroplane fell to the ground from a height of 60 feet while they were flying round the military aerodrome here. Sergt. Helensider, the pilot, took one of the turns too sharply, and the machine toppled over and fell backward to the earth.

COLDS CAUSE HEADACHE AND GRIP. LAXATIVE BROMO Quinine removes the cause. There is only one "BROMO QUININE." Look for signature of E. W. BROWNE, 25c.

District Personals

CLANDEBOYE.

Clandeboye, Feb. 26.—Mr. Charles O. Dwyer has gone to London to visit friends for a few days.

Mr. Cecil McIlhargey and sister Christina visited with their uncles here recently.

Miss Jane Cunningham is in Exeter, visiting her niece, Mrs. Tager.

Mrs. Moses Hodgins, who has been ill for some time, is improving nicely.

BLYTH.

Blyth, Feb. 26.—Quite a number from here are in attendance at the automobile show at Toronto this week.

Mrs. (Rev.) Fair entertained her Sunday school class at the rectory on Tuesday, it being partly a farewell to Dorothy and Emily Howard, who with their parents are leaving for Edmonton shortly.

It being Sunday school day in St. Andrew's Church on Sunday, the choir at the evening service was composed of the scholars. They sang most acceptably, and stricken with paralysis, from which she never rallied.

The Methodist choir on Sunday evening was composed of male voices, and their singing was very good.

FOREST.

Forest, Feb. 26.—R. Prout left today for Toronto to attend the automobile show.

Miss Mildred Sutherland, of Dorchester, is visiting relatives in Forest and vicinity.

Magistrate Jones is laid up with an attack of pneumonia.

Mr. Coghill is dangerously ill at the home of his sister, Mrs. Newton Tripp.

W. J. Porte is in Detroit this week visiting his sister, Mrs. Coghill.

The A. T. C. met Monday evening at the home of Miss McKean. Readings were given by Miss McKean, Crockett and Livingston. Two papers were given, one by Mrs. W. J. Wright, the other by Mr. Charles Simmons, who has spent the study of the play "Macbeth."

Miss Gladys Gardner is visiting in Chicago and Aurora.

Dr. John Shaw arrived home Monday evening from New York, where he has been taking a special course in one of the hospitals there. He is convalescing from an attack of typhoid, and was accompanied home by his brother Morris, who went to New York from Toronto for that purpose.

Mrs. Fred W. Shaw arrived home Saturday evening after an extended visit with her mother, Mrs. Morris, of Sarnia.

BRUCEFIELD.

Brucefield, Feb. 26.—Mr. Andrew Beattie, estimator township, is visiting his sisters here.

Mr. Alex. Ross, who formerly lived on the London road, is visiting friends in this district.

Mr. Thos. Gemmill, near Moose Jaw, who used to live here, was in Brucefield Monday.

Mr. Chas. Hoggart, 2nd concession Tuckersmith, has sold his 75-acre farm to Mr. Walter Layton. Mr. Layton takes possession April 1. Mr. Hoggart will likely remove back to Hullett, where he came from.

PAISLEY.

Paisley, Feb. 26.—Mr. P. B. More attended the funeral of his mother in Guelph on Thursday.

Mr. J. A. Logie spent the week-end in Walkerton. Mr. Layton takes possession April 1. Mr. Hoggart will likely remove back to Hullett, where he came from.

PARKHILL.

Parkhill, Feb. 26.—Rev. J. Moore, of the Centre road, is confined to his bed with a severe attack of la grippe.

Mrs. Sawyer, of Chicago, and her sister Kate attended the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Angus McDonald, of Main street, Parkhill, recently.

Mrs. Peter Mundt, of Detroit, has arrived home to care for her mother, Mrs. John McIntyre, of East Williams, who is quite ill with la grippe, and a severe attack of inflammatory rheumatism.

ALISA CRAIG.

Alisa Craig, Feb. 26.—Mr. R. J. Robinson sold a span of heavy horses to a Toronto buyer for a handsome figure.

Mr. Charles Simmons, who has spent the past week visiting friends here, has left for St. Marys, en route for Stratford.

Rev. C. C. Kaine, of Granton, filled the Methodist pulpit on Sunday, and delivered two eloquent addresses in the educational interests of the Methodist Church.

Mr. Joseph Chapman has left for Woodstock, where he has secured a position.

Mrs. F. Ling and daughter Wreatha have returned to Galt after spending some time with her mother at the Queen's.

Mr. Mowat Chownen was a Stratford visitor recently.

MUNCEY.

Muncey, Feb. 26.—Miss Nagle, of Melbourne, is visiting Mrs. Wm. Cobban, of Muncey road.

Miss Katie Pulling, of Stratford, is spending a few days with her aunt, Miss Annie Pulling, of Burwell road.

Rev. Mr. Hetherington, of Oneida, preached in the Methodist Church on

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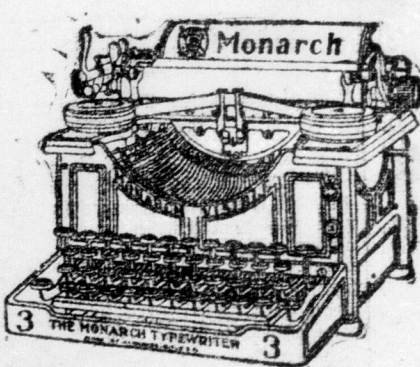
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GRAVE CHARGES MADE BY MONTREAL PAPER

La Patrie Makes Serious Accusations Against Two of Borden's Colleagues.

Montreal, Feb. 15.—Further charges against federal ministers are made by La Patrie, an independent Conservative paper, in an editorial tonight. It mentioned the two ministers as being guilty of corrupt practices. It stated that one introduced a system of telegraphing in the recent Hochelaga election, which he himself directed. To prove this, the affidavits of half a dozen alleged impersonators have been given to a member of the Opposition, who will bring the matter before the attention of the House. The other minister is accused of corrupt practices in connection with immigration matters. The charges in this case are made by a defeated Nationalist candidate.

W. C. T. U. MEETING

Last Session Held in Old Rooms—New Quarters Ready Soon.

The Woman's Christian Temperance Union of this city held its regular meeting for the last time in the W. C. A. rooms, with their president, Mrs. Hubert Ashplant, in charge. Tuesday, March 11, the union hopes to be in its new hall, as that day commences the annual week of prayer. The regular meeting is therefore, delayed until Wednesday, March 12. A most interesting program has been prepared for this week's exercises, and a large attendance is hoped for. Many expressed regret that Miss Alice Yeates, their corresponding secretary, had been forced to sever her connection with the society, as she was leaving the city.

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FIRST CARNIVAL WAS A GREAT SUCCESS

Ingersoll Rink Presented a Brilliant Scene With Over 300 On Ice.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, Feb. 26.—The rink presented a brilliant scene last night the occasion of the first carnival of the season. The interest with which local and outside skaters had anticipated the occasion was evidenced by the large attendance, over three hundred being in costume. Music was being furnished by the band, and the skaters had a merry time. No prizes were offered, but had there been, the judges would doubtless have experienced difficulty in selecting the winners from the big array of praiseworthy costumes.

Rev. Alfred Bright left today to attend the convention of the Dominion Alliance at Toronto as the delegate of the South Oxford Prohibition Association.

St. Paul's young people are achieving an enviable reputation as entertainers. Recently they have made several trips to nearby points, where they have either furnished in part or entirely the programs at different events. Last evening they journeyed to Culloden, about twelve miles south of here, where in connection with the anniversary of Knox Church they provided a splendid program of vocal and instrumental music of their usual high standard. A big feature of the occasion was a fowl supper. The chair was occupied by Rev. A. A. Smith, of Culloden.

WANT ONTARIO WATER

Winnipeg Asks Permission to Tap an Ontario Lake.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Feb. 26.—Winnipeg wants to establish an inexhaustible water supply and wants Ontario to help her in the effort. For that reason T. R. Deacon, mayor of Winnipeg; Judge Robson, public utilities commissioner of Manitoba, and Col. McLean, controller of the city of Winnipeg, have been visitors at the Parliament Buildings for the past two days.

They have had conferences with Premier Whitney and Hon. W. H. Hearst with a view to arranging for a water supply from one of the Ontario lakes, Shallow Lake, one of the extreme western bays of Lake of the Woods, in the Province of Ontario. The cost of bringing the water to Winnipeg from this point will be approximately \$10,000,000. The distance will be between 60 and 70 miles.

FRIEDMAN VACCINE WILL BE PUT TO TEST

U.S. Govt. Physicians to Investigate Consumption Cure at Once.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, Feb. 26.—Surgeon-General Blue, of the public health service, has arranged for tests in the Government's hygienic laboratory here for the Friedman vaccine for pulmonary tuberculosis, which was delivered yesterday to Dr. Milton H. Foster, of the service in New York, by Dr. Friedman, when he landed from Germany.

Surgeon-General Blue said today that when the vaccine was received in Washington it would first be rigidly examined and tested, upon animals and a culture media. If these are satisfactory the vaccine will be sent to the public health service sanatorium at Port Sanatorium, New Mexico, for actual tests upon sufferers from pulmonary tuberculosis.

CAIRNGORM.

Cairngorm, Feb. 26.—The farmers in this district are busy cutting and hauling wood, and preparing for a very busy spring.

James Case, tenth line, intends to raise his barn this spring and put a new stable under it. Mr. Arthur Franciswood, the local blacksmith, has sold his outfit to Ernest Charlton, who is working at the blacksmithing now in Stratford. Mr. Charlton intends taking possession this spring some time.

The Woman's Missionary Society will hold their quarterly meeting at the home of Mrs. W. S. Rowe on March 5.

The fall wheat in this locality is not showing up very well. Mrs. Charles Clark has returned home after visiting in London, and is much improved in health. W. Stonehouse, who left a short time ago for the benefit of his health, is improving very slowly.

Acting Bros. have been through this district doing threshing. They report a good yield.

NEED OF CENTRAL CIVIC ASSOCIATION

General Belief That Such a Body Would Benefit City.

JUSTICE THEN CERTAIN

Proposal That Present Smaller Leagues Send Delegates to Main Body.

Considerable discussion on the formation of a central civic association, similar to those organized in Toronto and other cities several years ago, and which have proven such a success in the consideration of municipal affairs, has already taken place, and it is likely that a meeting of merchants and ratepayers, who reside or own property in the centre of the city, will be called shortly. The meeting will be held to discuss the feasibility of the organization of such a society, the object of which will be the betterment of civic government.

When the East, West, and South London Progressive Associations were organized, mention of a central body, to which delegates from each part of the city might be sent, was made, but nothing definite was done.

Since then an agitation for such a society has been started, and several merchants are working on the scheme. The men behind the scheme expect medical, professional, and, in fact, everyone who is interested in civic administration, to attend.

One of the first things to be brought up after the association is organized is the feasibility of renumbering the streets of the city.

At present the numbers are scattered all over the different blocks, and the idea is to have 100 numbers in each block. The advantages of this would be obvious.

Mr. G. N. Weekes, when asked what he thought of such an organization, said: "It is what London has needed for a long time, and if carried out will call a meeting of the people will take hold of it and make a success of the undertaking."

Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson thought such an association an excellent idea. It is just what is necessary in London," he said, "and the sooner the people get together and form such a society, the sooner they will get what they want from the city council."

"Anything of that kind is excellent," said Mr. Thomas Gillen, "it is just what London needs. A discussion of civic business by a representative body of men is the best boost that the city could have."

Mr. W. T. Strong said that he noticed a number of other cities were forming such societies, and that if the citizens of London would take hold of one and attend the meetings it could not help but be a success. "People can do a great deal more when united than they can singly," he said, "and a central civic association is what has been needed for some time. The other progressive associations in the city could send representatives to the meetings to discuss any question that might interest them, and in that way things for the betterment of the city could be accomplished."

COLD DIP IN WEST

Twenty Below at Some Points in the Prairie Provinces.

[Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, Feb. 26.—A sudden and severe dip in temperature all over the Canadian prairies west has replaced the near spring weather conditions by an old-fashioned sample of winter. Most points indicate temperatures 20 below and under the cold spot on the weather map being Prince Albert with 26 below. It was 22 below at Edmonton, and 28 below at Winnipeg.

LATEST ACTION PICTURE FROM WARRING MEXICO.



Before the Arsenal in Mexico City, Just Before Madero Was Captured—Federal Soldiers, Turned Traitors, Fighting Under Felix Diaz.

AMERICAN TROOPS MARCHING OFF (PERHAPS) TO WAR.



Leaving Marine Barracks at League Island, Philadelphia, to Board Transport for Mexico

ROYAL ARCH MASONS SHOW FINE GROWTH

Fifty-Fifth Annual Convention Being Held at the Temple, Toronto.

[Canadian Press.]

Toronto, Feb. 26.—The growth and progress of the Grand Chapter of Canada, Royal Arch Masons, was one of the prominent features of the address of M. Ex. Comp. F. W. Harcourt, grand first principal, to the delegates of the 55th annual convocation of the grand chapter, held today in the Temple Buildings. There were about 300 present.

M. Ex. Comp. Harcourt said: "The grand chapter during the past year has kept pace with the wonderful prosperity of the country. It has, in fact, been the most successful year in the history of this grand chapter. We have added 1,233 members to our rolls, and deducting losses by death and other causes, leaves us a net gain for the period of over 1,230. Our total membership is now 16,972. Six new chapters have been created, and one removed, with a total number of 182. The surplus for the year is \$3,464; our total assets are now \$50,747.61."

After a fitting tribute to those members of the grand chapter who have died since the last convocation, the M. Ex. Comp. said:

"All Masons will take pride in honoring the memories of Capt. R. P. Scott, Capt. J. E. G. Oates, Lieut. H. R. Bowers, Officer E. Evans and Dr. W. A. Wren, who recently lost their lives in the interest of science, for the honor of their country and by their unselfish devotion one to the other. The names of Capt. Scott and those who perished with him will be written on the pages of history more prominently than any others during this century. The undying story of Damos and Pythias is repeated in the memory of Capt. Scott. He has added a fresh lustre to the annals of English heroes."

NEW FRENCH PAPER FOR WESTERN ONTARIO

To Be Published at Windsor and Devoted to the Interests of French-Canadians.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Montreal, Feb. 26.—News has been received here that leading French-Canadian editors of Windsor, Ont., are planning to issue in a few weeks a French daily devoted to the interests of the French-Canadian community in Western Ontario. It will be an independent afternoon paper under the management of L'Association Commercial of that city. Mr. J. J. Massé, its secretary, is looking for an editorial staff, and offers have been made to Montreal French newspapermen. It is said that Mr. Jules Tremblay, of La Justice, of Ottawa, was invited to assume the editorship, but that he has declined. The new daily will be the second of the French language to make its appearance in Ontario within a short time. It is now announced that La Droite, of Ottawa, will start publication next week.

RIDGETOWN.

Ridgetown, Feb. 26.—Mr. J. D. Conway, of Morpeth, has purchased Mr. Wm. Sear's house and lot on Edenboro street, and will move his family here shortly.

The public school is closed today and is being thoroughly investigated.

Mrs. Geo. J. Claxton was in Duart yesterday attending the funeral of her cousin, Mrs. Oscar Eldred.

Mr. Stan. McDonald, of Detroit, is spending a few days at his home here.

Mr. Watson, of Oakville, is here visiting his father, who is quite ill.

Miss F. Giesler and Miss Nellie Wrightman were Detroit visitors recently.

Mr. Lerne Hoover spent a couple of days in Detroit recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Squires left yesterday for their home near Rosetown, Sask., after spending the past two months with relatives here.

SOUTH SIDE NEEDS BREATHING SPACES

The South London Progressive Association Heads Agitation for Another Park.

SEVERAL SITES NAMED

Good Roads Another Matter That Demands Immediate Action of City.

At the meeting of the South London Progressive Association on Tuesday evening, Mr. H. Taylor suggested that the association take some immediate action towards securing an ornamental park for South London. Mr. Taylor stated that Queen's Park was available for citizens of East London, and Victoria Park satisfied the needs of the north and central parts of the city.

"London South," said Mr. Taylor, "is rapidly becoming the residential garden of the city, and some place for the recreation of the residents of this part of the city should be procured as soon as possible."

He suggested as a possible site the city bounded by Ridout street, Tecumseh avenue, Wortley road and Windsor avenue.

Suggested Gerry Flats. Mr. Joseph Lawrence was another advocate of a park for South London. He favored the Parke and Gerry flats as a site. The city at present owns part of the flats, and in all probability will become the owner of the remainder under the arrangement made with Hon. Adam Beck at the time that the agreement was made in connection with the sinking of wells on the property.

A large number of the members present were in favor of the plan, and a committee composed of Dr. E. C. Auld, Wm. Gray, and W. W. Scott was appointed to inquire into the ownership of the property and also to interview the water commissioners and other municipal bodies in connection with the establishment of a park. Mr. Wm. Smith suggested that the water commissioners be asked to erect a gateway at the entrance of the playground on the Parke Flats, as this only would greatly increase the appearance of the place.

Good Roads Agitation. The question of good roads, which is of vital importance to the residents of South London, was discussed, and a committee consisting of Messrs. Gerry, Gray, Dr. Ferguson and J. Anderson, was authorized to investigate the costs of the different systems of roadbeds and report at the next meeting.

The secretary reported that although the association has only been organized for less than four weeks the membership is nearly fifty, and is steadily increasing.

DOW FOUND GUILTY.

Boston, Feb. 26.—Stephen R. Dow, holder of the bridge firm of S. R. Dow & Co., was found guilty today on 24 of 32 counts of an indictment charging the conversion of funds of mining companies in which he was interested. His bail of \$25,000 was continued pending sentence and appeal to the supreme court.

Dow was the president of the four Michigan mining companies—the Algoma, Indiana, Franklin and North Lake—and funds for these companies, amounting to \$300,000, were involved in the indictment.

Los Angeles, Feb. 26.—One life was lost and much damage wrought by the rainfall of the last two days, the greatest in the history of this section. Street car lines in some sections of the city are out of commission and sixty thousand school children were given a holiday because of the flood.

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DELAWARE.

Delaware, Feb. 26.—Miss Marjorie Welt entertained a number of young people recently in honor of her guests, Miss Pawkes, of London, Mr. H. Weld and Mr. N. Scott, of Toronto.

Mr. H. N. Gibson, who was injured by a falling tree recently, is getting along nicely.

Mr. J. Summers, a former resident of Sandusky, Mich., has taken charge of the Huguenot farm, on the 3rd concession of Delaware South.

Mr. J. Coulter, of the Home Bank staff, who has been on the sick list, is able to be around again.

Mr. L. Vail and Mr. Robt. Smith have returned home after spending a week in the Lambton County fruit belt.

A masquerade carnival will be held in the Star rink, on the 27th, weather permitting. Mr. A. Mabier spent a few days in Dresden and vicinity recently.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

HAY IN PLENTY ON CITY MARKET TODAY

Shortage of Dressed Hogs, With Fair Demand, Brings a Brisk Market.

Twelve loads of hay and a few loads of straw and oats were the only offerings on the local market today, and the sales in the three lines were rather dull.

Hay, of which a large quantity has been sold during the past week, was slow, and the sales were made at \$11.50 and \$12 per ton. Straw was quoted at \$8 this morning.

Oats, which have been easier of late, were in fair demand, but the prices remained unchanged, ranging from 98c to \$1.05 per cwt.

The offering of dressed hogs was small, and the brisk demand the number brought to the market today was sold in short time. The prevailing prices ranged from \$11.75 to \$12 per cwt.

Poultry, Dressed.	
Chickens, per pair	1.25 to 1.50
Chickens, lb. wholesale	15 to 17
Old fowl, per lb.	11 to 12
Ducks, per lb.	15 to 16
Turkeys, per lb.	22 to 23
Poultry, Alive.	
Chickens, per lb.	11 to 12
Ducks, per lb.	15 to 16
Turkeys, per lb.	18 to 19
Old fowl, per lb.	8 to 9

Milk Cows, Each.	
Fat cows, cwt.	5.50 to 6.00
Small high, pair	10 to 12
Small high, per cwt.	8.50 to 9.50

Hides, Wool, etc.	
Cow hides, No. 1	11.50 to 11.75
Cow hides, No. 2	9.50 to 9.75
Wool, unwashed, lb.	12 to 13
Wool, washed, lb.	13 to 14
Calveskins, per lb.	13 to 14

Butcher's Meats.	
Lamb, per lb.	14 to 15
Dressed hogs, choice	11 to 12
Veal, per cwt.	10 to 11
Beef, cwt.	8 to 9
Beef, young, cwt.	10 to 11
Butter, per lb.	19 to 20
Heavy hogs, cwt.	7 to 8

Grain, Per Cwt.	
Wheat, per cwt.	\$1.50 to \$1.55
Oats, per cwt.	1.00 to 1.10
Barley, per cwt.	1.00 to 1.10
Buckwheat, per cwt.	1.25 to 1.35

Grain, Per Bushel.	
Wheat, per bu.	95 to 100
Oats, per bu.	82 to 85

Lard, Per Cwt.	
Butter, per cwt.	40 to 45
Potatoes, per bu.	1.00 to 1.10
Turnips, per bu.	30 to 35
Beets, per bu.	25 to 30
Onions, per bu.	75 to 80

Cabbage, Per Cwt.	
Cabbage, per cwt.	30 to 35
Carrots, per bu.	30 to 35
Peas, per bu.	15 to 20
Green onions, per doz.	40 to 45
Rhubarb, per doz.	1.00 to 1.10

Fruits.	
Apples, per bbl.	1.00 to 1.25
Apples, per bu.	50 to 60
Apples, per doz.	40 to 50

Hay and Straw.	
Hay, per ton	12.00 to 12.50
Straw, per ton	8.00 to 8.50

Dairy Produce.	
Butter, dairy, whole	23 to 25
Butter, fancy, retail	30 to 35
Butter, store, 10 lb.	23 to 25
Butter, creamery, 1 lb.	30 to 35
Butter, crock, 1 lb.	23 to 25

Eggs, Fresh, Doz.	
Eggs, fresh, doz.	25 to 30
Eggs, fresh, doz.	25 to 30
Eggs, fresh, doz.	25 to 30
Honey, strained, 10 lbs.	1.20 to 1.30
Honey, sections, doz.	2.20 to 2.40

For Other Markets See Page 2

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, Feb. 26.—Morning prices:

Today: 1000

Brazilian T. L. and P. 1000

B. C. Packers, pfd. 1000

Burt, P. N. Co. 1000

Canada Bread, com. 1000

Canada Cement, com. 1000

Canada Cement, pfd. 1000

Can. Interlake, com. 1000

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Canadian Pacific, com. 1000

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City Dairy, com. 1000

City Dairy, pfd. 1000

Consumers' Gas, com. 1000

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Dominion Canners, com. 1000

Dominion Canners, pfd. 1000

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Maple Leaf, com. 1000

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Twin City, com. 1000

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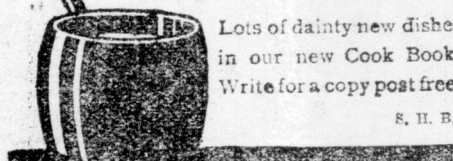
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FELL TO HIS DEATH.

