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STRENGTH OF BEER IS DOUBLED

Sentences Are Imposed On Four Convicted Bank Directors

ONTARIO LEGISLATURE WILL PERMIT SALE OF 4.4 PER CENT BEVERAGE BY AMENDING ACT

Announcement of Proposed Legislation Made in Speech From the Throne.

HIGHER SALARIES

Sessional Indemnities Will Be Increased and Ministers' Allowances Raised.

REDISTRIBUTION BILL

Ferguson Government Advises Immediate Action Be Taken to Develop St. Lawrence Power.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—Announcement of government legislation to permit, under the Ontario temperance act, the sale of beer with an alcoholic content double the strength hitherto permitted under the act, was the feature of the announcements in the speech from the throne delivered by His Honor Col. Harry Cockshutt, lieutenant-governor, at the formal opening of the Ontario legislature this morning. This is the second session of the sixteenth legislature of Ontario. The opening was attended by the usual ceremonies.

Premier Ferguson, explaining the amendment to the Ontario temperance, announced in the speech from the throne, said the amended law would allow beer of 4.4 alcoholic strength instead of 2.5 as at present. The premier said that it had been proved laboratorially and otherwise that this 4.4 per cent beer was not intoxicating. The premier remarked that the amendment would not please everybody.

That an important announcement was expected was evidenced by the unusually large crowd at the opening today. They were not disappointed, as near the end of the speech was the announcement of the proposed legislation in connection with the O. T. A. The effect of the amendment proposed by the government is to allow two and a half per cent alcohol in beer by volume instead of by weight as at present. This doubtless will be the strength of the beer that will be permitted to be sold if the proposal passes the house.

It will be recalled that when the temperance act was first drafted there was considerable controversy over the point of what constitutes an intoxicating beverage. A large section of eminent laboratory opinion at that time contended that the alcoholic content of legal beer should be defined as 2½ per cent alcoholic weight, not at 2½ per cent proof spirit. Adoption of the former standard as proposed by the amendment to the O. T. A. will double the alcoholic strength at present permitted, and would make possible the sale of a palatable beverage similar to Quebec beers and lagers.

In Quebec the average beer sold in

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AT THE OPENING OF THE LEGISLATURE.

Premier Howard Ferguson (right), whose sessional program was announced today at the opening of the legislature. The principal features in the speech from the throne read by Lieutenant-Governor Harry Cockshutt includes an act doubling the strength of beer in the province, increased sessional indemnities and a redistribution bill.

Opinions In London Differ On Ontario Beer Change

High Spots In Speech

The Ferguson government, as indicated in the speech from the throne at the opening of the legislature today, has an extensive program to dispose of during this session. Among the leading pieces of legislation will be:

Amending O. T. A. to double beer strength.

Increasing sessional indemnities and ministers' salaries.

Redistribution bill.

St. Lawrence power development.

Wider markets, particularly with Britain.

Temperance Forces Consider Thin Edge of the Wedge.

"WETS" NOT SURE

The doubling of the alcoholic content of beer in Ontario as outlined in the speech from the throne today by Lieutenant-Governor H. A. Cockshutt at Toronto, is received here in two distinct attitudes by moderates and temperance advocates respectively. The temperance people regard it as the thin edge of the wedge and as a move calling for their quick and determined opposition while the moderates are not greatly enthused, and are even doubtful if it will become law.

Col. Lawless, president of the London branch of the Moderation league, says: "I regard the proposal as only a feeler. I am not at all sure that it will ever become law, and many things may happen before that. This view of the moderate league is that there should be another plebiscite, with the issue made quite clear and unmistakeable to the voters, in which case we believe that the O. T. A. will be revised as we suggest. We regret the cleavage caused at the last plebiscite, and that it was caused by lack of exact knowledge of how we wished to have the act revised. At the provincial conference of the league to be held in Toronto about Feb. 21, the course of action will be decided upon. We are sending delegates to this meeting from London."

David Ross, president of the London temperance committee, refused to comment in any way upon the announcement, but E. E. Reid, who was chairman of the committee which fought the battles of the temperance followers in the last plebiscite, said: "It is the thin edge of the wedge. It simply means a reopening of the whole question again. Anything of the nature suggested in this announcement should not be considered for a moment."

HON. GRAHAM'S ATTACK ON MONTREAL RAPPED

"Moneyed Group" Is Far From Selfish, Sir Charles Gordon Declares.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 10.—Sir Charles Gordon, president of the Dominion Textile Company, Limited, at the outset of an address here last night on Canada's problems, took the occasion to criticize the remarks of the Hon. George P. Graham, made in Ottawa on Saturday last, regarding the "selfishness and vanity" of the moneyed group" in Montreal.

"The minister seems to think people in Montreal spend all their time in collecting non-taxable income bonds, in order to get in on the ground floor and get out at the roof," said Sir Charles. "I don't know what the honorable minister refers to. I think you will agree with me that people in Montreal are pretty generous givers to every cause that is worth while. I think that aspersions of this kind come with a very poor grace from a minister of the crown.

DOCTOR-KILLER SENTENCED TO ASYLUM FOR LIFE

Associated Press Despatch.

Cambridge, Mass., Feb. 10.—Dr. Raymond D. Thiery of Somerville, who shot and killed David M. Noble, his brother-in-law, at the Thiery home on Aug. 8 last, was taken to the Bridgewater state hospital for the insane yesterday as a life patient.

He was committed to the hospital by Judge Sisk in Middlesex county superior court, after a jury impanelled to try him for murder returned a directed verdict of "Not guilty, by reason of insanity."

HEIR PRESUMPTIVE TO SIAMESE THRONE IS DEAD

Associated Press Despatch.

Bangkok, Feb. 10.—Prince Chao Fa Asdang Tejavudh, heir-presumptive to the Siamese throne, is dead.

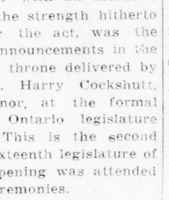
Prince Asdang, who was born May 12, 1889, was made heir-presumptive through a ruling in November, 1910. This ruling was that, until the king, Rama VI., had male issue, the succession would pass presumptively through the line of the queen-mother's sons.

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Today — Moderate winds: cloudy.

Wednesday — Northeast winds: cloudy, with local falls of snow or rain.



The disturbance which was over the lake region yesterday has moved northeastward to northern Quebec and another is moving eastward across Arkansas, while pressure is quite high over the western half of the continent. Rain has fallen in Ontario and light local snow or rain has occurred in Quebec. Elsewhere the weather has been fair.

Temperatures.

The highest and lowest temperatures previous to 8 a.m. today were:

Stations	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	46	38	Cloudy
Calgary	48	..	Fair
Winnipeg	14	2	Fair
Port Arthur	16	2	Fair
S. S. Marie	40	26	Cloudy
Toronto	48	36	Cloudy
Kingston	52	34	Cloudy
Ottawa	42	34	Cloudy
Montreal	40	28	Fair
Quebec	28	22	Cloudy
St. John	36	26	Cloudy
Halifax	32	28	Cloudy

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 46; lowest, 41.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 42; lowest, 33.

Barometric Readings.

Monday—8 p.m.—29.14.

Today—8 a.m.—29.34.

Sun rises at 7:25 p.m., and sets at 5:40 p.m.

ENTRAPMENT OF COLLINS NOT A FAKE

Medical Men and Geologists Convinced Explorer Is Still Alive.

TESTS CONTINUE

Tunnel Being Sunk Has Reached a Depth of 38 Feet.

Associated Press Despatch

Cave City, Feb. 10.—The cloud of rumors of distrust and suspicion of the story of Floyd Collins' imprisonment in Sand Cave began to seperate early today as a board of state military officials met to hold an official inquiry into the cave man's predicament. Lieut.-Governor H. H. Denhardt heads the military board. The state officials, geological and medical experts are firmly convinced that Collins was accidentally imprisoned and very likely is still alive, basing their beliefs on tests with an electric amplification device which apparently recorded Collins' breathing.

Johnny Gerald, who was driven away from the cave by state troopers because he insisted the tunnel could be cleared and who quoted Collins as saying to him that he could live for two or three weeks down in the cave as long as he was fed, insisted that suspicion directed toward him based on rumors of ill feeling toward Collins was absolutely wrong.

He is expected to be one of the chief witnesses at the inquiry. Others who have been called to testify are Collins' brothers, Homer, Marshal and Andrew, and his father, Lee. Wm. B. Miller, Courier-Journal reporter, who made many trips into the cave, and others who headed rescue parties down the sand cave tunnel. The shaft headed for Collins' prison early today had crossed the 33-foot mark, but advance explorations with a diamond drill indicated no crevice or tunnel at the 70-foot mark. Experts directing the rescue work, had estimated Collins was approximately 60 feet underground, so a side drift may be started when the tunnel reaches that depth.

VARIETY OF ACCIDENTS BLAMED ON N. Y. FOG

Elevateds Crash, Steamers Collide and Trains and Ferries Are Held Up.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 10.—Two persons were killed and three score others injured yesterday in a curious series of accidents due to dense fogs that prevailed over the eastern states and seaboard, bringing semi-paralysis to New York's transit systems and causing a general tie-up of traffic on land and sea.

The gray blanket, thick as the proverbial London fog, was charged with responsibility for three collisions on elevated railroads in the city's outskirts; a disruption of the ferry service between Manhattan and New Jersey, Brooklyn and Staten Island points; a collision of two ocean-going steamers in the lower harbor; a general delay of train service bound to and from New York; a surface car collision, and a number of minor mishaps.

MORPHINE STOCK SEIZED.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Moose Jaw, Feb. 10. — Morphine valued at about $10,000 was seized when Gordon MacDonald and Jack Arthurs were arrested here yesterday by mounted police officers. The drugs were found on the men and in the rooms occupied by them.

NEW BOOTLEGGING PROBLEM NOW FACES GREAT BRITAIN

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 10.—Great Britain has a bootlegging problem, says the Westminster Gazette, which may necessitate the adoption of special measures.

The trouble arises from the fact that the price of spirits in France is only about half that in Britain, where the duty is very high. This encourages smugglers to run contraband spirit cargoes across the channel in small motor boats and land them on unfrequented parts of the English coast, whence they are taken to London and other large cities in motor lorries.

These ventures are substantially financed, and bring big profits, according to the paper.

MAN SUICIDES BY CUTTING THROAT WITH A COMB

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, Man., Feb. 10.—George Armstrong, 36, a farmer of Cartwright, Man., committed suicide at the general hospital yesterday by cutting his throat with a metal comb.

Armstrong had been a patient in the psychopathic ward of the hospital for several weeks, and is said to have been obsessed with a delusion that he was under sentence of death for a crime he had committed.

Saving Your Money

is one thing, but what to do with it after you have saved it is just as difficult.

Beginning this Saturday, on the financial page, The Advertiser is giving six articles by well-known London bond brokers, dealing with classes of bonds and market conditions.

The first article is "Bonds as an Investment," by W. T. Bartlett of Wood, Gundy & Co. Watch for it on the financial page this Saturday.



S. CASEY WOOD,

former Home Bank director, who was given a six-months' sentence today, on charges arising out of the failure of the institution.

CANADA'S FLEET IDEAS RIDICULED

London Times Wonders Why Costly Projects of Past Have Left No Effect.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 10.—The Times, commenting on the proposal of the Canadian government to subsidize a fleet of ten steamships in an effort to lower ocean freight rates, says that Canada is perfectly at liberty to arrange for shipping services to be conducted on a non-profit making basis if she considers it to the advantage of the whole dominion, and that taxpayers should make good any losses which might result. Canada's experiences of government transport services have already been costly, and it is not yet explained why if she is prepared to go on meeting losses by means of large drafts on the taxpayers' money, she should not make use of her government-owned ships, instead of calling into being a new fleet under private management, comments the Times.

It may be recalled that the imperial shipping committee rendered Canada notable service last year, adds the Times, both in connection with freight rates on flour and in marine insurance terms, and it would not have been surprising if the Canadian government had submitted its present alleged grievances in the first place at any rate, to that impartial body. It was precisely to deal with such questions as are now raised, the Times points out, that the imperial shipping committee was formed

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HUNDRED WOUNDED AS REDS TRY TO BREAK UP MEETING

Members of the Catholic Party Under Gen. Castelnau Victims of Attack.

FEELING RUNS HIGH

Associated Press Despatch.

Marseilles, Feb. 10.—Nearly one hundred persons were wounded or bruised during attempts by communists to break up a meeting of the newly organized Catholic party presided over by General de Castelnau here last night.

The list of casualties at first estimated at slightly more than a score was almost tripled during the course of the forenoon by reports from hospitals and police stations, where many of the victims presented themselves. Senator Flaissieres, the socialist mayor of Marseilles, has placed a ban upon all public meetings for an indefinite period, whether organized by parties of the right or left. The population of Marseilles is at a high state of feeling, especially the Catholics, who resent the interference with their meetings, and allege that the police failed to afford it proper protection.

Revolvers were used during the attack, but blackjacks and loaded canes were the weapons most favored. The Catholic meeting had been advertised for some days in advance, but it was only yesterday that the communists announced their counter manifestation.

The hostilities began while the Catholics were proceeding to their meeting hall, the communists opening their attack to the tune of the Internationale, while the Catholics resisted to the strains of the "Marseillaise."

This is the first time the extreme right and the extreme left organizations have met in actual combat, except in the chamber of deputies, where individual clashes are quite frequent.

Senator Flaissieres, the Socialist mayor of Marseilles, has taken special police precautions to prevent a recurrence of the trouble.

Four Home Bank Directors Sentenced, Gough Pleads He Is Victim of Deception

Richard P. Gough, Vice-President, Given One Year in Ontario Reformatory.

TERMS ARE VARIED

Stewart Goes Down For One Month, Wood For Six, Russill Is Freed.

Toronto, Feb. 10. — Richard P. Gough, vice-president of the Home Bank of Canada, who was found guilty on six counts of charges laid under the bank act in connection with the failure of the institution in August, 1923, was sentenced by Judge Emerson Coatsworth this morning to one year determinate and one year less one day indeterminate in the Ontario reformatory.

J. F. M. Stewart, director, who was found guilty of one count of negligently concurring in a false statement, was sentenced to one month in the provincial reformatory with four months indeterminate sentence.

