

WILL BE OLD BOYS' REUNION THIS SUMMER

# OFFICERS ALL RETURN TO DUTY

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PRISONER ACQUITTED OF SHOOTING CHARGE

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Resignations In Army Due to Misconstruction of Orders—All Quiet at Belfast—Goderich Man Killed by Buzz Saw—Strathroy Man Dies in Sarnia Police Cells—Veteran Member of Fire Department Resigns.

### JUDGE ACQUITS FOREIGNERS ON TWO CHARGES

Finds Gun That Wounded Hydro Men Might Have Been Fired Accidentally.

### CENSORS THE WITNESSES

Says All Were Drinking and Resistance Could Not Be Placed on Testimony.

### PRISONER BEWILDERED

After Discharge He Follows the Constable Back to Cells.

"Not guilty" was the verdict this morning of Judge Elliot in the case of Rocco Melle, the foreigner charged with shooting with intent to kill, two hydro electric linemen, Hector Miller and William Skingsley, as the result of a shooting affray in the Hotel Harrison bar. A few moments later Melle walked from the courtroom, a free man. He shook hands with his counsel, E. W. M. Flock, and a number of his countrymen who were in the courtroom also moved forward to greet him. He nodded to them with a smile as he passed out to take up again the ordinary round of life after facing for several weeks the prospect of life imprisonment, which is the maximum penalty for the crime with which he was charged.

Witnesses Had Been Drinking. In giving judgment, Judge Elliot stated that after careful deliberation, he had come to the conclusion that it would be dangerous for him to convict the prisoner on the evidence of the witnesses examined at the trial on Saturday. All of those concerned in the shooting admitted having been drinking from seven o'clock that evening until the time of the row, he said, and that being the case he believed that they were not in a condition to tell with any degree of accuracy what occurred.

Guilty of Carrying Weapon. It was true that the prisoner was guilty of carrying an unlawful weapon, but the mere fact of that offence did not justify him in convicting him of the serious charge against him, conviction on which would render him liable to imprisonment for life. He warned the prisoner against the repetition of the offence of carrying a concealed weapon.

Parties must know that it is against the laws of this country to carry any concealed weapon, such as a revolver or a knife upon their persons," he said. He told the prisoner that should he be found carrying a revolver again, it would be known that he was carrying it for a purpose.

Was Discharged Accidentally. In discharging the prisoner, his honor remarked that it was quite possible that the revolver was discharged during the melee which occurred without any intention on the prisoner's part of doing bodily harm to anybody.

The prisoner took his acquittal quietly. He stood up in the dock when the judge addressed him, but it is doubtful if he understood the purport of the words addressed to him, as his knowledge of English is slight, requiring the services of an interpreter during his trial.

Started Back to Cells. When County Constable Northgraves opened the prisoner's box to allow him to go free, he turned to accompany the constable, evidently thinking that he was going back to the cells. When his counsel advanced and shook hands with him, however, he realized that he was no longer a prisoner, and walked across the courtroom and out the door, a free man.

ORANGE RESOLUTIONS. [Canadian Press.] Fort William, March 23.—Two resolutions, one to Premier Asquith, protesting against the home rule bill, and the other to Sir Edward Carson, congratulating him upon the fact that he has taken, were sent by Fort William Orangemen Saturday.

### THE WEATHER.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London for the 24 hours preceding 8 p.m. yesterday: Highest, 36 above; lowest, 22 above. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today: Highest, 30 above; lowest, 21 above.

TOMORROW—FAIR.

Forecast. Today—Moderate to fresh winds, west-erly; fair. Tuesday—Fair, with about the same temperature.

Temperatures. The following were the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today: High. Low. Weather. Victoria ..... 54 42 Cloudy. Calgary ..... 18 30 Cloudy. Winnipeg ..... 39 8 Clear. Port Arthur ..... 25 12 Clear. Perry Sound ..... 16 16 Snow. Toronto ..... 15 28 Cloudy. Ottawa ..... 30 12 Cloudy. Montreal ..... 32 14 Clear. Quebec ..... 28 10 Cloudy. Father Point ..... 24 19 Snow.

Weather Notes. Shallow barometric depressions are at present following each other with great rapidity across the continent. The weather is fair and cold throughout the Dominion.

### TO DROP DYNAMITE BOMBS ON TORREON

Villa Tells His Plan and Advises Neutral Zone Outside City—This Is Agreed To—Rebel Leader Confident.

[Canadian Press.] Mexico City, March 23.—It is conceded at the war department that the rebels and federals will engage in an early fight for the possession of Torreon, and it is announced here that Villa, a town two hours' ride from Torreon, has been agreed upon as the neutral point for foreigners and non-combatants. Villa is adjacent to the hacienda of the same name belonging to James Brown Potter.

Villa's Suggestion. It is stated that an outside point has been selected as a place of refuge for non-combatants, because of representations made by Gen. Francisco Villa, the rebel commander, who explained that as he intended to employ dynamite, dropping it from aeroplanes, a neutral zone within the federal lines would necessarily be a dangerous locality in spite of any agreement.

March Nearing End. Bermejillo, Durango, Mexico (constitutional field base), March 23.—Marked by sharp brushes with the enemy, Gen. Francisco Villa's spectacular march against Torreon, which began last Friday, was nearing an end today. Only a few haciendas and suburban towns remained between his army of 12,000 and the actual siege of Torreon. At no point does the rebel leader expect to meet strong resistance, unless it be at Lerdo. Reports are that a more or less formidable garrison of federals has been placed by Gen. Refugio Valasco at Lerdo, to check the constitutionalists.

Cerro La Pila, a huge mountain, which is supposed to be fortified by the federals, is the only other matter of concern to the rebel leader.

Play-Work So Far. Villa is confident that only a few more hours and little fighting will pass before his army is investing Torreon proper.

The skirmishes which the rebels have already engaged in have been more like play than a part of war. They have seemingly depended on cavalry charges against the federal outposts.

In this little city the route was disastrous for Valasco's troops, they having lost 106 dead in one of the cavalry charges over 17 miles of desert into the heart of Bermejillo, where the rebels finally halted.

No Fighting Yet. El Paso, Texas, March 23.—Published reports that the rebels began an attack on Gomez Palacio and Lerdo, important suburbs of Torreon, yesterday, were without official confirmation early today, either here or in Juarez. The last word received, at 1 a.m. today, when the Juarez telegraph closed, was that there had been no fighting.

Elaborate Fortifications. Bermejillo, Mexico, March 23.—Officers from the extreme front returned today after viewing some of the Federal fortifications through field glasses. They reported that the defenses were elaborate so that troops might move from trench to trench without exposing themselves.

Fresh earth was said to mark the lurking places of the enemy's big guns. Some of the barb wire entanglements were visible. Troops continued to pour into Bermejillo from the north today. Nearly all the supplies from Yermo are now here.

### CHARGES CONTRACTOR WITH POINTING GUN

Maitland Street Man Alleges He Was Ordered From Building at Point of Revolver.

Alleging that he pointed a loaded revolver at his head, Charles E. Young has laid information with the police against Richard L. Frost, one of the contractors engaged in the erection of the McCormick building in East London. A summons has been issued and he will appear on Thursday to answer to the charge.

Young, who lives at 536 Maitland street, was taking a Sunday afternoon walk in East London, and took occasion to visit the McCormick building. He was standing behind the building used by the contractors and architects, when a man, claiming to be Frost, stepped to the window and ordered him away. He held in his hand a revolver of the 32-calibre variety which he pointed at him. Young complied with his demand, but decided to communicate with the police. Meeting P. C. Noonan, he told him of the occurrence and together they went back to the shack.

Frost was there, and in a drawer was found the revolver fully loaded. It is said that Frost claimed the revolver was not loaded when he pointed it at Young. P. C. Noonan communicated the facts to police headquarters and a summons was issued this morning.

### GODERICH MAN THROWN ON SAW MUTILATED AND KILLED

Stephen Deeves Had His Face Cut Off and Chest Split—The Accident Was Caused by a Frightened Team of Horses.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Goderich, March 23.—A terrible accident happened this morning at Dungan-ton when Stephen Deeves was instantly killed. Mr. Deeves, who was running a portable saw, was engaged in cutting a pile of poles. A neighbor, who was going to help him, was putting his horse away, when the horse got frightened at the en-

### SCHOOL ARCHITECT MAY BE APPOINTED

Building Committee of Board to Take Matter Under Consideration Today.

### SALARY AND COMMISSION

Trustee Silverwood's Plan to Give \$2,000 and 3 Per Cent On All Work Over \$50,000.

The building committee of the board of education will meet this afternoon to consider the appointment of a school architect. The board, at a recent session, went on record as approving of the principle of appointing such an official, and it was left to the committee to work out the details and see if such action might be taken without infringing on the moral or legal rights of architects who may now have school work under way.

Trustee A. E. Silverwood, who is the present father of the school architect idea, suggested to the board that the architect be paid a salary of \$2,000, and 3 per cent commission on all construction work over \$50,000. Other trustees, however, thought that some better salary arrangements might be arrived at, as no sum was stipulated when the board approved of Trustee Silverwood's plan.

The committee this afternoon will also let contracts for the wrecking of the old Aberdeen school. The brick that will be obtained in this way will be used for the additions to Princess avenue school. The committee may also consider the competitive plans for the new South London school. The Ontario Society of Architects has passed judgment on the plans and selected the one it deems the best, and the trustees will receive the report of the society.

### ARRESTED AS DRUNK STRATHROY MAN IN SARNIA CELLS DIES

Richard Sherman Had Doctor's Attention on Sunday, But Was Not Removed to the Hospital.

Sarnia, March 23.—Cast into the cells here on Saturday afternoon in a supposed state of intoxication, Richard Sherman, aged about 40 years, whose home is believed to be about two miles from Strathroy, died this morning at a quarter to 6 o'clock.

On Saturday he was arrested after falling from a verandah on Dervine and Christine streets, and was placed in the cells. Sunday morning the police realized he was sick and sent for a doctor, who found he had bad cuts on the forehead and nose, a black eye and that his left leg was sprained. The injuries were attended to, but it was found necessary to recall the doctor two or three times during the day and following night. An attendant was on hand to look after the man, who was not removed to a hospital. There were people in the cell with Sherman when he died.

In the pockets of the man were found a membership card of the Knights of Pythias, Lodge No. 52, a "boilemakers' union card, Lodge 44, and a letter from his wife in Strathroy.

A post-mortem will be held to discover the cause of death, the following being picked as jurymen for the inquest: William Scott, Charles Cook, L. V. Peters, John Burnett, James Lucas, C. Yates, William Lumb, John Knowles and James Moore. The coroner is Dr. A. M. Hayes.

### WOMAN FIRES THREE SHOTS AT THE JUDGES

[Canadian Press.] Parish, March 23.—Three shots from a revolver were fired at the judges sitting in the sixth chamber of the palace of justice today by a woman whose identity was not established. The authorities, after her arrest, declared that the woman apparently was mentally unbalanced.

### CONSPICUOUS IN EFFORTS TO SOLVE THE ULSTER SITUATION



PREMIER ASQUITH.



FIELD MARSHAL FRENCH.

### Old Boys' Reunion This Summer Sure

Member of Home Guard Executive Declares That Event Will Be Staged, Despite Refusal of \$5,000 Civic Grant as Demanded.

An Old Boys' reunion will be held in London during the coming summer. This is the decision of a majority of the executive of the home guard, according to a member of that body, and tonight the executive will meet in the city hall to perfect plans for going ahead with the preparations.

The association put in a requisition to the board of control recently for \$5,000 to assist in paying for the proposed reunion, following the action of the council in cutting off the principal source of revenue by refusing to allow the use of the market for carnival shows, but the controllers decided that a grant of \$1,000 would be the limit.

President Dr. H. R. Abbott and other members of the executive were naturally greatly disappointed at the action of the controllers, and it seemed practically certain, for some days, that the reunion project would be dropped, at least so far as the present executive was concerned. However, the matter has

been more fully considered, and a member of the executive told The Advertiser today that the reunion would be positively gone on with.

The present plan is to place the shows in Queen's Park. Although the revenue with the shows in that location will not, it is anticipated, be as large as if the amusements were downtown, it is hoped to so draw up public interest that large crowds will be attracted to the east end site. After having turned down the market proposition, the controllers and aldermen are expected to take more than usual interest in making the reunion a success, and several have already volunteered to go out and collect money to make up the amount that will be lost in show receipts by reason of the market being refused.

In addition to the shows at the park, a tentative program calls for street parades, agricultural exhibits, including pumpkin and hay markets, and other exciting features.

### ORANGEMEN TO DISCUSS ULSTER SITUATION

Local Lodges Will Have Special Meetings Tonight to Consider Question.

Special meetings of the Orange lodges of the city are being held this evening, at which it is frankly admitted the Ulster dispute will be the chief subject of discussion. Thirty or forty Orangemen have already, it is stated on good authority, offered their services to the defence of Ulster, but their names have not been disclosed by other local sympathizers through the fear of some action being taken by the secret service department to prevent their passage to Ireland if the services are needed.

### PROMINENT FIGURE IN THE HOME RULE FIGHT

John A. MacDonnell, one of the oldest members of the London Fire Department, has handed in his resignation, to take effect April 1. Captain MacDonnell suffered an injury to an arm while fighting a fire on York street about a year ago, and has had indifferent health ever since. On the advice of his physician, he has decided to give up active service in order that the injuries sustained at that time may be healed.

Captain MacDonnell has been in the service of the city for nearly 24 years, and the London Fire Department has never had a better man. In a letter to the board of control this morning, Fire Chief John Aiken spoke in the highest terms of the retiring captain, and suggested that the city make some formal recognition of his long and faithful services.

The controllers agreed with the chief, and appointed a committee consisting of the mayor, chief and city clerk to investigate the case, and report to the board. It is probable that Captain MacDonnell will be voted a handsome honorarium in appreciation of his services.

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JOHN REDMOND, leader of the Irish Nationalists, who in all probability will be prime minister if an Irish Parliament is established in Dublin.

### VETERAN FIREMAN RETIRES FROM FORCE

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### RESIGNATION OF OFFICERS DUE TO MISUNDERSTANDING SAYS ASQUITH

All Have Returned to Duty—Possible Cause of Trouble Was Wrong Construction Placed by General Paget on Orders.

### PREMIER EXPLAIN IN COMMONS

[Canadian Press.]

London, March 23.—"Misunderstanding" was the keynote of Premier Asquith's explanation of the crisis brought about by the resignations of army officers when their regiments were ordered to prepare to proceed to Ulster. In the House of Commons today the Prime Minister made it clear that officers and men of the British army refusing to obey orders in connection with the opposition of Ulster to the introduction of home rule for Ireland were liable to dismissal.

Details of the revolt of the army officers against service in Ulster had been awaited with strained expectation by the whole country. Only brief statements were forthcoming from the Secretary of War and the Premier and the gist of these was that the whole affair was due to "misunderstanding," and that all the officers had now returned to their duty.

As far as the ministers' statements can be interpreted the "misunderstanding" arose through General Sir Paget placing a wrong construction on the orders given him by the war office, and telling his subordinates they were to be employed in quelling an uprising in Ulster.

The number of officers who resigned their commission, how widespread was the dissatisfaction in the army and other ranks, was not disclosed.

Col. Seely was derisively jeered during his explanation.

Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the Opposition, had stated that "nothing could save the army now except a declaration that officers were not to be compelled to engage in civil war against their wish." He demanded more detail, and when he said that officers refusing to serve against Ulster were only doing their duty, the labor members shouted "how about strikes?"

Cannot Depend on Army. The whole affair is generally accepted as demonstrating that the army cannot be counted upon to fight Sir Edward Carson's volunteers if such a contingency should arise. Opposition politicians declare that the compulsory home rule project and express their belief that the Government may soon relinquish office by its own choice.

London, March 23.—The interest in the disaffection in the army arising out of the newest phase of the home rule situation was displayed in the House of Commons this afternoon, when the House was crowded to listen to a statement from Col. Seely, secretary of state for war.

The communication made by Col. Seely was very brief and utterly vague. The gist of it was that some officers had in- formed Gen. Sir Arthur Paget, commander-in-chief in Ireland, that they could not serve in certain eventualities. There was, he said, a misunderstanding, and these officers had been ordered to rejoin their

regiments. The movement of troops, he concluded, was solely in order to protect the stores of Government arms and ammunition.

Both Premier Asquith and Andrew Bonar Law, leader of the Opposition, realized the widespread anxiety for an exhaustive debate on the subject by agreeing to a motion for the adjournment of the House immediately after the Secretary for War had spoken, in order to discuss the Irish situation.

Patterning, Says Law. The leader of the Opposition declared that the Government's procedure was a most amazing instance of patting with the House of Commons. The danger of the British army being destroyed before the country's eyes had, he said, come on the Government like a bolt from the blue. He had, he declared, received proof from other quarters, apart from the cavalry regiments, that resignations of officers had occurred.

Mr. Law then read a letter stating that officers who would not fight against the Ulstermen would be dismissed from the service.

Reads Paget's Letter. The action of the Government in moving troops, Mr. Law declared, was foolish, as there was no new situation in Ulster, nor any threatened outbreak. The Opposition leader read a letter, in which Gen. Sir Arthur Paget had stated to the commanding officers of regiments that active operations were to begin against Ulster, and that it was expected the country would be in a blaze by Saturday. The Irish commander-in-chief wrote that he was in close communication with the war office and had received instructions from headquarters to notify his officers that those of them domiciled in Ulster would be allowed to disappear and afterward rejoin their regiments.

Mr. Law added: "The Opposition always has held the view that the coercion of Ulster is an operation no government has the right to ask the army to undertake, and in our view, an officer who refuses is only fulfilling his duty."

"It will be difficult for the Prime Minister to convince the House that, with or without the House Eleven.

### BENTON WAS STABBED, NOT SHOT BY PISTOLS

According to Report by British Consul, Received at Washington Embassy.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, March 23.—British Consul Perceval's official report on the killing of William S. Benton by General Villa at Juarez, received at the Embassy here today, says: "No pistol shots were fired in the fight which ended in the ranchman's death, leaving the inference that he was stabbed."

### SURRENDERS HIMSELF FOR A SHOOTING AFFAIR

[Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, Man., March 23.—John Sheridan surrendered himself to the police in connection with the shooting of Frank Chesser here Saturday, at the end of a prolonged police session. Chesser is expected to recover.

### LITTLE GIRL ASLEEP SMOTHERED BY A CAT

[Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, Man., March 23.—While Elizabeth Snider, aged nine months, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Snider, this city, was sleeping in a cradle on the front verandah, a big cat, a household pet, stretched itself across the infant's face. When the mother came out the child was smothered and life extinct.

### Just Some Spring Thoughts From the Staff Futurist

"Spring, spring, beautiful spring," that's the way the old-time, old-time, perfectly harmless, though a trifle erratic, spring poets used to begin their panegyrics about this time of the year. Just about the age when they commenced to break away from parental restraint and refuse to take the usual path of duty and other spring-tonics that mother used to make, they used to take to writing verses on violets and gamboling lambskins, catkins on the willow trees, and blood-root in the daisy.

This morning the editor was a strange mixture of joy and sadness. He expressed the hope that last night's cold spell would deter the spring poets from their annual invasion of his sanctum for a few days more, but he couldn't get a better man. Captain MacDonnell's retirement will make a vacancy for the promotion of one of the lieutenants, and the engaging of an additional freeman.