Port Dalhousie, Feb. 25. — Hans Peterson, of Duluth, who started work yesterday morning for the Toronto Structural Steel Company on the new buildings of the Canada Cement Company here, fell 60 feet to death.

SUBSIDY MOTION LOST ON DIVISION

Mr. Rowell's Proposal That Increased Figure Be Asked Was Defeated.

PREMIERS' CONFERENCE

Sir James Says One May Be Held When Sir Lomer Gouin Returns.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, Feb. 25.—With the same hair-splitting and juggling of words the Government this afternoon came out in its own defence in the matter of subsidies from the Dominion to the various provinces. The leader of the Opposition brought in a resolution asking that the Legislature memorialize the Dominion Government with a view to securing for this province an increase in its subsidy on the same basis as the subsidy increase was granted to Manitoba last year, and that a conference of the provinces be held to further consider the matter of obtaining for themselves a more just and equitable treatment in subsidies.

Mr. Rowell's Resolution.

Mr. Rowell's resolution proposed that the memorial to the Dominion Government show that in 1884 the Provincial subsidies were increased on a proportionate basis, that last year Manitoba's debt allowance was materially increased, and that the debt allowance to this province was not correspondingly increased. The memorial, further, urged, that this province "in fairness and equity" was entitled to an increased subsidy on the same basis as that granted to Manitoba, and that changes in the financial arrangements between the provinces and the Dominion should not be made without a conference of the provinces.

The leader of the Opposition said his complaint was that the matter was brought up last session, and the Government failed to take recognition of the importance of securing fair play for Ontario.
Hon. L. P. Lucas, acting provincial treasurer, said there was little need to be alarmed over Ontario's revenue. In the last eight years the Whitney Government had doubled the revenue of the province. As for the resolution introduced by Mr. Rowell, the acting treasurer said it expressed two views. It urged that this Government memorialize the Dominion for an increase in subsidy, and it also urged that nothing be done in this regard until an inter-provincial conference had been held.

Equitable Treatment Needed.

Mr. Sam Clarke (West Northumberland), said it was a matter of business, and not of politics, and that the House should be united on the matter of securing equitable treatment for Ontario. Dr. James McQueen (North Westmouth), thought the Government was not entitled to much credit for the augmented revenue.

Sir James Whitney pointed out that the resolutions of the inter-provincial conference of 1907 were those adopted by the late Ross Government during the session of 1902, and it was at his (Sir James') instance that the right of any province to make special claim upon the Dominion was reserved, it being necessary at the time that there should be agreement upon those resolutions.

The Premier thought that on the return of Sir Lomer Gouin from Europe next summer a conference between the provinces of Ontario and Quebec would be called.

Mr. Proudfoot (Centre Huron), urged that both sides of the House should express unanimity in desiring equitable treatment for Ontario in the matter of subsidies.
Mr. Allan Stuchbome (East Hamilton), said he would vote both for the resolution and the amendment brought in by Hon. Mr. Lucas setting aside the resolution.

On division of the House the vote on the amendment of the Government carried by 70 to 17, and the Opposition's resolution was lost by a vote of 63 to 18.

First Night Sitting.

Late in the afternoon the House went into committee on the railway bill brought in by Hon. J. S. Hendrie, and the first night sitting this session was held.

When the orders of the day were called Mr. Rowell called the attention of the Government to the fact that two or three returns asked for last session had not yet been brought down.

Sir James in reply said: "If the honorable gentleman goes on loading up the order paper as he has two-thirds of the returns asked for from sheer inability to make them up. The honorable gentleman has a perfect right to make notices three times, as long as there is any need. However, I wish it to be understood that the extra cost of legislation will be no small item, and it will be a physical impossibility to bring down many more of these returns."

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AUSTRALIA THE ONLY DOMINION TO OBSERVE IMPERIAL PACT

Canada Has Not Carried Navy Unit Scheme, Says Senator Pearce.

London, Feb. 26.—The commonwealth authorities in London issue this morning the text of an important statement made recently by Senator Pearce, Australian minister of defence, on the question of imperial naval defence. Mr. Pearce explains the Australian Government attaches no importance to being represented in the imperial defence committee, because it is of a purely advisory character. Australians were concerned about questions of policy rather than administration. He then refers to decisions arrived at at the last imperial conference, when Canada and Australia adopted the fleet unit scheme, and says the Australian agreement is the only one that has been carried out. If co-operation is to be insured, it therefore becomes necessary for Canada and New Zealand to either carry out the schemes adopted by the 1909 conference or propose some others to take their place.

New Zealand's Plan.

He could not say whether there is any truth in the report that the admiralty authorities have been parties to the suppression of the Canadian naval scheme, and substitution of the contributed Dreadnought and an annual subsidy.
As to the New England plan, in preference to that of the creation of separate colonial units, we have not been given any hint that either by the British Government or admiralty that they have changed their minds regarding the wisdom of the agreement with Australia. I may say, originated with the admiralty. The scheme for a fleet unit did not originate with the Australian Government of the day, nor with the representatives at the conference.

Refutes Old Allegation.

The importance of this statement is found in the fact that it would seem to refute the allegation that both the Canadian and Australian Governments of four years ago preferred to build and maintain their own navies rather than contribute in ship or subsidies to the imperial navy, and that the admiralty had to accept such naval assistance as Canada and Australia were willing to offer.

The defence minister concluded by saying his Government was of opinion it would be advantageous to the empire.

As a whole, if Australia, Canada and New Zealand could see their way to come to an agreement as to the defence of British interests in the Pacific, our policy is known, and has the approval of the admiralty. It can be adjusted to meet any development in the Canadian and New Zealand naval policies. We hope the full three countries may yet fall into line for the purpose of promoting this unity of action on the part of Canada, Australia and New Zealand.

The Vancouver naval conference is being considered by the imperial authorities.

FIXED ASSESSMENT WAS NOT GRANTED

St. Thomas Applied for \$450,000 Valuation on Michigan Central's Property.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Toronto, Feb. 26.—The private bills committee was not prepared to go the whole way with St. Thomas' application, and grant a fixed assessment of \$450,000 on the Michigan Central property in the city for the next ten years.
Mr. Evan S. Fraser (Welland) pointed out that the Legislature would get itself in for a great deal of trouble if the ten years' assessment was granted. Municipalities from all over the Province would be making similar applications.

The solicitor for the Michigan Central informed the committee that the real estate owned by the railway in St. Thomas was worth about \$200,000 at the present time, and the company in return for a fixed assessment for ten years was willing to take a chance on a high valuation.

Hon. L. P. Lucas, chairman, thought ten years was a long period, and suggested that the term should be five years, subject to the approval of the ratepayers of the city.
The provision in the bill authorizing the city to home the E. T. Wright Company by erecting a factory to cost \$45,000 was allowed.

BENNETT REFUTED BY RED DEER MEMBER

Dr. Clarke Shows Calgary Man's Statements Re Name To Be Wrong.

Ottawa, Feb. 26.—At today's session of the naval debate, R. B. Bennett, the Conservative member for Calgary, defended the Borden naval policy, and denounced the Laurier policy.

He directed a great deal of his sarcasm towards Hon. Mr. Oliver and Dr. Clarke, the Liberal member for Red Deer. He thought the name of "tin pot" particularly appropriate when referring to the so-called Laurier navy, inasmuch as the ships would be as useless in war as tin pots would be.

He scouted the assertion Mr. A. K. McLean, Halifax, who told the House that the admiralty's memorandum had been obtained by duress.

Mr. Bennett said that he supported the Government's proposal on six grounds. They are:

1. Because Canada was a part of the Empire.
2. Because the supremacy of the British navy was menaced.
3. His self-respect.
4. Co-operation in naval defence is essential to efficiency.
5. Because it makes for and insures the peace.
6. It makes for the consolidation and unity of the British Empire.

Empty Ships Useless.

Dr. Clarke, Liberal member for Red Deer, who followed Mr. Bennett, pointed out the uselessness of sending empty ships to the line of battle. He declared that it had always been the rule in England to defend her own shores, and Canada would do well to follow that rule.

He absolutely refuted the statement made by Mr. Bennett to the effect that Canada could not establish shipyards able to handle the construction of Dreadnoughts.

He also denounced the imputations cast upon the loyalty of the western farmers as absolutely false.

Mr. Boulay, the Nationalist member for Rimouski, was the first to convert the Guizot amendment. He spoke strongly in favor of this amendment.
Mr. Picaud, Liberal member for Megantic, also spoke.

STEAMSHIP ARRIVALS.

Name.	Reported at.	From.
Templemore	Liverpool	Baltimore
California	Glasgow	New York
St. John	St. John	St. John
Minnewaska	London	New York
Buclos	Bremen	New York

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Backache is one of the first symptoms. You may also be troubled with disagreeable, annoying bladder disorders; have attacks of lumbago or rheumatism; become nervous, tired, and feel all worn out; puffy swellings show under the eyes or in the feet and ankles; and many other symptoms are noticed. If they are neglected, dropsy, diabetes, or Bright's disease, which so often prove fatal, may result.

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You can secure an original package of Croxone at trifling cost from any first-class drug store. All druggists are authorized to personally return the purchase price if Croxone should fail in a single case. Three doses a day for a few days is often all that is ever needed to cure the worst backache, relieve rheumatic pains, or overcome urinary disorders.

BILL WITHOUT FRIEND KILLED IN COMMITTEE

Every Member Voted Against Measure of the Central Railway Co.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ottawa, Feb. 25.—A bill without a friend was killed this morning by the Commons railway committee. When the Central Railway bill was put to division every member of the committee voted against it. No one about the capital can recall a similar incident. No matter how unpopular a measure may be it can usually count upon some one to stand up for it.
The Central Railway Company want authority to build a line of railway from Montreal to Georgian Bay. The promoters frankly told the committee that they wanted to do this in order to divide every member of the committee voted against it. No one about the capital can recall a similar incident. No matter how unpopular a measure may be it can usually count upon some one to stand up for it.