F. J. B. Russill, the last of the directors of the Home Bank of Canada to face trial before Judge Emerson Coatsworth on charges laid under the bank act, was found by his honor this morning of concurring in the last annual statement issued by the directors in 1923. Judge Coatsworth stated that sentence in his case would be suspended.

In the trials of all the other directors, his honor has handed down lengthy written judgments, but he announced that he had decided not to follow this course in the case of Russill.

S. Casey Wood, K.C., of Toronto, was found guilty of negligently concurring in false statements, one for the month of February, 1923, and the other for the year 1923. He was sentenced to six months determinate and six months indeterminate in the reformatory.

"I suppose there is nothing more to say in these cases, beyond that I concluded to do as I did in the others in pronouncing moderate sentences," remarked Judge Coatsworth, when he took the bench this morning to pass sentence upon the convicted directors. D. L. McCarthy, K.C., crown counsel, moved at once for sentence on Richard P. Gough. R. H. Parmenter, K. C., representing Gough, asked the consideration of the court for a moment to point out that Mr. Gough had been a citizen of the highest standing without any previous stain upon his integrity. He was a man 60 years old, with a family of seven children, four daughters and three sons, all at home, one of the happiest families until this calamity had befallen it. He would ask the court



R. P. GOUGH,

Home Bank director, who was sentenced this morning to one year in prison for being implicated in the making of false statements in connection with the defunct bank's affairs.

BALDWIN FACES BIG PROGRAM

Liberals and Laborites Will Make Session Interesting For Government Forces.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 10.—Both houses of parliament are reassembling today to resume business at the point where it was left when they adjourned for their holiday vacation seven weeks ago.

Although there is no legislation of outstanding character pending, there are plenty of topics to absorb the interest of the politicians and public and both the Laborites and Liberals have declared their intention of using their parliamentary privileges to the utmost to check as far as possible any tendency by the Conservatives to use their huge majority against what the opposition parties conceive to be the public interests. Some keen debates accordingly are expected on various matters in the near future.

While finance necessarily should occupy the foremost place throughout the session, the Laborites and Liberals will be inquisitive on the other topics, notably the government's newly proposed procedure respecting the safeguarding of British industries, th eintended bill dealing with this problem having been abandoned. It has been understood that former Premier Asquith would take his seat in the House of Lords this week, but it is now stated that this has been postponed until the question of his title is cleared, descendants of the Devere and Harley families, who formerly held the title of Earl of Oxford, having raised objections to me, Asquith, assuming this designation.

FRENCH DIPLOMAT HAS HIS STATUS RESTORED

Associated Press Despatch.

Paris, Feb. 10.—Philippe Berthelot, former secretary-general of the ministry of foreign affairs, is about to be restored to the rank of ambassador, from which he was suspended for ten years in 1922 by a board of discipline, following the failure of the Banque Industrielle de Chine. The board which investigated the case at that time rendered the opinion that, in sending certain telegrams during the crisis in the bank's affairs, M. Berthelot had engaged the responsibility of France in the affairs of a private concern.

It is understood that the reinstatement will be made under the recently passed amnesty bill, and that, pending his appointment to an embassy abroad, M. Berthelot will act as an adviser to the premier on questions of foreign policy.

PRODUCERS WILL BENEFIT FROM WHEAT TAX, CLAIM

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 10.—"An export tax on wheat for consumption or grinding in the United States will be the best thing for the Canadian producer in the long run because it will enable the Canadian millers to protect the standard of Canadian flour exported from the North American continent," said F. C. Cornell, secretary of the Canadian national millers' association, when asked last night for his opinion of the report from the royal commission inquiring into the grain trade, which was tabled in the house of commons yesterday. Mr. Cornell said he had not yet had time to study the report fully.

Watch for pictures of people and places you know in the rotogravure picture section every Saturday.

ONE BOTTLE BRINGS ON $500 FINE

James Fox Found Guilty of Keeping Liquor For Sale in Home.

CONTAINED ALCOHOL

Spirits Treated With Brown Sugar and Water—Trouble With Knee.

James Fox of 405 Pall Mall street was fined $500 and costs in police court this morning on a charge of keeping liquor for sale. Failure to pay the fine will mean a four-months jail term.

Fox, together with seven other men, was arrested Sunday afternoon after police had raided his home. Yesterday he was tried on a charge of being the keeper of a cocking main. This case was dismissed by Magistrate Graydon. He was tried under the O. T. A. charge and a disorderly conduct charge today.

Twelve witnesses appeared for the crown and defence and the case occupied the greater part of this morning's police court session.

Explanation Fails.

In endeavoring to explain the presence of a partially-filled bottle of colored alcohol and a small quantity of coloring fluid, Fox, through his counsel, J. M. Donahue, presented a physician's prescription showing he had purchased a pint bottle of alcohol from a local druggist, and declared that he had used half of it on a sore knee. The remainder he diluted and prepared a delicious concoction of brown sugar, water and alcohol. This he consumed as an asthmatic remedy, he said.

The fact that Fox had "doctored" the liquor proved that it was not being used for its legitimate purpose, the court held. Fox was unable, also, to satisfactorily explain to the magistrate the presence of eight men in his house during Sunday morning. They had only paid him a friendly visit, Fox said in defence. He had never sold them liquor and none of them were drunk.

Evidence of four constables, however, satisfied the magistrate that the men had been drinking.

Cleared of Charge.

The seven men, having been held over from yesterday's cocking main case until today on bail of $25 each, were dismissed on disorderly conduct charges following Fox's conviction under the O. T. A.

Witnesses in today's case included Inspector Lucas, Sergeant Tomblin, Constables McMaster and Fuller, Dr. Best of the Institute of Public Health, who made an analysis of the liquor, Sergeant Middaugh, Dr. S. Henry, Duncan Stewart, a drug store clerk, John Hopper, Fox, and Harry Donnelly.

Upon sentencing Fox, Magistrate Graydon declared that many complaints had been made to the police recently concerning Fox's home at 405 Pall Mall street.

WAREHOUSE IS RAIDED, LIQUOR SUPPLY STOLEN

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Fifteen armed men in five automobiles early today raided a Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul railroad company warehouse here and escaped with 46 barrels of port wine after they forced Dan Kelleher, warehouse engineer, to assist them.

English Eating Full Meal Bread

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 10.—The English are becoming a nation of whole meal bread eaters. Since the pronouncement, a little more than a year ago, by the eminent surgeon, Sir William Arbuthnot Lane that white bread is probably one of the causes of cancer, the bakers of England have noticed a great decrease in the sale of white bread and an increase in the consumption of whole meal products.

This change in the national appetite has become so widespread that the bakers' association has issued posters and pamphlets showing the benefits of whole meal diet, and urging its wider use.

BELGIAN GOVT. BREAKS ON WOMAN SUFFRAGE

Parliament Will Be Dissolved, With Election Planned For April 5.

Associated Press Despatch.

Brussels, Feb. 10.—The government has decided to dissolve the Belgian parliament at the end of the present month, and to hold elections for the new body on April 5.

A deadlock among the parties upon the question of woman suffrage in provincial elections is the reason for the dissolution, which will take place about a month previous to the expiration of the terms of the members. The Catholic party, allied with 21 dissident Socialists, favor granting the suffrage, while the Liberals and the bulk of the Socialists are opposed.

Woman suffrage will be the main issue in the April election.

Eyes

Girls who use their eyes merely for seeing are wasting them. The eyes of today have a million uses with the same old object of the ages—a mother-in-law.

There are two colors in eyes now, "soulful grays" and "flashing blacks." They represent modes of attack. Gone are the blues, the greens, hazels and modest browns. Just as an experiment, try to tell one her's are green.

Eyes get more attention than a baby trying to force his first tooth through by hollering.

The brush at the top is trimmed and greased until it looks like a miniature wei beaver.

The lashes are "bearded." That means that they look like the sergeant's moustache.

Eyes are used to stop a man, turn him around, beckon to him, tell him to sit down, move slightly nearer, nearer still, not too near, back a bit, don't be silly, of course you can't.

She never has to say a word.

Somebody once murmured something about "eyes a wondrous gift."

A. W. J. B.

TORY LEADER TAKES KING TO TASK FOR DARING TO FIGHT TRADE MENACE; PREMIER DEFENDS LIBERAL POLICIES

Meighen Pictures Premier Trying To Control Single-Handed the Oceans.

HITS PLEA FOR FAITH

Reiterates Assertion 2,000 Factories Are Closed, But Increases Number.

PREMIER REPLIES

King Hoped To Enlist Other Countries in Combine Fight.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—Premier Mackenzie King and Right Hon. Arthur Meighen, leader of the opposition, clashed in debate on the floor of the House of Commons today.

It was the opening day of debate on the address. Following the more or less formal speeches of the mover and seconder, Mr. Meighen spoke. He declared that the government had precipitated transportation anarchy and chaos. It made an abortive attempt to control lake freights, which had ended in having to eat crow at the hands of American vessel-owners.

But—so continued Mr. Meighen—undaunted by its failure the government was now taking to the broad Atlantic, and, single-handed, expected to control ocean rates. Mr. Meighen referred here to the reported arrangement for subsidizing ten steamers of the Petersen line, and quoted Sir William Petersen as having recently advised the Petersen line shareholders not to sacrifice their shares at a discount, but hold out for par, because he hoped to see Petersen ships soon sailing "under very much more prosperous conditions."

Our Immigration.

Mr. Meighen charged that the Canadian government had in three years spent $9,102,000 to bring 322,000 immigrants to Canada, while during the same time over 600,000 Canadians had gone to the U. S.

Premier King challenged Mr. Meighen's criticisms. He quoted U. S. authorities as declaring that Canada's industrial outlook was bright, American statistics showed, he declared, that relatively unemployment conditions were much worse in the U. S. than in Canada. Mr. King noted figures to show that Canada's trade balance was more favorable than it had been since the war, and that manufacturers of agricultural implements had been able to meet foreign competition and realize a profit since the reduction in the tariff on agricultural implements in last year's budget.

Export markets were essential, the prime minister went on. A new combine had been forming and seeking to control the entire ocean commerce. It was to be hoped that Canada would have the support of the other dominions and of other countries in breaking down this ocean combine.

Moves Reply.

In moving the address in reply to the speech from the throne in the House of Commons, Sir Eugene Fiset, Liberal, Rimouski, found in the government's statement a policy of hopeful note for increased prosperity in the dominion. Speaking of the promised development of Canadian ports, he expressed the hope that the port of Quebec would get adequate consideration.

Immigration was the first consideration of the hour. It was possible, he thought, to overdo the idea of economy in administration. The national life must be carried on and proper development carried out.

Charles E. Hanna, the newly-elected member from West Hastings, in seconding the address, said farms having a total value of $12,000,000 in his constituency were operating under a handicap of ocean rates, which confined the marketing possibilities. There was need for increased refrigerating accommodation on ocean-going freight vessels.

Hon. Arthur Speaks.

Hon. Arthur Meighen congratulated the new members for Rimouski and West Hastings on their efforts.

The leader of the opposition also offered his sympathy to Sir Eugene Fiset for "the torments and agony he must have suffered in enforcing the law so abhorrent to his sense of justice," having the military service act in mind.

The question of the ratification of the Geneva protocol was then touched upon by Mr. Meighen.

"We are left entirely in the dark as to what the mind of the government is on the matter," he declared suggesting that the government should make an immediate statement on the matter.

What efforts the government proposes to make in the direction of reducing the high cost of living one could not surmise, although certain ambiguous remarks were made on the point in the speech from the throne. The government had also made its thirteenth or fourteenth statement on the immigration policy. "but where are the immigrants?" Mr. Meighen asked.

Reference was made in the speech from the throne to the result which had been obtained from last year's legislation. It was claimed that the tariff reduction had resulted in a decrease in the cost of living. As a matter of fact, the official statements showed that there was an increase in the cost of living.

Secondly, the speech said that something must be done by way of control of transportation on land and seas.

Turns Tariff Aside.

"The government is determined to get away from tariff discussion as soon as possible," said Mr. Meighen. "Therefore it has chosen transportation as a subject for discussion." The government said that it could not discuss its policy in regard to transportation on land until a decision had been reached on the Crows Nest appeal now before the supreme court.

"Why not?" asked Mr. Meighen. Didn't the prime minister go through the west, telling his audiences that his government was to be thanked for the Crows Nest Pass rates? Why did it hesitate to declare its policy now? No one had ever suggested that parliament had not power to legislate yes or no on the Crows Nest Pass agreement. Whatever the supreme court decided, final action remained in the hands of parliament.

"The government, by the course it has pursued, has precipitated transportation anarchy and chaos in this country," Mr. Meighen said. On the water the policy of the government was quite clear, according to the speech. It proposed to control rates on the lakes and on the ocean. He asked the house whether, last year, there had been a single scrap of control over lake shipping.

"The legislation of the government passed at the last session of parliament had proved abortive," Mr. Meighen said.

Will Help Company.

On the ocean the government proposed to control rates through an arrangement made with Sir William Petersen. Mr. Meighen referred to a newspaper report of an address delivered by Sir William to the shareholders of his company, in which he intimated that the arrangements would result in increased rates and generally benefit the company. Whether or not any benefit accrued to the people of Canada it seemed probable that there would be advantages to the company of Sir William Petersen.

Turning to the financial situation, Mr. Meighen said the balancing of last year's budget had only been brought about because the government, while indorsing $72,000,000 Canadian National bonds, had not shown them in the balance sheet. The debt of Canada was now greater by that amount that the government had presented it. The government had not even tried to balance the budget this year.

"Last session," said Mr. Meighen, "the speech from the throne, 'couched in apostolic diction,' had promised greater immigration through decreased taxation and improved business conditions. A review of what had been accomplished since then produced little that was tangible in the way of progress. There had been, it was true, some amelioration of conditions in Western Canada, but this was not very great and it did not flow from government policy any more than did the recent eclipse of the sun."

Defends "Pessimism".

Mr. Meighen said that he did not intend to let the government muzzle him by its cry of "pessimism." The country and parliament had a right to ask the government to substantiate its claim that progress had been made in the last three years, and he expressly demanded to know where substantial progress towards prosperity had been made in 1924 under the present policy.

Mr. Meighen proceeded to read some comparative figures showing business activity and unemployment during the last year. He was interrupted by the minister of labor, Hon. James Murdock, who asked if Mr. Meighen was aware that he was reading only one side of the argument and that his report had been prepared by the employers for a special purpose. The trades union side of the question also should be presented.