Of course, this is a very crude example of futuristic poetry, but it will serve as an example. Graphic, emphatic, picturesque condensation and abbreviated abruptness, is the ideal of futuristic writing. "Spring," the word, the idea is a poem sufficient in itself. The two robins were only introduced for added picturesque effect, and they were placed on the lamp-post because it was quite as handy as a tree or an evergreen for a perch, and any other elevation which would serve to keep the birds from getting their feet wet.

The reference to the war in Ulster introduces the international aspect. Futurists prize themselves on taking a wide view of things, a time and eternity heterogeneous quick-action snapshot of life and the universe. The black cat and the cop are also merely added for picturesque effect. A yellow dog and a street-car conductor would have served equally well.

Futurist poems must always state a truism entirely unconnected with the subject of the poem, hence the free ad. for the Island of Bermuda.

### STREET CAR DELAYS

Yesterday's Records of "Held-ups" at Level Crossings.

G.T.R.—Richmond ..... 3:25-3:28 p.m. 3 min. G.T.R.—Richmond ..... 3:04-3:08 p.m. 4 min. G.T.R.—Rectory ..... 1:55-2:04 p.m. 5 min. G.T.R.—Rectory ..... 10:15-10:24 a.m. 5 min. G.T.R.—Rectory ..... 11:24-11:28 a.m. 4 min. G.T.R.—Rectory ..... 9:49-9:57 p.m. 8 min. G.T.R.—Richmond ..... 7:45-7:50 p.m. 5 min. G.T.R.—Richmond ..... 7:21-7:34 p.m. 5 min. G.T.R.—Richmond ..... 8:31-8:34 p.m. 3 min.

## ---and the Worst Is Yet to Come

LONDON TOWNSHIP FARMERS  
LIKELY TO FORM BEEF RING

Committee Appointed to Investigate After Question Was Discussed at Big Institute Meeting — Reformation Also Gone Into by Expert

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Burr, March 22.—A large gathering of representative farmers from the district and residents of the village were present at the meeting of the Farmers' Club held in the schoolhouse last evening.

The opening address was delivered by President Jacob Brummell, his topic being "The Beef Ring." In his remarks Mr. Brummell explained the many advantages derived by farmers and stockmen from such a ring. He also discussed the different phases of the beef industry and in concluding imparted much information on many vital questions concerning the beef ring.

At the close of his address a general discussion took place, the outcome of which was the appointment of a committee composed of Messrs. Brummell and O'Neill to investigate the formation of a ring.

**Discuss Reformation.**  
Secretary Robert Coleman gave a very instructive discourse on "Reformation." In pointing out the important effect forests have on atmospheric conditions, Mr. Coleman quoted bulletins showing that each county should have at least 25 per cent. of its acreage in forest. The reports, he said, credit none of the counties with more than 20 per cent. and some as low as 6, and in view of the vast devastation caused by the terrific windstorms of the past year in many cases the percentage is even lower than 6 per cent.

He urged co-operation among the farmers as a means of preserving the remaining forests and asserted that a small expenditure of time and money at the present would mean much towards curtailing a large expense in the future, when reforestation became a necessity.

Mr. Coleman also spoke on "Methods of Protection," illustrating his remarks with happenings of the recent high windstorms.

**Government Help.**  
In advocating reforestation, he enumerated the varieties of trees which could be obtained from the Government at a small cost and explained the different growing features of each.

On one of his farms Messrs. Coleman have an excellent example of how reforestation can be accomplished. A few years ago they purchased a farm with practically no bush, while today they have a flourishing forest of young trees which is rapidly developing into a valuable forest.

A song by Llewellyn Jones was greatly appreciated.

**NEW GODERICH ORCHESTRA**

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Goderich, March 22.—The new organized orchestra under the management of Mr. Geo. Stewart gave its first public concert last evening in the Temperance Hall before a large audience. The rendition of the numbers showed a lot of hard work for the musicians and director, Mr. Edgar Jones. Miss McColl gave two solos in her excellent manner. She also sang two duets with Mr. Jas. Thomson. The public gave the management and musicians great praise for the music of last evening.

**DIED BY CHOKING.**

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Embro, March 22.—The funeral of William Greenfield, aged 44, who was choked to death at Noonis, Saskatchewan, a few days ago was held this afternoon at North Embro Cemetery and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Purton, of Ingersoll, assisted by Rev. Mr. McLean of the Congregational Church here.

EMBRÓ—Max Cody, a former London newspaperman, has joined the staff of the Buffalo Express.

**The Changing Age**

Girls and boys from 14 to 19 years of age undergo physical changes which tax their strength to the utmost and the strain is always apparent from pale cheeks, colorless lips, and tired bodies—sometimes eruptions of the skin and the utter lack of the ambition and animation with which their younger years were filled.

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BOILS AND  
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The trip in question is in the shape of a great big beautiful book, filled with word paintings as well as water color paintings which vie with each other for predominance, and yet paradoxically harmonize at every angle. The new illustrated book is called "Panama and the Canal in Picture and Prose," and each section of this title is fully covered. First, it tells you all about Panama, that crooked little neck of land which has been divided so that the entire world may be more closely united; then it fully explains all that is of interest relating to the great canal itself; finally it portrays rare views of the country and the people in photographic reproductions and artistic color plates, describing them in beautiful word pictures that hold the attention of the reader to the very end.

The knowledge to be gained by a close reading of this volume will forever after be a valuable asset to every man, woman and child, for this great waterway is destined to become an important factor in times of peace as well as in war. It will revolutionize the shipping of all the nations of the world; it will bring about changes in the trade and commerce of all the earth; it will open up new avenues of trade and establish new relationships between the various countries of the globe.

The Advertiser realizes the unusual educational advantages offered in this volume, and has arranged for a great distribution to its readers. While parents will want the book for themselves, they also must not lose sight of the fact that the school child of today is the one that will face the problems presented by the changed conditions of the future when the canal shall have become a working factor among the nations of the earth. So the children as well as the older members of the family should have access to this standard work; should learn of the wonders of this gigantic engineering achievement; should study the characteristics of these strange people on the spot; should know of the history, purpose and promise of this mighty inter-oceanic waterway.

The book itself is indeed a work of art. It is more than double the dimensions of an ordinary novel; is printed from new type, large and clear, on special highly finished paper; bound in tropical red vellum cloth, with the title stamped in gold and the front cover inlaid with a beautiful stippled color panel showing the famous Culebra cut. It contains more than six hundred magnificent illustrations, many of which are made from unique water color studies, and reproduced in their artistic colorings to full page size. No expense has been spared to make this

splendid big volume the standard work on Panama and the Canal.

Willis J. Abbot, the author of this book, spent many months in the canal zone, and his intimate acquaintance with officials in charge of the work afforded him every opportunity for gathering his facts. The result is a full and complete story of the canal from its inception to its realization, a story so accurate and comprehensive that it will ever be referred to by those who would know the true history of the great problem which has at last been solved by the skill of modern engineering.

Every place of business, every home, every school and public institution should have a copy of this great canal text book. The Advertiser makes this possible by offering it for six cents, one of which is printed daily in these columns, and the small expense amount to cover the items of the cost of packing, express from the factory, checking, clerk hire and other

necessary expense items. A smaller volume has also been prepared which contains practically the same text matter, with only a hundred photographic reproductions and none of the color plates. Either volume will be sent by mail for an additional fee to cover the exact amount of postage. This is all explained in the Panama Certificate to be found in another column of this issue.

Clip the certificate today and lose no time in taking advantage of this wonderful offer.

INGERSOLL.—The funeral of Charles Schamberg, who died at Ingersoll of pneumonia, was held on Saturday afternoon and was very largely attended.

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Fourth Floor.



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The new spring stocks of Velvets and Velveteens will be found at rear of Silk Department, Main Floor. All the new and popular shades in Silk Trimming Velvets are here. Some 46 new colors being added to the stock—Tango, Iris, Pansy, Amethyst, Cerise, American Beauty, Petunia, Flame, Geranium and Military Reds, Gobelin, Copenhagen, Dutch, Alice and Paris Blues, Old Rose, Coral, Gold, Yellows, Tans, Biscuit, Shell Pink, Sky, Paddy Green, Grays, Olive and Myrtle, Greens, Reseda and others are in the new color range, 18-inch. Yard ..... \$1.25

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Delegates To Be Sent to Ask for Usual Government Grant.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
Lion's Head, March 22.—The promoters of the Bruce Peninsula Railway concluded a series of meetings last evening. These have been held in the townships of St. Edmunds, at Tobermory, at the Macdonald Hall in the Township of Lindsey, at the town hall, Lion's Head, in the Township of Eastnor, at Bull's Hall, Colpoys, in the Township of Albermarle, and at the Warton town hall.

These meetings were called by the reeves of each township to give the ratepayers an opportunity of hearing about the railway scheme, and to put before them a request that each township give a grant of \$200 to help with the initial

expenses, and to ask that a delegate or delegates be chosen from each place and sent at the expense of each township, to visit and interview the members of Parliament, the Minister of Railways, and others, with a view to getting the usual provincial and Dominion grants towards building the railroad.

In every township, after hearing the promoters, Mr. S. C. Cooper and Mr. John Brown, and asking a number of questions, the motion that the grant be given and that a delegate or delegates be sent, was passed unanimously.

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## IS LONDON RECTOR DURING 40 YEARS

Very Rev. Dean Davis Celebrates Anniversary—Spoke at Both Services.

Completing an uninterrupted period of 40 years of faithful service in one parish, Very Rev. Dean Davis, rector of St. James Anglican Church, South London, occupied the pulpit at both services Sunday. The anniversary is a most unique one and will be celebrated by special services next Sunday. Dean Davis has endeavored to give to his parishioners the best of which he was capable, he stated, and would continue to do so as long as he was spared as pastor of the church.

Dean Davis came to St. James parish in 1874, coming from his first charge at Bayfield. The church was then only a frame structure of small dimensions, but under the able leadership of Dean Davis the parish grew and prospered until today it has become one of the most important in the city. Dean Davis is widely known not only in this city but throughout the diocese, and a host of friends will rejoice with him on this anniversary occasion when he completes such a long and creditable record.

## ARE NOT DISPIRITED BY LOSS OF CHURCH

First Congregational Church Members Look Forward to the Future.

The congregation of First Congregational Church gathered Sunday in Hyman Hall, the church building on Dundas street having been badly damaged by fire in the early hours of Thursday last. Two inspiring services were held, both of which were largely attended.

The congregation are in no way dispirited by the loss occasioned by the destructive blaze of last week, but look forward with confidence to the future.

"We are hoping that the fire will prove a real blessing," said Rev. H. D. Whitmore, the pastor, stated to The Advertiser Sunday. "The congregations at both services were large, and we had two splendid services, and also a well-attended Sunday-school in the afternoon."

The pastor preached at both services. In the morning he took his text from the third chapter of First Corinthians, the latter part of the thirteenth verse: "The fire shall try every man's work of what sort it is." He emphasized the need of building one's life well on a good foundation if the completed structure was to be one which would stand the test of fiery trial. Referring to the burning of the church building, Mr. Whitmore stated that it was an example of the truth he was endeavoring to demonstrate, as had it not been for the splendid construction of the building, it undoubtedly would have been totally destroyed.

**BARRIE HOTEL BURNED.**  
Barrie, March 22.—The Railroad House, owned by W. J. Gibbs, was destroyed by fire at 2 o'clock this morning. The occupants escaped very recently clad. The loss is about \$6,000, covered by insurance.

## Dresses and Skirts

Simple and serviceable Serge Dresses, well-made and attractive, that are excellent values at \$6.00 up.

Separate Skirts in all styles at a wide range of prices.

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## This Boy and Girl Had St. Vitus' Dance

Boy Lost All Strength and Girl Could Not Speak—Doctor Could Not Help Them—Cured By Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

So great is the strain on the system of the growing child that even with a careful attention to the food supply it is often difficult to keep up vitality. It is necessary to supply a blood-forming treatment in condensed and easily assimilated form so that it may be quickly taken up by the blood stream and thereby nourish the feeble nerves back to health and strength. It is difficult to imagine anything so admirably suited to this purpose as Dr. Chase's Nerve Food.

Mrs. D. Ardies, Brandon, Man. writes: "My son, aged fourteen, and little girl of three years, were both stricken with St. Vitus' Dance. The doctor told us what the ailment was, but could not keep them from getting worse and worse, so that I received a book about Dr. Chase's Nerve Food I decided to try it. The boy had lost

## Little Churches of London

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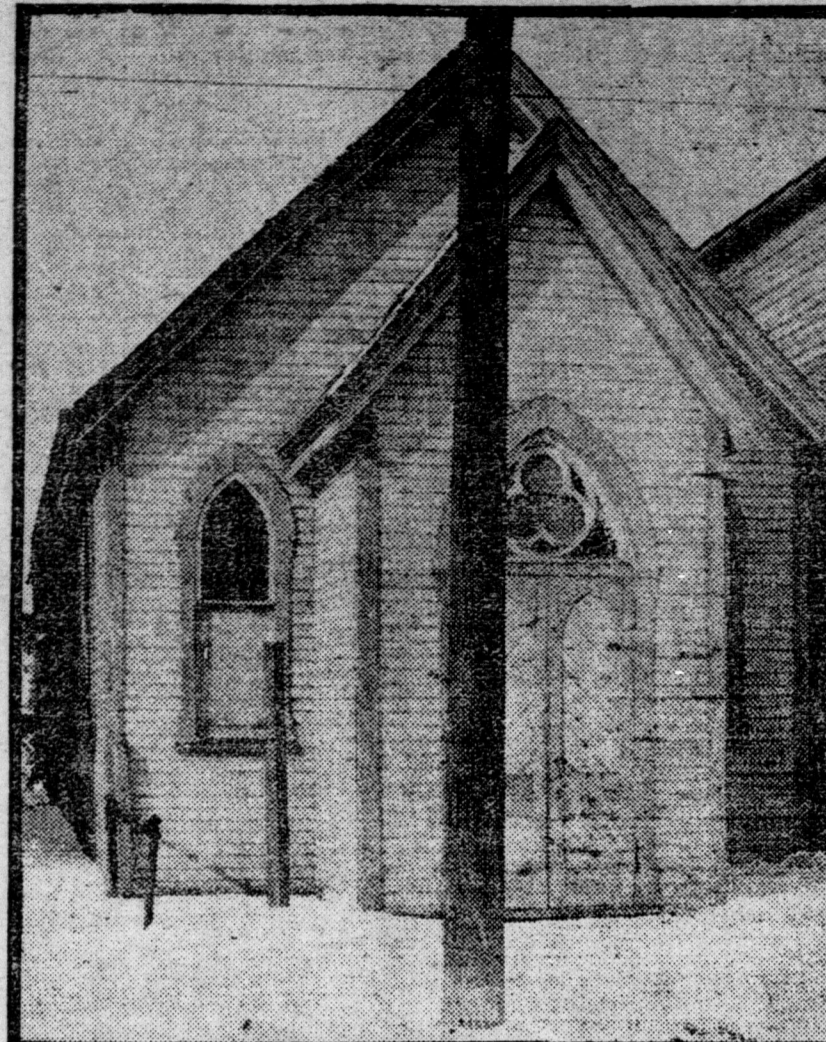


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HORTON STREET BAPTIST (COLORED).

One of the oldest little churches in London is the Horton Street Baptist Church, the congregation of which was organized as early as 1848, and the present church edifice was built in 1853. This was in the days before the abolition of slavery in the United States and when Western Ontario was a haven of refuge to hundreds who escaped from the bondage of the slave-holders of the States. Horton Street Baptist is connected with the Amherstburg Baptist Association and is one of the oldest churches in this association, which is entirely independent of kindred associations in the United States.

Organized in 1848.  
The church was organized in 1848 by a little band of Baptist believers who met together and held cottage meetings at their own homes until 1853, when the land on which the Horton Street Church stands was deeded to the congregation by Mr. A. B. Jones and his wife Aurelia. A small building was shortly afterwards erected and has been somewhat enlarged and altered since then. The first pastor was Rev. George Turner and the first trustees were Henry Dawson, Abby Bedford Jones and Abraham Copeland.

Succeeding pastors were Rev. Alfred Scott, Rev. George Washington, Rev. Charles Davis, Rev. Mr. Charles, Rev. B. Johnston, Rev. George Holt, Rev. Mr. Jones, Rev. George Morris, Rev. James Moody, and Rev. J. C. Nicholas. The present pastor, Rev. J. H. Randolph, came to London from Paterson, New Jersey, about nine months ago, and under his ministry the church is making very favorable progress and has a present membership of 48. The present trustees are W. J. T. Berry and A. D. Jones. The speaker, Rev. J. T. Berry, H. Morehead, A. Jones, E. Winslow and A. Butler.

Mrs. John Irons is president of the Women's Missionary Society and superintendent of a successful Sunday School which meets every Sunday following the morning service. Mrs. Frank Budd is president of the Ladies' Aid Society.

A Unique Feature.  
One of the unique features of the Horton Street Baptist Church is that instead of a time-honored collection plate, the worshippers themselves take their offerings to the front of the church and place them on the collection plate there while the hymn is sung.

Rev. Mr. Randolph preached yesterday morning on "The Amiable Cyprian," taking his text from Psalm lxxxiv, i. The word "tabernacle," Mr. Randolph pointed

out was used in the plural, because the tabernacle of the Israelites had been moved from place to place in their wanderings. There had been many tabernacles. "And so shall you and I be moved about until at last we rest into everlasting peace," he said. The word "tabernacle" also brings to mind the wanderings of the church. "They stopped here and stopped there," continued Mr. Randolph, "but wherever they stopped Jehovah met them. And wherever the tabernacle was, Moses was always there, the advocate between the people and God."

"And a greater one than Moses, Jesus, is with us here today," said Mr. Randolph, "ready and anxious to be our advocate before God. The wandering church had no permanent place in the wilderness until at length the people came to the Promised Land. And so with you, dear brother and sister, if you are really, truly, child of God, you are nothing more than strangers and pilgrims here on earth."

**Commanded to Worship.**  
Rev. Randolph admonished his congregation that it was right for Christians to gather regularly in the house of God. They might say they could worship at home usually only an excuse, the seeking of a hiding-place for their own laziness.

"Hear me, Christians," said the speaker. "We are people set apart from the world. We cannot walk arm in arm with the world. God help us as a church to stand out prominently for Christ. If we hide our light in a bushel we become as sounding brass and as tinkling cymbals. Jesus living in us, is our salvation and our redemption. Jesus is a refuge and a hiding-place. He will hide and protect us under the cover of his wing."

"My soul failed to come into the courts of the Lord. I would to God that the saints today would faint to get into the presence of God in his tabernacle. No, we today are more likely to faint to get into his tabernacle somewhere than to get into his tabernacle here."

"If you want the glory of God to shine in your life, you must take a stand for God when the devil says that you must do this or that to be in the world. From out from worship this morning with the desire in our hearts to dwell in the home of the Lord for ever," said Mr. Randolph in closing.

toward both man and God," said Mr. Morris.

Mr. Morris spoke on the Sunday school in the afternoon, which was "Decision Day." More than 100 children signed "decision cards," pledging themselves to God. There was a very large attendance for the service, which was the culmination of a series of sermons held for the past six months in the Sunday school.