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TRURO MINISTER KILLED BY A FALL

Archdeacon Caulbach Was One of the Best-Known Clergymen in Nova Scotia.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 25.—Venerable Archdeacon J. A. Caulbach, of Truro, one of the best-known clergymen in Nova Scotia, was killed this evening in Truro. After dinner he left his residence to visit the central engine house, about 100 yards distant. In entering the building, he fell to the concrete floor of the basement through a trap-door, as a result of which death ensued. He was about 75 years of age. Archdeacon Caulbach's wife, who came from Quebec, died a few months ago. He had been a minister of the Church of England, at Truro for 25 years.

FAMOUS BEAUTY DEAD

First Cousin of Late Robert Barr Dies at St. Thomas.

St. Thomas, Feb. 25.—Mary Barr, wife of Oscar Blakely, of Duart, a first cousin of the late Robert Barr, novelist, died Sunday, aged 32. She was exceptionally beautiful, having been awarded first prize in a beauty contest conducted by a Toronto publication a few years ago.

SNEED NOT GUILTY

Was Charged With Murder of Man Who Elope With His Wife.

Vernon, Texas, Feb. 25.—John Beal Sneed, a wealthy West Texas ranch owner, was today declared not guilty of the murder of Al Boyce, a young man, Amarillo, Texas, last September. The jury retired last night and returned the verdict this morning.

Sneed shot Boyce to death on a street in Amarillo, upon which was said to have been their first meeting after Boyce eloped with Mrs. Sneed to Winnipeg, Man.

ANOTHER MADERO SHOT

Brother of Dead Mexican President Was Trying to Join Rebels.

Mexico City, Feb. 25.—Emilio Madero, a brother of the late ex-President Madero, has been shot and killed north of Monterrey.
With an escort of 25 men, Madero was attempting to join the rebels holding Laredo, when he was overtaken by troops sent by General Trevino. The reports do not indicate whether Madero was killed in action or was executed.

PERUVIAN CABINET CRISIS.

Lima, Peru, Feb. 25.—The Peruvian cabinet, under the premiership of Gen. Enrique Varela, resigned office today, as a sequel to the giving up of his portfolio by the finance minister yesterday.

BIGGEST PENSION BILL.

Washington, Feb. 25.—The Senate today passed the \$180,000,000 annual pension bill in the record time of 25 minutes. It is the largest amount of any annual pension measure in the history of the United States Government.



JAMES CARRUTHERS, the big Winnipeg and Montreal grain dealer, who is now head of the Richelieu and Ontario Navigation Company.

AMUSEMENTS

"The Bird of Paradise."

London playgoers will fall in love with Miss Bessie Barriscale's charming impersonation of a girl in the simple-minded, love-impelled child of nature, the little semi-savage, with an undying devotion almost divine, who is the heroine of Richard Walton Tully's mystic romance of Hawaii, which comes to the Grand tomorrow evening.

Miss Barriscale's hit was instantaneous and substantial, and her interpretation of a character and quality that places her at a leap in the very front rank among leading women of her type. Those who have watched her for the past few years—for Miss Barriscale is hardly out of her teens—saw her rapid transition from the Shakespearian juvenile roles, in association with Louis James, Katherine Kidder and others, to the ingenue principal role of Madge in "In Old Kentucky," next as Lovey Mary in "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," when she succeeded her cousin, Mabel Taliferro, in the part, and went abroad to play it, and later in "The Rose of the Rancho," as successor to Miss Frances Starr.

"Officer 666."
The triumph of "Cohan & Harris' "Officer 666" at the Gaiety Theatre, in New York, is an event of too recent occurrence to make it necessary to remind playgoers of it. This sensational comedy success will be presented at the Grand next Friday and Saturday nights and Sunday matinee, with a company of capable players, among whom we find Gladden James, Sydney Stone, Edmund Shale, John McCabe, Daniel Hamilton, Bertram Miller, Julia Nagl, Marguerite Batterson, Sadie Duff, Irving Southard, Charles Martin, M. W. Chambers and John Cuffe.

LONDON MOTOR SHOW

Will Be Held in the Armories Four Days, Beginning March 5.

Everything is now in "apple-pie" order for the opening of the London Motor Show, which is to be held in the armories for four days, beginning next week, Wednesday, March 5.

The formal opening of what promises to be not only the most attractive, but also the most complete, display of gasoline and electric vehicles ever gathered in this city.

Cars will be sent here direct from the manufacturers as well as from the Toronto Motor Show. There will be on exhibition 65 cars, which will represent the very latest, the "last word" in fact, in auto construction. There will be many additional features that the average citizen will find of interest when the big show opens its doors.

There will be on display a full line of motorcycles and an up-to-date display of accessories that will delight the heart of every motorist.

Special attention will be given this year to the heating of the armories. Promises have been given to install several large furnaces in the drill hall, and the management feels the assurance to the public that the drill hall will be amply heated.

The decorations will be unique in character, and will consist of colored lighting and thousands of incandescent lights. The London dealers will do all in their power to make the second annual motor show one big success.

The show will be open daily from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Details, the French military painter, desired, like the English artist, Turner, that his country should possess his paintings and such of his pictures as he possessed at the time of his death are to become public property. His house, containing his collection of uniforms, weapons, etc., is to be devoted to the purposes of a museum.

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NEW SUBURBS CAUSE SOME SURVEY TROUBLES

Assessment Commissioner Is Having Hard Time Straightening Out Tangle.

Assessment Commissioner Grant and his staff are busy endeavoring to straighten out the tangle which exists in the survey of the recently-annexed districts.

He and several men were working on the survey of Chelsea Green yesterday, but they found it difficult to figure out any system for the 1,890 acres which were recently added to the city. "There is practically no system to the survey," said Mr. Grant. "Only part of those districts have been surveyed at all, and they are only in spots. It will take us some time to get things in proper shape in those districts. In the 1,300 acres there are 54 surveys, which are dotted all over the district, and it will be necessary for me to get extra help to get them into shape."

It is likely that one of the employees of the engineer's office will be appointed to assist Mr. Grant's staff until the work is completed.

THINKS JAIL PLACE FOR NON-SUPPORTERS

Inspector Sanders Says They Should Work in Jail to Assist Wives.

Inspector Joseph Sanders, of the Charities Organization, is in favor of making wife desertion a criminal offence, punishable both by imprisonment and fine. J. J. Kelso, superintendent of neglected children for Ontario, was in Ottawa on Monday, and interviewed the Minister of Justice in support of the appeal already made from various parts of the Dominion for an amendment to the criminal code in reference to wife desertion.

Another thing that should be added," said Mr. Sanders, "is a clause to the effect that once a charge of desertion of cruelty is laid against a man, his wife should not be allowed to withdraw it. No one else, except a wife, can lay an information against a man on those charges with any degree of success. Mr. Sanders also thinks that a husband who refuses to support his wife or family should be liable to work in a jail or some Government institution, and that his wages should be paid over to those whom he has deserted."

TREE PRUNING FESTIVAL

Manager Glaubitz Has Foreman Busy on Dundas Street East.

Manager H. G. Glaubitz, of the city electrical department, has William Roberts and a number of men at work pruning the shade trees on Dundas street, East London. Foreman Roberts' work also includes the pruning of those trees extending one block to the north and south sides of the Dundas street thoroughfare. The work is well under way and will soon be completed.

DENIES THE STORY

Reeve Taylor Says Port Stanley Will Not Help Electrification.

The Toronto Globe says: St. Thomas, Feb. 24.—Reeve Taylor denies the reports sent out from London to the effect that the village of Port Stanley was considering spending \$10,000 in terminals for the L. and P. S. Railway if it is electrified by London. Mr. Taylor says no such action has been considered, and it is unlikely that it will be.

BECOMES TERMINAL SUPER-INTENDENT.

Mr. J. Cloghesy, former G. T. R. yardmaster, has accepted the position of terminal superintendent in Chicago, and leaves for that place on Thursday. The position which Mr. Cloghesy has secured is a good one. His wife and family will not leave London until the spring.

BADLY BURNED.
Winnipeg, Feb. 25.—Michael Sinnott, an old-timer, was badly burned about the face and hands in a fire at his home on Austin street this morning and is in the hospital.

Chapped Hands AND Cold Sores

Are your hands chapped, cracked or sore? Have you "cold cracks" which open and bleed when the skin is drawn tight? Have you a cold sore, frost bite, chilblains, or a "raw" place, which at times makes it agony for you to go about your household duties? If so, Zam-Buk will give you relief, and will heal the frost-damaged skin. Anoint the sore places at night, Zam-Buk's rich healing essences will sink into the wounds, end the smarting, and will heal quickly.

Mrs. Yellen, of Portland, says: "My hands were so sore and cracked that it was agony to put them near water. When I did so they would smart and burn as if I had scalded them. I seemed quite unable to get relief from anything I put on them until I tried Zam-Buk, and it succeeded when all else had failed. It closed the big cracks, gave me ease, soothed the inflammation, and in a very short time healed my hands."

Zam-Buk also cures chafing, rashes, winter eczema, piles, ulcers, festering sores, sore heads and backs, abrasions, pruritus, ringworm, etc., etc., burns, bruises, scalds, sprains. Of all druggists and stores, or sent free from the Zam-Buk Co., Toronto. Price 50c a box.

Zam-Buk

MR. TALBOT TO SPEAK AT GOOD ROADS RALLY

County Sends Representatives to Big Gathering at Toronto.

Warden A. K. Hodgins, Councillors D. D. Graham and Ambrose Topping, of the Middlesex county council left Tuesday for Toronto, where they will attend the eleventh annual convention of the Ontario Good Roads Association, which will be held on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

The association, which was first formed by a number of automobile owners in the vicinity of Toronto, has grown until it now embraces in its membership a large number of the rural municipalities of the Province. Each year a convention is held, at which addresses pertaining to the betterment of public highways are given and the various suggestions offered by the various speakers are discussed.

Charles Talbot, the county engineer of Middlesex, will give an address on "Concrete Bridges" at the session Friday morning. A feature of the convention is the exhibit of road-making machinery manufactured in this country.

AGREE TO TERMS IF DEAL IS MADE

English and Co. Say They Are Willing to Accept Suggestion From City.

Mayor C. M. R. Graham has received a letter from English & Co., the Toronto real estate firm which asked for an option on the Spencer Block, in which they offer to pay \$90,000 for it as a site for a new hotel.

After receiving the offer, the mayor wrote the firm suggesting that the company take an option on the property at \$90,000, and at the expiration of it pay \$10,000 to the city as a holding price, and allow the city to use the four-story building in the block for city hall purposes until the Federal Square is completed.

The company's letter states that if it is decided to take the property, the suggestion of the mayor is quite agreeable to them.

ALLEGED SWINDLERS REMANDED A WEEK

Young Men Arrested at Ingersoll Were Taking Magazine Subscriptions.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, Feb. 25.—A remand for a week was the order of the court in the cases yesterday afternoon in which Harry Ralph and Raymond Cook, the young men who are charged with obtaining money under false pretenses as a result of taking subscriptions for monthly magazines.

It is alleged that they were making offers to supply standard magazines at ridiculously low prices. This aroused the suspicion of a citizen who reported the matter to Chief Pysh. An effort is being made to get in touch with the magazine publishers.