Mr. Meighen retorted that the figures he quoted were prepared in the department of trade and commerce. He was quite willing to quote the trades unions also.

Belittles "Faith."

Advertisements were being published in various magazines and newspapers under the signature of the minister of trade and commerce, headed "Canada is coming through; stand by her. In your faith lies her strength."

"Do not let anyone, however, confound faith in Canada with faith in the government," Mr. Meighen said. "It was declared by the government that Canada began in 1924 on a considerably lower level than the United States, but ended the year considerably the better."

Referring to unemployment, statistic's furnished by the minister's own department show that the index numbers of employment in Canada on Jan. 1, 1925, was 83.9, as compared with 89.4 in the United States.

The statement made by him in Stratford in August last to the effect that 2,000 factories had been closed in Canada since the present government came into power was correct, and during 1922, 1923 and the first eight months of 1924 the number of failures totalled 2,274.

Premier Replies.

Premier King said that Mr. Meighen would probably agree with him that the constituency of West Hastings was better known in Canada today than ever before.

The leader of the opposition, "in his courageous way," had chosen to test out a constituency which had always returned a Conservative. But the Conservative had been defeated by an overwhelming majority.

Mr. Meighen had often said that the government did not enjoy the confidence of the country. He offered as a panacea for the errors which he claimed the government was making, an increased tariff. Mr. Meighen's proposal had been before the country in 1921. It had been overwhelmingly defeated. Since the last session there had been six by-elections. In all but one of them Liberals had been returned. "I think the leader of the opposition must feel that the remedy he proposes is not one which meets with the public approval," said the premier.

Mr. Meighen wishes to know why there was no reference in the speech to the Geneva protocol. The reason was that the Dominion government was at present in communication with the government of Great Britain in regard to this matter, but no conclusion had yet been reached. There would, however, be a statement from the government and ample opportunity to discuss the protocol at a later date in the session, said Mr. King.

Tories Are Blamed.

The criticisms which Mr. Meighen had offered on immigration the prime minister met by referring to the situation which, he said, confronted his government when it took office in 1921. When the government came into power, the machinery of immigration had been stopped. The government had been faced with the necessity of getting things moving again in this department, and consequently there were not very great results in immigrants coming to Canada in the first two or three years of the present administration.

Canadians were returning to Canada. Subsequent to the war there had been a considerable boom in the United States. A quota law was passed by the United States restricting immigration from other countries, but leaving the gates to Canada wide open. In view of the boom in the United States it was inevitable that a number of Canadians would seek temporary employment in that country. Under the United States alien labor law no man could go to the United States to take employment unless he went as an immigrant. Therefore, thousands of men who wanted temporary work stated that they were immigrants, and so crossed the line. As the government unfortunately did not keep track of those who returned until recently, no statistics on this point were available. However, statistics preserved now showed that Canadians were returning from the United States at the rate of 4,000 a month.

Better Than U. S.

In resuming his speech in the evening, Premier King quoted statistics showing the decline of the index figure of employment in the United States during the five months ended October from 101 to 89—a fall of twelve, while in Canada during the same period there was a reduction of 7.1 in the employment figure. The American statistics showed, said the prime minister, "that relatively conditions were very much worse in the United States than in this country." Employment conditions were more rapidly approaching normal in this country than in the United States during the last year.

In making speeches throughout the country last summer, Mr. Meighen had endeavored to create the impression that some two thousand factories throughout Canada had been closed down as a result of tariff changes made by the present government. But Mr. Meighen had quoted the figures from Dun's report which did not sufficiently differentiate between a manufacturing organization and what is popularly known as factories. The two thousand failures quoted by Mr. Meighen, included very small productive enterprises. Mr. Meighen had carefully kept from the country the exact nature of the commercial failures which he had quoted.

Failures Fewer.

The number of failures in Canada, stated Premier King, was fewer last year than in 1923 and less in 1922 than in 1921. Returns show that there were 857 failures in 1922 with liabilities of $39,000,000; 792 in 1923 owing $31,000,000, and 625 in 1924 whose liabilities aggregated $36,000,000.

"In so far as manufacturing concerns go," he declared, "they are getting better since the government came into office."

Mr. Meighen had neglected carefully to point out that bank failures in the United States during the last twelve months totalled 613, the largest number for any year during the last decade, and leaving liabilities to the extent of $202,000,000.

"In so far as failures in Canada are concerned, they have been growing less, but the same cannot be stated with reference to the United States," remarked the premier.

Mr. Meighen had been very critical in regard to Canada's balance of trade. "Since this government has been in power," he declared, "the balance of trade has increased by leaps and bounds."

The intimation had been made by Mr. Meighen that, in his opinion, it is a very bad thing to part with the natural resources of raw material at the expense of the manufacturers.

Increase All Around.

"The leader of the opposition, however," he remarked, "seems to have missed the point that not only have our exports of raw material increased, but the export of our manufactured goods relatively have shown a greater increase."

The premier quoted the figures to show that there had been a marked increase in the export of manufactured and partly manufactured goods since this government came into power. Consumption of Canadian manufactured goods in Canada had also increased in comparison to the consumption of foreign manufactured goods.

Dealing with the challenge of the leader of the opposition on the several points, the premier quoted the figures to show that the cost of living had decreased during the last three years, that Canada's trade balance was more favorable than it had been since the war, and that the principal manufacturers of agricultural implements had been able to meet foreign competition affected in last year's budget.

Mr. King also quoted from reports of bankers and Conservative newspapers to prove his contention that the finances of the Dominion were not suffering under the government's policy.

Ottawa Eagerly Awaits Details of Battle Plan

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—Charges against the North Atlantic shipping "combine" in T. E. Preston's report tabled in the House of Commons today are the subject of wide comment in political circles here, and there is keen interest for full details of the government's scheme for subsidizing ten steamers of the Petersen line to lower ocean freight rates.

The report, in its text, refers to the "peculiar anti-British influence which apparently dominates the policy of the combine.

"The suggestion that British steamship lines, controlled by peers, baronets and knights of the British Empire, carry freight from foreign ports to any part of the world at a lower figure than they are willing to carry identical freight from British ports would be absurd unless official evidence than cannot be contradicted was available to prove the absolute truth of the assertion.

Mr. Preston declares that, though the distance between Montreal and Liverpool is shorter than between Hamburg and New York, the freight rate on Canadian exports is two or three times greater than the combine rates between Hamburg and United States ports.

Chathamite Has Garden Lettuce

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Feb. 9.—With the thermometer registering 57 degrees, spring-like weather prevailed here today after the first rain of the season. Every vestige of snow has disappeared. Magistrate Arnold looked his garden over this morning, and was surprised to find that the head lettuce had survived the rigors of zero weather. Head lettuce was a side dish of his luncheon, and he says it was every bit as good as what he picked in the fall.

TORONTO THINKS KLAN IS AT WORK

Mysterious Meetings Are Held in Queen City by Secret Organization.

Special to The Advertiser by Staff Correspondent.

Toronto, Feb. 9. — The Ku Klux Klan is being organized in Toronto, according to the belief of several Toronto Orangemen, who recently have received mysterious telephone messages asking them to attend at a certain place to join what is described as "a good Protestant organization." Meetings are being held from time to time at various places, and it is reported that enough members have been taken in to form the nucleus of the organization in Toronto.

"I was called to the telephone the other night," said a prominent member of the Orange Order, to The Advertiser today. "The voice at the other end of the line simply asked, 'Do you want to join a good Protestant society?' I said that I would think it over. The voice said, 'We are holding a meeting in —— building tonight,' mentioning a well-known office building downtown. I was not able to go, but I learned later that the organization referred to was supposed to be the Ku Klux Klan, whose constitution has been amended to meet local conditions and harmonize with the Canadian legislation."

The reporter made some investigations today, and learned that no one but several citizens had been approached in the same mysterious manner. One said that he had actually attended at the time and place mentioned, and even then although he was well known, was refused permission to get inside the meeting.

The meetings. The Advertiser learned, are never held at the same place, the venue being changed every few days so that no suspicions shall be aroused.

Whether a kleagle from the other side is here The Advertiser was unable to ascertain, but according to the general opinion of those who were approached this is a purely Canadian organization being formed by a Canadian member of the klan, who has received authority to initiate members in Canada.

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CONVICTIONS UPSET IN TAX FRAUD CASE

Appellate Court Frees Two Hamilton Men On Conspiracy Charge.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—The appellate division has set aside the conviction by Judge Evans of Hamilton of men named Epstein, Walker and Speron, charged with conspiracy with Ernest King and George Saunders in the city tax department and dominion income office respectively, to defraud the city of Hamilton of money due as taxes.

"To hold the accused guilty," says the court, "it is necessary to draw the inference from the evidence that the accused had knowledge of fraudulent means to be used to get the reduction in the tax bills, and to draw that inference it is necessary to reject evidence of the crown witness Saunders to the effect that he kept the accused in ignorance of wrongdoing."

J. ARGO ELECTED BY YOUNG PEOPLE

Knox Church Member Is President of London Presbytery Union.

John Argo of Knox church was elected president of the Young People's Union of the London presbytery at the twenty-ninth annual rally held last evening in the Knox church, South London. Very interesting sessions were held during the afternoon and evening, and the special speakers of the rally all gave very inspiring addresses.

At the evening session Scott MacKay, B.A., of Toronto, was the first speaker, giving a vivid word picture of "The Truth." In speaking to the young people he emphasized that there was no common place, no common thing or person, if it so be that the young people and others in the world walked with God. He also said that there was no higher calling, no greater task, that the young people of today could undertake than to live the way of the Master, and to be a friend. The servant should still tread the path of Christ. "To say that life is no great trial of courage, no great test of endurance, just the dull ordinary days of life, is that truth?" Mr. MacKay asked. The treasure of the kingdom was hidden in the most ordinary places of the earth, was his statement.

Aids Lonely Girl.

Mr. MacKay gave a very touching illustration of the slums of Toronto, telling of a young girl who had no advantages, and how two students out of twenty-five at a fireside meeting undertook, through prayer and adventures in friendship, to be kind to that lonely girl. He said that everyone could do the hard things if they so desired, just as easily as they might do the easy things. It was just a matter of caring enough about doing it. This generation must be done with false ideas, and know that Christ had the power to save, he said.

Miss Mary McGeachie, B.A., also of Toronto, who spoke on "And the Life," continuing the theme of the former speaker, stated that people rarely stopped to consider the worthwhile things of life until it was over and it was too late to accomplish what one desired. She said that the difference between livelihood and life was not really known. There was little time left to consider life itself, and the relentless thing about life, she said, was that it could not be retained.

In speaking of one's life work, or "job," Miss McGeachie stated that it was deplorable not to like one's "job," the individual failed to notice those who worked beside them. "One of the things that makes life worth while is the fact that other people live their lives alongside of us," She said. Christ fought for his goal, and the young people today must also fight for thei rgoal. Only those who gave all and lived their lives with a great object ahead lived a full and eternal life.

Pass Resolution.

During the evening session a recommendation was passed "that in view of the young people's work in the church of today, and considering the unsettlement of the hour, we strongly commend and urge upon our young people of the London Presbytery a deepening of their personal relationship to the Master, and to hearty co-operation in the work of the Christian church, and in all courses pertaining to the kingdom of our Lord Jesus Christ." Rev. T. A. Symington presided, and the opening exercises were in charge of the St. Thomas group.

The report of the nominating committee was also given, and the following officers were received into office for 1925: Honorary president, Rev. F. W. K. Harris; president, John Argo; vice-presidents, Miss E. McLachlin, Grencoe, and John Brieve, Westminster; secretary, Miss M. H. Kelso; treasurer, W. A. Woods, Dorchester, and the executive will include H. Carroll, H. J. Jameson, Glencoe, Miss Patterson, South Westminster, Miss Margaret McEchran, Kintyre, Dr. Snelgrove and Miss Georgina Martin, St. Thomas. Miss Kelso was appointed the representative to the national young people's conference in Toronto, taking place on April 10 and 11. Rev. D. C Soules gave the induction prayer for the officers, and also read the recommendations and resolutions of the new year.

The afternoon session was also very interesting, and J. L. Little, who also spoke for five minutes at the close of the evening session, was the special speaker, giving an inspiring address on "The Way," dealing with the missionary work to be done. In speaking of the missionaries who go out to India, he stated that they must have a standard, and that the so-called heathen demanded that love be the central thought of the missionary work, and that truth must also be centralized, and where truth led the missionary was to follow.

Other Discussion.

Interesting conferences were also held during the afternoon, when discussions were brought up on "The Bible as a Text Book"; "The Social and Literary Program," The Missionary and Life Service," and "The Teacher Training and Leadership." At the close of the afternoon session a banquet was tendered the delegates, when Mr. Brandy of Stratford and Rev. M. Nicol of Guelph brought messages from their young people to the London young people. The supper was served by the young people of Knox church, and was greatly enjoyed.

PASS O. T. A. RESOLUTION.
Special to The Advertiser.

Seaforth, Feb. 9.—At a meeting of the prohibitionists of Center Huron, held in the Presbyterian church here today, a resolution was passed strongly indorsing the O. T. A. as a most effective piece of legislation in curtailing the evils of the liquor traffic. The declaration of Premier Ferguson to maintain and enforce the act was heartily commended and assurance given that the members of the organizations would do all in their power to assist the attorney-general and his officers in having the act enforced strictly and impartially.



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INVESTIGATOR FINDS CANADA AT MERCY OF OCEAN COMBINES

Preston Declares Country Is Injured by World Trade Menace.

OTTAWA OPENS FIGHT

Affects Not Only the Atlantic, But Extends To Seven Seas.

Special to The Advertiser by Staff Correspondent.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—That a steamship combine of the strongest possible interlocking character exists between companies plying, not only on the Atlantic, but on all the seven seas, and that Canadian interests are hopelessly at the mercy of that section of the combine known as the North Atlantic Steamship Conference, is the conclusion reached by W. T. R. Preston, special commissioner for the government, who, for some time past has made an extensive investigation no ocean rates.

As a result of those findings the government has entered into an agreement with a line of steamers which will carry Canadian produce at fixed rates in return for certain subventions.

The conclusions arrived at by Mr. Preston are as follows:

The conclusion is inevitable that a combine exists between all the transatlantic shipping lines running regularly between Great Britain and the continent of Europe and the dominion of Canada.

Interlocks With Other Lines.