**Church Notes**  
The Y. P. S. of St. Andrew's Church will hold its regular meeting tonight at 8 o'clock in St. Andrew's Hall. A very enjoyable program has been prepared and all the young people connected in any way with the congregation are invited.

The First Presbyterian Church Guild will hold its regular meeting tonight in the church parlors. The meeting will be in the form of a symposium evening together with musical numbers. Topics for discussion have been arranged, and impromptu addresses, together with discussion of same, will be of great interest.

At the close of the evening service in St. Andrew's Church last night, Mr. Maine, of Aankin Street Methodist Church, addressed the Men's Union in St. Andrew's Hall on "Evangelism." There was a large attendance, it being the second meeting held in the hall to consider the report of the special survey conducted by the Men's Federation.

The first offering for the "Preventorium" fund was taken up in St. Andrew's Church at both services Sunday. The ladies in charge of the work are attempting to raise \$3,000 before June and are asking for liberal support from members of the congregation.

This week Rev. R. W. Norwood, rector of the Cronyn Memorial Church, will go to Montreal to conduct special Lenten services in Trinity Church on Sunday and the first few days of the following week. During his absence Rev. Mr. Heakes will conduct the regular Sunday and mid-week services.

**SEVENTEEN WERE CONFIRMED.**

Seventeen candidates were confirmed by the Bishop of Huron in St. David's Anglican Church yesterday.

**KILLED BY FREIGHT TRAIN.**

Hatifax, N. S., March 22.—The body of an unknown man was found near Wilmor Junction today. He had been killed by a freight train last night. He was poorly dressed and evidently a tramp.

## NATION'S STRENGTH IN ITS INDIVIDUALS

Man-Unit in Everything, Declares Rev. Murray Tait, of Wallaceburg.

**METHODS OF CONVERTING**  
Power of Church Depends on Strength of Its Weakest Member.

"A nation or a congregation is as strong as the strength of the individual. It is when the thought of individuality grips us that we rise to greater and better things. The strength of the church depends upon the strength and power of its weakest member." With these words, Rev. Murray C. Tait, D.D., of Wallaceburg, preaching in the First Presbyterian Church, Sunday morning, aptly expressed the strength of individualism, showing that to reach a nation and mold its opinions and customs for God, it is necessary to work from the standpoint of the individual, rather than attempt to deal collectively with its inhabitants.

Illustrating the text, the pastor compared the methods of evangelism of the world's noted prophets, Isaiah, Jeremiah and Ezekiel. Of the three, Ezekiel attained more, because he had appealed to the Israelites separately, missionizing rather than as a nation, rather than attempt to deal collectively with its inhabitants.

**Prophet of the Masses.**  
"Isaiah was a prophet of the masses," said the pastor. "His appeals were made to the people. Jeremiah, likewise adopted this form of winning the Israelites to Christ. He was a type of vastness. It was his main characteristic."

"It remained for Ezekiel, then, to appeal not to the masses, but to the individual. He foresaw that Israel could not be brought back by a collective appeal. It required more than that. The time was a dangerous one. It was in the days of Israel's greatness and fall. The empire fell, and the people were taken captive, Ezekiel amongst them. Then in the years of degradation, as he saw them living in the land of the heathen, he was inspired to do something for their uplift."

"He did not attempt to reach them from a distance. His appeal was made to the individual, and his effect was obvious. Christianity at its foundation has the value of the individual, and it was this path that the prophet pursued to win the Israelites back to Christ. The possibilities of the individual were limitless," the pastor declared. "Human life is small when measured by infinity," he said, "but when looked upon by the power of God, it stands greater and best in all history."

**Ezekiel's Method.**  
"Ezekiel saw Israel's sin, and scored them for it, and his effect was obvious. He saw life as it was faced from their standpoint. He put himself in the other fellow's place, resulting in the changing of his perspective toward them. It was then that he was able to understand their lot, and lend his assistance to the bettering of their spiritual condition."

"We hear much about social order and social unrest today," said the preacher in concluding. "But it is not fully comprehensive until we put ourselves in the other man's position. It is then that we see clearly that which we did not see before. Because a man has sidedsteped from the procession of life, there is no reason he should not enter it again."

## GOD MAY PRESERVE OR SCATTER RACE

Rev. R. W. Norwood Makes Veiled Reference to Existing Trouble in Ireland.

**BALANCE IN GOD'S HANDS**

God Is Present When Foulest Crimes Are Committed and Catastrophes Occur.

"And he said, go forth, and stand upon the mount before the Lord. And behold, the Lord passed by, and a great and strong wind rent the mountains, and broke in pieces the rocks before the Lord; and the wind was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake; but the Lord was not in the earthquake. And after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire, and after the fire a still small voice." H-12.

Text Rev. R. W. Norwood preached his sermon at Cronyn Memorial Church on Sunday morning.

**God Is Everywhere.**  
"But God was in the wind, God was in the earthquake, and God was in the fire," declared the speaker in opening. "From the minutest particle of matter to the greatest star of the heavens, God is present and reigneth. God is in many things that we are unaware of, for we are often entertaining God when we imagine we are not. He is present when the foulest crimes and sins are committed, and overwhelming catastrophes occur, for the present great balance of our national history, the balance is in his hands, and he may preserve us or scatter the race like the sands of the desert before the wind."

"These statements may seem to contradict a beautiful text, but the answer lies in the knowledge of what Elijah was. For a man is after all but a man, a soul in the process of development, and there are often solitary moments, when like Elijah he will fling himself down and say: 'I am not; now, O Lord, take away my life; for I am no better than my fathers.' Even after this God will not forsake him, but sends an angel, who is but a comrade, and without whom he could hold no communion with man or man with God, and raise him up."

"It was after his solitary spell that God sent an angel and had Elijah lead through the desert and over crags until he was left at the mouth of that dark, yawning cave, from which place of vantage he heard the wind rush down the gorge, felt the earthquake, and saw the lightning, but God was not in any of these forces, for Elijah, but in Elijah himself. He spoke to the wind in the form of his reason or conscience as the whispering of the soul self to the body self. You will understand this

last seemingly strange statement when I say that the kingdom of heaven is in you just because you are what you are.

**Angels Will Strengthen.**  
"It is nothing for a big soul to be lonely, for we read of Christ saying, 'My soul is exceeding sorrowful unto death,' as he entered the Garden of Gethsemane. Each one knows that terrible mood, and just because of that let me reassure you that it is no loss of faith for God will have an angel strengthen you."

"Elijah was the greatest thinker of his age—he was a man ahead of his times—he was in a quandary, for he lived on a different plane than his people, for they saw God in the physical and were afraid, just as you find people in primitive religion, who see God in the grotesque, and show their manifestations through the fear for their God and see him in physical forces, and not through the intellectual or spiritual. Are you like these—afraid of your God? Is that the kind of religion you instill into the hearts and minds of your young boys and girls? No, you are giving them that of the New Testament, that of love."

"God appeals to us as he did to Elijah by the still small voice, and not as he appealed to the countrymen of Elijah—by the wind, earthquake, and fire."

"Elijah was the intellectual and spiritual leader of his day, and like many men of today could speak with God in his inner circle and had no need of the visible."

"It is a far call from the God of the fire to the God of the still small voice, and God is to many of us today but the God of fear manifested in the fire, and the very fact that there are churches today that have the belief of everlasting fire is but an incident of their primitivity. Rather than speak to you by the still small voice then all obstructions are eliminated. Search your own mind, if you are conscious, and see how God is really speaking to you?"

**BEWARE OF AVARICE**

**SAYS REV. J. H. BOYD**

Adelaide Street Baptist Pastor Denies Prevalent Sin of Greed.

**THE DECEPTION OF JUDAS**

"Black Sheep" of Disciples, Unable to Resist Temptation Falls Into Degradation.

"The Gathering Storm" was the subject of a Lenten sermon preached last night by the pastor, Rev. J. H. Boyd. The speaker warned his hearers against the ever-ready temptations of the devil, and the sin of avarice. He chose as his text the passage on St. Matthew, chapter xxv, the story of the anointing of Christ, and his betrayal by Judas, beginning at the third verse. "Then assembled together the chief priests, and the scribes, and the elders of the Jews, unto the palace of the high priest, who was called Caiaphas."

The speaker compared the story of Mary anointing Christ, to the avaricious Judas, who then came from that box of costly ointment will go down through the ages wherever the gospel is preached," said the speaker. "Time shall never obliterate it. In the gathering storm, when the world was closing the net around Christ, this woman came while He sat at the table and poured over His head the precious ointment. Christ said, 'Whosoever this Gospel shall be preached in the whole world, there shall also this that this woman has done be told for a memorial of her.'"

**A Dark Story.**  
On the other hand, what a dark story is the story of Judas. Matthew, in our text, tells of his avarice, but this is not the whole story. Back when he first entered the company of the apostles, the step in the direction of his greed was taken. They made him the treasurer of their group. They slung a bag over his shoulder, and the money in it was altogether in his keeping. No doubt, he said, 'I will do my best.' But one day he helped himself, thinking it would not be noticed, according to pay back when he had the money. No one knew. Jesus apparently did not know. He did it again and again. The spirit of avarice grew. Then came the day when Mary poured out the costly ointment over Christ's head, and Judas cried out, 'To what purpose this waste?' Finally he betrayed his Master for a paltry 30 pieces of silver, the price of a slave. Throttle it.

"When that chance to help yourself comes throttle it, or it will throttle you," Mr. Boyd charged, "just as it throttled Judas. 'Judas did not mean to steal at first, but the devil whispered to him sitting at the table, and it led to the deed which he repented all his life.'"

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**DR. THOS. TROTTER HEARD**

McMaster Professor Preaches on "Temptation," Depicting Causes of Falling Into Sin.

Rev. Dr. Thomas Trotter, professor in McMaster University, preached morning and evening yesterday in Talbot Street Baptist Church to audiences that taxed to the limit the seating capacity of the church on the occasion of the 69th anniversary of the founding of the congregation. He preached on the subject of "Temptation," selecting his text, the Epistle of James I, 13: "Let no man say when he is tempted, I am tempted of God; for God cannot be tempted of evil, neither tempteth he any man."

**Source of Temptation.**  
"No other subject is of so great moment in the lives of the young," said Dr. Trotter, "yet it is an experience of a stage beyond which we never get." Dr. Trotter treated his subject in two divisions, the source of temptation, and the dread results of yielding to temptation. From Adam down, man had said to God, "God tempted them, but they sinned falsely. Adam said, in blaming Eve for his temptation: 'The woman thou gavest me.' Burns was wrong, said Dr. Trotter, when he wrote that the light that leads men astray 'is heaven's light.' Any man who talks of freeindom, and his own moral constitution or otherwise, to himself, is speaking falsehood. In a certain sense temptation is necessary as a condition of experience in man's moral development. Temptation is necessary to the moral testing of man. But God does not tempt man. If God does not, who does?"

**Every Man Tempted.**  
"By the evil in his own nature," said Dr. Trotter, "every man is tempted when

he is drawn away of his own lust, and enticed," said the Apostle James. Man is tempted when his lower desires rise up and make an assault to God. James teaches that no external tempter, though it be Satan himself, can drag man down unless the tempter enters the door of man's own evil desires.

"James is nothing if not practical," continued Dr. Trotter. "If we are wise we will get into the company of this practical man James. There are inevitable speculative questions that we might ask, but they are insoluble. Let us get within the circle of the practical, and from that standpoint James has said the last thing on temptation."

**Mystery of Sin.**  
"We see one young man who has yielded for the first, another who has been struggling with temptation for years, and then another who has been mastered by sin. There is no greater mystery in life than the mystery of sin and temptation. Temptation arises from the tide of evil thought and evil desire. There is great confusion in men's minds as to what is right and wrong. Moral judgment, conscience, faith, it is a complex deflected by the falsehood of evil. The natural conscience is inadequate. Had it been adequate, God need not have given us the Bible, or sent Christ into the world. Christ is the light of the world."

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LONDON, MONDAY, MARCH 23.

It is possible that this Ulster embroglio is just one stupendous frame-up for the "Movies."

John Johnson says he is a Socialist. But that won't help him in syndicalist France where a Socialist is quite a Tory.

In England they have been having championship lacrosse matches. The game has a good hold in the old country.

Mr. Asquith has put the Laws and Carsons in the wrong, and everybody not a fanatic sees it. Never fight today if it can be put off for six years.

Lillian Russell says that the secret of female beauty is plenty of hard work close to nature. This should cause a lot of the spring gardening to be taken off father's shoulders.

A Toronto writer estimates that Canadian railways will have to earn in 1915, to pay interest and dividends, \$30 from every man, woman and child in the land. Our farms must produce to justify the railways.

This question whether the C. P. R. made Canada or Canada the C. P. R. is like the old conundrum, which is first, the chicken or the egg; or perhaps, rather, does the dog wag the tail or the tail the dog?

What will the German fleet do when the Ulster rebellion begins? Will the Kaiser come to Belfast's call? But there's France again and the revenge. Ulster would be a poor exchange for Alsace-Lorraine. No, there is no German peril.

Sir Edward Carson will not let Mr. Asquith leave it to Ulster. He stands with Mr. Bonar Law for having English voters settle Ulster's future. Perhaps in his heart he knows that Ulster must for his own good be a part of the new Ireland, and that the home rule bill is satisfactory as it is without amendment.

## THE UNIONIST POSITION.

THE insincerity of the Unionist position in regard to Ulster is manifest. Premier Asquith offers to allow Ulster star exclusion, whatever countries wish it, for six years. Sir Edward Carson agrees to consider a plebiscite for permanent exclusion. If it were not for party politics six years would seem to him as good as permanent, for how could the dissenting counties, if still recalcitrant after the term of six years, be forced then to come into Ireland? Supposing a Liberal Government still in power, it would be less dependent on Nationalist support than now, and a Unionist Government might also be expected to let the counties alone.

As for Mr. Bonar Law's proposal of referendum to the whole country, Mr. Asquith could not think of taking to no purpose such a risk, even if Mr. Redmond would agree. There would be no decision on the merits of the case, the Tory electors voting straight party just to put the Government in a hole. A referendum would be more unnecessary, more futile, less decisive of anything than even a general election at this time.

Home rule has come to be "up to Ireland." And Ireland has decided the point by an overwhelming majority for a long time past. In 1893 it was held that "the dominant partner" had the main say. But England, grown weary and indifferent, is ready enough to put it up to Ireland and Pharaoh will lead his people go. In England it is only a set of chagrined, discredited, coggling politicians that tries still to block the natural course of events with a view almost solely to party capital.

Premier Asquith is willing to leave Ulster's question to Ulster herself. Sir Edward Carson, chiming in with Mr. Law for a plebiscite of the United Kingdom, rather than of Ulster as Mr. Asquith suggests, betrays the people whom he has pushed up to the brink of ruin. He will not let Ulster decide her own case, but insists that her destiny be decided for her by a referendum in England and Scotland.

## THE PEOPLE OF INDIA.

THE brief summary of the returns of the last census of India has now been amplified by the publication of details which are interesting as showing the heterogeneous character of that section of the empire. The population was given at 315,156,396; the area is 1,892,667 square miles. That would average about 175 people to the mile. But such an average would be deceptive, for there are some sections sparsely settled, while in others the people are crowded together. In the more fertile parts, there are as many as 750 to the mile, about three times what is recognized as the maximum in Europe for agricultural sections.

But the diversity of race and religion is one of the most notable things in connection with the population of the country. For every 10,000 of her people India has 6,909 who are Hindus; 2,126 Mohammedans; 342 Buddhist; 124 nominal Christians, and 328 of other classes. While the racial distinctions are still marked among the Indians, the religious element is the great factor in their division. Originally the Hindu proper was the dominant race, but the inroads of Mohammedanism brought in a more active element. And it is this latter which increases at the expense of the others. They are a more aggressive class, and while only second in numerical strength they would soon dominate the country if the controlling hand of England did not keep the peace.

This variety of race and religion is one of the stumbling blocks in the way of a united India, or the establishment of self-government to any marked degree. There is a liberal system of education in India, but it does not seem to have the effect of making the native population realize fully the diversity of opinion that would prevent harmony among them were self-government permitted. There can be no political union between races so antagonistic, whose first act under unlimited freedom would be to fly at each other's throats. Many of the educated Hindus are agitating for self-government and some of them it is to be feared are ready to go much further than constitutional agitation. They do not seem to realize that without the controlling influence of England there would be internecine war in a few days. Their only hope for peace and prosperity is with the hand of England on the helm of government.

## THE SUNDAY DINNER.

WE HEAR very often discussions on the proposal to abolish the big Sunday dinner, a plea for the busy housewife. We are all aware that Saturday is the busiest day of the week for the storekeeper in supplying his customers with various food stuffs for the Sabbath, and some have said the reason consists in the fact that the family is together on Sunday only, and that they have more time to enjoy a big dinner.

But do we consider the wife and mother? We forget that in most households her life is just one continuous round of preparing meals and supplying wants for hungry mouths. In many houses, Sunday is the busiest day of all for the housewife. We forget that it is she who is up with the sun preparing breakfast, while we luxuriate in the warm covers, loath to leave the comfortable bed.

## RACE ANTAGONISMS.

OCASIONALLY we hear of the evils and disadvantages of having two races of people in Canada, of diverse language and religion, whose antagonism crops up in political alliances, educational disputes, and other causes of discord. But there is an association of a century or two, with the assimilating influence of the higher class of statesmen, continually at work minimizing these evils, and drawing the French and English elements of the Dominion into closer and more harmonious relationship.

While these old-time antagonisms are thus slowly dying out, it seems a pity that in the newer sections of the country there should be a tendency to maintain race distinctions, and bring our foreign population into conflict with the settlers of Anglo-Saxon origin. That seems to be the condition developing in the Northwest, and more especially in Manitoba. Political exigencies are used as the excuse for many unsavory practices, but the cultivating of race antagonisms for the benefit of any particular party is an inexcusable crime against the peace and prosperity of the country.

In Manitoba there is a large Slav population. The Ruthenians especially are very strong. To meet their needs, a bilingual system of education has been adopted, and a training school for teachers established. In itself this would be commendable, provided the object was to train teachers that they would be able to instruct the young Ruthenians in English, and fit them for citizenship. But its operations promise to be of doubtful value, for at the head of it is a Ruthenian professor, appointed by the Conservative Government of the province, who, from all accounts, spends his time in fighting the Liberal party, and advocating what he calls a "Canadian Ukraine." He claims that all efforts to assimilate his countrymen with the Canadian people will be as futile as the attempts of Russia to denationalize the Poles. His desire seems to be the establishment of an independent Ruthenian nation on Canadian soil. He is working for separate schools which shall teach the Ruthenian children in the Ruthenian language, and preserve their national characteristics. Any interference with these schools, or any attempt to Canadianize them, meets with his strongest opposition. He is a voluminous writer in the Slav newspapers of the Northwest, and is utilizing them for purposes disloyal to Canada. He even speaks of Canadians as "foreigners."

And this man is an employee of the Conservative Government of Manitoba; his views are tacitly approved by the department of education, and the school system of the province shaped to meet his demands. To secure the vote of his people, the Government sanctions a policy fraught with the greatest evil to the province.