Friends here of Mr. E. J. Guthrie, who a number of years ago was the local agent of the G. T. R., were very pleased to learn of his promotion to the position of general agent at the docks of the Central Vermont Transportation Company at New London, Conn. According to press notices from New London, Mr. Guthrie has merited the promotion, which is a very important one. Before going to New London he was located at Brattleboro. During the time that he was in Ingersoll Mr. Guthrie manifested a keen interest in affairs generally, and was an enthusiastic courier.

Mr. Gordon Warden has been appointed president of the Young People's Society of St. Paul's Church, to succeed Mr. P. S. Routley, who recently resigned to go to Berlin.

Miss McDermid, of Pinal, is the guest of her brother, Mr. H. P. McDermid, Wingham street.

STRICKEN SUDDENLY

Mrs. William Woods Seized With a Stroke While Shopping.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Paisley, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Wm. Woods died last night suddenly from a paralytic stroke. The deceased had been in her usual health, and in the afternoon was down town shopping. On her way home, she was suddenly stricken, falling on the sidewalk. She was immediately taken home and medical aid summoned, but she expired a few hours afterwards. Mrs. Woods was 68 years of age, and is survived by her husband, one son, Adam Woods, of Owen Sound, and one daughter, Mrs. McMillan, of Dryden. Mrs. A. Rankin, of Paisley, is a sister.

ANGLICAN MONKS JOIN CHURCH OF ROME

Entire Community Goes Over to the Order of Benedictines.

London, Feb. 25.—A remarkable conversion to the Church of Rome has occurred of a body of Anglican monks, who in 1885 founded what is called the English Benedictine Monastery, and in 1907 took up their quarters on an island off the coast of Pembrokeshire.

For a year past the community has been in correspondence with the Archbishop of Canterbury and the Bishop of Oxford regarding certain points on which they were unable to come to an agreement. Consequently the community decided to seek admission to the Roman Catholic Church, and will join that church's Benedictine Order.

HAS DAUGHTER HERE

Mrs. William Watson Died at Paisley After a Brief Illness.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Paisley, Feb. 25.—The funeral took place yesterday afternoon to Ward Hill Cemetery of Mrs. Wm. Watson, Rev. G. C. Little, of the Presbyterian Church, directed. Mrs. Watson was 79 years old, and died after a brief illness with acute indigestion. She was a native of Simcoe County and 52 years ago was married to Mr. Watson, who died in Toronto yesterday at the age of 77 years at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Birch. He will be buried on the arrival of the C. P. R. express on Wednesday. He leaves a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Birch and Mrs. Shuttelworth.

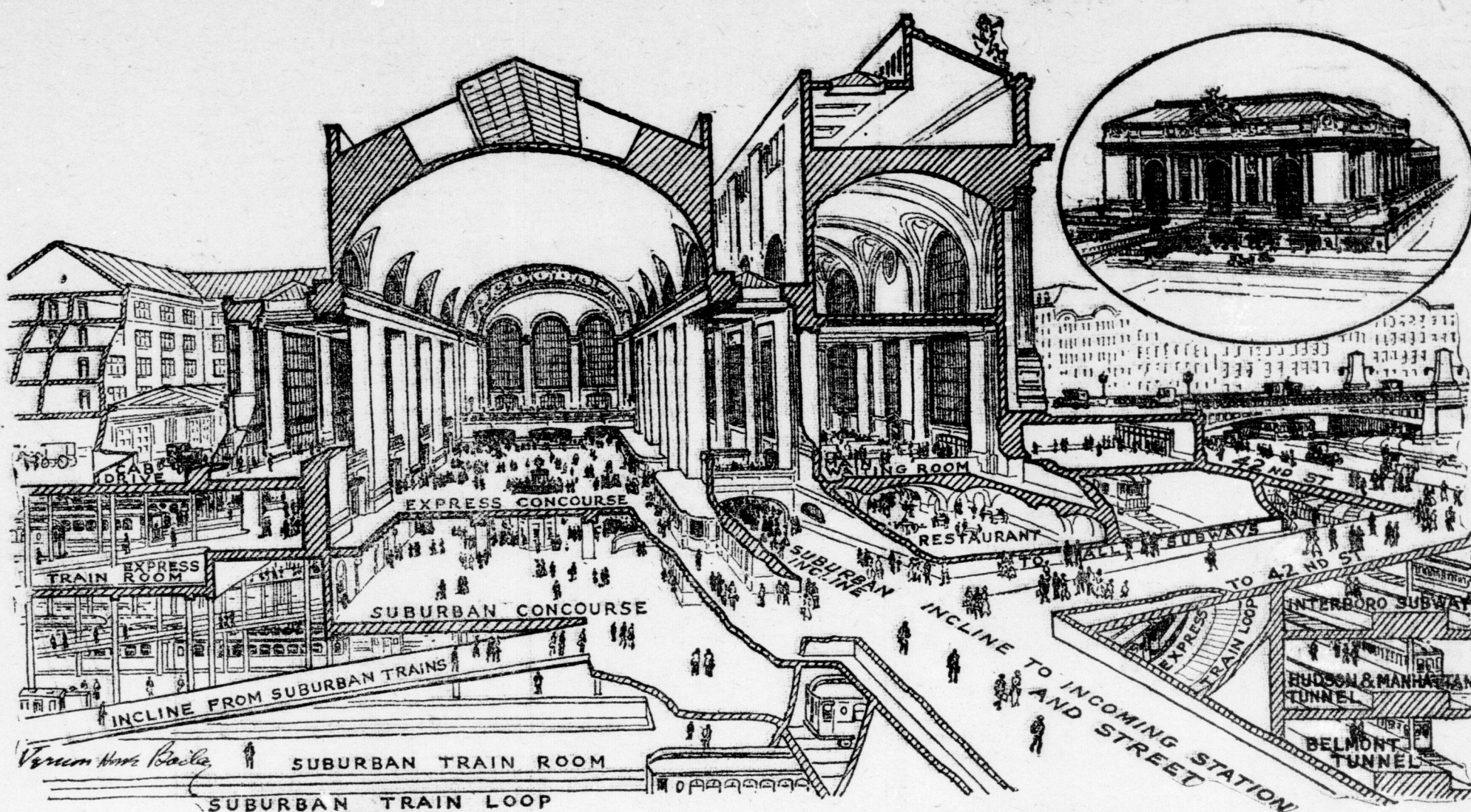
WALKERTON FUNERAL.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Walkerton, Feb. 25.—James Lloyd, a late resident of Toronto, but who spent a great many years of his life in Walkerton, died in Toronto yesterday at the age of 77 years at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Birch. He will be buried on the arrival of the C. P. R. express on Wednesday. He leaves a widow and two daughters, Mrs. Birch and Mrs. Shuttelworth.

DR. A. W. CHASE'S 25c.

Improved Blower. Heals the ulcers, clears the air passages, stops drops in the throat and permanent cures Catarrh and Hay Fever. 25c a box, blower free. Accept no substitutes. All dealers or Dr. Chase & Co., Limited, Toronto.



SECTIONAL VIEW OF THE NEW GRAND CENTRAL TERMINAL, NEW YORK CITY

New Grand Central Terminal The Heart of New York City

THE interior of the New York Central Lines' new Terminal, just opened in New York City and dedicated to the Public Service—is a marvel in size and compactness, beauty and utility, comfort and convenience—a terminal larger than and different from any other in the world.

Broad inclined walks take the place of stairs—the distance from street to train is a short, easy walk.

Standing at the center entrance on 42nd Street you can see The Twentieth Century Limited, across the waiting room and concourse.

The movement of the traveler is a progressive one, the ticket windows coming first, the Pullman windows next, the baggage office third, then your train.

There are no steps to retrace, no time lost, passengers proceeding direct from waiting room or concourse to train platforms.

There are two great concourses, each 300 by 120 feet, one for

through passengers and the other for suburban passengers.

The tracks on two levels within the terminal aggregate 33 miles. Forty-nine acres are devoted to through traffic and thirty acres to suburban traffic.

Thirty thousand people may be comfortably accommodated in this terminal at one time. Overtwenty million will use it in a year, indeed it is planned to accommodate a hundred million people annually.

All trains entering and departing from the Terminal are drawn by electric motors—no smoke, no noise, no dust, no soot.

Train platforms are broad, and level with car floors; no steps to climb, or descend.

For the comfort and needs of women, there are private rest rooms

and waiting rooms with maids in attendance, toilet rooms, manicure and hair dressing rooms, and shops—all within the terminal.

Surrounding the Terminal is building a new civic center, embracing convention, amusement and exhibition halls, hotels, clubs, and restaurants, post office, express offices, modern office and apartment buildings and numerous stores and specialty shops.

The new Grand Central Terminal is located in the heart of New York, and is the only station on all lines of local traffic—the subway, the surface and the elevated. More than 7,000 cars pass its doors every day, affording easy transit facilities to the furthestmost part of New York City and suburbs. Within a radius of a few blocks are 49 hotels, 58 clubs and 35 theatres.

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YOU'LL USE THIS BEAUTIFUL BOOK

No Matter How Many Other Bibles You Now Possess, This One Will Be Used.

Almost every family has some kind of a Bible. It does not follow that they put them to good use. The old family Bible weighs from 15 to 20 pounds and is so cumbersome as to be of little use. The Advertiser is offering to its readers a new kind of Bible. This beautiful volume is bound in genuine limp leather, with overlapping covers and contains upwards of 600 illustrations. The world's greatest artists have been brought together to make this a veritable work of art. The illustrations are printed in with the type, so that they accurately illustrate the verses and subjects which they accompany. In addition to these text illustrations there is a choice selection of the world-famous Tissot collection, printed in beautiful colors, and these also are distributed through the book in their proper places.

Inasmuch as all of these pictures have a direct bearing upon the text matter, which they accompany, it is plain to be seen that the Bible is one that will be used in preference to all others, for it makes plain many obscure passages in the great universal language of art which all can easily interpret.

Another valuable feature in this illustrated Bible is the self-pronouncing text. Names of places and people are divided into syllables and plainly

marked so that the reader is enabled to correctly pronounce such words. Then there are copious marginal references and educational helps which add greatly in the study of this great book of books.

Taking it altogether, this might properly be called the "useful" Bible. It appeals to the young and old alike and one need not necessarily be a member of a religious organization to appreciate its merit.

This educational campaign must be withdrawn soon and readers are urged to present their certificates at the earliest possible moment. The entire plan is explained in the certificate printed elsewhere in today's issue.

EMBRO.

Embro, Feb. 25.—Mr. Wm. McKay, of Ingersoll, was the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. McKay, here recently.

Mr. Harper, of Woodstock, was here on business recently.

Mr. W. Sutherland, of Plymouth, was here to attend the funeral of Mr. John Sutherland, which took place yesterday afternoon from the residence of his brother-in-law, Mr. Robert Marshall, on the seventh line.

Mr. W. H. Benner, of Woodstock, was here recently.

Miss Ethel Sutherland, of Toronto, is the guest of Mrs. James Matheson and other friends.

Dr. A. Murray, of Lakeside, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Murray, recently.

Mr. James Campbell, of Woodstock, visited friends here recently.

Mr. George Sutherland, of Chicago, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Wm. McKay, John street.