That this combine is interlocked with the other great steamship lines plying between the European continent and South America, South Africa, India, Australia and New Zealand is also beyond question.

British steamship interests control not only the North Atlantic steamship traffic, but exercise a predominating influence in the great world-wide steamship combine.

Every possible influence is exerted to prevent goods or freight carried by railways in these countries being transported overseas by other than steamships under the control of these interlocking combines.

Merchants, traders or exporters are liable to be penalized by conference lines if they venture to consign freight or goods to or from or over any of these great trade routes by steamships or vessels not under the immediate control of the combine.

This penalizing may take the form of an increase in freight rates or by delay in shipment.

Almost Isolates Canada.

The effect of the administration or operation of the Atlantic steamship combine, in connection with Canadian imports and exports, is to almost isolate Canada from other ports of the world to which communication can only be secured by orean routes.

The only channels for the great bulk of Canadian exports are the ocean ports on the Atlantic and Pacific. With the exception of a few commodities the U. S. is well-nigh closed to the dominion by the barrier of the high tariff, so that Canada is dependent almost entirely for its foreign markets to oversea destinations. With both the eastern and western channels practically controlled by the steamship combines, the serious obstacles to the development of foreign trade are obvious.

The discrimination against the ports of Quebec and Montreal in regard to maritime insurance, as compared with the more favorable insurance premiums, which are available to and from U. S. Atlantic ports presents a barrier against frequent competition by tramp steamers. These vessels naturally avoid the more expensive insurance routes, and thus give the steamship combine a greater control of Canadian import and export trade.

The position of Canada, therefore, is more serious than that of countries where tramp steamers compete freely with the combine lines in ocean traffic.

In point of fact, Canadian interests are hopelessly at the mercy of the North Atlantic steamship combine.

Country Is Hurt By the Combine

Special to The Advertiser by Staff Correspondent.

Ottawa, Feb. 9. — "The North Atlantic steamship combine is an obvious menace to the natural development of the export trade of the country, and an evident deterrent to the prosperity and welfare of the population of the dominion," declares W. T. R. Preston in his report to the government on the operation of an alleged North Atlantic steamship combine.

"The moving spirits in this gigantic world-wide maritime organization have conspired, combined, agreed and arranged to unduly limit the facilities for ocean transportation," he continues. "They are preventing, limiting and lessening competition in ocean transportation to and from Canadian ports.

SHIPPING MAGNATES EXPRESS INDIGNATION

Examination of Books Would Disprove Reports, Says Curry.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Representatives of the various Atlantic shipping interests here expressed indignation at the tenor of the report tabled in the house of commons today giving the result of W. T. R. Preston's investigations into the alleged shipping combine, but were unable to present detailed opinions until such time as they had studied the report in all its ramifications.

An examination of the books of the companies would disprove the statements made, said Major P. A. Curry, general manager of the White Star Line, one of the companies "named" in the alleged combine. The report, according to Major Curry, seemed to be a deliberate attack on the steamship companies. He cited, with regard to freight rates, the cattle carrier, "Irishman," the biggest in the company's service. It had sailed out of Montreal, he declared, with 1,160 cattle at $22.50 a head. The voyage cost the company so much money, he observed, that the boat has been laid up ever since.

With regard to the projected subsidizing of the company Sir William Petersen, Major Curry asked why the government did not approach some of the companies that built up the trade instead of a new concern.

CHICAGO WATER DIVERSION PERMIT IS RECOMMENDED

Associated Press Despatch.

Washington, Feb. 9.—Issuance of a five-year permit to the Chicago sanitary district to divert 8,500 cubic feet of water per second from Lake Michigan has been recommended to Secretary of War Weeks by Major-General Taylor, chief of United States army engineers, and Major R. W. Putnam, district engineer at Chicago.

UNEASY FEELING CAUSED IN PARIS

Follows Demand For Fixed Payments by France in $3,000,000,000 Refund.

By CONSTANTINE BROWN
By Radio to The Advrtiser and the Chicago Daily News.

Paris, Feb. 3.—If the British note to France regarding the refunding of the $3,000,000,000 France owes Great Britain is full of reservations and leaves much room for discussion and varying interpretations, the fault does not lie in the French cabinet, but in the French people themselves.

Everyone seems to favor the first part of the British proposals—that France should give up a part of her reparations installments under the Dawes plan to great Britain. But the second part, demanding fixed payments by France regardless of what she receives from Germany, leaves room for much discussion.

During Winston Churchill's visit to Paris last January, Premier Herriot warned him that French public opinion would not accept a clause that France make such payments to Great Britain as to guarantee at least that Great Britain share 22 per cent of the Dawes payments.

The British have accepted M. Herriot's warning, but the fact that they have introduced fixed payments to be made outside the Dawes annuities lends itself to the comment that those fixed payments will be sufficiently high to cover Great Britain's 22 per cent, in case the Dawes scheme failed.

Another statement in the British note which has caused a certain uneasy feeling is that "the fixed payments which are to be made by France are to be established in accordance with France's national wealth as compared with other countries and the fiscal capacity of the country." This is a clear indication that the British intend to ask the French government to demand that their nationals bear a burden of taxation at least of the same proportion as the British taxpayers.

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CAR OWNER MAY SUE DRIVER FOR DAMAGES

Ruling Handed Down by Ontario Appellate Court in Sarnia Action.

Special to The Advertiser.

Sarnia, Feb. 9.—"The owner of a car is liable for any damages inflicted by his car, but if he is not the driver of the car, he can recover his losses from the driver." is the ruling handed down by the Ontario Appellate court, when it allowed the appeal of Charles McFee, a local garageman, who had lost a suit in the district court because a car owned by him, but not driven by him, had injured a woman.

McFee had loaned the car to Robert E. Joss, son of Alex Joss, and while driving the car, Joss hit Mrs. Harry Watson. Mrs. Watson obtained a judgment against McFee for $1,265. McFee sued Joss, father and son, and secured $208.50 for damages to his car, but did not obtain any money in his suit for indemnification against the damages secured by Mrs. Watson.

He appealed the case and the appellate court, it is believed, set a precedent by allowing the appeal.

JOHN McCORMACK ILL.
Associated Press Despatch.

New Orleans, Feb. 9. — John McCormack, tenor, is ill with the grippe at his hotel suite here and his concert arranged for tonight has been postponed.

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DANGER OF FLOOD NOW MINIMIZED

Level of Thames Rises One Foot, But Course Is Clear of Obstructions.

SEWERS NOT HIT

Ontario's belated January thaw and subsequent freshets made a feeble attempt over night to cause a flood on the river Thames. The river's level, following the breaking of the ice, rose overnight by an additional 12 inches but danger or serious trouble are not anticipated.

At noon today the river was fairly clear of ice for the greater part of its course through the city and down past Springbank. An open channel was running the entire length and the breaking ice went out quietly without causing a jam.

Severity of frost during January provided a thickness of two feet of ice in some parts of the river, but the mild weather of last week helped to form channels in the Thames at various stages and a quiet break-up went almost unnoticed.

The river was running at 12-inch flood level past the Springbank pumping station today, but serious increase in the rising waters was not expected.

At the foot of King street, where a mountain of snow was formed during January by the dumping of excess snow from the city business streets, there is a fast dwindling pile that looks like a rubbish heap. The open water has cut a channel through the snow and the pile is quickly disappearing.

Reports at the city engineer's office reported no trouble in the city storm sewers. The slight flood on the river has not harmed the efficiency of the storm sewers and, with catch basins already opened, the streets were free of any flooded gutters.

TY CURLERS LAUD DETROIT HOSPITALITY

Six Thistle Club Rinks Return After Week-End Visit—Border Curlers Coming.

Following a week-end visit to the Detroit curling club six rinks of the Thistle club here returned to the city yesterday. Saturday afternoon and evening the Londoners swished their brooms up and down six splendid sheets of artificial ice in the Detroit club.

H. M. McCallum, who skipped one of the visiting rinks, said today that the Detroiters gave the boys a splendid time. The Thistle men lost the afternoon game, but cleaned up in the evening.

If weather permits the Detroit aggregation will visit St. Thomas for a friendly game Wednesday night and will play on the Thistle ice here Thursday. If the weather is soft this week they will curl later on. There were several former Ontario boys on the American rinks.

Afternoon Games.

The games were as follows:

Detroit.		Thistles.	
Dr. Clark		L. Jones	
H. Kendall		R. E. Dunsheath	
Robert Kerr		Harry Slater	
John Kay, skip	9	F. Wilson, skip	8
G. Whitring		A. Van Zandt,	
S. Dowling		J. Walker	
Al Baxter		R. Baxter	
J. Richardson, skip	13	E. Webb, skip	10
R. Shiell		W. Darch	
G. R. Trebele		Alf. Miller	
George O. Begg		H. Owen	
J. Ballantyne, skip	18	H. McCallum, skip	8
Roy Dodd		S. Britton	
H. B. West		J. Milroy	
Dr. Robbins		R. Fawcett	
J. Stevenson, skip	12	T. Fremlin, skip	11
R. Turnbull		H. H. Kelly	
J. Ford		A. A. McLeish	
S. W. Laird		H. H. McCall	
H. Malander, skip	13	P. Fetterly, skip	8
E. Aiken		E. P. Smith	
J. Mathews		W. Reynolds	
C. Roberson		N. Hart	
J. Hendrick, skip	18	A. Talbot, skip	13
Total	83	Total	59

Night Games.

Detroit.		Thistles.	
R. Turnbull		E. P. Smith	
W. Crooks		N. C Hart	
T. Beattie		S. W. Laird	
E. K Medler, skip	10	A. Talbot, skip	9
R. Crozier		W. Darch	
Dr. Woodbridge		H. Owen	
H. West		R. Kerr	
W. Mills skip	8	H. McCallum, skip	15
A. McCormick		A. Tallent	
R. Dodds		R. E. Dunsheath	
W. Fenwick		H. Slater	
J. McKerchey, skip	12	F. C. Wilson skip	11
D. W. Mosley		H. Kelly	
J. R. Shaw		W. McLeish	
Dr. F. Tilballs		H. McCall	
N. Cornwall, skip	20	P. Fetterly, skip	8
E. Whipple		P. Stanley	
E. Palmer,		J. Walker	
L. Hogarth		E. Webb	
J. Palmer skip	14	R. Baker, skip	14
Total	66	Total	78



Beautiful Norma Talmadge and Eugene O'Brien, who are co-starring in "The Only Woman" at the Capitol today.

Tourist Liner Not In Distress

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 10.—Definite announcement that the steamer President Harrison, bearing hundreds of tourists back to New York from the Mediterranean, was proceeding according to schedule, and that she had at no time experienced difficulty, was made this morning by Lloyds in the form of a statement from the agents here of the Robert Dollar Company, owners of the vessel. The statement said no S.O.S. signals were sent out.

A report was in circulation yesterday to the effect that a distress signal from the President Harrison had been received at the Island of Chios in the Aegean sea.

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hotels and cafes is five per cent proof spirits.

The other outstanding feature of the speech is the announcement that sessional indemnities and cabinet ministers' salaries would be increased and that there would be a redistribution bill submitted during the session.

The address refers to the bountiful harvest and to the recent trip of representatives of Ontario to Quebec. It announces that steps will be taken to develop the opportunities in the British market for Ontario dairy products. There is a somewhat lengthy reference to the work of the agricultural committee which has been investigating affairs during the recess, and the hope is expressed that the report will be productive of much good. It also refers to the visit of Dr. Merchant to Britain and Denmark to study rural schools and states that some of the ideas gained there will be applied to the Ontario schools system.

Urges Power Development.

On the question of electrical power the speech says that the hydro commission now finds that all the power available is required to meet demands and trusts "that the initial steps taken toward the development of the St. Lawrence river will not meet with delay, but that power from this source will be available within a reasonable time." The speech also refers to the lake levels, making an indirect reference to the Chicago drainage canal.

The visit of the minister of mines to Britain is referred to, with the comment that more British capital is now finding its way to Ontario and that the outlook for mining was never better than it is today. Regarding the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario railway the speech says that the extension into additional mining areas is proving beneficial both in development of the country and to the operation of the railway itself.

It is proposed hereafter the commission running the railway shall be authorized to raise by the way of loans the money required for capital purposes.

The speech states that the advisory road committee will make a report and adds: "It is reasonable and necessary that those who will enjoy the advantage of the expenditure involved should contribute more largely to the cost and you will be asked, therefore, to sanction legislation for that purpose.

Expenditures Reduced.

The speech also expresses gratitude for the interest in better health and sanitation. It refers to the establishment of a home and school for under-privileged boys near Bowmanville. The speech also contains the proposals of unemployment relief as announced by the government a few days ago. The speech announces that there will be application made for a special freight rate on coal for Ontario users.

The latter part of the address contains definite announcements as follows:

"Legislation will be introduced to amend the Ontario temperance act by enacting that liquor with an absolute alcoholic content by volume of more than 2½ per cent shall be conclusively deemed to be intoxicating. A measure will be introduced respecting the representation of the people in the assembly; to establish a boys' welfare board of Ontario to amend the school laws; to amend the agricultural development act, to increase sessional indemnities; to augment the salaries of the cabinet; to amend the highway traffic act; to amend the public vehicles act; and to authorize a further loan for the development of northern and northwestern Ontario.

The speech also states that the estimate of revenue by the treasurer last year has been reached and that a substantial reduction has been made in public expenditures.

SPENCE PROTESTS.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—Rev. Ben Spence, secretary of the council of the Dominion Alliance, interviewed this afternoon regarding the proposal in the speech from the throne at the Ontario legislature to increase the alcoholic strength of beer sold in the province, said that in his personal opinion to introduce such a provision under the Ontario temperance act would smash the act. "The people of this province in the recent plebiscite voted for a stronger prohibition law, not for stronger beer," said Mr. Spence, "and the stronger the beer, the weaker the law. Such a proposal would defeat the proposal of the government to give active and vigorous enforcement of the act, for one of the difficulties at present is the ease with which beer is made intoxicating. It will be the nose of the camel, indeed the whole head and neck, and very soon his whole body. It is a booze proposition pure and simple.

"I cannot conceive that when the people ask for bread the government would give them this stone," continued Mr. Spence. "It has been scientifically demonstrated that beer containing five per cent proof spirits is intoxicating. Indeed if it had no kick these fellows would not be clamoring for it," Mr. Spence said.