We can understand a French-Canadian, with the memory of the prior occupation of the country by his ancestors, having dreams of a French nation on the banks of the St. Lawrence. But that a number of Slav emigrants, fleeing from the tyranny and poverty of their own country, welcomed to Canada, and assisted in their early struggles by the Canadian people, should turn against their

benefactors, and talk about the establishment of an independent Slav nation on our soil is inexcusable. And still more inexcusable, and altogether disloyal to Canada, is the conduct of a Government which, for its own political advantage, and to maintain its own supremacy, panders to them in their folly. That the Roblin Government is in actual sympathy with the Ruthenian national movement is not possible, but it is none the less criminal to wink at their treason, and encourage them in hopes which must be disappointed, and may have some day to be crushed by violence.

## FORTIFIED BEER.

A TORONTO paper of last Saturday tells of the interesting experience of a lady in that city who undertook to stimulate her digestion by the aid of a bottle of beer. The first glass was found to be extra bitter, whereupon she concluded to try another of the same sort. But when she tried to pour out the amber fluid, something stuck in the neck of the bottle, which something upon investigation proved to be a dead mouse.

This discovery having a contrary effect upon the lady's stomach to that which was expected, she brought suit against the brewer, who promptly settled the case out of court for the payment of fifty dollars. So the lady got her bitter beer sweetened by a pecuniary pill.

In an old eastern story, appearing in the collection called the Arabian Nights, the mortal remains of a party who had a little disagreement with a government official were hidden away in an empty hoghead, which being filled up with wine, was duly stored away in the back row of the Caliph's wine cellar.

Some years afterwards his High Mightiness ordered this special cask to be tapped, to the great horror of the individual responsible for its contents. Fortunately for him, however, the wine was declared to be the best ever tasted. It had more body in it, and a lovely bouquet.

We hope none of our brewers have read this story, and propose to act on the suggestion. This method of fortifying beer should not be encouraged, even though mice instead of men are used for the flavoring compound. Essence of fermented mouse is not a desirable beverage.

## FEAR OF ADAM-ZAD.

AN ARTICLE by Herald Spender in the Contemporary Review tells of his impressions of Norway on a recent visit. He finds the Norwegians as a nation obsessed with a fear of Russia. The recent fate of unhappy Finland and the mighty naval constructions of the Czar now in progress have caused terror to both Sweden and Norway.

Sweden is at present almost in upheaval with the disputes over increase of army and navy to prepare against Russia. The Norwegians fancy themselves even more menaced by aggression, as their fine Atlantic harbors, open the year round, must be a tantalizing bait for the Bear. If Russia wants one thing it is an outlook upon the open sea. Once she secured Port Arthur on the Pacific, but the Japs took that away. The Norwegian coastline would be immensely more desirable.

The Norwegian people number less than 2,500,000, a mere mouthful for Russia. Worst of all, Sweden, their natural ally against a common enemy, is estranged from Norway. Both Scandinavian peoples, however have hopes of assistance from Great Britain and Germany against the despotic power that has crushed the liberties of the democratic and progressive Finns. Indeed the interests of Germany and Great Britain should lead them to a concerted action in resistance of any encroachment of Asiatic tyranny upon free Scandinavia.

It is seen with anxiety by Germans as well as Norwegians that Russia is beginning to feel herself recovered from the blow of nine years ago. In three years her navy will be third at least in Europe, and she is making vast additions to her army. Against this modern Macedonia the states of Europe will simply have to unite, more or less, composing their differences, in defence of free institutions and culture. Norway is a thorough democracy and one of the most enlightened of nations. She must not be suffered to fall at any time, through an unnatural antagonism of Great Britain and Germany, into the jaws of the Bear. The trend of international alignment in this year is making for growingly better feeling among the Germanic peoples and Governments. The North Sea emergency is no more, if it ever was.

## CAUGHT.

[Judge.]  
Wife—George, I want to see that letter.  
Husband—What letter, dear?  
Wife—That one you just opened. I know by the handwriting it is from a woman, and you turned pale when you read it. Hand it here, sir!  
Husband—Here it is, dear. It is from your dressmaker.

## SAVING THE MONEY.

[Ottawa Journal.]  
Just when you stop to think of it, Mrs. Pankhurst is saving a pile of money if she rents her apartment by the day.

## WORTH WINNING.

[Chicago Record-Herald.]  
"Why are you so pensive?" he asked.  
"I'm not pensive," she replied.  
"But you haven't said a word for twenty minutes."  
"Well, I didn't have anything to say."  
"Don't you ever say anything when you have nothing to say?"  
"No."  
"Will you be my wife?"

## A BRAVE LITTLE WOMAN.

[Boston Globe.]  
Stout-hearted as ever, although flat down in bed with sciatica, Clara Morris, the actress, sent a note to a reporter on her 69th birthday saying that she was happy for three reasons:  
First, because with her limited vision she could still see the notes of her guitar music and read the seed catalogues.  
Second, because her husband, lying ill

in the same room after a stroke of paralysis, was better.

Third, because her mother, aged 90, had fought through pneumonia safely.  
In the cheerfulness of this bright little woman, shut up by and with sickness, lies a lesson for those of us who are wont to complain and lose hope when confronted by misfortunes comparatively trivial. Her point of view is her salvation. Nothing is so bad, according to Clara Morris, that it might not be worse.

## THE BLUFFED SUITOR.

[Detroit Free Press.]  
I-f-f I cu-cu-could b-b-but t-tell her the things that I f-fu-fu-feel I-f-f I had the cu-cu-courage My lu-love to rev-v-veal, I-f-f I cu-cu-could b-b-but t-tell her That all I pu-pu-pu-possess I am eager to gu-gu-give her, Pu-pu-perhaps she'd say: "y-y-yes."

## NOT SO PRETTY.

[Kansas City Journal.]  
You note a girl across the way Dressed like a fashion book, "I'll step across," you promptly say, "And have a closer look." You pick your way across the street Through all the mud and slush, Inspect the girl from head to feet Then sadly murmur "Tush!"

## THE TEST.

[Judge.]  
Nurse—Well, doctor, must we give him up?  
Doctor—Not while he can sign a check.

## PRaise FOR MGR. BRUCHESI.

[Presbyterian Witness.]  
Archbishop Bruchesi's circular letter in condemnation of certain forms of dancing and feminine dress has met the approval of thoughtful persons of all churches. Protestant and Catholic—and has been favorably commented on by the public press. In their outspoken condemnation of immodesty in any and every form, Archbishop Bruchesi and other prominent clergymen of the Roman Catholic Church deserve the hearty sympathy and support of all pure-minded persons. It is a sad day for any people when that most beautiful virtue of womanhood, modesty, begins to fade.

## NEEDED ADVICE.

[Puck.]  
Burglar (holding jewel case and speaking to householder crouched terrified in bed)—Sorry to trouble you, mum, but would yer mind helping me choose a present for the missus? It's her birthday tomorrow.

## THY NEEDS.

[Detroit Free Press.]  
We falter daily by the way, And, grown discouraged, sigh and say: "What use to struggle 'neath life's load?" Up such a steep and stony road? So weak are we! Our strength is spent. And so, to earth by burdens bent, We sink, forgetting that we read, "God giveth strength in time of need."

O weary pilgrim, life your eyes From things of earth to heaven's fair skies, Remembering how One bore for thee The burden of a Calvary, Remembering that, no longer shrink Beneath your load, Take heart and think—"God meant the promise just for me—" "As thy needs are, thy strength shall be."

Not by one effort and today We gain the heights so far away. But step by step toward heaven we climb. By striving upward all the time, And each day proves to us anew That God's dear promises come true, For day by day He gives us time, Fresh strength for all our times of need.

**On the Spur of the Moment**  
by Roy K. Moulton.

## Whiskers.

(New York scientist gives statistics to prove that long flowing whiskers have almost passed out of existence.)  
I am the flowing whisker that decorates the chin.  
They say that I am passe. They tell me I'm all in.  
They say my days are numbered; that I am of no use.  
Except to harbor microbes and some tobacco juice.

They say I am a relic of ancient by-gone days;  
That I've become an eye-sore, for sure, in various ways.  
But I recall the era when I was quite the rage,  
And every fellow wore me, regardless of his age.

Then I was omnipresent, I dangled in the soup,  
I trailed through restaurant butter and I know by the handwriting it is from a woman, and you turned pale when you read it. Hand it here, sir!  
Husband—Here it is, dear. It is from your dressmaker.

Remember Roscoe Conkling? He was a friend of mine,  
And Grant and Hayes and Garfield? On them I sure looked fine,  
And old Count Leo Tolstoy and Uncle Feffer, too,  
Were certainly some famous for whiskers that they grew.

Upon the classic profile of old Jay Gould I hung,  
I also decorated the face of Brigham Young.  
To William Cullen Bryant I clung with might and main,  
You also will remember me hanging on Jim Blain.

They say I'm in the garbage; they say I am passe;  
That I have served my purpose; that I have seen my day.  
But still, in spite of warnings, it's pretty safe to bet.  
When Gabriel blows his trumpet, I'll be on some men yet.

The March of Science and Invention.  
A man with aeroplane ears somehow bage.

## ABE MARTIN



Makin' a long story short is a great aid to popularity. Some women seem to be able to entertain ever-buddy but their husbands.

## EDUCATION

[The Colonel, in Toronto Saturday Night.]  
About one-third of Toronto's taxable revenue goes to support the public schools. This means the expenditure every year of an enormous sum of money. If it was well expended there would be no complaint. On the contrary, however, we appear to be wasting a goodly proportion on frills, but more important, perhaps, we are wasting the children's time. The latest proposal is to send some 40 or 50 public school children to San Francisco in 1915, the object being to have these youngsters sing and otherwise deport themselves at the Panama Fair. Incidentally, the cost is set down at between \$6,000 and \$7,000, the taxpayers, as per usual, footing the bill.

Among other frills to be instituted in the public schools is a book on manners. This sounds well, for if there is one thing we are short of in this generation it is good deportment. But listen, just listen to this trash, contained in the volume: "A parlor maid is no more entitled to use the front stairs than a general servant is." "If a guest, even a short one, bestow upon a servant a small fee." Then our "book of manners" proceeds to tell us that a man should wear a white tie at the opera or large dinner, but that he may wear a black tie at the theatre or small dinner. Also, that he should wear a frock coat and "till" to church. Imagine teaching a child whose schooling will in all probability end at the 14th year, that when he or she goes out to hustle for a living, as the average public school child does, they are to look for "hand-outs."

Imagine teaching one of the unwashed from "The Ward" that "to wear white gloves while playing cards is an affectation." Of course, it is all important that the parlor maid should not use the front stairs, and that the cook should know when her "steady" is properly dressed for the opera.

It looks very much as if the Ontario Department of Education would be better employed attending tango teas and writing fashion copy for the Ladies' Home Journal and allow the schools to take care of themselves.

## From Western Ontario Press

## DIVORCE.

[Brantford Courier.]  
If divorce is right for one class it should also be for another, and there ought to be equality in the matter of attaining the same.

## OFF TO EUROPE.

[St. Thomas Journal.]  
The two members of the Quebec Legislature convicted of accepting bribes

have gone to Europe. They will find congenial company in the attendants at the pleasure resorts in that country who have never been known to refuse a tip.

## AN UPRIGHT MAN.

[Guelph Herald.]  
By the death of Hon. Wm. Paterson at Brantford, Canada loses an experienced parliamentarian and an honest, upright man. He was a veteran member of the House of Commons and enjoyed a respect and popularity that could only be gained by a man worthy thereof.

## THE LURE OF THE CITY.

From Kansas, supposed to be the most typically agricultural state, comes the complaint that farmers are giving up their homesteads and moving into the towns. Many counties in it have suffered a serious loss of population from this

its effect upon the farmers of Texas, as a statement issued by the bureau of extension of the Texas State University shows that between 1900 and 1910 the rural population shrank from 77.7 per cent. to 69.3 per cent.

To win men for the farm is a worthy aspiration, a wise benevolence and a patriotic duty, but in most cases it must begin with the boys. Matured inefficient and deep-seated repugnance to country life are characteristics of our jobless multitudes. They are poor foundations for a stout and happy yeomanry.

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## WOMEN'S INSTITUTES

### HYDE PARK.

The regular meeting of the Women's Institute will be held at the home of Miss Kate McLachlan on Wednesday, March 25, at 2:30 o'clock. Papers will be given by Mrs. Thomas Skippon and Miss Pearl Tuckey. All ladies cordially invited.

## WEDDING BELLS

### LEWIS-CLARKE.

On Thursday afternoon, at the home of the bride, 30 Ridout street, Miss Maud Helena Clarke was united in marriage to John Henry Lewis, of this city, by Rev. H. H. Bingham, of Talbot Street Baptist Church. Following the wedding dinner, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis left for Toronto on their wedding trip. On their return, they will reside at 30 Ridout street.

### EVANS-BERRYHILL.

At the Talbot Street Baptist parsonage last Saturday, William G. Evans, of London Township, and Miss Annie S. Berryhill, of the same township, were united in marriage by Rev. H. H. Bingham. Mr. and Mrs. Evans will reside in London Township.

He that loveth, runneth and rejoiceth; he is free and not bound.

## Lansdowne With a Touch of Fur



A most attractive dance frock noted at one of the fashionable metropolitan hotels the other evening was developed in cream white lansdowne in the narrow skirt and full minaret tunic. The transparent corsage was of cream white lace over fresh pink chiffon, enriched with a vest effect of beads. A touch of dark fur—and all fur trimming must of the girle and the flaring edge of the tunic gave just the right tone to the light dainty affair.

### WEAR A ROSE.

A rose at the throat is a welcome street sight these winter days, but these exotics are not worn solely as an ornament. In fact, the fashion was launched for the very sensible purpose of protecting the throat, which at present is too much exposed for comfort and not infrequently for beauty. As the fabric rose—it is invariably in satin or silk—must be attached to something it is kept in place by means of a velvet ribbon band, broad enough to take the place of the high stock collar of a few years ago.

The rose at the throat should not be overlarge, although it may be either half or full blown and of any natural color. It is sometimes worn without foliage, but it looks better if supplemented by one or two small leaves in dark green silk, and it should be of a hue to harmonize with the velvet neck band, which, in turn, should accord with either the hat or its trimmings.

The girl who wears a rose at her throat nearly always wears a second rose. Not necessarily a twin in size, since it may be fastened near the belt-line, on the coat's lapel or among the trimmings on the hat. The main care is that these roses shall always look fresh. To wear a shabby fabric rose is in a bad taste as to pin on a discolored horticultural flower.

## Make Attractive Lamp Shades of Crepe Paper or Silk

The lovely designs and attractive fabric of crepe paper make it desirable for many household uses where a decorative effect is wished. For a lampshade, over a wire frame, it is very effective. The frames may be had from any department store, with an asbestos collar to protect the paper from the heat of the lamp chimney. Much care is needed in handling these pretty shades, when in use, owing to their liability to catch fire. This is their chief drawback. The frames come in a variety of shapes, dome-shaped, square, round and pannelled. The empire frame, a deep round shape, is popular just now.

**An Effective Shade.**  
One effective shade upon an empire frame, had a very soft pale pink crepe paper laid smoothly over the frame. On this were pasted sprays of deep red roses cut from bordered crepe paper. Paper cord made of tightly twisted strips of crepe paper the same as the foundation finished the lower edge of the shade, caught into place by tiny stitches. The top was finished in the same way, with groups of three small, upstanding loops of the paper at intervals. A dark red bead fringe hung from the lower edge of the shade. A white or pale yellow paper also makes an effective foundation with the dark red roses applied; and among the border crepe papers, to be had in rolls at about fifteen cents a roll, there is such a variety of design and coloring

that many combinations of color can be arranged to suit the room in which it is to be used.

Another paper lampshade had the crepe foundation gathered closely, the fastening at top and bottom being covered with paper cord twisted into a narrow design of small loops. A paper fringe finished this, and on the shade were fastened clusters of small paper roses, with foliage.

Autumn leaves were used effectively on another frame, a pannelled one. A plain crepe paper foundation of dull yellow had sprays of the rich foliage pasted one in each panel, each spray differing slightly. A yellow paper fringe was used.

A neat joining of the panels is the chief difficulty in making up the pannelled shades. What is known as library paste, coming in tubes, is the best to use. A first or under-covering of very thin China silk or of muslin helps in applying the crepe paper covering, giving something to which the paper may be fastened with an occasional stitch that helps out the paste work.

The simplest of paper shades, and a very quickly made one, is just a width of the bordered paper gathered full on to the wire frame, with an upstanding frill of the paper at the top. A ribbon is tied tightly round the collar portion, with a pretty bow. The fullness at the lower edge may be caught up here and there, to avoid a stiff effect.

## Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

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

### Baby and Jewelry.

Dear Miss Grey—I hope you will not be too busy to answer a few questions for me. I have never written to you before, but always read your column, and enjoy it very much.

1. Is it proper for a baby boy ten months old to wear jewelry? If so, what kind?

2. What styles for spring dresses for a baby of same age; would hat or bonnet be most suitable?

3. What is the proper time to plant tulips, hyacinths and gladioli? Do you plant them in the house and transplant; or, when?

4. For the person wanting something for bedbugs, beat quick silver with white of egg and apply; this is said to hold good for ever, and the person suffering from bunions, if they will use electric oil steadily for a while, it will completely cure; cut a hole in a piece of chamois skin and wear over the bunion; it will reduce the pain very much.

Hoping I have not troubled you too much, I remain, yours truly,

### YOUNG MOTHER.

A.—I do not think it is in good taste to load a baby with jewelry; a bracelet or ring, and dainty "baby" pins to fasten his bib, would be plenty.

2. Many of the designs shown for spring are adorned with hand-embroidery, and in fact, hand work on infants' clothing is considered most desirable. The styles change but little, yokes being used a great deal. A dainty bonnet would be best, I think.

3. Tulips, hyacinths, daffodils and the other spring flowering bulbs, should be planted in the fall, any time after September before the ground freezes. Transplanting would not be a success. Gladioli should be planted from middle of April in succession to middle of May, dug up in fall, kept about as you keep potatoes, and replanted in the following spring.

### Better Send Address.

Dear Miss Grey—I read with pleasure the many answers you give to questions asked, and now I come to you for aid.

1. Can you give me two or three verses that would be suitable for memorial to have put in the papers?

Thanking you kindly and hoping for an early reply; wishing you every success, and thanking you again for the benefit I get from your many answers, yours very truly,

### BUD.

A.—I should be pleased to try and give you a few lines, but do you not think it would be better to send me your personal address, so that I might send them to you privately? Also state whether you were bereaved of parent, brother, sister or child.

### Letter Form "Just Me."

Dear Miss Grey,—I enjoy reading your columns immensely every day, and thought I would trouble you with a few more questions:

1. I am 14 years old, and am in the second form at high school. Am I far enough advanced?

2. I find it awfully hard to part my hair. Can you tell me something to help it?

3. A recipe for sea foam fudge and butterscotch, also for kisses.

4. In delivering the rural mail, are they

allowed to use an automobile? If not, why?

5. Do you know anything of a Miss Maxwell, a Montreal school teacher? I have heard she proved herself a heroine. If you can give me any light on the subject I would be very glad. Thanking you in advance,

Ans.—I, Yes.

2. I do not know of anything except to butter, boil without stirring until a little heated. Boil till it will harden when dropped into cold water. Beat stiff the whites of two eggs, and when the syrup has stopped bubbling, pour it over these and beat well. Flavor with vanilla and add a cupful of chopped nuts.