Mrs. Clark, of Harrington, was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Clark on Sunday.

Miss Ada McKay, of Woodstock, spent Sunday at her home here.

PAPE'S DIAPEPSIN REGULATES STOMACH

Time It! In Five Minutes Gas, Sourness and Indigestion Is Gone.

Do some foods you eat hit back—taste good, but work badly; ferment into stubborn lumps and cause a sick, sour, gassy stomach? Now, Mr. or Mrs. Dyspeptic, jot this down:

Pape's Diapepsin digests everything, leaving nothing to sour and upset you. There never was anything so safely quick, so certainly effective. No difference how badly your stomach is disordered you will get happy relief in five minutes, but what pleases you most is that it strengthens and regulates your stomach so you can eat your favorite foods without fear.

Most remedies give you relief sometimes—they are slow, but not sure. Diapepsin is quick, positive and puts your stomach in a healthy condition so the misery won't come back.

You feel different as soon as Diapepsin comes in contact with the stomach—distress just vanishes—your stomach gets sweet, no gases, no belching, no eructations of undigested food, your head clears and you feel fine.

Go now, make the best investment you ever made by getting a large fifty-cent case of Pape's Diapepsin from any drug store. You realize in five minutes how needless it is to suffer from indigestion, dyspepsia or any stomach disorder.

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Ceylon Tea. Sealed Lead Packets Only.
Try it—it's delicious. BLACK, MIXED or GREEN.

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The man who needs Boots of a strong, sturdy type, will find here a choice of three extra values during this week.

**MECHANICS
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MEN'S GRAIN LACE-UP—Guaranteed all solid, comfortably lined, toe-capped, leather counters. \$1.48

MEN'S BOX KIP BLUCHERS—Sole leather insoles, Spalding counters, broad, comfortable toe. \$1.98

MEN'S BOX CALF BLUCHERS—Soles slugged, stitched, and double to heel, solid boxes and counters. \$2.48

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Atlantic City is reached from London via the G. T. Ry. to Buffalo, connecting with Penna. R. R. or Lehigh Valley to Philadelphia, connecting with the Penna. R. R. or Reading to Atlantic City, or from Buffalo via New York Central to New York City, connecting with the Penna. R. R. or Central R. R. of N. J. direct to Atlantic City.

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An ideal place for a long or short stay. Stone, brick and steel building. Rooms en suite, with hot and cold sea water in private baths. Tonic and Curative Baths and Treatments, with trained attendants. Lessons in Basketball and Swimming.
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For information that will lead to the discovery or whereabouts of the person or persons suffering from Nervous Debility, Fits, Skin Disease, Blood Poison, Genito Urinary Troubles, and Chronic or Special Complaints that cannot be cured at The Ontario Medical Institute, 263-265 Yonge Street, Toronto.

G. T. R. EARNINGS
Montreal, Feb. 26.—Grand Trunk earnings for week ending Feb. 21 were \$945,099, compared with \$818,729 for the same week in 1912, an increase of \$126,370.

TRAMPING WITH GEN. ROSALIE ON LONG HIKE TO WASHINGTON

Young, Old and a Lone Man
Sticking Pluckily to the Task.

[By Gertrude M. Price, Special Representative of The London Advertiser.]
On-the-Hike, Somewhere-in-Delaware, Feb. 25.—"Ready—March!"

The clear voice of a girl rang out in the still, cold morning air as eight or ten brownhatted, silent feminine figures formed a shaky, shivery line and started for another day's tramp toward Washington.

Wielding a megaphone and wearing a long waterproof cloak, the girl, "General" Rosalie Gordon Jones, swung out ahead of her little band of suffragette "braves."

It was MY first day on the famous hike from New York to the capital. Once outside the city, I edged up to General Jones, who was plodding steadily along through the slush and mud that at times sucked in her "boy scout" shoes almost above the ankles.

"Do the jinks affect your soldiers?" I asked.

"Not at all," she answered brightly. "Nothing affects us. WE ARE SOLDIERS."

"Isn't this physical strain hard on you?"

"Yes, it is. But we are Spartans. And a Spartan can suffer and endure without flinching."

Colonel Ida. I dropped back and encountered Col. Ida Craft, short, with a sprinkling of gray in her black hair. She is about 55 years old. She wore a slouch hat, a short, heavy walking skirt, and a big pair of gaiters.

"Walking is fine exercise," Miss Craft told me. "This is a strain on all of us, but I don't think anyone will feel any bad effects when it is all over. And we will have struck the greatest, most telling blow in the history of woman's fight for the ballot."

Just then a little yellow wagon drove up. It was propelled by a very bony horse named "Suffrage." And Miss Elizabeth Freeman, erstwhile member of the militant suffragist in England, poked her head out of the little door.

"Hey, you!" shouted Miss Freeman. "If you're a newspaper writer, just tell the people we are 'suffragettes,' not 'suffragists.' A suffragist is one who waits for things to come to her. A suffragette is one who goes out after it and fights for it. WE'RE FIGHTERS!"

A Man in the Ranks.
And then there came in view Edward J. Stevens, Ph. D., of Philadel-

phia, who frankly admits that he is a pilgrim suffragette.

Edward wears a fuzzy green hat, a smart little moustache, soulful eyes, a lovely disposition, and oftentimes a brown pilgrim gown in addition to his 48 or 49 years.

"Ah, they're," exclaimed Edward. "How-de-do?"

"Are you a suffragette?" I asked. "Yes, I assure you I am, and I shall walk through to Washington, every inch of the way, even if it kills me."

My next companions were Miss Phoebe Hawn, a pretty 18-year-old Brooklyn "hiker," and her chum, Miss Minerva Crowell, a Smith College girl.

"Oh, this hike is a lark for me," bubbled Miss Phoebe. "I think it's fun—real fun. Say, look at my shoes! But don't tell anybody about them."

The shoes belonged to one of her boy friends.

"I am a suffragist," said Miss Crowell. "My purpose in joining the 'hikers' was two-fold. First, I want exercise. Second, I want to help get votes for women. Strain great? Oh, dear, no!"

And yet only the day before the doctor had told her that under no circumstances must she be on her feet again for a week.

We had covered perhaps six miles and I sought a stone and camped.

Luggage in Auto.
A big automobile cumbered along, filled almost to overflowing with baggage, which contained the paints, powders, liniment, salve and other regalia of the pilgrims. The machine halted. A gray-haired man squinted at me.

"Are you a reporter?" he queried. I nodded.

"Well, say," he shouted, "I'm Alphonse Major. I bin a-donath' my machine and my toots' this baggage around and washin' myself a good 'feller for the ladies, but none of you people ain't said nuthin' about me in the papers much. Can't you give me a little write-up?"

I saw a fresh, brown-headed figure painfully and slowly laboring up toward the brow of the hill. Several times she stopped and tottered. I thought she would fall and rushed to her aid. She was Miss Martha Klatschken, the little corporal—the gamest little woman I ever met.

Fraught weighing less than 100 pounds, she kept plugging on. Day after day she trails the leaders by four, five and six miles, but when the final count is made at night she is always there.

She looked at me and the fire leaped into her eyes.

"I'd die for the cause—it's my whole life now," she exclaimed.

Her eyes narrowed and seemed to change to a cold steel gray, as she said: "Can't I sell you some suffrage buttons or postcards? Buy a dozen and charge them up to your paper."

I bought a dozen and a street car—and the imminent foundries.

are looking for a proper town to locate in. It is to be noted that Sarnia has every natural advantage obtainable, and if a good site can be secured there is no reason why the municipality should not land another big concern.

FERRY HAD HARD TIME GETTING THROUGH ICE
Many People Greatly Inconvenienced by the Irregularity of the Schedule.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Feb. 26.—After working since early morning bucking the ice in St. Clair River the ferry boat Conger finally succeeded in breaking a channel through and reaching the dock here.

The thickness of the ice and the solidity of the jam made the task exceedingly difficult, and it was necessary to break off portions of the massive field in sections. The ferry is now landing at Butler street, on the Canadian side, as the landing in Black River is too hard to attain. Many of the working people who live here and work across the river went through the tunnel this morning or around by way of Point Edward. A large number of Sarnia people attended the show at the theatre in Port Huron last night, and came home by way of the tunnel and the Point.

CHAS. M. SCHWAB SAYS NOTHING IN THE STORY
Big Steel Company Is Not Planning a Canadian Branch at Sarnia.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Feb. 26.—A denial of the report that the Bethlehem Corporation is to locate a new plant in Sarnia, to compete with United States Steel Corporation plant at Sandusky, was made by Mr. Schwab in Detroit last evening.

The rumor Mr. Schwab was considering Sarnia as the location for the site of the independent steel interests to compete with the United States Steel Corporation, which will erect a twenty-million dollar plant at Sandusky, aroused considerable interest in local business circles.

It was said in steel manufacturing circles that the independent companies under Mr. Schwab intend to invade

Tunnel Town News

JUDGE MACWATT GETS MASONS' HIGHEST OFFICE

Was Elected Head of the Grand Chapter at Toronto Meeting.

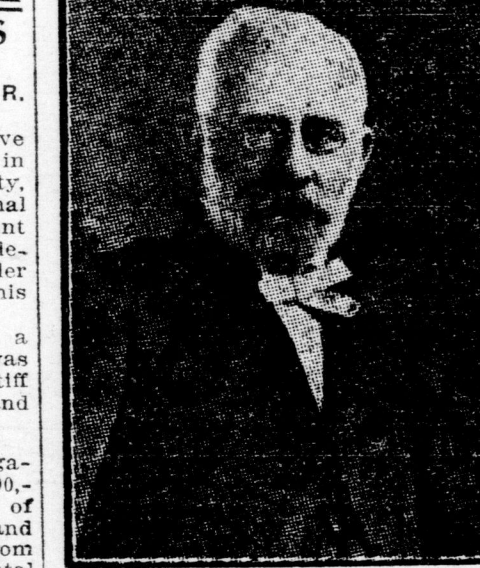
SARNIA BRANCH OFFICE,
209 Front Street.
Office hours, 9 a.m. to 3:30 a.m., 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, Feb. 26.—At the meeting of the Grand Chapter, the governing body in Royal Arch Masonry, here today Judge Macwatt was appointed Grand Z.

Delegates from all over Canada, even as far north as the Yukon, are present.

All the committees were in session last night preparing reports. Grand H. Judge Macwatt, Sarnia, presided over the executive. The membership



JUDGE MACWATT.
Elected Grand Z. of the Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons.

exceeds 1,200, and there are now assets of \$31,000. The Grand Z. F. W. Hancock, K. C., Toronto, in his annual address spoke of his visit to the west and the harmony there prevailing, as well as satisfactory growth.