"A committee of the senate of the United States, after exhaustive inquiry lasting over several days, decided to place the limit in the prohibition law there at one-half of one per cent. The government's proposal here is five times that strength. The proposal of the law is wrong."

SYSTEM OF LOANS MEETS WITH FAVOR

Inspector Sanders Presents His First Report Since Taking Over Relief Work.

In connection with his work in the city relief department, Inspector R. H. Sanders has handed his first report to the board of health since he received a permanent appointment. The inspector points out that last month 272 grocery orders were handed out and 324 fuel orders were granted.

In this connection, Mr. Sanders stated that the new system of offering loans to folks who are hard pressed by employment conditions has proved very effective. Most of the citizens helped are treating the city's interests in a reasonable way and are prompt in their re-payments once work comes along. A large percentage of the relief offered this winter has been on a loan basis.

One man, with a seeming hard luck tale and a lot of evidence, was given a $2 grocery order. He tried to buy a chicken with it, but was unsuccessful.

In a month 20 people have applied for free transportation to outside points. Some of them were sturdy looking lads, who looked quite capable of walking. One young girl, who wanted to go to her home in Tilbury because she couldn't find work here, was given a ticket, and a woman with a young baby was given a ticket to Windsor.

DIESEL ENGINE NEAR, BUCHANAN NOW THINKS

P. U. C. Manager Lauds Auxiliary Plant to Reduce Hydro Peak Load.

According to the January-February edition of "The Live Wire," the official publication of the public utilities commission, that body is "preparing to install a Diesel oil engine to drive generators of sufficient capacity to operate all water works' pumps and other essential public services."

Asked this morning as to the accuracy of that statement, Manager E. V. Buchanan qualified it somewhat by stating that "the commission is preparing to install the engine."

Mr. Buchanan intimated that certain developments within the next four months, which will make possible the completion of his investigations as to the use and efficiency of the Diesel engine and his report thereon, may result in definite action in the matter upon the part of the commission.

In the opinion of the manager it would take at least a year after the placing of the order before the engine could be put into actual operation as an auxiliary plant to the present system.

Mr. Buchanan pointed out that a 1,500 H. P. engine could handle the street railway and the London and Port Stanley railway in the day time and the street railway and the street lights at night.

Installation of a Diesel oil engine has two chief advantages as outlined by Mr. Buchanan in his annual report to the commission. It would provide power in case of a breakdown in hydro and would also provide additional power with which to improve the city fire fighting facilities. In normal times it could be utilized to maintain the commission's peak load for hydro at a lower figure each month, thus resulting in much reduced power bills from the H. E. P. C. of Ontario.

The installation of the engine at a cost of $100,000 or $150,000 would practically eliminate the necessity for the laying of a second main to Springbank, which work is estimated at $300,000 as a conservative estimate.

BOARD DECIDES AGAINST SPECIAL CONFERENCE

It has been decided that there will be no special meeting of the board of education prior to the regular monthly session on Thursday afternoon next.

The agenda of the meeting when it is held will be a heavy one, embracing as it does consideration of the board's building program for the year, the resignation of V. K. Greer, M.A., as inspector-administrator, and the estimates for the current year.

Whether or not Trustee A. R. Cairncross will be sufficiently recovered from his accident last week, in which he suffered a broken shoulder, is not certain as yet, though Mr. Cairncross is anxious to be present if at all possible.

The meeting will mark the first board meeting this year at which Trustee Mrs. John A. Rose has been present, a broken ankle having prevented her attendance at the inaugural meeting in January, though Mrs. Rose has since attended one or two committee meetings held by the board.

BOARD OF HEALTH ASKS MORE FUNDS

$1,390 Increase Shown in Estimates Presented at Meeting.

London's board of health will ask the city council for a $20,150.33 appropriation in this year's estimates, an increase over last year of $1,390. According to the preliminary draft of the estimates presented at last night's board meeting, small increases in salary are being recommended for four nurses and for the newly-appointed relief inspector, R. H. Sanders, whose duties as sanitary inspector are augmented. In addition to this, the department is asking for an appropriation for full-time stenographical services.

Estimates presented at the board meeting last night were gone over carefully by the members present. Slight increases are made in postage and incidentals and for examination of milk.

Saving in Salaries.

A full-time stenographer was not employed in the health offices before 1924, but since the combining of the relief and sanitary inspectorships there has been a saving in health department salaries. Receipts of the department are estimated at $550, this representing income from grants, fumigation fees and antitoxins.

Should the council decide to keep the plumbing inspector under the supervision of the health department, $2,116.96 additional expenditure will be included in the department estimates. This is $100 less than the 1924 estimate. However, Inspector Young's department pays for itself, as receipts of $3,305 are anticipated for inspection fees and sale of bylaws.

No recommendation is being made by the board of health in regard to the move to include the plumbing inspector under the city engineer.

Could Not See Gain.

Ald. John Ashton stated last night that he could not see any appreciable gain from the move. Inspector Young reported the switch quite possible from his viewpoint, if certain technical regulations in the public health act could be changed. His report commented warmly upon the improvement in clerical arrangements in his office, and stated that the part-time use of the health department stenographer was proving a valuable aid in rush periods.

Members of the board of health will be present tonight when No. 2 committee of the city council discuss the plumbing inspectorship.

Monthly reports were given by Dr. W. S. Downham, medical officer of health; R. H. Sanders, relief and sanitary officer; J. C. Young, plumbing inspector; Dr. J. D. Gunn, medical director of the venereal diseases clinics; Miss E. Raymond, tuberculosis clinic nurse; Inspector Boss and others.

Chairman Charles Mitchell, Ald. Ashton and Dr. Downham were the only board members present.

NEW YUKON TERRITORY STRIKE NOW LOOMS BIG

Canadian Press Despatch.

Dawson, Y. T., Feb. 10.—Percy Reid, acting gold commissioner, has returned from Mayo and Keno, and is impressed with the possibilities of the mining industry in the territory. He was of the opinion that the camp had an assured and promising future.

Important strikes have been made on Licy Queen Gulch, by Messrs. Gammon and Greaves, a four-foot ore body having been uncovered at the 30-foot level, values of which run between three and four thousand ounces of silver to the ton.

WOMAN FOUND BEATEN ON MONTREAL STREET

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 10.—Jacqueline Labelle, 24, was discovered lying at the corner of Vitre and Cadieux streets last night, her head and neck being beaten and badly gashed, apparently with a blunt instrument. The woman was taken to the Montreal general hospital. Achile Brunet, 25, has been arrested in connection with the assault.

WAHABI TRIBES LAUNCH NEW DRIVE IN HEDJAZ

Associated Press Despatch.

Port Sudan, Feb. 10.—The Wahabi tribesmen are continuing their activities against the forces of King Ali of the Hedjaz, says reports received here from Jeddah.

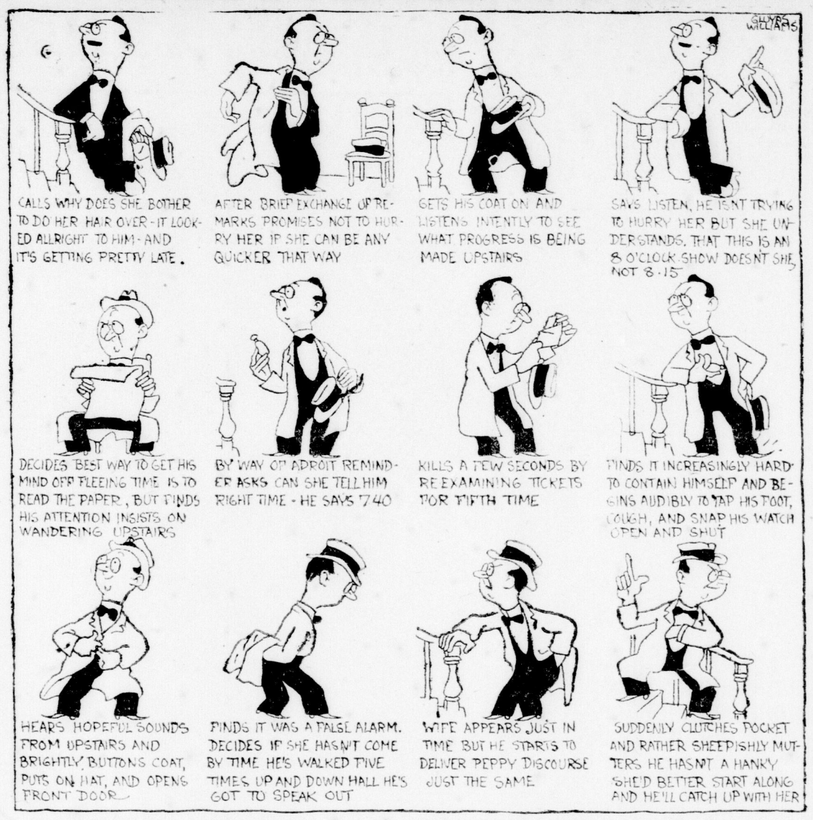
Several minor encounters have occurred and the town is under shell fire, but the civilian casualty list has been small.

SIR GEORGE CRITCHETT DIES.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 10.—Sir George Anderson Critchett, who was the king's oculist, and who also served King Edward VII in the same capacity, died yesterday.

SNAPSHOTS OF A MAN WAITING FOR HIS WIFE.



REV. C. N. DEWEY DIES AFTER LONG ILLNESS

Well-Known Retired Minister Brother of Rev. G. W. Dewey Here.

The death of Rev. C. N. Dewey, brother of Rev. G. W. Dewey, pastor of Grace Methodist church, and well known retired Baptist minister, occurred at his home in Tillsonburg this morning after a lingering illness.

Rev. Mr. Dewey served as pastor at many towns and villages in Western and Northern Ontario. He had pastorates in Gravenhurst, Burke Falls, West Nissouri, Gladstone, Lewisville, Wheatley, Hillsburg, Delta, Lambton, Tillsonburg, Goderich and Dunnsville.

His last pastorate was in Goderich, where he was forced to retire from active service last September, and he moved from there to Tillsonburg.

Although in ill-health since his retirement from the ministry Mr. Dewey was not seriously ill until the beginning of the year, when his condition became worse.

Mr. Dewey was in his 64th year.

Besides his wife, he leaves three children, Fred of Edmonton, Gordon of Detroit, and Mrs. Lloyd Fick of Toronto; two brothers, Rev. G. W. Dewey of this city, Ben. F. Dewey of Gravenhurst, and one sister, Mrs. Roy McMurray, of Okla, Florida.

The funeral will be held at Tillsonburg on Thursday at 1:30 p.m. Interment to be made at the Dorchester cemetery.

TWELVE SEEK MERCY SEAT AT SALVATION MEETING

An inspection of the Stratford corps of the Salvation army over the week-end was responsible for a varied program in which Brig. McAmmond and Adj. Spooner of London officiated.

During the religious services twelve people sought the mercy seat. They were blessed.

Bandmaster B. M. Wilders, who retired after 25 years' service, was presented with a medal.

Corps cadet badges were distributed to Herman Kelly, Marian Gates, Marie Linnell, Christine Naylor and Winnie Bexton.

The child of Commandant and Mrs. Poole, heads of the corps, was dedicated.

REGINA HAS BEEN CHOSEN DISTRIBUTING CENTER

Canadian Press Despatch.

Regina, Sask., Feb. 10.—Regina will be the distributing center for the new Saskatchewan liquor system. A warehouse has been leased in the city by the Saskatchewan liquor board, for the purpose of a distributing warehouse for the whole system. The appointment of John Anderson of Yorkton, as warehouse manager, is also announced.

Thunderstorms Hit Northland

Canadian Press Despatch.

Cobalt, Ont., Feb. 10.—Thunderstorms, accompanied by vivid flashes of lightning and a heavy rain, swept over Northern Ontario yesterday afternoon, the earliest in years, according to old-timers. Hockey games and curling had to be postponed, owing to the unseasonable weather.

FOUR BANK DIRECTORS GET TERMS IN PRISON

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to bear these facts in mind in imposing sentence.

Pale and evidently nervous, R. P. Gough rose and read a statement to his honor, his voice breaking at intervals. The statement said:

Reads Statement.

"I do not wish for a moment to be considered as arguing with your honor, but, with great respect, I must confess that I still think, as I endeavored to plead at my trial, that I should not be branded as a conscientious criminal because I was deceived and because I did not discover conditions which your honor had pointed out I should have. And which, in the light of subsequent events, I might have discovered had I been more of a suspicious and less of a trusting state of mind. It would appear that the position I now find myself in is due to my having relied on and believed in the integrity of men whose honesty and ability I had up to the last moment and until it was all too late no reason whatever to doubt.

"Your honor, I do not owe the Home Bank one cent. I can truly say that I never profited from any connection with the Home Bank to its detriment to the extent of one dollar. I never knew that the statements which were submitted to me were false, and I never could therefore have had any intention of deceiving anybody. I gave to the bank without stint my time and whatever business ability I possessed. It may be, and indeed it appears now to be, that I was lacking in banking experience. So, too, perhaps, in the high essential qualifications of a director as indicated in your honor's judgment.

"If I made mistakes, they were always mistakes of judgment. At all times I acted honestly and conscientiously in furtherance, as I honestly thought, of the welfare of the bank, its depositors and shareholders.

Judge Coatsworth listened intently to Gough's pleading, and at its conclusion remarked: "I never was so troubled since I have been on the bench as I am this morning, and it is perhaps kindness that I should say nothing further."

Bail was renewed in the supreme court in the cases of the directors sentenced by Judge Coatsworth earlier in the morning. Bail for R. P. Gough was fixed at $150,000, while J. F. M. Stewart and S. Casey Wood were released in bonds of $100,000. After formalities had been complied with, the three men were liberated by the sheriff's officers until their appeals are heard.

ALCOHOL ROW PRINCIPAL RESTING IN THE HOSPITAL

John Rourke, rushed to Victoria hospital Saturday afternoon by High Constable Wharton and Provincial Constable Mennie, won't be in a hurry to leave that institution, for when he is given his discharge county police will be waiting to escort him to jail.

Rourke came off second best in a bout with rubbing alcohol in a Glanworth shack and cut his head so severely that he almost died from loss of blood.

He will appear before Magistrate Hawkshaw in a few days on a charge of disorderly conduct.

ISSUES WRIT.