To make butterscotch, take three cups white sugar, half cup water, half teaspoon cream tartar and one tablespoon butter; boil without stirring until a little heated. Boil till it will harden when dropped into cold water hardens at once; add quarter teaspoon soda and a little lemon extract, and pour quickly into well-greased pans.

3. Yes, an automobile may be used if desired, so long as the mail man keeps to his schedule of delivery.

5. I think the event you refer to occurred some three years ago, when a fire broke out in a Montreal public school, Miss Maxwell, a kindergarten teacher, saved the lives of a great many of her pupils, and was finally found suffocated. He was overcome by the smoke in her noble effort to save the lives of all the children in her care.

### Ask a Milliner.

Dear Miss Grey: I'm one in distress, but probably with your kind assistance I might be able to overcome my difficulties.

Could you tell me in your columns of a place where I could have a Milan hat blocked and cleaned, or, failing in this, you might suggest a method of your own that I could make use of. Yours,

"SPRING MAID."

A.—Inquire at any milliner's. Most of them do this work, or could tell you of a reliable place.

## THE HOROSCOPE

TUESDAY, MARCH 24, 1914.

Four kindly planets lead  
Toward joyful thought and deed.

This is a lucky day, for although Saturn is in adverse aspect, Mercury and Mars exercise a strong influence for good, while Venus and Jupiter are also friendly. The influences are fortunate for actors, sculptors, writers and orators. Mathematicians and schoolmasters should also benefit.

The mind should be alert, receptive and imaginative during this configuration. It is a favorable time to attend to educational matters, draw up contracts and make plans for future enterprises.

Advertising is subject to astral rule, which tends to bring large returns, the seers declare. It is an auspicious day for exploiting persons in public life. Women should take advantage of the aspect, for it promises much for authors and actresses.

Marriage and love affairs are fairly fortunate under this configuration. It is a lucky date for weddings and for meeting new acquaintances, who may become close friends.

According to ancient lore, modistes, milliners, dyers, weavers, gloves and all who deal in ornaments or clothing which women wear are peculiarly fortunate. When Venus wields kindly sway over the inhabitants of the earth.

Owing to the position of Mars in mid-heaven at Pekin, astrologers hold that China will continue to suffer from unsettled conditions for some time to come. Loss of shipping and foreign trade is probable.

A London astrologer finds the portents promising for prosperity in the United States as the spring advances, but he foretells great fluctuations in railway stocks with large expenditures for rolling

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### Plain Bleached Sheetings

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2 yards wide, sells at, yard . . . . . 25c, 32½c and 35c  
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### TWO ORPHAN BOYS OF SWITZERLAND.

Our cot was sheltered in a wood  
And near a lake's green margin stood;  
A mountain bleak, behind it frowned,  
Whose top the snow in summer crowned.  
But pasture rich and warm to boot  
Lay smiling at the mountain foot.  
There, first we trolicked hand in hand,  
Hand in hand, hand in hand,  
Two orphan boys of Switzerland,  
Two orphan boys of Switzerland.

When scarcely old enough to know  
The meaning of a tale of woe,  
'Twas then by mother we were told  
That father in his grave lay-cold.  
That livelihood was hard to get,  
And we too young to labor yet;  
And tears within her eyes would stand,  
Tears within her eyes would stand,  
For her two boys of Switzerland,  
For her two boys of Switzerland.

But soon for mother, as we grew,  
We worked as much as boys could do;  
Our daily gains to her we bore,  
But oh! she'll ne'er receive them more.  
For long we watched beside her bed,  
Then sobbed to see her lie there dead.  
And now we wander hand in hand,  
Hand in hand, hand in hand,  
Two orphan boys of Switzerland,  
Two orphan boys of Switzerland.

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# LONDON CANADIAN LEAGUERS REPORT ON APRIL 7

What's the Dif? Twice 55 is 110

By "Bud" Fisher



## MANAGER REISLING IN LONDON; HAS TWENTY-TWO MEN ON LIST

Pays Brief Visit to This City To Confer With Local Directors Over the Club Matters--Has Added a Couple New Players to Roster--Training Trip Dates Are Arranged.

BY JINX.

Arriving in town Saturday evening, Dr. Reisling, manager of the London Canadian League team, will remain over until this evening in order to confer with the local directors and go over the training trip and opening day arrangements with them. The general doctor is looking fine and has taken off a little weight since last he visited London.

**New Players to Report April 7.**  
Manager Reisling has practically completed the London club roster, and he is only waiting for reporting day to roll around in order to get first-hand information on the bunch he has chosen to represent London this season. He has 21 players on his list, and of these the majority of the youngsters and new players will report at Mayetta on April 7. Last year's members of the team will not report until a week or so later. Dr. Reisling will have all his outfielders reported early, and expects to have these players rounded into nice shape before the league season opens. He has a number of men signed up for the outer gardens, and it will likely take him longer to pick out the good ones for these positions than for the other positions on the team.

**The London Club Roster.**  
His complete list of players is as follows:  
Catchers—Jack Danford, Cy Rely, and Jack Snyder.  
Pitchers—Bobbie Hack, Ben Beebe, Heine Steiger, Carl Hammond, Al Houseman, Jack Ryley and Dr. Reisling.  
First Basemen—L. J. H. Bauer, and Jim Malley.  
Second Basemen—Eddie Linebourn.  
Shortstop—Roy Whitcraft.  
Third Basemen—Mike Mullen and Emil Rychnor.  
Outfielders—Ed Lamy, Jack Long, Joe Munn, Raymond Okey, Ellis Manning, and Williams.

**Snyder Is a Catcher.**  
Snyder is the Saginaw player who figured in the trade for Posey. He is a first-class catcher and has a good eye as at first thought. According to Dr. Reisling he is a good one and will make good. Ryley, the pitcher, is a right-hander who is promising. Although Manager Reisling is not figuring on his making good, the boy has enough to earn him a try, and if he does not catch on the London club will place him where he can be easily secured should develop into a good one. Jim Malley, the first baseman, will not likely be with the London team when it reports here. He has not had sufficient seasoning yet and Manager Reisling will have him report with the early bunch in order to see what he has got. He will likely be placed with one of the Ohio State League clubs, where London can keep a line on him and get him back should he turn out well.

**No Opposition For These Two.**  
Linebourn and Whitcraft will not have any opposition for the second base and shortstop positions, but Mike Mullen and Emil Rychnor will fight it out for third. Mullen is a genial Irishman, who, like Joe Keenan, has a great arm and a crafty head. He is not as old as the former London manager, however, being still in the twenties, but he has had a lot of experience. He managed the Sharon team of the O. and P. League a couple of years ago. Whitcraft, the shortstop, was with Wilkesbarre in 1911, but was hurt sliding into second. He was a wonder then and has fully recovered from this injury now.

**A Classy Bunch of Fielders.**  
A pretty good bunch of fielders will battle for the three outfield positions. Eddie Lamy, the Saranac Lake skating champion, is bound to make good if the dope on him counts for anything. He is a left hand batter and hit .335 in the West Virginia League last season. The Charleston team was leading the league and the Jersey City Club offered to buy Lamy. The offer was refused as his absence would have weakened the club.

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## HERZOG DRIVES BOOZE FIGHTING FROM RED CAMP AND GATHERS FIRST DIVISION TEAM, SAYS FULLERTON

By Hugh S. Fullerton.

Alexandria, La., March 23.—Cincinnati has a manager. Therefore, Cincinnati, after being for a double decade one of the jokes of baseball, has prospects of having a real baseball club.

I have watched with considerable wonder the work of Charlie Herzog in grubbing out dead timber and placing live oak in its stead. There are managers and managers, but Herzog is the ultra modern manager of them all, adopting the best ideas of Chance, of McGraw and of others, and on top of them he is placing his own ideas, and he is full of them.

If Herzog's nerves can stand the strain of the continual hammering that he must endure, can withstand the efforts of certain elements that have for years moved under all Red managers, in other words if the directors will let him, he will give Cincinnati a first-division baseball club this season—and a pennant contender next.

He has a team which today is at least three weeks in advance of any other in training that I have seen. He has found a lot of promising material, and found it himself—men of his own type and men who will play baseball his way.

Herzog has made the old men work, and he is keeping them working. The old-timers accustomed to loafing, to carelessness, and to playing only to draw their salaries and find an alibi are out there working and wondering. They are working faithfully, too. Herzog has them alarmed.

Herzog has theories concerning what a ballplayer should be. He wants clean men and intelligent men. He has found one young star who, with the possible exception of Collins of the Braves, is the most brilliant find of the year. That fellow is Von Kolnitz.

The type of player he is assembling shows that he wants. The old loafing, booze-fighting, sporting player and player in decent, hustling, ambitious men.

Cincinnati's great weakness, of course, is the pitching staff. Herzog has transformed Rowan into a spitball pitcher who promises to be a corker. He has Yingling in good condition, and the big Indian, Johnston, is pounds lighter and a step faster than he was at any time last season.

The infield will be Hoblitzell, Groh, Niehoff and Herzog, with Berghamer as sub and probable successor to Niehoff, should the last-named fall down.

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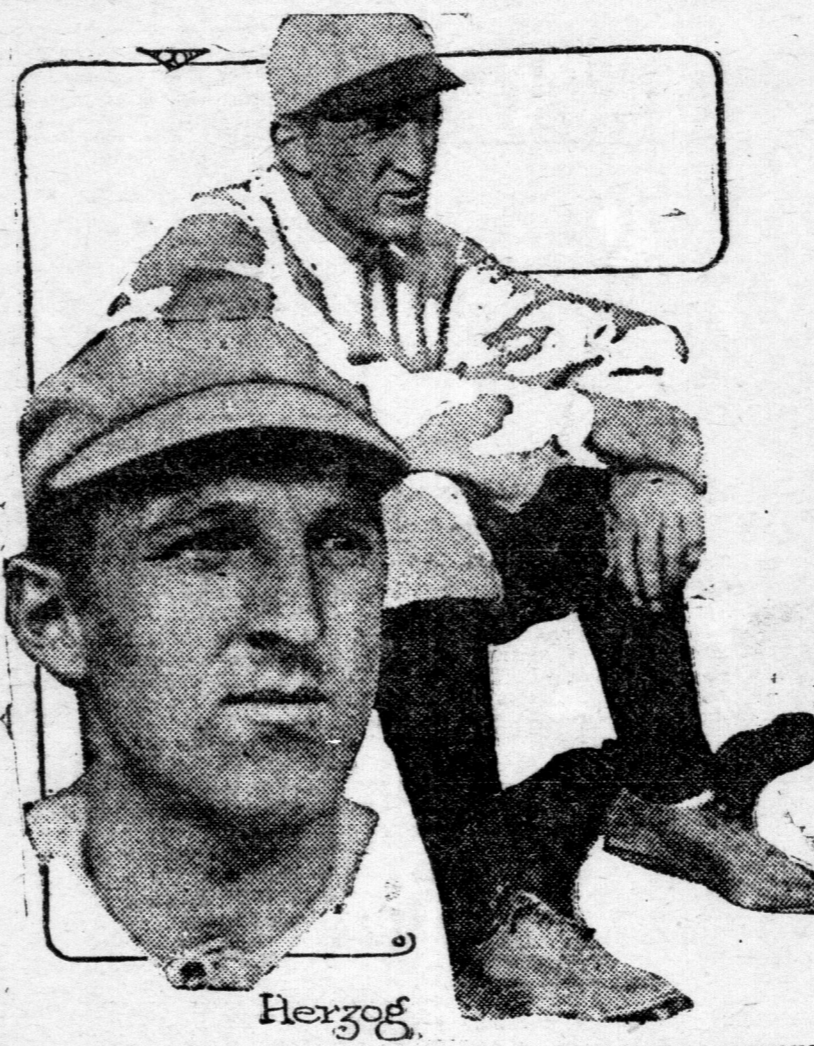
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## Blanding, O'Neill, and Graney Will Wear Moustaches

Athens, Ga., March 21.—Old-time fans at Chicago are going to have old-time days recalled to them on April 14, if three of the Naps do not lose their nerve in the meantime. For Jack Graney, Steve O'Neill, and Fred Blanding have entered into a compact to raise moustaches and not to shave them until after the first game of the season. If any one of the three shaves his upper lip before the first game has been played, he forfeits \$5 to each of the other two.

## JOE JEANETTE GETS WIN FROM CARPENTIER

American Negro Heavyweight Proved More Aggressive in Bout With French Champion at Paris.

Paris, March 21.—Joe Jeanette, the American negro heavyweight pugilist, won the decision over George S. Carpentier, the French champion, on points in a fifteen-round bout tonight. The contest took place at Luna Park, which was crowded. Jeanette had the advantage at the start of the contest and in the early rounds, which were marked by continuous infighting. Carpentier put up a fine defence and several rounds ended in his favor. The American, who had a trifle more weight than his opponent, landed heavily a number of times, his blows staggering the Frenchman, and as it appeared at the end of the fight that Jeanette had been the more aggressive the referee awarded him the decision.

## FREDDIE WELSH TO FIGHT LEACH CROSS

[Canadian Press.]  
Los Angeles, Cal., March 22.—Freddie Welsh, lightweight champion of Great Britain, and Leach Cross, of New York, were last night matched for a 20-round boxing contest to be held here the night of April 28. The question of weight was left to Cross.

## FEDERALS TRYING TO WORK OUT SCHEDULE

[Canadian Press.]  
Baltimore, Md., March 22.—Federal league baseball managers went into session here today to decide upon a playing schedule for the coming season. With four other circuits (National, American, International and American Association) no dodge, they were confronted with one of the most difficult problems the league has yet had to solve.

It was recognized of course, that conflicts in dates cannot be avoided in Chicago and St. Louis, where there are two opposing major league clubs. The fact that Baltimore is in the eastern section of the International and Buffalo in the western division, while both are in the eastern section of the Federal league, also presented another difficult question for the schedule makers in session here today.

The Kentucky futurity for foals of 1914 is to be worth \$25,000.

Spill, 2:06½, one of the best pacers in the country, is dead in Maine.

So far 150 stalls have been engaged by trainers at the Libertyville track.

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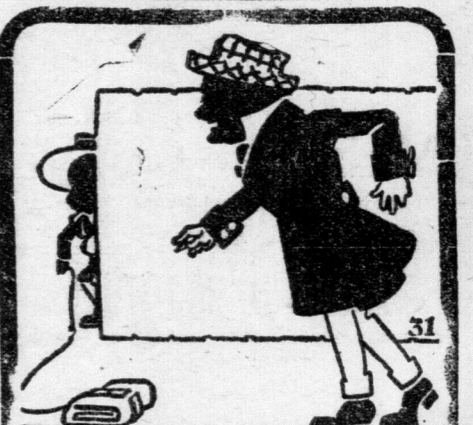
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## WANDERERS HAND QUEBEC A BEATING

Mix-up Between Cleghorn and  
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### LEHMAN'S WORK GREAT

Vancouver Goalkeeper Saved Many  
Goals for Montreal Team—  
Score Was 9 to 4.

New York, March 21. — Showing a startling reversal of form over what they had done the last time the two teams met a week ago, the Wanderers of Montreal defeated the Quebec team in the professional hockey series at the St. Nicholas rink tonight. The score of the previous occasion was 16 to 8 in favor of the Quebec boys, but when the Wanderers did not have the goal-tender that stood in the cage tonight. For the first of the final games for the purse offered by the rink managers, the Wanderers had borrowed Lehman, of the Vancouver team, and his work made all the difference in the world. When the final whistle was blown the score was 9 to 4 in favor of the team from Montreal, which was even a bigger ratio of difference than that displayed on their last contest, where the odds were reversed. Quebec Still Has a Chance.

Although Quebec was outscored by a margin of five goals, they still have a chance to get in on the long end of the purse, for another game will be played Monday night, and the team having the greatest aggregate for the two nights will get the lion's share of the money. The game was a very fine exhibition of the Canadian national winter sport, in the early stages, but along towards the end certain little differences of opinion cropped out, and there was a lot of rough work that is usually seen among the local amateurs. The officials, who were also from the Dominion, would not stand for the display of temper, and they sent man after man off the ice. The most serious of these little spats came in the third period, when Prodger, of Quebec, and Odie Cleghorn, of the Wanderers, came to blows, and for a minute threatened to be a free-for-all fight. Prodger, who is a rather husky individual, had been checking his lighter rival a bit more freely than he should have, and when Cleghorn saw an opening he spilled the big Quebec skater in scientific fashion. Prodger was up in an instant, and went at his rival with his fists. Immediately there was a grand melee in a corner of the rink, but it was all settled when the officials ruled the two of them off the ice for the rest of the game.

The line-up:  
Quebec—Moran, goal; Mummary, Prodger, Westwick, points; Crawford, coverpoint; Smith, centre; Malone, left wing; Marks, right wing.  
Wanderers—Lehman, goal; Ross, point; S. Cleghorn, coverpoint; Kendall, centre; Hyland, left wing; O. Cleghorn, O'Grady, right wing.

## RESULTS OF ENGLISH FOOTBALL GAMES

### SCOTTISH CUP

Fourth Round.  
Stevenson 11, Third Lanark 11.

### ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division.

Aston Villa 2, Burnley 0.

Blackburn 2, West Brom 1.

Derby 2, Chelsea 0.

Liverpool 2, Preston 1.

Manchester City 2, Bolton 1.

Sheffield U. 2, Oldham 1.

Sunderland 2, Newcastle 1.

Tottenham 2, Everton 1.

Second Division.

Barnsley 2, Stockport 1.

Blackpool 2, Bristol 1.

Bury 2, Glossop 1.

Fulham 2, Leicestershire 1.

Huddersfield 2, Clapton 1.

Ilkeston 2, Notts County 1.

Lincoln 2, Grimsby 1.

Sheff. Wed. 2, Doncaster 1.

Southampton 2, Watford 1.

Reading 2, Southend 1.

Swindon 2, Brighton 1.

Cardiff 2, Exeter 1.

Queens P. 2, Millwall 1.

Third Division.

Aberdeen 2, St. Mirren 1.

Airdrieonians 2, Raith Rovers 1.

Clyde 2, Queen's Park 1.

Dumfries 2, Dunbarton 1.

Heart of Midlothian 2, Rangers 1.

Motherwell 2, Partick Thistle 1.

Fourth Division.

England 2, Scotland 1.

Blackheath 2, Birkenhead 1.

Richmond 2, Old Hibernians 1.

Cardiff 2, Newport 1.

United Services 2, Rosslyn 1.

Scottish 2, Glenora 1.

Linfield 2, Gloucester 1.

Swansea 2, Bristol 1.

Pontypool 2, Bath 1.

Exeter 2, Abertillery 1.

Llanelli 2, Miners' 1.

Northampton 2, Bridgewater 1.

Abertillery 2, Bridgend 1.

Naath 2, Wigan 1.

Huddersfield 2, Halifax 1.

Hull 2, Wigan 1.

Wakefield 2, Rochdale 1.

Broughton 2, Runcorn 1.

Northern Union League.

Swinton 2, H. Helen's 1.

Leeds 2, H. Helen's 1.

Leigh 2, H. Helen's 1.

Batley 2, H. Helen's 1.

Hunslet 2, H. Helen's 1.

Harry the Ghost, 2:04½, and View Point, 2:14½, have been bought by Charles Hayes and turned over to Valentine.

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## Toronto Impressed

[Toronto Star.]