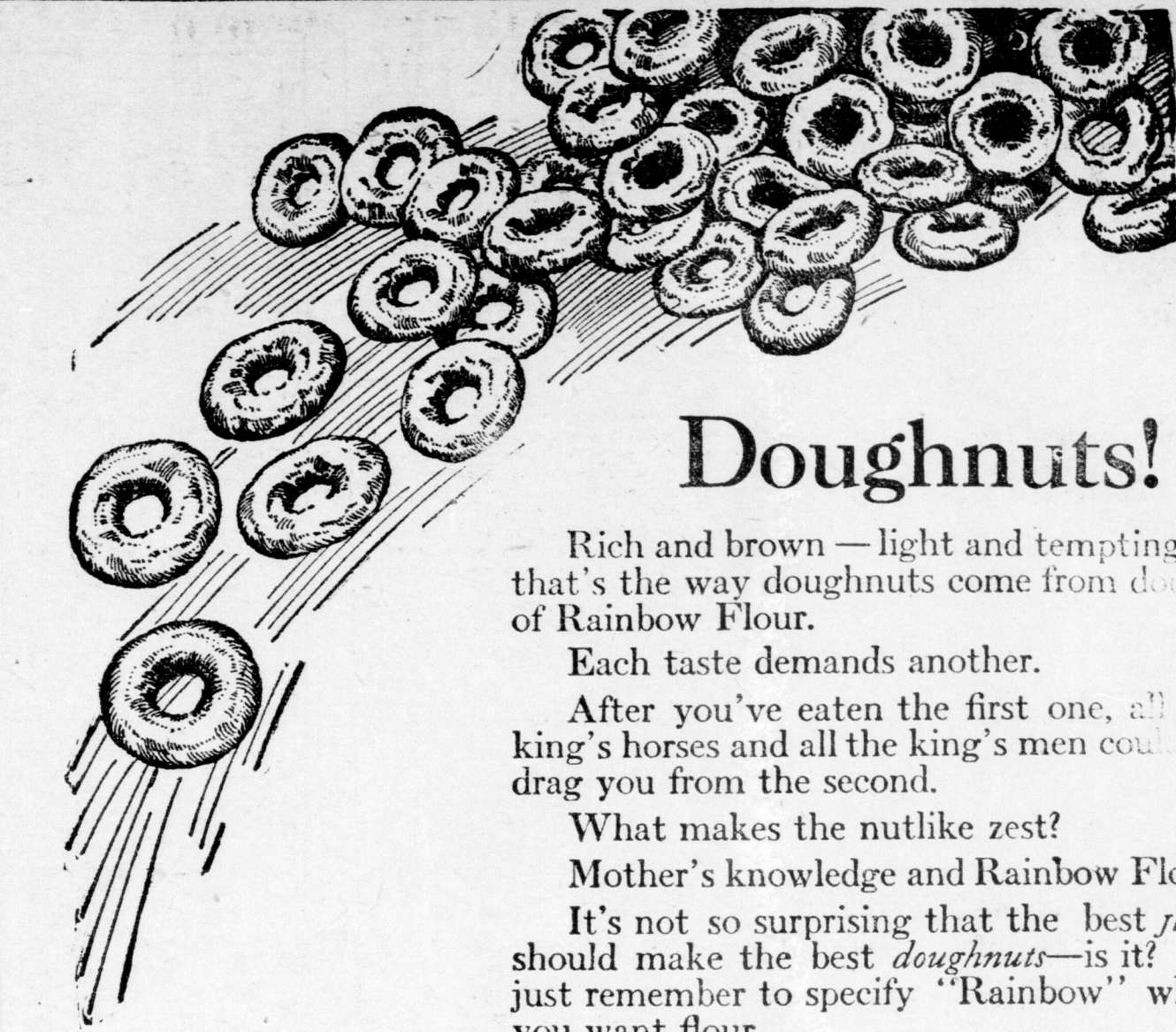
A suggestion to change the date of the annual convention to the last week in April or the first week in May received favorable consideration. Judge Macwatt, as Grand H., is succeeded by W. S. R. Murch, Kingston.

FUNERAL OF MRS. KAISER.
[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Feb. 26.—The funeral of Mrs. Isabelle Kaiser, relict of the late John Kaiser, held this afternoon from the residence of her daughter, was largely attended. Interment was made at Galt.

SARNIA MAY LAND ANOTHER INDUSTRY
Big Detroit Firm Is Going to Locate in Canada.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Feb. 26.—A representative of the big Solvay Company, of Detroit, has been in town for the last two weeks acquiring information as to the desirability of Sarnia as a place to locate a branch factory. The Solvay Company have decided to establish a Canadian branch of their industry and



Doughnuts!

Rich and brown—light and tempting—that's the way doughnuts come from dough of Rainbow Flour.

Each taste demands another.

After you've eaten the first one, all the king's horses and all the king's men couldn't drag you from the second.

What makes the nutlike zest?

Mother's knowledge and Rainbow Flour

It's not so surprising that the best flour should make the best doughnuts—is it? So just remember to specify "Rainbow" when you want flour.

In using Rainbow Flour for pastry, more water (added slowly) is required and less flour.

RAINBOW FLOUR

MAKES GOOD BREAD

Grocers have it in 7-lb., 14-lb., 24-lb., 49-lb. and 98-lb. bags and in barrels.



Canadian Cereal and Flour Mills Limited, Toronto, Canada
Makers of Tillson's Oats—Rainbow Flour—Star Flour

Canada, and the fact that Wm. E. Cory, of the United States Steel Corporation, accompanied by Judge Gary, were in Detroit, aroused unusual interest.

AWAKENED TO FIND HIS BED IN FLAMES

Edward Robair Had a Close Call From Being Burned.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Feb. 26.—While sleeping in bed last night Edward Robair, the young son of Ben. Robair, narrowly escaped being burned to death. In some manner the bed caught fire, and the lad awoke to find the bed clothes in flames. He managed to get out of bed, and with the assistance of his father succeeded in extinguishing the flames, but before the room had been badly scorched.

GANTIN VS. CLARKE

Hearing of Action at Osgoode Hall—J. M. McEvoy for Plaintiff.

In the action of Gantin vs. Clarke, J. M. McEvoy, for the plaintiff, made several motions on Tuesday, in the master's chambers, at Osgoode Hall. He moved that more particulars be given in connection with clause 15 of the statement of defence, and also that clauses 16, 17 and 18 be struck out as embarrassing and irrelevant.

J. S. Cartwright, master, made the

QUININE? NO! PAPE'S BEST FOR BAD COLD

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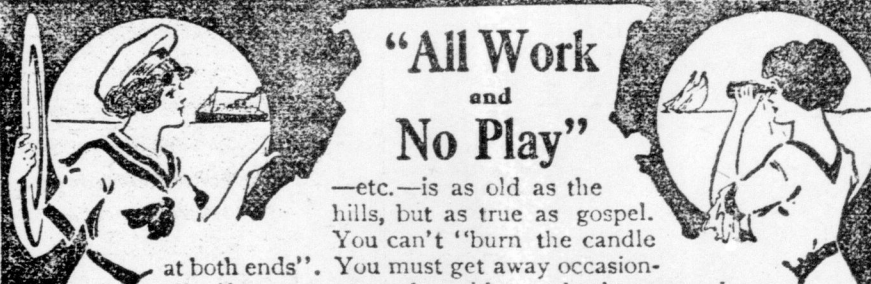
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order requested in the first motion, but held that the other clauses might be available in the defence.

In the counter-action of Clarke against Gantin, H. J. Martin, for plaintiff, obtained consent, an order allowing the withdrawal of statement of defence and joinder of issue for the purpose of filing new ones.

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[Cornell Widow.]

He told the shy maid of his love. The color left her cheeks, But on the shoulder of his coat It showed for several weeks.

FRIEDMAN CURE IS FOR ALL THE WORLD; WILL CHARGE THE RICH, BUT NOT THE POOR

Discoverer of Alleged Consumption Cure Reaches New York.

Will Make Tests at Once—Says He Has Cured Hundreds.

New York, Feb. 25.—Dr. Friedrich Friedman, of Berlin, arrived in New York tonight, saying that he hoped to convince all skeptics here and elsewhere that he really has discovered a cure for tuberculosis. He will be in this city six weeks.

Upon landing from the Kronprinzessin Cecilie, Dr. Friedman set at rest two widely-circulated rumors. He said that he would not accept Banker Charles E. Finlay's offer of \$1,000,000 for the exclusive rights to his discovery in the United States in case he should cure 95 out of 100 selected cases. He insisted that he would not take up with this or any other price offer, that he was here to cure the sick and would take his pay in fees, like any other physician, the fees to depend on the circumstances of the patient. The poor will be treated for nothing, and the rich will not.

The First Test.
He announced also that the first test of his bacillus in this country will be made under the auspices of the United States Government and that at that time he will explain fully just what the reputed cure is, how it is made, where it comes from, its method of preparation, and what it will do. Until that test, which is to be arranged for at a conference between Dr. Friedman and a representative of the United States Marine Hospital Service at the Waldorf Astoria either Thursday or Friday, Dr. Friedman reserves the right to keep some of the details to himself.

He said that when he goes back to Berlin at the end of six weeks he will be glad to leave his serum with reputable physicians, who shall have in the meantime learned the technique of its use. Meanwhile, Dr. Friedman will himself give demonstrations, probably in one of the several hospitals, whose facilities have been offered to him. The first inoculation will be made in three or four days, or as soon as Dr. Friedman can arrange for a supply of gas, which he says is necessary in making the culture.

Object of Visit.
Dr. Friedman, who comes to the country at the invitation of Charles E. Finlay, a New York banker, who hopes the physician will be able to cure his son-in-law of the disease, declared tonight that his remedy was not a secret, and that he purposed to make known "to all the world" the method by which it was created, and the manner in which it was administered. It consisted of bacilli taken from a turtle, into which tubercular bacilli from a human being had been injected, he explained.

"I have been working upon the cure for fourteen years, and in the last two and a half years I have treated from 2,500 to 3,000 patients," he asserted. "How many I have absolutely cured I cannot estimate, but their number has run into the hundreds. The remedy cures all forms of tuberculosis, except such cases as are quite hopeless—that is, on the point of death. The process is a slow one, but the first effects are to be seen two or three weeks after inoculation. The cure is effected in a matter of months. The method of administering is 50 per cent. of the cure."

Is Not Mercenary.
"I want all mankind to benefit by my discovery. I have already turned over some of my bacilli to the German Government, and I am very glad to turn it over to the American Government."

Dr. Friedman denied that he had been offered \$1,000,000 by Mr. Finlay if he would cure 95 out of 100 patients in this country. He admitted that he was to receive a substantial compensation in the event that he cured the banker's son-in-law, Ray Paris, of this city.

"I am not mercenary," he said. "All I care about is sufficient reward to enable me to demonstrate my cure to the world."

Dr. Friedman, who was accompanied by an assistant and a private secretary, was met at the pier by Mr. Finlay, and taken to his guest to a banquet tonight at the Lotos Club. The surgeon brings a quantity of his bacilli with him, which he expects to administer to the banker's son-in-law tomorrow.

ILL-TIMED EXPLOSION TAKES TERRIBLE TOLL

Upwards of 200 People Were Killed or Injured at Gijon, Spain.

Gijon, Spain, Feb. 26.—Upwards of 200 people were killed or wounded by the ill-timed explosion of a charge of 7,000 pounds of black powder, which had been laid yesterday by the engineers in charge of the new harbor works with the object of razing an enormous block of rock.

An immense concourse of townspeople had gathered to witness the demolition of the hill separating Gijon from the cooling harbor of Muelle, a mile and a half distant. The object of the operation was to cut a roadway, and thus avoid the present long detour.