The R. G. Lindsay Feed Company has issued a county court writ through G. A. P. Brickenden & Co. against Charles E. Santo for good sold and delivered amounting to $534.23.

LONDON TO BE VISITED BY LEONARD RICHMOND

Noted English Artist Will Speak Here on February 28.

A visit to the city of Leonard Richmond, one of the most famous of modern English artists, on Feb. 28, is now promised. Mr. Richmond, who is in Ottawa now, will give an address here under the auspices of the university of Western Ontario extension department. It will be free to the public and given under the joint patronage of the Canadian Clubs, I. O. D. E., Drama League, Music Club, Round Table Club, Froebel Society, Women Teachers' Guild, University Women's Club and other local organizations.

Mr. Richmond has lectured extensively on a variety of subjects connected with art. His paintings have been hung in the Royal Academy, the Salon at Paris and other noted galleries. In addition, he is a lecturer of repute and his addresses are illustrated by lantern slides or clever chalk drawings.

WELLINGTON ST. LEAGUE.

A splendid talk by Meredith Henderson on "The Truth of Immortality" was the feature of the regular meeting of the League of the Wellington street Methodist church last night. Vocal solos by Miss K. Esterbrook accompanied by Miss Gladys Lowes, and instrumental numbers by Miss Lowes were also greatly appreciated. Miss Olive Wright was in charge of the meeting, and Miss Julia Sampson read the Scripture lesson, which was followed by the devotional exercises in charge of Wilfred Boyce. Rev. G. T. Watts dismissed the meeting, after which several jolly games were enjoyed.

41 PRESBYTERY CHURCHES VOTE

Latest Figures Show Unionists Claim 23 Congregations —Eight Unanimous.

TOTAL NUMBER 56

Of the 56 Presbyterian congregations in the Presbytery of London, 41 have thus far taken action on the question of church union.

As a result of that action the unionists are at present in the lead, 23 churches being in favor of union to 18 opposed.

Eight churches in the presbytery have decided unanimously to enter the United church of Canada when union is consummated on June 10 next.

Fifteen churches have decided by a congregational vote to enter the union, while 18 churches have voted to remain out of the union.

In those congregations in which a vote was taken the anti-unionists lead by 3,489 votes to 3,416 votes.

Of the total of 3,135 votes cast in congregations which voted favorable to union, only 24.6 per cent voted against union.

Of the total of 3,770 votes cast in congregations which voted against union the vote for union was 28 per cent.

The eight unanimous union churches are: Kintore, Aylmer, Springfield, Vanneck (English settlement), Chalmers and McBride's, Dunwich and St. Paul's and Chelsea Green, London.

The results in the congregations in which a vote was taken are as follows:

Churches For.	For	Agst.
West Lorne	96	78
Ivan	77	49
Melbourne	56	16
Riverside	13	2
Carlisle	53	16
Wardsville	33	12
Newbury	70	14
Crinan	76	38
Burns	52	19
Granton	56	25
Ilderton	37	33
London—		
St. Andrew's	790	146
First	366	58
Knox	335	193
King street	253	73
Totals	2,363	77

Churches Against.	For	A
Belmont	24	
Yarmouth	10	
Dutton	39	
Glencoe	156	
Komoka	15	
Port Stanley	32	
Wallaceburg	49	
Ailsa Craig	41	
Pottersburg	13	
Bear Creek	25	
Fingal	28	
St. Thomas—		
Knox	181	
Alma	31	140
London—		
New St. James'	230	526
Chalmers	60	87
St. George's	13	107
Knollwood Park	1	79
Hamilton road	105	240
Totals	1,653	2,717
Combined totals	3,416	3,489

CARADOC HORSE SHOW.

Farmers of North Caradoc are holding a horse show at the farm of M. McNeil on Tuesday next, R. A. Finn of the department of agriculture states.

The farmers of the district held a show two years ago, and it was a great success. Four classes of heavy horses will be judged.

Watch for Arthur Stringer's article on the modern woman in the magazine section this Saturday.

SPECIAL COMMUNION SEASON

THE SACRAMENT OF THE LORD'S SUPPER

will be observed by the Presbyterians of London and the surrounding district in

NEW ST. JAMES CHURCH WEDNESDAY, AT 8 P.M.

An offering will be taken in behalf of the churches in the London presbytery which have suffered through the cause of church union.

"For as often as ye eat this bread and drink this cup, ye do shew the Lord's death till he come.—I. Cor. xi., 26.

Ontario Temperance Act

Electors' meeting of both sexes will be held in St. Andrew's Hall, corner of Queen's avenue and Waterloo street,

TONIGHT

at 8 o'clock, when prominent citizens will speak and present resolutions supporting Hon. Howard Ferguson in his attitude on law enforcement.

All voters interested in this vital question please attend.

Ontario Prohibition Union, London Branch

Gossip Around The City Hall



According to the report of Inspector Boss, 235 houses in London were placed under quarantine last month and 106 citizens were released from quarantine. Mr. Boss had a busy month with a total of nearly 400 inspections.

Income assessment returns are still coming steadily to the city assessment offices. The returns have been fairly good this year, and fewer delinquents are expected. Decrease in many incomes is noted.

A new pillar box has been constructed for the city tax office. It has been placed just inside the door, so that letters or checks may be safely and conveniently dropped during rush periods in tax collecting.

Hauling of sewer pipe, greatly expedited during January by snow-covered street, has been held up for a time because of the impossibility of sleighing. However, the contractors have made early delivery of almost all pipe except the 72-inch size, and the city workmen will not be held up by a scarcity of materials.

An extra squad of men was put at work yesterday cleaning down town streets. Picks, shovels and scrapers were pressed into service and today the pavements were almost clear of ice and dirt, the accumulation of the last two months.

According to Sanitary Inspector R. H. Sanders, action may be taken to demand improvement at two city bakeshops. It is stated that it is impossible to keep the premises clean, though proprietors declare that they cannot afford to make extensive repairs.

That city relief work is not proving to oarduous for the men assisted is shown by the mayor's statement today that over 90 per cent of the men who have been accommodated are sticking to their jobs as long as they last. A few men are complaining that the work is too hard and that they cannot stand it.

It is not likely that repairs to roofs of buildings at the Western Fair grounds will be gone on with until dry weather, so that there will be no danger of serious expansion or shrinking from using wet lumber and other materials.

Renovations at the Children's Aid society offices have been completed, and the quarters have taken on a cheerful and clean appearance. The decorators move downstairs today in order that they might there tackle several offices that are to be gone over.

ST. THOMAS ORGANISTS VISIT LONDON CENTER

Large Number of Essays by School Children Ready For Examination.

The members of St. Thomas center of the Canadian college of organists were the guests of the London local center last evening. The meeting was held in Dr. L. Balogh's studio at the St. Peter's Parish hall, and the St. Thomas visitors were greeted by Dr. Jas. H. Smith, chairman of the London center, C.C.O. The St. Thomas organists were especially interested in the report on the organ recital for school children, given recently in St. Andrew's church under the auspices of the London center by arrangement with the board of education.

It was reported that a large number of essays had been received in which the children had given their own impressions of the recital. A committee was appointed to deal with the matter of awarding prizes for the best six essays written. After the business a debate took place on the subject of "broadcasting church services," J. Parnell Morris, A.C.C.O., being "pro" leader, and Dr. Jas. H. Smith "con" leader. The St. Thomas organists joined in the debate, and some instructive points were given dealing with both sides of the question.

During the social hour which followed the organists were favored with a few selections played on a Bosendorfer piano by Paul de Marky. He played Etude in A flat (Schloetzer), Etude in G sharp minor (Chopin), and Berceuse in D flat (Chopin). Before leaving by the last train for their homes the St. Thomas organists expressed themselves as being delighted with the pleasant evening spent with their London colleagues, and made the request that in the near future the London organists make a return visit. Among the members of the St. Thomas center present were Mrs. L. Kenney, Mrs. J. Pollock, and Messrs. John D. Gilchrist, William H. Spooner, J. W. Fetherstone and W. Banner.

TRAFALGAR MOTHERS.

Mrs. H. Winnett will give a talk on "Democracy in the Home" at the regular meeting of the Trafalgar mothers' club to be held at the school tomorrow night. George Clark, advertising manager for McClary's, will give an illustrated lecture on recent trip to Australia. Mrs. Barned, the president, will be the chair.

KOMOKA LIBRARY.

annual meeting of the Komoka library was held at the library day evening, Feb. 4. The 's report showed 2,129 books ring the year, and 40 paid-up rs. About 50 new books were on the shelves. Mr. Morrison air was appointed president for ensuing year.

WOMEN and THE HOME

CHELSEA GREEN CLUB HEARS MRS. W. ARNOTT

Speaker Predicts Future Man Will Be Broadcaster of Love.

Mrs. William Arnott gave an inspiring talk before the members of the Chelsea Green mothers' club at the first regular meeting held last night in the school. Her subject was, "The Story of Life," which she dealt with in an interesting manner.

The men of the future, she said, was to be a broadcaster of love. She thought that living examples in teachers and parents were the best means of educating children. More depended on good examples in the early stages of a child's life than education in later years. The program also included a recitation by Miss Ginsberg.

Plans were made to attend the meeting of the Riverview mothers' club on the second Tuesday in March. Mrs. H. Winnett presided over the meeting at the close of which refreshments were served.

150 ARE NOW ENROLLED IN RED CROSS CLASSES

Second Series in Home Nursing Course Is Being Started by Mrs. P. Allison.

Because of the great popularity of the Red Cross home nursing classes at the Technical school (there are now 150 taking the course) that society has decided to open a second series of classes. The nursing center will again be the Technical school, Principal H. B. Beal having kindly consented to offer another room for the classes. Mrs. Pearl Allison, Red Cross organizer, is taking registrations for these new classes already.

The object of the new classes is to give young women and mothers who were too late for enrollment in the first classes an opportunity to do so now. Valuable information is being taught by graduate nurses.

Classes will be held on Monday, Thursday and Friday afternoons from 3 to 5 o'clock and on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7:30 to 9:30 o'clock. The Wednesday evening class is already full.

SLIPPERS ARE LONG.

Special to The Advertiser.

London, Feb. 10.—The short vamp and the round toe have not become popular in England, and evening slippers now worn here are of the longer line type, with small jeweled buckles and many cut-outs.



MRS. ERIC REID,

who will be seen in attractive solo dance numbers at the annual Y. W. C. A. physical exhibition which will be given in the arena on May 1.

Social and Personal

Miss Tena Swan is a guest with her sister, Miss Helen Swan, in Hensall.

Dr. Gordon Ross is a guest with his mother, Mrs. James Ross, Hayman court.

Mrs. E. B. Puffer of Toronto is a guest with her cousin, Mrs. W. H. Griffin, Dreaney avenue.

Miss Hilda Holmes, R.N., of this city, has been a guest with Mrs. A. E. Harrison in Chatham.

Mrs. P. Kelleher, Queen's avenue, and son Cletus have returned from a week-end visit in Detroit.

Mr. and Mrs. Morley Aylsworth have returned home after spending the past three weeks in Florida.

Mrs. James Shea of Dublin, is spending a few days with Mrs. William Prendergast, Wortley road.

Mrs. E. S. Partridge, Elmwood avenue, is a guest with her daughter, Miss Ernestine Partridge, in Toronto.

The committee for the Cronyn Memorial bazaar of which Mrs. Jas. Lambie is convener, entertained last night at a bridge.

Miss Olive Wood, Orchard street, was a guest in Brantford last Saturday, going to that city for the Biggs-Marr wedding.

Mrs. A. E. Reason, "Cloverlea," entertained the members of the Lord Elgin chapter, I.O.D.E., at a bridge yesterday afternoon.

Miss Bertha Graham, Hellmuth avenue, entertained at a smart bridge recently in honor of her niece, Miss Annabelle Smith.

A dance will be held at the Westminster hospital on Thursday, arrangements for the event having been made by the Red Cross society.

Miss Alinda Nugent, Bruce street, entertained on Saturday evening for her brother, Mr. Ted Nugent, of Toronto, who was a week-end guest in town.

Mrs. Charles Nicholls of this city, and her sister, Mrs. Harry Wilson of Winnipeg, were recent guests with their aunt, Mrs. J. Sutherland in Hensall.

Mrs. Howard Fetherstone, Miss Merlyn Pococke and Mr. Douglas Fetherstone, go to Stratford tonight, to give a recital there at Mrs. Ahren's studio.

Miss Winnifred Prendergast, Wortley road, is returning home this evening from Jackson, Michigan, where she has been a guest with Mrs. Arthur Adams.

Mrs. W. G. Raymond, Miss Ethel Raymond and Miss Dorothy Raymond of Brantford are in Ottawa, and attended the drawing-room given on Saturday evening by Lord and Lady Byng.

Miss Viola Martin and Miss Nellie Graham, Perry street, spent the week-end with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Martin of Lyons, and were guests at the Springfield dance while there.

The Orient club is arranging a Valentine dance to be held in the clubrooms on Friday night. The committee in charge includes Mr. Gale Rush, Mr. Harold Doidge, Mr. Roy Malone and Mr. Morgan Walde.

Mrs. Hugh Guthrie and Miss Helen Guthrie of Guelph are in Ottawa with the Hon. Hugh Guthrie for the sessions of parliament and attended the drawing-room given by Lord and Lady Byng on Saturday night.

Mrs. J. D. Mills and her baby daughter, Marjorie, who have been guests with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ball, Grey street, are leaving on Thursday for their home in Stirling. Mrs. Ball will accompany them.

Mrs. W. E. Smith, formerly of Plenty, Sask., who has been spending the past few weeks with her father, Mr. J. W. Wardrope, Elmwood avenue, is leaving shortly with her small daughters Dorothy and Mary, to make her home in Philadelphia.

Professor Patterson and Miss Patterson are entertaining on Thursday evening at their home on Hellmuth avenue in honor of the senior mathematical class of the University of Western Ontario. The event will take the form of a valentine party.

A number of girls arranged a jolly hike recently, returning to Mrs. R. Patton's home on Queen's avenue for supper. The guests were Miss Leon Patton, Miss Elsie Smith, Miss Margaret Thompson, Miss Robina Armstrong, Miss Eleanor Sinkins and Miss Estella Moorhouse.

Mrs. Fred White, William street, is lending her home for a meeting of the Lord Elgin chapter, I.O.D.E., on Friday afternoon. The gathering will take the form of a tea to mark the 25th anniversary of the founding of the order. Mrs. A. E. Miller, the regent, will act as hostess.