The critics were very favorably impressed with the speed and hockey ability of the O. H. A. Intermediate and Northern League champions at the Arena last night, and it was unfortunate that there should have been such a small crowd for such a good match. The Berlin team won on their merits, but Western University showed a good team and one that was a credit to the City of London.

## JUNIORS AND ALPHAS WON IN BASKETBALL

Former Team Defeated Midgets  
in Exhibition Game.

### TIGERS LOST TO ALPHAS

Both Games Were Fast, Although the  
Scores Were Somewhat  
One-Sided.

Two fast games were played in the City Basketball League on Saturday.

The first game was an exhibition one, the Midgets, defeating their regular game to the "Y" Juniors, but playing the latter team with Baines and McKay, of the Mids, on their line-up. The Juniors won by the score of 45 to 12. Grant starred for the winners. The half-time score was 19 to 5 in the Juniors' favor.

The teams were:

Grant, I. f. 20 Baines, I. f. 4

David, I. f. 21 McKay, I. f. 10

Morris, I. f. 4 McKerscher, c. 2

Eastwood, I. g. 0 Barr, I. g. 0

Henderson, I. g. 0 G. Weir, I. g. 0

Total 45 Total 12

Referee, Roberts.

Alphas Beat Tigers.

The second game was a league fixture between the Alphas and Tigers.

The former won out by the score of 45 to 29. The play was fast and close.

The former team won out by a score of the Alphas, but being less accurate in their shooting, Harris played a good game for the losers, while E. Campbell featured for the Alphas. At half-time the Alphas led by 20 to 11.

The teams were:

Harris, I. f. 13 E. Campbell, I. f. 16

Roberts, I. f. 3 Bartlett, I. f. 10

Hunter, I. f. 0 Smith, c. 11

Butwell, I. g. 4 R. Campbell, I. g. 8

Mason, I. g. 0 Bowman, I. g. 0

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Referee, Eastwood.

## CANADIAN SKATERS CARRY OFF HONORS AT NEW HAVEN

New Haven, Conn., March 21. — Canada, represented by Miss Chevallier, and Mr. Norman Scott, of the Winter Club of Montreal, carried off the honors at the competitions of the International Skating Union of America on the Arena rink here today. The pairs skating championship, the finals of which were held tonight, was awarded to Miss Chevallier and Mr. Scott. The award of the title to the Canadians will probably send the most international figure skating championships to Canada. Miss Weld and Mr. N. W. Niles, of the Skating Club of Boston, were awarded second place, while third place was given to Miss Crocker, and Mr. E. M. Howland, of the Skating Club of Boston. Among the judges in the contest was Mrs. Irving Brokaw, of New York, who thus has the distinction of being the first woman to judge a figure skating contest in this country. Mrs. Brokaw is an accomplished skater herself.

## THAT McEWING TROPHY HAS A BUSY TIME OF IT

It Has Travelled Back and Forth Between Palmerston and Harriston Several Times This Season.

Harriston, Ont., March 22. — Palmerston, in a third game with Harriston yesterday for the McEwing trophy, which arrived in Harriston the previous day, won by the following score:

Palmerston 10, Harriston 5.

St. Burns 10, O. Lavery 10.

## SARNIA TENNIS CLUB ELECTS ITS OFFICERS

[Special to the Advertiser.]

Sarnia, March 21. — Officers of the Sarnia Tennis Club have been elected for the year as follows: Honorary President, R. V. LeSeuer; president, F. L. Rigin; first vice-president, H. E. Lambert; second vice-president, Miss Gurd; secretary, Miss M. G. Stewart; captains, Miss Brady and Miss Brock Palmer; executive committee, G. P. Harry, John Shiras and Miss Logie.

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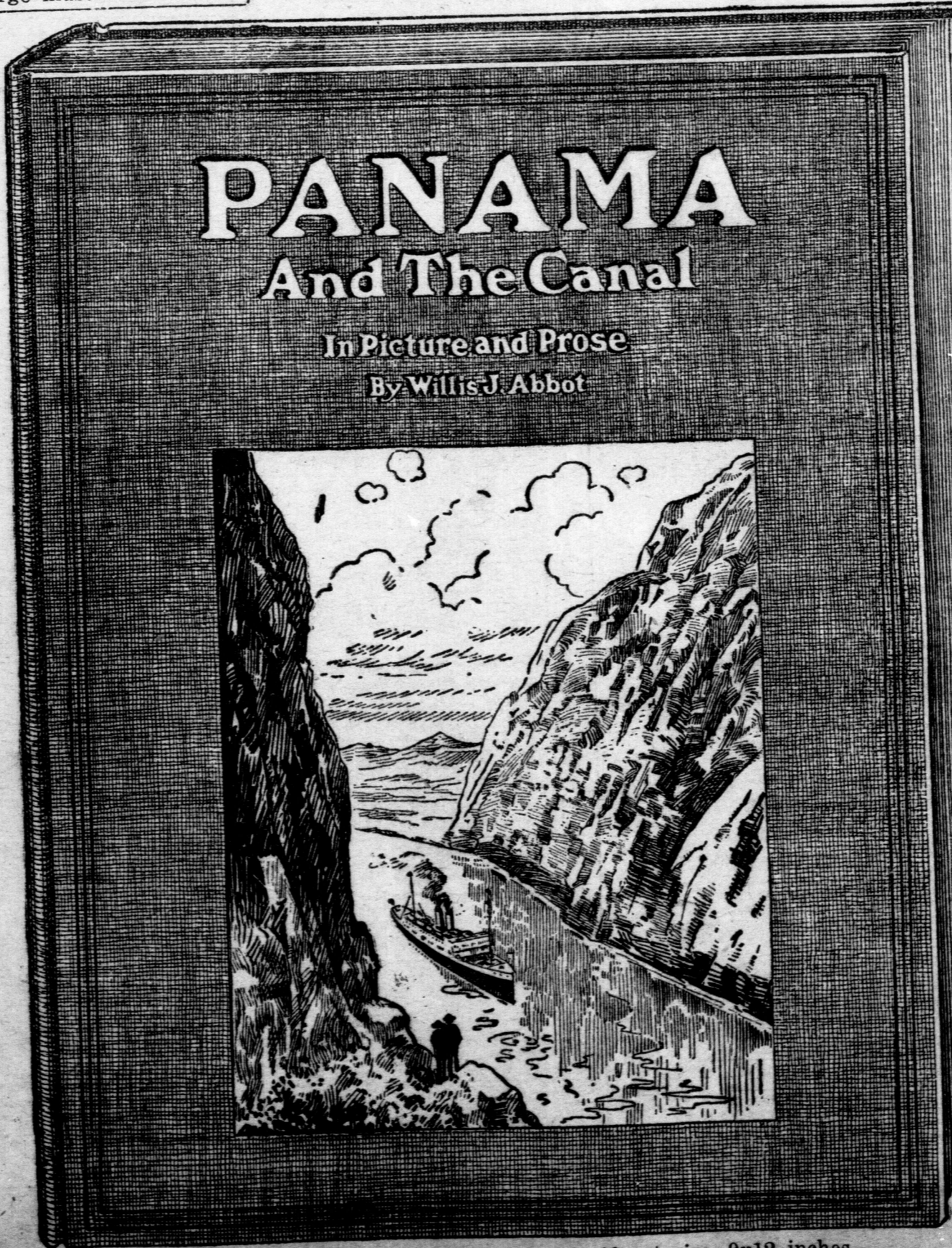
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## BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

### BORN.

ARMITT - At Hyde Park, on March 12, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. George J. Armitt, a daughter. 85u

SMITH - Mr. and Mrs. J. Blime Smith, of 172 John street, announce the birth of a son, March 23, 1914, of a son. b

### DEATHS.

HURLOCK - In loving memory of Elizabeth Hurlock, who died one year ago today, March 23, 1913.

We miss thee from our home, mother, We miss thee from thy place; A shadow on our life is cast, We miss thy kind and willing hand, Thy fond and earnest care; Our home is dark without thee - We miss thee everywhere. Husband, Son and Daughter.

### MEETINGS.

ANNUAL MEETING - WOMEN'S Auxiliary, March 24, 25, 26, Tuesday, 11 a.m., Holy Communion, St. Paul's Cathedral. Session, the Lord Bishop of Huron. Triennial, 4:30 p.m. Meeting of Junior Branches, chairman, Lord Bishop, address, Rev. J. R. Boyd, formerly of China, Wednesday, 8 p.m., public missionary meeting, chairman, Lord Bishop, addresses by Rev. Canon Tucker and Rev. J. R. Boyd. Collection.

Attention of Automobile Owners

Cordial invitation to attend a public meeting to be held in the Grill Room of the Tecumseh House, Wednesday evening, March 25, 1914, at 8:15, is extended to all automobile owners. Under the auspices of the London and Western Motor Club.

Dr. Doolittle will address the meeting on the aims and objects of the Ontario Motor League. Of increase of license fees, new plan of insurance, adverse legislation will be among the things discussed. Every owner of a car should be interested and should attend. Under the auspices of the London and Western Motor Club.

Geo. M. Reid, President. A. H. Keene, Secretary.

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WANTED - OFFICE BOY, FOR VICTORIA Hospital. Apply to superintendent, entrance between 10 and 13. 85u

WANTED - FIRST-CLASS CARPET-LAYERS, none but experienced men, need pay. Smallman & Ingram, 84c

LOCOMOTIVE FIREMEN, BRAKEMEN; wages about \$100; experience unnecessary. Send age, postage. Railway, care Advertiser. Mar. 21-23yt

CANVASSERS WANTED, SALARY OR commission. Apply Alfred Tyler, 355 Clarence street. 85c

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THREE YOUNG ABLE-BODIED MEN desire work on farms near London; hard workers, who want good wages. Box 35, Advertiser. 86c

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GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEWORK. Apply 474 Colborne street. 84c

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## Principals In Paris Shooting



J. Caillaux  
Mme. Caillaux  
Gaston Calmette

### Uster Volunteers and Regulars Join In National Anthem

Omaha, County of Tyrone, Ireland, March 22.—The military service in the Parish Church today for the regulars stationed here was also attended by 300 Uster volunteers. At the close of the service all joined heartily in singing the national anthem.

### ROOSEVELT PARTY LOSES ALL ITS EQUIPMENT

New York, March 22.—The loss of all the equipment of the Roosevelt party in the unexplored wilds of Central Brazil is reported in a cable message from Anthony Fiala, a member of the party, to the New York Times.

The message, dated at Santarem, Brazil, yesterday, was printed in the Times this morning and is as follows: "We have lost everything" in the rapid. Telephone my wife of my safety."

Excursion to Toronto. For the Masonic excursion to Toronto on March 27, the Grand Trunk will sell round-trip tickets from London at \$2.95, good going on train No. 6 at 12:05 noon, and good returning not later than March 28. Special train to leave Toronto about 1 a.m. on night of 27th. Tickets and full information at "Clock Corner," R. E. Ruse, C. F. and T. A.

## FINANCIAL and COMMERCIAL

### PROMISED DROP IN BUTTER NOT REALIZED

Prices Remain High—Hay Was Principal Offering on Square—Potatoes Cheaper.

Hay was the only line offered in any quantity on the market today. The price remains at from \$12 to \$14.50 per ton, as on Saturday. The average price per ton was \$12. The hay was of rather poor quality, and the demand very slow. Straw was slow also; only a few loads were on the square, and sold at \$7 and \$8 per ton.

Oats are rather unsteady, on account of the limited supply. Only two loads were weighed, and sold for \$1.21 and \$1.24 per hundredweight. Wheat remained at quoted prices, and has been steady for several weeks.

No eggs were on the square, but they took a decided drop on Saturday, and sold retail for 27 and 28 cents per dozen. Wholesale buyers purchased them for 25 cents per dozen, in large quantities. Butter keeps high in price in spite of dealers' predictions that it would drop.

Potatoes were slightly cheaper late Saturday, and sold, wholesale, for 55 cents per bag. A large quantity of green vegetables was offered. None was on the market Monday.

Chickens are scarce, and on Saturday the demand was much greater than the supply, and dressed fowl sold for 18 cents per pound.

Live hogs will likely sell at about \$8.75 per hundredweight; no shipments have been made yet, and none were on the market.

Maple syrup will be on sale in large quantities at the end of this week, the farmers say. The cold weather has retarded the flow of the sap, and they say that the season will likely be a short one. Syrup sold Saturday for \$1.40 and \$1.50 per gallon.

Grain, Per Cwt.	to \$1.67
Wheat, per cwt.	\$1.66
Oats, per cwt.	1.18
Vegetables, Per Bushel.	to 1.00
Wheat, per bu.	1.00
Potatoes, wholesale, bag	85
Potatoes, retail, bag	95
Beets, per bu.	40
Turnips, per bu.	20
Carrots, per bu.	20
Onions, per bu.	1.75
Pumpkins, per bu.	20
Cabbage, per doz.	75
Lettuce, per doz.	40
Celery, per doz.	50
Fruits.	to 1.00
Apples, per bu.	75
Pears, per bu.	1.00
Hickory nuts, bu.	1.50
Hay and Straw.	to 14.50
Hay, per ton	14.50
Straw, per ton	7.00
Straw, per load	6.00
Dairy Produce.	to 30
Butter, rolls, per lb.	31
Butter, fancy, retail, lb.	31
Butter, store lots, lb.	27
Butter, creamery, lb.	27
Butter, cloths, lb.	27
Eggs, crate, wholesale, 25	25
Eggs, per basket	28
Honey, strained, 10 lbs.	1.00
Honey, sections, 4 lb.	1.75
Live Stock.	to 9.00
Hogs, per cwt.	8.90
Pigs, per cwt.	7.00
Export cattle, cwt.	10.00
Milk cows, each	60.00
Small pigs, per pair	10.00
Old fowl, per lb.	11
Young chickens, lb.	14
Ducks, per lb.	15
Turkeys, per lb.	16
Geese, per lb.	15
Poultry, Dressed.	to 14
Old fowl, per lb.	13
Chickens, per lb.	12
Ducks, per lb.	15
Turkeys, per lb.	20
Geese, per lb.	15
Butcher's Meats.	to 17
Lamb, per lb.	16
Dressed hogs, choice, 120	12.60
Veal, per cwt.	14.00
Beef cows, cwt.	12.00
Mutton, per cwt.	9.00
Hides—Wool.	to 13
Cow hides, No. 1, lb.	13
Cow hides, No. 2, lb.	12

### DEFINITE PROPOSALS NOT YET REACHED

John Lind and Mexican Minister Still Fencing—O'Shaughnessy Not to Resign.

[Canadian Press.]  
Washington, D. C., March 22.—Information thus far received by President Wilson indicates that the parleys at Vera Cruz between John Lind and Senator Porfirio y Rojas, Huerta's minister for foreign affairs, have not reached the stage of formal negotiations or definite proposals. The President told callers today that nothing of importance had developed. Incidentally, the President denied that Charge O'Shaughnessy would resign, unless it were on account of ill-health, and he hoped that would not be necessary.

Interest in official circles was focused almost entirely on the battle at Torreon. Administration officials do not expect that peace parleys or negotiations will crystallize until after the battle.

Ocean Steamships.  
Glasgow, March 23.—Arrived: Steamers Petrolin, from Boston; Scotia, from New York; from Portland; Cameronia, from New York.

Christiansand, March 23.—Arrived: Steamer Hellig Olav, from New York; Madeira, March 23.—Called: Steamer Canopic from Boston.

Manchester, March 23.—Arrived: Steamer Manchester Shipper, from St. John.

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Cash grain:  
Wheat—No. 1 northern, 90 1/2c; No. 2 northern, 89 1/2c; No. 3 northern, 88 1/2c; No. 4 northern, 87 1/2c; No. 5 northern, 86 1/2c; No. 6 northern, 85 1/2c; No. 7 northern, 84 1/2c; No. 8 northern, 83 1/2c; No. 9 northern, 82 1/2c; No. 10 northern, 81 1/2c; No. 11 northern, 80 1/2c; No. 12 northern, 79 1/2c; No. 13 northern, 78 1/2c; No. 14 northern, 77 1/2c; No. 15 northern, 76 1/2c; No. 16 northern, 75 1/2c; No. 17 northern, 74 1/2c; No. 18 northern, 73 1/2c; No. 19 northern, 72 1/2c; No. 20 northern, 71 1/2c; No. 21 northern, 70 1/2c; No. 22 northern, 69 1/2c; No. 23 northern, 68 1/2c; No. 24 northern, 67 1/2c; No. 25 northern, 66 1/2c; No. 26 northern, 65 1/2c; No. 27 northern, 64 1/2c; No. 28 northern, 63 1/2c; No. 29 northern, 62 1/2c; No. 30 northern, 61 1/2c; No. 31 northern, 60 1/2c; No. 32 northern, 59 1/2c; No. 33 northern, 58 1/2c; No. 34 northern, 57 1/2c; No. 35 northern, 56 1/2c; No. 36 northern, 55 1/2c; No. 37 northern, 54 1/2c; No. 38 northern, 53 1/2c; No. 39 northern, 52 1/2c; 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## ACCIDENT VICTIM IS IDENTIFIED AT LAST

Woman Who Fell From Street Car on Friday Night Is Mrs. King.

Identity of the elderly woman who was rendered unconscious as a result of falling from a car at the corner of Clarence and Horton streets, late Friday afternoon, for sixteen hours, has been identified. The woman, who lay in an unconscious stupor at St. Joseph's Hospital without the authorities there knowing anything of her name or antecedents, late Saturday afternoon, was identified by the name of Mrs. King, who lived with her in a rooming house at 233 Horton street, and had been employed by her for the past five weeks.

The woman's failure to arrive at Mrs. King's on Saturday was the direct cause of her identification. Mrs. King inquired of neighbors whether they had seen Mrs. King. Learning that the unknown woman in St. Joseph's Hospital answered her description, Mrs. King went to that institution and identified her.

Her identification has failed to penetrate, at least, the mystery that enshrouds the unconscious woman. Beyond her name practically little or nothing is known of the woman. She lived with a widow's family for some time, but absolutely refused to divulge any information of herself or relatives. Save for giving her name as Mrs. King she told nothing about herself.

While the woman was still unconscious, late last night, the hospital authorities stated that her condition was gradually growing weaker. Slight hopes are held out for her recovery.

The woman was still unconscious at 3 o'clock this afternoon, a condition in which she has remained for 63 hours. The hospital authorities state that she is showing signs of recovery, and little hope is held out for her recovery.

## OVER SEVENTY OFFICERS SENT IN THEIR PAPERS

Given Twelve Hours to Accede to Order for Service in Ulster.

London, March 22.—What appears to be a reliable account of the defection of the officers at Curragh comes in a Dublin dispatch. On Friday morning the officers received notification from the war office that unless they were prepared for active service in Ulster under certain contingencies they should send in their papers within twelve hours. As a result of this notification, 76 out of 78 officers, including Lord Haldane, resigned. General Sir Arthur Paget then communicated with the war office and subsequently had a conference with the Curragh officers.

General Paget told them that the war office was willing to accept the resignations of General Gough, of the Third Cavalry Brigade, and the senior officers of his staff, Major Kearsey, but that the others would be individually liable for their refusal to serve, which meant that they might be court-martialed.

Decided to accept. General Gough and Major Kearsey declined to accept the offer of special treatment and said they would stand or fall with their brother officers.