When the fuse was lighted, and the explosion occurred instead of the rock being blasted, hundreds of tons of clay and small stones were hurled like artillery projectiles among the assembled spectators. Whole families were moved down, as well as many of the engineers and municipal officials. Twenty-four bodies have been recovered, but it is considered certain that the total fatalities will far exceed this number.

IRON HAND IN MEXICO

Mexico City, Feb. 25.—With the passing of another day in this troubled capital, the Huerta Administration seems to be more strongly entrenched in control than ever. But this has been accomplished only by the continued show of force. Troops occupied the principal streets and every indication of trouble was the occasion for harsh dealing by the soldiers.

The indications are tonight that President Huerta and his supporters are too strong to be dislodged. The sentiment is growing in their favor. Adherents to their cause are coming over in large numbers and in a few days it is predicted they will be supreme in every part of the republic. The public seems disposed to accept the present Government, because it has the intention and power to force its decree.

The flame of revolt is smoldering in the outlying states, but the rebels lack a leader and are scattered and disorganized. As rapidly as conditions in the capital warrant it, strong detachments of troops will be sent to stamp out the scores of little disturbances.

Dark Scandal Unearthed in Past of M'sieu La Grippe

His Mother Ran Away to Paris and Contracted an Irregular Marriage—Snubbed by Best Society—Now Visiting London on Business Trip.

M'sieu La Grippe is a parvenu. When grandmother was young in the days of hoop skirts, crinolines and bustles, one never heard the name of the despotic foreigner. To be sure there is an old scandal to the effect that Miss Influenza is a maiden aunt of the Parisian. His mother, who was in some way connected with the Kaud family, an old-established firm, ran away to Paris and contracted a somewhat irregular marriage with the Count de Senesens. Despite his more or less aristocratic connection, M'sieu La Grippe has always been snubbed in the best society, although with little or no reason. He forces himself upon all classes and conditions of men. He is said to be democratic at heart, and although entitled to his father's rank, he chooses to be designated as plain Monsieur. One day, lost in thought trying vainly to think of a new and plebeian name, he stumbled over his 48-inch telescope and straightway cried out, "Eureka, Eureka!"

Now strange to say, Signor Penne di Kyteese is quite as much of a newcomer as M'sieu La Grippe, yet society has accepted him as a silver salver by an aristocratic progression of immaculate subterfuges. It costs real money to even see the signor. To dream of him ever so lightly is expensive. Only the calloused rich can afford to entertain him. "Fine city you have here," said the signor affably enough, once one was ceremoniously ushered into his presence, where he reclined on a spacious divan commodiously arrayed in an immense dressing-gown. "I like your Springbank water, but I advise my friends not to drink it. I tell them there is sand in it, the very worst thing for them. And the consumption of canned tomatoes is very great here, and the Greek lunch-counter men make raisin pies without seeding the raisins."

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

—Mrs. J. B. Hall (formerly Irene Scott) will receive for the first time since her marriage, Thursday, Feb. 27, at 503 Maitland street, from 3 to 6, and afterwards on the second Thursdays.

Richard Brock Recovering.

Richard Brock, the young Englishman who was so badly scalded in the McClary cannelling plant, shows satisfactory progress in Victoria Hospital, and is thought to be out of danger.

Evangelist Belcher Returns.

Evangelist T. L. and Mrs. Belcher have returned from Baltimore, where Mr. Belcher underwent a serious but successful operation. He will resume his work at the York Street Mission next Sunday.

Reads Paper on "Dickens."

Mr. Clarence E. Gilmore, recently appointed organist of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, read a paper on "Dickens" before the St. Paul's A. Y. P. A. on Monday evening.

Injured His Leg.

John McAlvenny, an employee of the Grand Trunk car department, while coupling an air bag on Express No. 23 at the Grand Trunk depot yesterday morning, slipped on a piece of ice and twisted his leg badly.

Remains Taken to Parkhill.

The remains of Charles Waldeck, of Parkhill, whose death occurred at St. Joseph's Hospital on Monday, were shipped by W. J. Ball on the 4:55 p.m. train to Parkhill. Interment will be made in Parkhill Cemetery on Wednesday morning.

Bible Class Entertainment.

The Amity Bible Class of the First Methodist Church, of which Mr. Israel Taylor is teacher, was entertained Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Abbott, 314 Dundas street. A very enjoyable evening was spent with games, music and refreshments.

Seek to Collect \$1,092.67.

Messrs. Gibbons, Harper & Gibbons have received instructions from E. Leonard & Sons to issue a writ against the Ottawa Machinery Company for \$1,092.67 and interest. The amount is the total of five notes and one bill of exchange made by the defendants during the year 1912, and each one at six months.

Plans for Water Building Ready.

Plans are now completed for the new storehouse for the water commissioners, which is to cost \$20,000. The building, which is to be similar in style to the power station at the corner of Ridout and Horton streets, is to cover a larger area, and is to be erected a little to the southeast of the station.

Wage Case Judgments Given.

Judge Edward Elliott presided at a number of hearings in the ninth division court Tuesday morning. The defendant was given the verdict for \$2.99 in the case of Hugh Purvis vs. W. Fitzsimmons, both parties being residents of Nissouri Township. The suit was on account of wages. In the case of Levi Robins vs. James Smith, another wage case, judgment was given to the plaintiff for \$14.63 and costs.

Series of Special Meetings.

The Young Men's Christian Association has arranged for a series of meetings to be held in the Majestic Theatre. The opening meeting will be held next Sunday at 4 o'clock for a mass meeting of men when J. Adams Puffer, of Boston, a specialist in boy problems, will speak.

"The Boy and the Gang," Miss Gladys Shaw will be the soloist in addition to other music.

In the evening, 8:30, Dr. Puffer will again speak to both men and women, and the Dundas Centre Methodist choir will sing.

Burial of R. W. Rennie.

The funeral of Rupert W. Rennie, jeweler and horticulturist, took place from the undertaking parlors of Smith, Son & Clarke, at 3 o'clock Tuesday afternoon, to Woodland Cemetery. Services were conducted by Very Rev. Dean Davis at 2:30 o'clock. The pallbearers were Messrs. John Stevenson, John Campbell, Harry White, Harry Plastow, John McPherson and W. Saul. Wreaths were sent from Mocha Temple, Knights Templar, Killwinning Lodge, Mrs. Older and Son, Horticultural Society, Stevenson, Bro & Baker, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. White, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Gammage.

It is a well-known fact that an expensive lens is not needed to produce a perfect photograph; a card with a pinhole in it will duplicate the work of a fine lens.

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Personal Mention

Miss Carrie Smith, of this city, is visiting with her mother, Mrs. George E. Smith, at Florence.

A number of friends gathered at the home of Mrs. J. Geary on Wednesday evening to bid farewell to Mrs. (Dr.) J. A. Strickland (Myrtle Geary), who left on Thursday evening for Regina, where she will reside. Many presents were given.

Messrs. W. W. Logan and J. C. Knapton, of Parkhill, are here on the jury this week.

Mrs. Hugh McLarnan is ill at her home, 573 Horton street.

Mrs. McConnell, who has been holidaying in London and Lambeth, returned to Asylum Tuesday.

Mr. Archie Northmore, of Detroit, formerly of East London, was in the city Tuesday on a visit.

Mr. A. J. Orme, of Saskatoon, is spending a few days in the city with his brother, James, prior to returning to the West.

Mrs. John Tierney, of 385 Chesapeake street, arrived home from Detroit on Monday night, where she attended the

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Following the supper an entertainment was given in the church, at which addresses were given by Rev. Thomas Mitchell, of New St. James' Presbyterian Church, and Rev. A. K. Birks, of Dundas, a former pastor. Mr. Thomas Alexander delighted the large audience with several readings and a number of musical selections were furnished by the choir. Rev. W. H. Harvey, the pastor, acted as chairman.

FAKE BILLET DOUX; FAMILY QUARREL

Neighbor Stirs Up Green-Eyed Monster But Averts Serious Climax.

A joke played by one woman on another almost led to a tragedy in an East London home on Monday afternoon. Living in the vicinity of the Hamilton road is a newly-married Jewish couple. A Jewish woman neighbor thought it would be good joke on the young wife, who cannot write or speak English, to write a letter to her in English, signing a former swain's name. "This she did, and on Monday afternoon when the young wife was absent, she stole into the house and put the billet-doux on the kitchen table. When the young wife returned she found it, but not being able to interpret it, she left it for her husband.

When he read it, and found that it contained many endearing terms, and was signed by his old rival, he became incensed and accused his wife of perfidy. A quarrel ensued. The woman who wrote the letter, hearing of the trouble, confessed her part in it, and peace was once more restored.

PRESENT FOR ORGANIST

Mr. F. L. Willgoose Given Umbrella by Choir of St. John's.

F. L. Willgoose, former organist of St. John the Evangelist Church, received a silver-mounted silk umbrella from the members of his former choir on Tuesday night. Mr. Willgoose resigned from St. John the Evangelist Church after four years' service to take the organ of the New St. James' Church, and the presentation was made at the Conservatory of Music. Head Archer read a short address to Mr. Willgoose, speaking in eulogistic terms of his work since joining the choir of St. John's Church, and Miss K. Ashby made the presentation. Mr. Willgoose fittingly thanked the members of the choir. After the presentation refreshments were served, and the rest of the evening was spent in music and songs.

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1 Large Bowl, beautifully cut. Regular \$16.00, for \$8.00
1 Large Decanter. Regular \$18.00, for \$9.00
1 Cut Glass Syrup Jug with silver top. Regular \$5.50, for \$2.75
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Cluster Tiepin; \$45.00, for \$22.50
Gents' Fancy Belcher Setting. Regular \$80.00, for \$40.00
Ladies' Ring, modified Tiffany setting. Reg. \$36, for \$18.00
3 Ladies' Modified Tiffany Setting; \$9.00, for \$4.50
Gent's Ring, round Belcher setting. Regular \$56, for \$28.00
5 Ladies' and Gents' Rings. Sell regularly \$30, for \$15.00
1 Gent's Ring, flat Belcher. Regular \$105.00, for \$52.50
Lady's Ring, modified Tiffany. Regular \$40.00, for \$20.00
Lady's Ring, Marquise, 15 stones. Regular \$124, for \$62.00
Lady's Ring, Marquise, 15 stones. Regular \$110, for \$55.00
Lady's Ring, Marquise, 15 stones. Regular \$173, for \$87.50
Lady's Ring, ruby and two diamonds. Reg. \$80, for \$40.00
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Sir William Ramsay, London, for numerous discoveries in the science of chemistry.
John William Strutt (Baron Rayleigh), Witham, Essex, England, for extended researches of signal importance in physical science.
Emil Fischer, Berlin, Germany, for numerous contributions of fundamental importance to the science of organic and biological chemistry.
Charles Proteus Steinmetz, Schen-

ectady, N. Y., for successful applications for analytical method to the solution of numerous problems of first practical importance in the field of electrical engineering.

Emile Berliner, Washington, D. C., for important contributions to telephony and to the science and art of sound reproduction.
Isiah Randolph, Chicago, for distinguished achievement in the field of civil engineering.

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