Mrs. Robert Kain of Listowel is a guest with her cousin, Mrs. D. R. McHarg, Horton street, coming to the city to meet her brother, Mr. George Bouges, who is with the Great Lovers Revue, now playing at Loew's Theatre. Mr. Bouges is also a guest with Mrs. McHarg. Both will go to Listowel on Thursday to celebrate the 88th birthday of their father.

Mrs. W. A. Martin, Colborne street, lent her home yesterday afternoon for a tea in aid of the travelling basket of the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's church. There were about 25 guests, including the executive of the Aid, the social committee and the ways and means committee. A good bit of sewing was accomplished during the afternoon, and afternoon tea was served by the hostess.

The members of the primary chapters, I. O. D. E., are looking forward to the Municipal chapter tea which is to be given in Cronyn hall tomorrow afternoon from 4 to 8 o'clock. This function will mark the silver anniversary of the founding of the order in Canada, which actually falls on Friday, Feb. 13. Mrs. Cl. T. Campbell is general convener of the tea, which is in charge of the Nicholas Wilson chapter under the sub-convenership of Mrs. G. A. Smith. The tea will be preceded by the regular meeting of the Municipal chapter at 2:30 o'clock.

The Lions club masquerade welfare dance, which is to be held tonight in the Winter Gardens, promises to be one of the merriest functions of the season. A number of novelty dances are being arranged, and prizes will be offered for best costumes and lucky number dances. The nearness of St. Valentine's Day will not be forgotten in the decorations scheme. For music, there will be the Winter Gardens orchestra and the Lions club orchestra under the direction of Selby Young. For noise there will be a "rube orchestra," made up of Lions club members. The committee in charge includes Col. C. M. R. Graham, Dr. H. J. Giffen (president of the club), N. Stonehouse, F. Barrett, H. Humeston, Cyril Thomas, W. Baines and Alex. Morrison.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spry, Prospect avenue, celebrated the 25th anniversary of their wedding recently, when they entertained a number of friends at supper. Spring flowers made the supper table attractive. Here the wedding cake had a prominent place. The evening was featured by a toast to the bride and groom, proposed by Mr. Russell McGladdery. The happy couple were showered with lovely gifts by the guests, who included Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Waugh, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Webb, Mr. and Mrs. Russell McGladdery, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Parsons, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sutherland, Mr. and Mrs. Bellows, Mr. and Mrs. Maidmont, Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Spry of Toronto, Mrs. Jack Stooks and the Misses Edna and Teresa Wallace and Mrs. Martin.

Miss Margaret Harley Brown was the hostess of a charmingly-arranged bridge-tea held yesterday afternoon at her home, Wellington street. The guests of honor included Miss Mickey Lightbourn of Toronto, who is spending a week with her mother, Mrs. Lightbourn, Park avenue; Mrs. Donald Bates, who has come recently to the city from St. Johns, Nfld., and her guest, Miss Mary Snowden of Ottawa. The tea table was prettily arranged with spring flowers. Mrs. Harley Brown assisted her daughter in welcoming the guests, who included: Miss Eula White, Miss Helen Baker, Miss Helen Boughner, Miss Connie Givens, Miss Shirley Johnston, Miss Louise Duffield, Miss Agnes Duffield, Miss Lorraine Abbott, Miss Gweno Williams, Mrs. William Bartlett, Mrs. Eric Rechnitzer, Miss Ruth Robinson, Miss Katharine Cronyn and Miss Margaret Scatcherd.

Ruth Chapter, O. E. S., is holding its annual at-home in the Masonic temple on Friday evening of this week. Dancing will begin at 8:30 o'clock and arrangements are being made for playing cards, for which prizes will be offered. A banquet at 10 o'clock will also be a feature of the event. Committees in charge of the arrangements are as follows: Reception, Mrs. Charles Robertson, worthy matron, convener, Mrs. A. E. Jackson, Mrs. George Banks and S. McCoy; decoration committee, Mrs. L. Brigham, convener, Mrs. A. Allison, Mrs. W. Bendle, Mrs. Bert Logan, Mrs. E. Bowman, Mrs. Frank McKay, Mrs. L. Dan, Mrs. W. R. Thompson, Mrs. C. Zeigler, Mrs. J. C. Doidge, Miss E. Henderson, J. C. Doidge, S. McCoy; refreshment committee, Mrs. C. Phipps, convener, Mrs. A. Comber, Mrs. C. Riddalls, Mrs. J. Ram, Mrs. M. Malone, Mrs. L. Harding, Mrs. J. Davies, Mrs. F. Davies, Mrs. J. Haslett, Mrs. C. Henderson, Mrs. A. Smith, Mrs. F. Daly, Mrs. J. Cornelius, Mrs. M. Hornsby, Mrs. L. Russell, Mrs. M. Millson, Mrs. F. Hogg, Mrs. M. Kerr, Mrs. J. Perrin, Mrs. M. Roddick, Mrs. E. Thorne, Mrs. E. Wyatt, Mrs. M. Ward, Mrs. E. Green, Mrs. E. A. Jackson, Mrs. S. McDonald; assistants, H. Griffith, W. J. Clark, C. Phipps, W. C. Clark, S. McCoy, L. Malone, J. Carrothers.

SOUTH LONDON W. C. T. U.

The first meeting of the South London Branch of the W. C. T. U. is being held tomorrow afternoon in the Askin Street Methodist church. Mrs. Thornley and Mrs. Frank White will be the special speakers of the meeting.

ST. JOHN'S MOTHERS' UNIT.

Mrs. Guy Lombardo entertained the members of St. John's Mothers' unit, of which she is president, at her home, Horton street, recently. Plans were made to hold a card social in St. John's school on Feb. 16. At the close of the evening, a buffet supper was served by the hostess.

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PROFANITY IN WOMEN IS ATTACKED BY JULIA HOYT

Says It Always Leaves a Bad Impression — Men Abhor It.

ONLY A BAD HABIT

By JULIA HOYT.

My family will volubly testify, I am sure, to the fact that I am not old-fashioned. I preface my article with this because some people may think it sounds out-of-date to say that I was decidedly shocked the other day when I heard a young girl use profane language. Swear-words are words that most of us probably have learned, willingly or unwillingly. We cannot help but hear them at times. Just get into a bad traffic mix-up on one of our crowded city streets, and you will receive a very thorough lesson.

However, there are lots of things which we know but of which we do not make use, and I am still unprogressive enough to think that profanity, whether we hear it from a man or woman, is ugly and unattractive—consequently better eliminated. In addition it is a very easy habit to form and so better controlled at the start.

Gives Bad Impression.

Swearing does not necessarily prove the person who uses it to be loose in his actions, but it does give a rather bad impression, and I think most people receive a jolt when they hear it. In addition, I have never yet heard swear words used to any enormous effect. They may give relief to the person, I do not know; but they do not add any weight to an argument, and, as a proof of loss of temper, they are a sign of weakness. We can understand that men whose vocabulary is rather limited may resort to this means of impressing their adversaries, but in most people it is a sign of ignorance and of a lack of sensitiveness.

There are moments, undoubtedly, when "cursing" gives great relief to one's feelings. I can think of one instance when I not only sympathized with the swearers, but when I wished very much that I could use some good strong swear-words myself. The night that I opened in a play in Chicago our scenery arrived only an hour and a half before the time that the curtain was to ring up. It had to be cut and adapted to the stage and the result was that we rang up exactly an hour late.

As I stood on the stage and watched the poor stage hands sweating and working like dogs trying to get the scenery ready, I was more than sympathetic with the lurid profanity I heard around me. But I am not discussing instances such as these, but profanity when used in conversation, as I heard it the other day.

Do It Mentally.

I repeat that, though we know when thinking logically that swearing is not necessarily a proof of poor morals, we are not always logical, and we cannot help but be disagreeably impressed by any girl or woman who uses this kind of language. Consequently, if only from the angle of whether or not one wants to make a pleasant and agreeable impression on others, which I presume most of us do, I should strongly advise girls, if they must swear, to do so mentally, but not to make it audible.

If there are some who think that profanity in women amuses or appeals to man, or that it in any way makes men like them better, let me tell them that, from my knowledge, it is pretty sure to do exactly the opposite. Men at heart are perhaps more conventional than women, and one rarely finds a man who likes to hear a woman swear. So, I repeat, as it is difficult to break a habit when once formed, it is better never to allow this one to start.

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Little Babette

Little Babette, you have gone away,
And whither you journeyed none may tell,
Into a fairer place, they say,
Fields of lilies and asphodel—
Pansies you tended, and mignonette,
Little Babette.

Wild pink roses you watched an hour,
Under the blossomy almond-tree,
White moon-daisies and balsam flower
Wake again for your memory—
Maybe the soul of you loves them yet,
Little Babette.

God has meadows, perchance as sweet,
God has gardens of starry bloom,
Past the Gates, and the Golden Street,
The little angels will make you room—
And still, I think, you will not forget,
Little Babette.

—Frances Beatrice Taylor in "White Winds of Dawn."

EMPRESS AVENUE MOTHERS.

Mrs. J. M. McLean will give an address on "Life" and Mrs. J. L. Chalmers will give a talk on "The Wisdom of Love" at the regular meeting of the Empress Avenue Mothers' club to be held in the school tonight. Mrs. George Bryant will preside.

LONDONERS HAVE SHA... IN PROGRAM OF O. E. A.

Miss Sarah Lawrence Will Preside Over Elementary Department Sessions.

Miss Sarah Lawrence of the Empress avenue school teaching staff, this city, will preside over the sessions of the elementary department of the Ontario educational association in Toronto during Easter week. Miss Lawrence, who is vice-president of the association, will take the chair owing to the resignation of the president, C. E. Dakins of Cobalt. She is acting president of this section at the present time.

Miss Isabelle Craig of this city is president of the household science section of the elementary department. For this section the program includes several Londoners. Dr. H. W. Hill, dean of public health, will speak on "Food in Its Relation to Health"; Miss Hilda Stevens of the technical school on "Art and Design in Dress," and Miss Mary Macpherson of the central collegiate on "Sewing."

AVON

Associated Press Despatch.

Avon, Feb. 9.—The ladies' aid held a very successful bazaar in the church. Home-made baking, candy, and many useful articles were sold. A program, consisting of orchestral selections, quartets, violin selections and readings, was listened to by a large crowd.

Mr. and Mrs. James Row left for Saginaw, Mich., on Friday to attend the funeral of the latter's brother, Mr. Edgar Whaley.

A sleighload of the young people of Springfield had a skating party at the rink in the Avon park on Thursday night. A large number of the Avon young people were there and enjoyed the skating.

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White Hose With Black Shoes Are Unkind to Your Ankles



The popularity of black shoes and white hose continues, and the wrong people continue to wear this combination. The white hose always make ankles appear thicker, and this thickness is increased by the contrast with the black shoes. Unless your ankles are quite slim to begin with, better stick to less modish but more becoming black hose.

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WOMEN and THE HOME

Still Thinks Men Should Surrender Seats In Cars

Julia Hoyt Points to Fact That Women Are Physically Weaker Sex.

CHIVALRY LIVES

By JULIA HOYT.

I saw an amusing caption under a cartoon the other day in which one man asked another (the scene was in the subway), "Why did you give that girl your seat: was she on your feet?" to which the other man replied, "No, she was on my mind."

We have all, I think, heard many discussions as to whether or not a man should give up his seat to a woman. We have heard the arguments that the man may be equally as tired as the woman; that now that women are competing with men they deserve no favors, and that chivalry has been killed by women's own actions, and there is no longer any reason for it. All this sounds very logical and, except for possibly one argument, is irrefutable from the purely logical sense. But just the same there are many things to be said against these logical statements.

Though I have always been a believer in most so-called feminist movements, I have never been one of those who claim that women are physically strong in the same way as men. I believe firmly that mentally women are as capable and efficient as men, but even there in a different way. That is what makes them so extremely valuable. Some of them are physically as hard as men and some, through amazing mental force and will-power, make themselves seem as strong and accomplish as much physically as men.

Women Not as Strong.

But the average woman has not been endowed by nature with the same amount of day-in and day-out physical endurance as a man, nor is she as well able to defend herself from a mob as he is. Certainly I am not exaggerating when I call the rush hour crowd a mob and so, granting that a man is equally as tired as a woman standing in front of him, he is certainly better equipped for protecting himself from the onslaught of the crowd around him.

As long as men are men and women are women, irrespective of what fields the latter may enter, the average man instinctively wants to do the courteous thing where women are concerned. The rabid feminist can kick all she wants, but as long as every girl and woman is a potential mother, she is going to be thought of and treated with greater consideration than is the man.

About Older Man.

Naturally, I do not mean that I think that an older man should give up his seat to a strong, healthy young girl. That would be entirely absurd. But in general men should be willing to stand and allow women to sit, and the poorer the woman the more essential it is for him to get up. I must confess to having felt sympathy at times for the day laborer who remains seated while a richly dressed dilettante stands in front of him.

But one rarely sees this happen; it is much more apt to be the "tired businessman," who has often been sitting in his office most of the day, who hides behind his paper and pretends to be totally unconscious of anyone standing in front of him. In business or out of business it is generally harder on a woman to stand than on a man, and there is not much excuse for any able-bodied man who does not appreciate this fact and offer his seat to a woman.

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WEDDINGS

ARNOLD—McDOUGALD.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. David McDougald was the scene of a pretty but quiet wedding on Tuesday, Feb. 4, when their only daughter, Mary, was united in marriage to Mr. Ralph Arnold of Mount Brydges.

The youthful bride, who looked charming, gowned in maiden blue and gold, entered the drawing-room to the strains of the wedding march played by Mr. Alexander McDougald of London, brother of the bride.

The bride was attended by Miss Rosella Morrow, who wore a gown of henna crepe, trimmed with gold, while Mr. Archie Arnold attended the groom. Little Miss Dorothy Sinker, gowned in honeydew crepe and carrying a basket of carnations, made a charming flower girl.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. Graham, pastor of the Presbyterian church. The groom's gift to the bridesmaid was a string of pearls; an emerald bracelet to the flower girl, and a pair of cuff links to the groomsman.

The bride and groom were the recipients of many beautiful gifts and many substantial sums of money. After the wedding dinner the happy couple left amidst showers of confetti for Detroit and other western points.