General Paget gave assurance that the movement of troops to Ulster was intended merely for the protection of Government property, and on this assurance the officers eventually agreed to proceed to Ulster for police duty, but that they refused to undertake hostilities against the Ulster loyalists.

This decision was forwarded in a special message to London and General Gough and the colonels of the other regiments were summoned by the war office to proceed to London. It is understood that the officers domiciled in Ulster will not be compelled to undertake active service against their will, but will be given the option of resigning from the army or prolonged leave of absence.

The regulation governing the officers' position as volunteers is not permitted to retire voluntarily unless it is deemed expedient by the Army Council.

## "FABRICATION" SAYS CANON

Rector of St. Paul's Cathedral Explodes Theory of Immaculate Conception of Mary.

In his morning sermon in St. Paul's Cathedral yesterday, Rev. Canon L. N. Tucker characterized the doctrine of the immaculate conception and the divinity and assumption of the Virgin Mary as pure fabrication. The belief that the Virgin Mary was conceived without original sin, that she was divine and that she was taken up to heaven after the manner that Christ ascended, Canon Tucker declared to be all imagination. The doctrine of the immaculate conception was promulgated by a decree of Pope Pius IX. in 1854. It was not taught in the Bible and was not held by the early Christian church, said Canon Tucker.

## SPECIAL COUNTY COURT

Extra Session Arranged for April 7.—One Case Already Entered.

A special meeting of the county court will be held at the local court house on April 7. One case was set down for hearing at this session of the court this morning, when Alice J. Metcalfe, D. P. Smith and Winnifred S. Smith, entered against the township of Moss for \$500 damages for injuries sustained through the overturning of an automobile on the Longwoods road near Woodgreen on July 17. They claim negligence on the part of the township in not having the road in repair. J. F. Faulds is acting for the plaintiffs.

## What Sackville Street Looks Like When It Thaws

Photo by Hubert Dawdy.

## INVITES PASTOR AND CHOR TO HAVE DRINK

"Come One, Come All," Yells Bottle-Waving Man in Toronto Church.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, March 22.—William H. Balfour staggered into the Berkeley Street Methodist Church last evening during the service, and, gaining a seat in the center of the auditorium, stood up, waved a big bottle of whisky in the air and invited the pastor and the choir to have a drink.

"Come one, come all," yelled Balfour. The pastor stopped in the middle of a sentence and sat down. The congregation shifted and shuffled. Balfour continued his invitation and a general discussion on the fruitfulness of church-going. Then the janitor got a policeman, who waited in and exhaled Balfour out. Service was resumed.

## PECULIAR ACTION BY AN ITALIAN TEACHER

Asks Protection and Seeks Damages From Newspaper and Its Management.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, March 22.—Searfina Castrucci, teacher of Italian children in a separate school, magazine and newspaper writer, is seeking protection of the courts and claiming damages against La Tribuna Canadiana, an Italian paper published here, and those associated with or contributing to it. Those associated with the paper, the plaintiff alleges, are: the publisher, O. Casarini, editor, George H. Gooderham and E. W. J. Owens, member of the Legislature, representing South Toronto, who, the plaintiff's statement of claim alleges, control the paper for political purposes and are its financial backers, and G. Bagnato, postoffice employee and author of a letter to La Tribuna.

Eugene's letter and comment thereon by La Tribuna, the plaintiff alleges, are to be interpreted as charging the plaintiff with being insane, as attempting to make him contemptible and regarded as unfit for association with his Italian confreres, and as a teacher of their children, and even suggesting his assassination, or, for the Italian idiom is capable of the constructions—confinement in an asylum.

## NO PROROGATION UNTIL JUNE'S VERY PROBABLE

Budget Likely to Entail Long Discussion—Other Measures.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, March 22.—From present indications there is little likelihood of the present session of Parliament concluding before the first of June or at best, very late in May. The budget will be brought down next week, and is likely to entail lengthy discussion. The Opposition is said to be planning a particular onslaught on military expenditures. The N. T. debate will probably last a week, and there are many other measures, such as redistribution, the railway half holiday for carriers during summer, and other Government bills likely to prolong the session.

## HAS NOT WHEREWITHAL

President Wilson Tells of His Ignorance of Stock Exchange.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, March 22.—When asked today if he were taking any part in proposed legislation to regulate stock exchanges, President Wilson replied that he had not passed any judgment on the question, because he had not felt familiar with the operations of the exchange. He smilingly told callers that his ignorance of exchange mechanism was due largely to his lack of "wherewithal" to engage in stock speculation at any time.

## FOUND FROZEN IN AN UNOCCUPIED HOUSE

[Canadian Press.] Watertown, N. Y., March 22.—The body of a man supposed to be Leo Wari, of Fulton, who was slain at the Pine Camp Inn, a hotel near the Government military camp at Pine Plains, was found in an unoccupied house near Cortez yesterday. The body was frozen, and he is supposed to have wandered into the house while delirious and there frozen to death.

## DEATHS OF THE DAY

Well-Known Medical Man. Brantford, March 22.—The death took place at Paris last night of Dr. A. J. Sinclair, one of the best-known medical men in Western Ontario.

Dr. Sinclair was born near St. Thomas, and was educated at the Grammar School there, later taking up medicine. For 25 years he was the Grand-Trunk surgeon at Paris.

## Italian Admiral.

[Canadian Press.] Rome, March 22.—Vice-Admiral Faravelli, who was in command of the Italian warships at the bombardment of Tripoli in October, 1911, died yesterday.

## EARTHQUAKE RECORDED.

[Canadian Press.] Cleveland, Ohio, March 22.—The seismograph in the observatory at St. Ignace College here recorded an earthquake this morning, starting at 3:15 o'clock and ending at 3:24. Rev. Father Odenbach believes the disturbance was as far away as the Indian Ocean.

## DIRECT FREIGHT LINE.

[Canadian Press.] San Francisco, March 22.—A direct line of freighters between Australia, New Zealand and the Pacific Coast will be established soon by the Union Steamship Company.

## CITY OFFICIALS TO APPEAR IN COURT

Chief of Police Orders Summons for Those Who Have Not Passed Examinations.

Tired of waiting for H. A. Brazier, assistant city engineer, Walter Dodd, superintendent of the garbage department, and the drivers of the motor fire apparatus to try their efficiency examinations, Chief of Police W. T. Williams today ordered summons to be issued for them to appear before Magistrate C. Judd and explain why they should be driving cars without having passed the Government test examinations.

"All the drivers of city motor apparatus have taken out licenses and passed the examinations. Very often patients mentioned and they will have to settle the matter in court before Magistrate C. Judd," stated Chief Williams to The Advertiser today. "They have been repeatedly told by me that they must try to become a virtue, and as I am tired of waiting on them they can give their explanations to the magistrate," said the chief.

## CONVICTED MURDERER FIGHTING FOR HIS LIFE

Mulvihill's Appeal Before Court and Judgment Is Reserved.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, March 22.—Motion was made in the Supreme Court in the criminal case of Mulvihill versus the King for extension of the time in which to serve notice of appeal. The appellant was convicted of murder at Kamloops, B. C., and sentenced to be hanged. The court of appeal for British Columbia, J. McPhillips dissenting, affirmed the conviction. The proposed appeal is based on the contention that the appellant was not allowed a fair trial on account of having been refused an adjournment to enable him to meet the testimony of two witnesses, not present at the preliminary inquiry, and respecting which he received no notice until the time of the trial. Also that improper questions had been put to the appellant when he was giving his evidence as a witness on his own behalf, by the crown prosecutor in respect of his previous character. The court reserved judgment until Wednesday, 25th instant.

## LETTER CARRIERS TO WAIT ON P. M. G.

Want Increased Wages, Half Holidays and Other Things.

Winnipeg, March 22.—W. H. Hoop, of Winnipeg, president of the Canadian Letter Carriers' Association, leaves on Tuesday to head a delegation of carriers which will wait on the Postmaster-General on Friday, but Chief of Police W. T. Williams would not confirm it.

## WHO IS GOING TO BE LONDON'S RULER?

Controllers Have Not Decided Just Which One Will Guide Ship of State This Week.

The controllers had a difficult time this morning deciding which member of the board should stay at home to rule the city while the others go along with the radials-waterways deputation to Ottawa. Controller G. E. Rose is still ill, and it may be up to him to direct the affairs of the corporation via the telephone while the remaining members of the board, along with the mayor, lie themselves to the capital.

## INJURED AT DRILL

Member of Seventh Engineers Has Head Cut by Heavy Spar.

Sapper J. Morris, 120 Wharfedale road, is lying in Victoria Hospital with three stitches in his head as the result of a fall today, but let it roll with. Sapper Morris, who was below, failed to get out of the way, and was struck by the falling timber.

## VISIT NEW WARD

Large Number Inspect Latest Addition to Victoria Hospital.

A large number of citizens visited Victoria Hospital on Saturday afternoon and inspected the new west wing, which is to care for tuberculosis patients, the children ward and the new eye, ear, nose and throat department. Superintendent T. H. Heard welcomed the visitors, all of whom were most favorably impressed with the new and modern quarters. Patients are being moved into the addition today.

## COMMITTEE TO LOOK OVER TWO DRAY SITES

Two Locations Suggested To Meet the Demands of Draymen.

The special committee appointed by the council to consider the demands of the city draymen for a suitable dray stand, will meet this afternoon to inspect a couple of locations that have been suggested, on York street and the other on Clarence. The men are desirous of resuming their old position on the York street roadway, but wholesalers on the thoroughfare threaten legal action if such permission is granted by the aldermen.

## Personal Mention

Daniel Burr, of Parkville, has purchased a house on Bruce street, South London, and will move to the city on April 1. Mrs. E. T. White has returned home after spending a few days with Mrs. J. F. Ingle, Toronto.

Miss Minnie Bayley, Cleveland, Ohio, returned home Monday after visiting her sisters, Miss Agnes Bayley and Mrs. Geo. Cundick.

## Too Late To Classify

BORN. JOHNSON—In Edmonton, March 22, 1914, to Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Johnson (nee Eva Macpherson), a daughter.

## HEROIC MOTHER SAVES FOUR LITTLE CHILDREN

Rescues Them From Burning House at Great Danger to Herself.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, March 22.—Only through the heroism and presence of mind of their mother were the four little children of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Outimet saved from a terrible death last evening. At imminent risk to herself, while her husband was struggling with burning clothing, Mrs. Outimet climbed up an outside stairway, burst through windows and carried the four babes to safety, first getting two of them returning for the other two. Three other ones escaped, and ran to the front door. Mrs. Outimet tried to go back into the flames to rescue her husband, but was prevented by the firemen, who by this time had arrived, and made short work of the blaze.

## VANCOUVER JUDGE MUST RETURN EXPRESS MONEY

Appeal by W. H. P. Clement Dismissed by the Supreme Court.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, March 22.—The supreme court gave judgment today dismissing the appeal of Justice W. H. P. Clement from the decision of Mr. Justice Cassels, of the exclusive court, finding the appellant guilty of having illegally collected expenses accounts through charging living expenses at Vancouver, when his official residence was declared to be elsewhere.

Three of the judges, Duff, Anglin and Brodeur, find that the appellant was established, but on question of law the decision of Justice Anglin—that the money collected by Justice Clement since 1907 for expense account, aggregating several thousand dollars, should be returned to the crown—is sustained. Justice Iddleton holds that neither the supreme court nor the exchequer court has any jurisdiction to deal with the question of fraud, and he declines to pass upon it either one way or the other.

## NO ARREST OF MELIE ON SECOND CHARGE

Chief Williams Will Not Confirm Rumor of Concealed Weapons' Accusation.

It is considered improbable that a warrant will be issued for the arrest of Rocco Melie on the charge of carrying concealed weapons. There was a rumor afloat to that effect today, but Chief of Police W. T. Williams would not confirm it.

## WHO IS GOING TO BE LONDON'S RULER?

Controllers Have Not Decided Just Which One Will Guide Ship of State This Week.

The controllers had a difficult time this morning deciding which member of the board should stay at home to rule the city while the others go along with the radials-waterways deputation to Ottawa. Controller G. E. Rose is still ill, and it may be up to him to direct the affairs of the corporation via the telephone while the remaining members of the board, along with the mayor, lie themselves to the capital.

## REAL BILL POSTER NOW

Mayor Starts Tour To Post Legislators on London's Bills.

Mayor C. M. R. Graham and City Solicitor T. G. Meredith will go to Toronto tonight to appear before the Legislature in connection with the city of London bill which will be presented on Tuesday. From connection they will go on to Ottawa in connection with the London and Port Stanley Railway Commission, which goes before the House on Wednesday. The mayor will remain in the capital, and will join the radials-waterways deputation on its arrival Thursday morning.

## STREET CAR DELAYS

Saturday's Record of "Hold-ups" at Level Crossings.

Crossing.	Time.	Lost.
G.T.R.-Richmond	7:19-7:25 a.m.	6 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	7:30-7:35 a.m.	7 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	7:38-7:43 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	7:43-7:48 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Rectory	7:43-7:48 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Rectory	7:48-7:53 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Rectory	7:53-7:58 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Rectory	7:58-8:03 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Rectory	8:03-8:08 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Rectory	8:08-8:13 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:13-8:18 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:18-8:23 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:23-8:28 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:28-8:33 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:33-8:38 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:38-8:43 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:43-8:48 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:48-8:53 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:53-8:58 a.m.	5 min.
G.T.R.-Richmond	8:58-9:03 a.m.	5 min.

## HIST! MEXICAN AGENT WORKING IN LONDON

Dark Skinned Desperado Sought To Be Buying Second-Hand Shoes!

The man who gives the newspaper the exclusive tips gravely informed The Advertiser this morning that an agent of the rebel forces of Mexico was in London the second-hand and damaged shoes in this leading shoe country, the Dominion for the use of the dark-browed soldiers who are fighting in the ranks of Villa and Carranza.

The explanation was added that owing to the hostile feeling existing between the Americans and the Mexicans, the emissary of the bold, bad Mexican insurgents had passed up the United States in his commercial transactions and had come to Canada, and hence quite naturally enough to the leading shoe manufacturing centre of the Dominion.

The Advertiser was unable to secure an interview with the mysterious stranger, who apparently made the rounds of the shoe stores, factories and pawnshops early this morning. "Yes, we had a man looking for second-hand shoes in carload lots," said one dealer. "But we thought he was after them for a social service settlement, or some missionary society, or something like that. Didn't know he was a Mexican desperado."

Trace of the rebel representative was also found on Clarence street, where it was said he looked over the stock of second-hand footwear of all emergency accommodation bankers, and aroused suspicion by the covetous eyes he cast on the old pile and blunderbuses used in the war of 1812. He is also said to have looked lovingly at the banjos and mandolins. One dealer said he was afraid the mysterious stranger intended to come back under cover of night and help himself, and so the dealer was about to ask for an extra policeman on the peaceful Clarence street beat.

## EVIDENCE LACKING IN WHITE SLAVE CHARGE

Hamilton Man Discharged in Brantford—Said to Have Brought Girls There.

Brantford, March 22.—In the police court this morning, James Harris, of Hamilton, was charged with inducing girls here for immoral purposes. He had brought, it was alleged, two girls, Della Hendershot and Vera Hamburg, from Hamilton, staying with them at the Kerby House here. Sergeant Connolly broke into the room on word being received from Hamilton that Harris and Hendershot had come here and registered as man and wife.

## G. F. R. WILLING TO DO ITS SHARE ON SUBWAYS

Vice-Presidents J. E. Dalrymple and H. G. Kelly, of the Grand Trunk, arrived in London today in their private car, "Ontario," spent some time looking over the subway question. The proposed new station was also discussed.

The officials stated that at any time they were willing to meet representatives of the London Street Railway or the city council and go thoroughly into the subway question, but as yet they had heard nothing definite as to what either of these bodies was willing to do towards building subways. Both vice-presidents indicated that they were sure that the railway company was not going to spend all the money, and that if London wished subways, someone else would have to put up a portion of the cash.

It was hinted that the plans for the new depot and for extensive improvements around the East End yards were brought to London by the officials, but they would neither confirm or deny this.

## NEWS

Tom Short a Visitor.—Tom Short, for a number of years Grand Trunk station master here, but now of Ottawa, is a visitor in the city today.

Restraining Wires.—The Canadian Pacific Railway during the past week has had a gang of 11 men employed in London restraining the telephone wires between this city and Toronto.

Is Preparing Badges.—Industrial Commissioner Philip is getting out badges for the delegates from London and vicinity who will go to Ottawa on London's special C. P. R. train next Wednesday night. The badges will be stamped "London Delegation," along with the names of the various municipalities.

Fraternities Visit.—A Killingsworth of Locomotive Firemen, Charity Lodge No. 5, of St. Thomas, visited Ontario lodge No. 468, on Saturday and spent a several hours in the latest book "Sparks and Cinders," which were much enjoyed by the members.

Irish Slum Work.—"Slum Work in Ireland" will be the subject of an address by Mrs. J. H. Boyd at the Adelaide Street Baptist Church in a meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society of the church, Tuesday evening. A tea will be provided for all the ladies of the church, and a musical program will be given.

Motor Owners Meeting.—Dr. P. D. Doolittle, president of the Ontario Motor League, will address a meeting of the automobile owners of London at the Tecumseh House on Wednesday evening. The subject of the address is "The Aims and Objects of the Ontario Motor League," and there will be a general discussion on the new plan of insurance, increase of license fees and adverse legislation. The meeting is under the direction of the London and Western Motor League.

Will Appear Tomorrow.—Wilfred Trautman, charged with the abduction of 15-year-old May Eveland, and Mrs. John McNamee, charged with aiding Trautman in the abduction of the girl, will appear before Magistrate J. C. Judd in the Carling street court for trial tomorrow.

Aeroplane Club.—An aeroplane club for the study of aeroplanes, and the building of model machines, will be organized in the Y. M. C. A. on Thursday evening. All "Y" members under eighteen years of age may attend. The club will run under the direction of E. G. Chadwick.

## SUCCEEDS SIR GEORGE AS LIBERAL LEADER

SENATOR BOSTOCK.



## RESIGNATION OF OFFICERS

(Continued From Page One.)

without his knowledge, some of his colleagues did not make these movements of troops as part of a concerted plan to provoke or intensify the situation.

Save the Pensions. Mr. Law asked whether Gen. Hubert Gough, commander of the third cavalry brigade at the Curragh, had been reinstated, and, on what terms. He contended that officers refusing to undertake duty against Ulster should be permitted to resign instead of losing their pensions.

Nothing, declared Mr. Law, could save the army now but clear declaration that officers of the navy and army would not be compelled to engage in civil war against their wish. He concluded: "The Government is attempting to cover a portion of the United Kingdom without the authority of the electorate."

Cheers for Asquith. Premier Asquith rose to speak, amid a great outburst of cheering. He said that after Mr. Law's speech, he was necessary to the country should know at once the kind of issue that was going to be presented. He continued:

"The duties of the army in relation to the civil power are very simple, and have never been contested. Any officer or private who refuses to obey an order is liable to dismissal." As far back as December last year, said Mr. Asquith, general officers of the army were now satisfied that he had used duty to come to the assistance of the civil power, and any officers domiciled in their area might be excused. If there had been any intention of an aggressive move toward Ulster, this would have been the last step taken, and he added, the movements of troops were now concluded.

Paget Denies. The premier said Sir Arthur Paget had emphatically denied that he had used any such words as "that this was the first step in a series of operations to conquer Ulster." These words had been wrongly attributed to the commander-in-chief in Ireland. General Paget had never received from the war office any instructions justifying such a statement. If the army officers with local officials could not be trusted, he would have been the last step taken, and he added, the movements of troops were now concluded.

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London, March 22.—A much easier feeling has been created in the British Isles by the reassuring statement given out by Premier Asquith in regard to the movement of troops in Ulster, which, he said, had been made in a precautionary measure and for the protection of Government property. The inference is generally drawn from the Premier's remarks that the Government's intentions in respect to the army officers who have been ordered to serve against the Orangemen had been misinterpreted.

The public in all parts of the United Kingdom awaited calmly today the explanation of the cabinet in the House of Commons, to which place the Irish controversy has been transferred.

In some quarters there was an inclination to believe that General Sir Arthur Paget, commander-in-chief in Ireland, had placed a much graver interpretation upon the Government's inquiries as to the feelings of army officers in the Irish garrisons than was intended. His presentation of an ultimatum to the officers that they must either serve or resign led, it is thought, to their handing in their resignations.

Takes Serious View. Sir Arthur Paget always has taken a serious view of the threatened refusal of officers to serve in Ulster. It is understood that he followed his public statement to them by a private intimation that their resignations would not be quietly accepted by the war office.

Gen. Sir Arthur Paget, Brig.-Gen. Hubert Gough, commander of the Cavalry Brigade at the Curragh and other officers attached to the Irish garrisons, reached London this morning, and immediately went to the war office to confer with the cabinet.

John Seely, secretary for war, and Field Marshal Sir John French. This conference was followed by a full meeting of the cabinet.

Belfast Quiet. [Canadian Press.] Belfast, Ireland, March 22.—The capital of Ulster, in which are the headquarters of the provisional government of the province, is today serene and quiet. No excitement, no military movements are expected, while the residents look to London and the Curragh camp for their news.

The statement issued by Premier Asquith last night declaring that the movements of troops were of a purely precautionary character has not weakened the determination of the Unionists to be prepared for all eventualities. When Sir David Carson, the leader of the Ulstermen, read it today, he remarked: "The statement simply represents the position of the Prime Minister. It is a statement of fact. The Government has been driven to it in a ludicrous position, but its action makes no difference to us. We are proceeding steadily with our preparations and organization. We are not in the least affected by anything the Government may do or pretend to do. We shall keep steadily in view our main object, which is to prevent ourselves being put by force under a Government we detest."

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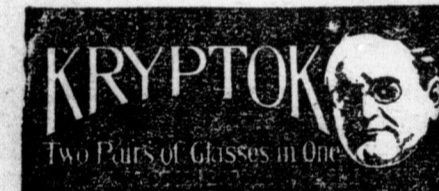
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**NEWS**

Meeting Postponed.—The regular meeting of the Simcoe Street Mothers' Club will be postponed until the evening of Thursday, March 26, when the Rev. W. J. Knox will address the club.

Maccabee Dance.—One of the most enjoyable dances of the season was held on Saturday night in the Maccabee Hall. The music was appreciated, especially the xylophone and cornet solos. The words of the music were thrown on a screen as the selections were played.

Broke Motor Vehicle Act.—William MacDonald, an automobile salesman, was found guilty today by Magistrate J. C. Judd, of a breach of the motor act in allowing his automobile to pass a standing street car at the corner of Dundas and Clarence streets, while passengers were alighting, and fined \$3 and costs.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

Mr. W. J. Gibling and family desire to publicly thank their many friends and acquaintances and also the following organizations: Seventh Regiment, Chapter I. O. D. E., Court Forest City, A. O. F.; A company, Seventh Regiment; Sergeant's Mess, Seventh Regiment; Conservative Club, Chelsea Green School, Ladies' Aid and Bible Class, Chelsea Green Presbyterian Church, ena-elling department, McCarty Manufacturing Company, and American Dry Cleaning and Dye Works, for their sincere expressions of kindness and sympathy in our recent sad bereavement, as it is a source of great consolation and comfort and helps smooth some of the rough edges of our affliction to know that she, who was so dearly beloved by us, was held in such high esteem by all with whom she came in contact. Signed, on behalf of my family and myself, Walter J. Gibling, 54 Jacqueline street, Chelsea Green.

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**LONDON SUFFRAGE SOCIETY TO BREAK FROM NATIONAL BODY**

The Alleged Unconstitutional Methods of Toronto Association Causes Local Branch to Decide on Entering New National Association.

At a special meeting of the London Suffrage Society, held in the Normal School on Saturday afternoon, a resolution was carried in reference to the present split in the Canadian Suffrage Association, whose headquarters are in Toronto. The London society has been affiliated with the national association for some months, but in view of the alleged unconstitutional method they had used, it was resolved that the delegates to the meeting to be held in Toronto on Tuesday next be empowered to break away and, if it was deemed advisable, help in forming a new national association in Canada.

Another interesting feature of the meeting was a resolution of sympathy with the women teachers of the city in regard to the present situation in connection with salaries. The London Suffrage Society placed itself upon record as being desirous of seeing fair play for the women teachers, and will doubtless communicate with the board of education regarding the matter.

**\$100 FINE AGAINST HEAD OF LOCAL MOOSE LODGE**

Magistrate Finds Him Guilty of Having Liquor on Unlicensed Premises.

W. R. Shaw, dictator of the Local Order of Moose, was found guilty by Magistrate J. C. Judd today of a breach of the liquor license act in allowing liquor on the premises of an unlicensed or unincorporated club and fined \$100 and costs.

In finding Mr. Shaw guilty, Magistrate Judd stated that it was impossible, in the face of the evidence, to rule otherwise.

"On the day of the raid five cases of empties were taken away from the premises," said the magistrate in summing up. "When Sergeant Birrell and Barnhill, with Inspector Galpin, visited the place at night they found 45 filled pins of ale in the clubhouse, which, on the evidence of Mr. Wilson, who stated that they were for the members, who did not wish tea or coffee, was evidence enough alone to convict. The London lodge, or club, is neither incorporated nor licensed, and I find the defendants guilty. The guilt falls on the head of the society, who happens to be Mr. Shaw, and I have no alternative but to fine him \$100 and costs."

E. W. Scatterd, who represented the defendants, stated that there would be no appeal in the case, and that so far as his clients were interested, the case would end with the ruling of Magistrate Judd.

An order was made out by Crown Attorney James J. McKillop, for the confiscation of the liquor seized in the raid. James Wilson, steward of the club, who was also summoned, was dismissed.

**CARS WENT DOWN BANK BUT NO ONE WAS KILLED**

Toronto, March 22.—The C. N. R. train from Trenton was wrecked between Breenburg and Cherrywood, 8:50 last night and almost as if by a miracle no person was killed. Two first-class coaches, a dining car and the baggage car went into the ditch when the train was going at a speed estimated at 40 miles an hour. The tracks were torn up for nearly half a mile. One car rolled down a fifteen-foot embankment and landed on its side, while another car caught fire. Only the engine and tender remained on the track.

The passengers most severely injured are G. H. Linton, former proprietor of the Daily House, Toronto, severe injuries to leg and head, and Mrs. Ford, Saskatoon, severely hurt in the back. The conductor, express messenger and a number of passengers received cuts and bruises.

A relief train was out from Toronto and the injured ones brought to this city on it.

A spread rail is said to have caused the accident.

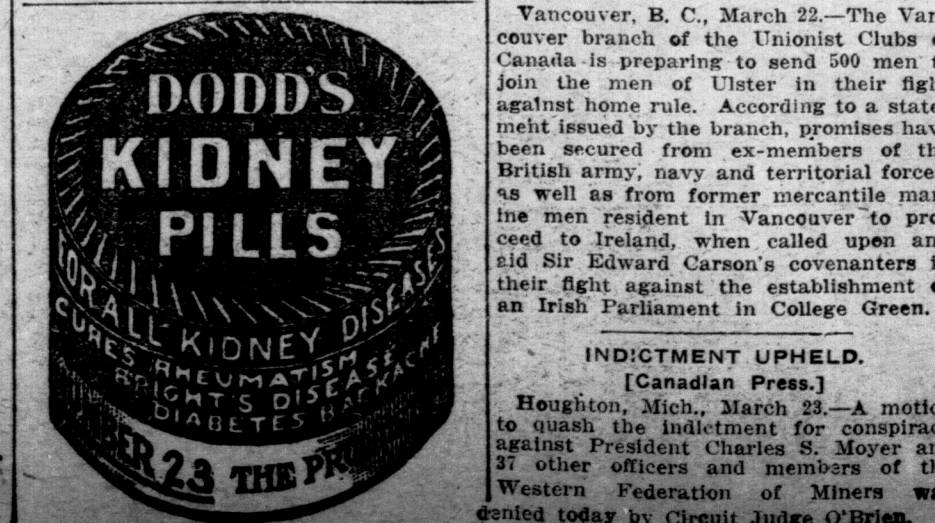
**SIR MACKENZIE BOWELL HAS ONE.**  
The art series of Upright Pianos made by Ye Olde Firme, Heintzman & Co. Limited, 242 Dundas street, London, find favor with Canadian citizens from one end of the country to the other. One of the finest uprights made by Heintzman & Co. Limited—and the largest—has a place in the beautiful home of Sir Mackenzie Bowell, former premier of Canada, Belleville.

**SCHUMANN-HEINK TOMORROW.**  
The announcement that Mme. Schumann-Heink is to give a recital at the Grand tomorrow evening has aroused much discussion as to her extraordinary drawing powers. It is a certain fact that no artist draws the great audiences throughout the country that flock to hear the wonderful contralto. "Sometimes the song an artist likes best to sing is not the song the public cares most to hear. This is unfortunate, because an audience has much to do with how well or how badly an artist sings. The ideal condition is realized when the current of sympathy between listeners and singers is established through a song that the ones loves to hear as the other loves to sing it." Thus it will be seen that Schumann-Heink arranges her program with a view of pleasing her audience as much as herself, and this, coupled with the fact that she has a most wonderfully pleasing and gracious personality, is responsible to a great degree for her wonderful success.

**CHINESE OUTLAWS KILL SOME HUNDREDS**

[Canadian Press.]  
Peking, March 22.—Outrages by brigands in Central China are assuming alarming proportions. Several bands associated with the noted outlaw, White Wolf, are ravaging various sections of the country, ruthlessly murdering and robbing the people and burning their property.

The latest exploit of the bandits was the massacre of three hundred townsfolk who were resisting their entrance into an important market town close to Sian-gang, Province of Hupei. Seventy of the town was burned and the population ruined financially.



INDIGMENT UPHELD.  
[Canadian Press.]  
Houghton, Mich., March 23.—A motion to quash the indictment for conspiracy against President Charles S. Moyer and 37 other officers and members of the Western Federation of Miners was denied today by Circuit Judge O'Brien.

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Four Convicted of Murdering Rosenthal Assert Innocence and Ask "Fair Play."

[Canadian Press.]  
New York, March 22.—Convicted of the murder of Herman Rosenthal and sentenced to die in the electric chair in the week beginning April 13, the four gunmen in the Sing Sing Prison death-house, issued a statement "to the public" today. Alleging that they were left to die unjustly, while former Lieut. Charles Becker obtained a new trial, they had their appeal for "justice" and "fair play," which they had already prepared when he visited them yesterday. They reiterate their innocence and charge Harry Vallon and "Bridgey" Webber with the Rosenthal murder. The men are "Lefty Louie" Rosenberg, "Dago Frank" Ciroli, "Whites" Louis and "Gyp" the Blood.

**PRESIDENT ANXIOUS FOR VOTE ON REPEAL**

Has No Doubt of Bill Passing, But Wants Promptness—Some Filibustering.

[Canadian Press.]  
Washington, D. C., March 23.—While President Wilson has no doubts about the passage of the administration bill to repeal the Panama tolls exemption, he is anxious that it be brought to a vote promptly. He has been advised that a vote probably would be taken as soon as the rivers and harbors bill has been disposed of.

The President said today it looked to him as if there had been a filibuster on the rivers and harbors bill to delay the vote on the tolls question, but smilingly remarked that filibusters were filibusters. He denied a charge made on the floor of the Senate that he had attempted to limit the tolls debate in the House. He said that, while he had no part in suggesting a rule to limit debate, he hoped there would be one.

**BARTENDER IN TROUBLE**

Alleged To Have Sold Liquor to Minors—Judgment Reserved.

Jerry Collins, bartender of the Bank Hotel, appeared before Magistrate J. C. Judd today, charged with selling liquor to minors. After hearing the evidence, Magistrate J. C. Judd reserved judgment until Friday.

Collins denied the charge and was backed by two witnesses who swore they had seen him refuse the minors. Two youths swore they had purchased drinks from Collins.

Richard Ross, a lister, told a long story about being long "shot" of barley-corn for his health. On being found guilty, he was given the alternative of paying a \$10 fine or spending the next 21 days in the county jail. He took the days.

**SUES FOR DAMAGES**

Caradoc Farmer Enters Action Against C. P. R. for Western Wreck.

George Edward Sawyer, a Caradoc resident, who was injured in a wreck on the C. P. R. near Saskatoon, on June 14 last, has filed a writ in the local courts against the Canadian Pacific Railway for unstated damages. He claims that he was a passenger on a train which left the rails while negotiating a curve at a high rate of speed, about 14 miles west of Saskatoon. In the resulting wreck, caused, he claims, by the negligence of the plain-tiffs, he received severe injuries to his chest and has been a nervous wreck ever since. J. F. Paulds is acting for him.

**FALL WHEAT GOOD**

Farmers Report It as Being in Good Condition.

Fall wheat is in fine condition, the farmers report. It is much too early to give an idea as to the probable success of this year's crop, as the critical time in its growth is yet to come, when the heat and dryness of the summer. The recent snowfall was helpful, although the thin layer of ice which covered the ground in most places, caused some anxiety to farmers. This seems to have caused no damage, however, and unless there are some severe frosts and thaws, there will be an excellent fall wheat crop.

**VANCOUVER TO SEND 500 TO HELP ULSTER**

Vancouver, B. C., March 22.—The Vancouver branch of the Unionist Clubs of Canada is preparing to send 500 men to join the men of Ulster in their fight against home rule. According to a statement issued by the branch, promises have been secured from members of the British army, navy and territorial forces, as well as from former mercantile marine men resident in Vancouver to proceed to Ireland, when called upon and aid Sir Edward Carson's covenanted men in their fight against the establishment of an Irish Parliament in College Green.

**NEW RESTAURANT IN ST. THOMAS**

John Kee and Wong Do Bate have purchased the store at 552 Talbot street, St. Thomas, and will open a restaurant about April 1. The store will be entirely renovated and a number of private dining-rooms will be added for guests. Chinese dishes of all descriptions, as well as American dishes, will be served in the restaurant. REMEMBER THE DATE. M. 23, 25, 27

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**PULPIT DECLARED VACANT**

Petrolia Presbyterian Church is Now Without a Pastor.

Petrolia, March 22.—Rev. J. Ross, of Wyoming, occupied the Presbyterian pulpit today and in the name of the Presbytery of Sarnia declared the pulpit empty until a new pastor is obtained.

Mr. Ross is interim moderator. Prof. J. Culham, B. S. A., held two successful pruning demonstrations in Brooke at Sunnyside and Inwood yesterday. Both were well attended and farmers evidenced great interest in this leading branch of fruit growing.

Mr. T. Jennings, prominent contractor of Petrolia, is seriously ill with pneumonia. Mr. Jennings caught a severe cold while at his work about a week ago which has developed in a severe attack of pneumonia.

**DEXTER SCHOOL REPORT**

The following is the report of school section No. 8, Yarmouth. The names are placed in order of merit:

Senior Fourth—Inez Vansickle, George Clements.  
Junior Fourth—Agnes Somerville, Marguerite Jones, Audra Parker, Tom Jones, Sidney Parker, Harry McLean.  
Senior Third—Lewis Somerville, Elmore Goodhue, Tom McLean.

Junior Third—Inez Parker, Agus Parker, Ruby Hawley.  
Senior Second—Henry Parker, Minnie Parker.  
Junior Second—Fred Somerville, Flossie Jones.  
J. A.—Joseph Hawley, Douglas Parker.  
J. B.—Mary Parker, Byron Hawley, Eva Black, Arthur Cummings.  
Primer—Gerald Somerville.  
LILLIAN MC'COLL, Teacher.

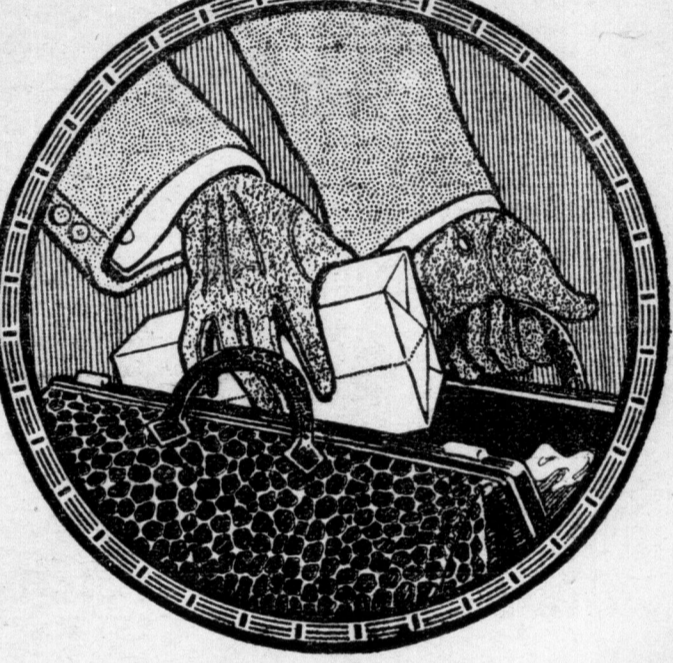
\*Absent.

**CARD OF THANKS.**

W. M. Seltzer wishes to thank the nurses and attendants of Victoria Hospital, and his many friends, for their kindness during his recent illness.

**OPENING UP A NEW COUNTRY.**

The opening up of the new territory traversed by the Grand Trunk Pacific Railway between McBride, B. C., 1,135 miles west of Winnipeg, and Prince George, B. C., 1,275 miles west of Winnipeg, is developing the important discovery that the district in that part of British Columbia is well timbered with spruce and much good cedar. The country is fairly level and the timber is probably the finest anywhere along the Fraser River. West of Willow River, an important townsite, settlers have already established themselves, and reports indicate that there is a large area suitable for settlers in the Salmon River country west of the Fraser River and reaching down the townsite of Willow River. There are not more than two or three outcroppings of rock all the way from McBride to Prince George, and where the timber is removed the soil will be found very rich and highly productive, and this section will become a very important one in time. An estimate of the land available for agricultural purposes within four miles on each side of the railway would be approximately 75,000 acres, but this amount will be very much exceeded. If the country continues similar for a further distance from the railway, this feature is being developed as surveys are made. From a scenic point of view from McBride to Hansard, a distance of about 100 miles, the mountains are always in view, extending on both sides of the Fraser River, with a pleasing softness to them, which resembles the Skeena River district to some extent. The Caribou Range, at about 1,150 miles west of Winnipeg, gives promise of offering to the mountain climber and explorer as many attractions as any other range in the Rockies or Selkirk. Many of these mountains are snowcapped and glacier-capped throughout the summer.

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