The guest present included: Mr. and Mrs. Albert Arnold and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Arnold, Mr. and Mrs. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Morrow, Mr. Earl Morrow, and Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Sinker.

MILADY HAS SMOKING JACKET.
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Paris, Feb. 10.—Since women now smoke as much, or more, than men, Paris designers have brought out a feminine smoking jacket. It is a tailored garment of black velvet, silk faced, cut much on the style of a man's dinner jacket.

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MISS RUTH LAWTON,
of the South London collegiate, who was the winner in the oratorical contest held yesterday in that school, when she defeated the gold medalist in the W. O. S. S. A. oratorical contests. This means that she will be in the W. O. S. S. A. competition this year.

Dorothy Dix

It's Hard to Believe, But Love is the Basis of Most Nagging.

A much-harassed man wants to know why women nag. Oh, for various and sundry reasons, the principal one of which is love. This is a hard saying, and difficult of belief by those who are the victims of the nagger, but it is true, nevertheless.

The more the average woman loves her husband and children, the more she torments them. All of her thoughts and interests and anxieties are centered on them so exclusively that she cannot let them alone for a minute. She is just bound to be a Special Providence watching over them, guarding them, directing their every movement.

It is love, not hate, nor the desire to make herself disagreeable and a spoil sport, that makes a wife nag her husband for forty years about smoking; that makes her ruin every meal by telling him how bad everything he likes to eat is for his stomach; that makes her raise the same objection to his going out every time he puts on his hat; that makes her warn him every morning of his life not to get run over by an automobile; and to be sure to change his shoes if he gets his feet wet.

It is the overfond, overanxious wives and mothers who are the champion naggers and who drive their families wild with their incessant warnings, objections and advice. A woman who grants her husband and children any liberty of thought or action is either indifferent to them, or else a Solomon in petticoats, and feminine Wiscbeimers are few and far between.

Another reason why women nag is because they pin their faith to the moral taught by the parable of the persistent lady and the unjust judge in the Bible. They have ascertained from personal experience that it works out in real life, and that you can worry people into doing almost anything. If you harp long enough on a single string it will get on anyone's nerves, and he or she will give in to you to have peace.

This is why a woman will nag her husband about a bad investment he made, and on which he lost money twenty years ago, even if he has made a million by good trade since. It is why a woman will nag her husky, middle-aged man about eating highly seasoned food because he had a delicate stomach when he was a teething infant. It is why mistresses nag cooks out of the kitchen by telling them over every day of the week just what particular spoon to use in stirring the oatmeal, and not to forget to wipe out the sink.

Finally, women nag because they are human, and only the fewest number of people have the strength of mind to say a thing once and let it go at that.

A woman rarely does this. She feels that she strengthens an objection by repeating it a million times, and she accounts it unto herself for righteousness for never permitting her family to forget their mistakes, and for keeping their weaknesses ever before them. So she becomes that pest of society, and bane of the home, a nagger.

There is no more pernicious vice than nagging. A woman can have no possible fault that will so surely kill love and alienate her husband and children from her. There is no weapon like a jawbone for breaking up the peace and comfort of a home.

But there is little hope of ever curing any woman of this bad habit. For the nagger never admits that she nags.

DOROTHY DIX.

DRESS

By MARY MARSHALL

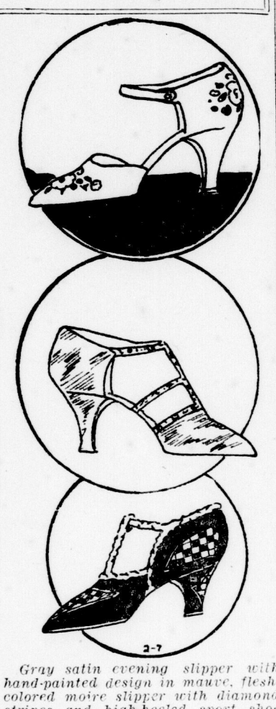
Match Your Slippers to Your Frocks is the New French Dictum.

The shoes worn with an evening dress should match exactly either dress or trimmings, says a fashion dictator in Paris. And this means, of course, that silver or gold slippers should not be worn save with a metallic frock or one trimmed with metal. For the light flower-trimmed pastel frock the smart selection is a slipper of matching pastel shade or one a trifle darker.

By way of something a little unusual there are satin slippers, with a hand-painted floral design—rather pretty—pretty for this day and generation—but an acceptable novelty nonetheless. Slippers to match one's flesh-colored stockings come as another novelty, and should correctly, of course, be chosen to wear with a flesh-colored frock.

In this country the silver slipper persists as suitable accompaniment to the colored evening frock. Mrs. Coolidge wears silver slippers and silver-colored stockings with a frock of blue velvet—and many women here still solve the matter of evening footgear by wearing metallic silver or silver kid with practically every sort of evening frock. But if you want to show your allegiance to French fashions, then match your slippers to your frock. The black slipper, save when worn with the black frock and flesh colored stockings, may be economical, but it is certainly no longer smart.

One of the shoes shown in the sketch is of brown and white kid—a shoe of the type now known as a "high-heeled sport shoe." Once, of course, the shoe salesman smiled or looked perplexed if you asked for a shoe of that description. Obviously high heels didn't grow on sport shoes. High heels would be shooed off any tennis court, and no one could play golf in high-heeled shoes. But there are countless sport frocks and hats that never get any nearer to a tennis net or a putting green than the country club veranda—and with clothes of this description the high-heeled sport shoe is well chosen.



Gray satin evening slipper with hand-painted design in mauve, flesh-colored moire slipper with diamond stripes and high-heeled sport shoe of brown and white kid.

WISE AND OTHERWISE

WITH MARMALADE.

If you have ever sojourned in England and have had the good fortune to dine occasionally in a private house as well as in hotels or boarding-houses you may have tasted marmalade sauce served with a steamed pudding of some sort. Of course, no typical English house is ever without orange marmalade, and it is, therefore, most convenient to dip into the marmalade jar for the wherewithal to make a pudding sauce—far simpler than using fresh oranges, which are not so usually on hand as marmalade.

Here is the recipe for English marmalade sauce: Put a cup of water and two generous tablespoons of marmalade in a saucepan and cook, stirring it until it boils. Add two teaspoons of sugar and a teaspoon of lemon juice, and serve hot.

A very nice pudding is made by English housewives from marmalade and stale bread. The recipe calls for two cups of bread crumbs, a cup of finely chopped suet, two eggs, five or six tablespoons of the marmalade, a little milk and a scant teaspoon of baking powder. Mix the bread, suet, baking powder and a pinch of salt. Mix eggs without separating and then add the marmalade, and add to the other ingredients. Add a very little milk, making a stiff batter. Turn into a greased mold and let stand for two or three hours.

In making any sort of orange dessert such as orange jelly or orange cake filling the flavor is usually improved if a teaspoon of marmalade is added with the orange juice or fresh orange pulp called for. The flavor of orange rind contained in the orange marmalade gives a pleasant tang to the dish.

ENGLISH ARTIST WILL LECTURE IN LONDON

Miss Emily Warren to Speak on "Old London" For Teachers' Guild.

The return to the city of Miss Emily M. B. Warren, A.R.B.A., R.W.S., distinguished English artist, is being greeted with interest by many of her admirers. Miss Warren comes to London on Feb. 19, to give an address on "Old London, Its Interests and Beauties," in St. Andrew's Hall, under the auspices of the Women teachers' guild. Her talk will be illustrated by slides, colored by her own artistic hand.

Those who heard her lecture in the city last year will remember the delightful evening spent with her among the haunts of famous writers.

Miss Warren's slides are made entirely from her own paintings. She has sought out the interesting spots in London which are familiar to the tourist as well as many haunts which are unknown to the casual visitor.

Mrs. Grouse Is Anxious and Worried By a Wet Snowfall Covering Her Bed

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Thunderer the Grouse and Mrs. Grouse had a very comfortable winter so far. Old Mother Nature gave them their snow shoes early, and so they had had no difficulty in getting about on the soft snow. To be sure they had had to live largely on buds, and they had grown very tired of this food. But it kept them alive and in good condition, and they never went really hungry. So, seeing how hungry some of their neighbors were at times, they felt that they had no reason to complain.

Now, Thunderer and Mrs. Grouse like to sleep under the snow. It is always warm there, and whenever the snow is deep enough they spend their nights buried under it. One danger only they fear. That is that while they are asleep under the snow it may rain and then form an icy crust, and so make them prisoners. But so far this winter there had been no icy crust, and so they had had no reason to worry.

The Black Shadows had come creeping into the Green Forest extra early one afternoon. This was because dark clouds hid the blue, blue sky. Just about the time Thunderer and Mrs. Grouse were ready to go to bed it began to snow. They sat together in a spruce tree making ready to plunge down into a bank of snow just below them. But Mrs. Grouse was uneasy.

"Do you think we'd better sleep down there tonight?" said she. "I don't know why I have it, but I have a feeling that something is going to happen."

"Pooh!" cried Thunderer. "Why should anything happen tonight any more than any other night?"

"I don't know," replied Mrs. Grouse. "But I don't like this snow. It is too wet."

"Pooh!" exclaimed Thunderer again. "You ought to be tickled to death to have it snowing. It will cover up the holes we make when we plunge into that bank down there. Then if Reddy Fox or Old Man Coyote happen along they'll never even suspect that we are underneath. For my part I am glad it is snowing. Come on, my dear, let's go to bed."

But Mrs. Grouse was still uneasy and anxious. "Let's roost up here in this spruce tree," said she.

"You can if you want to," retorted Thunderer. "I'm not going to. When I can have a comfortable, warm bed under the snow you won't catch me roosting in a tree all night. Don't be silly, my dear. It is getting dark, and I'm not going to sit up here any longer."



To be sure they had had to live very largely on buds.

He stretched out his neck, and with those bright eyes of his he looked carefully in every direction to make sure that no one was watching him. Then without another word he plunged down into that snowbank. He went down so swiftly that he disappeared instantly. Mrs. Grouse saw the snow fall back behind him. She knew that he would work his way along for some little distance under the snow. Twice Mrs. Grouse started to follow him, and twice she drew back. But she didn't want to spend the night alone in that tree. So at last she, too, plunged into the snow and worked her way along until she was some little distance from where she had entered the snowbank.

"I guess I was foolish to be anxious," thought she, as she settled herself for the night. "There really isn't anything to worry about. In the morning I probably will wonder what was the matter with me." Five minutes later she was sound asleep.

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The next story: "The Worst Happens to the Grouse."

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Special to The Advertiser.

London, Feb. 10.—The very newest mode of feminine hair cut is facetiously styled the "deer stalker." It provides a sharp bob across the back with lappets of long hair left over each ear, which may be arranged either on top of the head or to conceal the fact that the hair is bobbed in the back.

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MIDDLEMARCH

Special to The Advertiser.

Middlemarch, Feb. 9.—Apple Grove Grange held its regular meeting on Thursday night in the Grange hall. After the regular business was disposed of the convener of the committee appointed to see about purchasing material for enlarging and renovating the kitchen gave a report which was very gratifying to the grange, but not much can be done until the snow thaws. Miss H. Robinson gave a very interesting story of the old Indian forts of Elgin and Middlesex and the different tribes of Indians occupying them over 300 years ago. She had a large collection of curios for inspection. A shareholders' meeting was held at the close of grange and Harry Palmer was elected trustee to take the place of the late James Fucher. The next regular meetin will be held on Feb. 19. Mrs. Harry Palmer will furnish the program.

The ladies' aid held their regular meeting Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. James Palmer. After the business was transacted the afternoon was spent in piecing a quilt.

Mrs. Carter spent some days in St. Thomas with her daughter, Mrs. F. Pratt, whose little boy was very sick.

There are a great many confined to their homes with colds, especially children.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Stinchcombe and son Donald spent Sunday at the home of his father, B. Stinchcombe.

Jean Smuck is seriously sick with pneumonia, as is little Daisy Evans.

The members of the women's institute are looking forward to the annual birthday of the society, which will be held in the Grange hall, Feb. 12. It will take the form of a community card party and bazaar, which will consist of fancy and useful articles.

Mrs. F. Tufford and daughter of St. Thomas spent a day recently at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Futcher.

H. Kruppee, who has been very sick, is very much improved.

A WOMAN'S SUFFERING

Relieved by Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound

Verdun, Montreal, Quebec. — "I am one of thousands who have taken Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I have great faith in it. I can safely say it has relieved my troubles and I shall never be without a bottle of it in my house. Since my last baby was born I suffered from pains and backache and would feel so tired I could not do anything in my home. Since I have been taking the Vegetable Compound and Lydia E. Pinkham's Blood Medicine I feel so different. I recommend it to all my friends and hope it will cure other women who are suffering from the troubles I had." — Mrs. THOMAS H. GARDNER, 821 Evelyn Street, Verdun, Montreal, Quebec.

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WILSON IS GIVEN A BRIEF RESPITE

Notorious Bandit, Formerly of London, Taken From Penitentiary to Jail.

ESCAPE FEARED

Herbert L. Wilson, former London mission worker, described by Los Angeles newspapers as "arch criminal, confessed mail robber and prisoner at San Quentin on a conviction of murder," is now having a short respite from his life term in the penitentiary. This information was received this morning by Inspector of Detectives Thomas Nickle, of the local police force.

Wilson is being held incommunicado in the Pasadena city jail, and yesterday testified for the American government in a mail robbery trial.

Wilson's transfer from the state penitentiary of California to the jail was surrounded with the utmost secrecy, according to Los Angeles newspapers. Every safeguard was taken against reported intentions of underworld enemies of Wilson to "square accounts" with him.

At the same time every precaution was taken against possible attempt at a rescue of the notorious criminal by former associates in a bandit ring, who were reported to be ready to take desperate chances to effect his freedom.

Having confessed to the planning and directing of the robbery of two mail trucks in Los Angeles on March 3 and Nov. 3, 1921, Wilson appeared in court today as chief witness against Jack Elerick, former American sporting world character, and Joe Bertsch of Chicago. Of the 29 originally charged for the gigantic mail robber, only these two went to trial today.

So notorious is Wilson's record for attempts at escape that Pasadena jail officials were by no means overjoyed at having the former Londoner in their custody for more than a week, a Los Angeles despatch says. An extra guard has been stationed about the jail to checkmate any move along this line.

Wilson lived in London about ten years ago. He was well-known throughout the city, having conducted the City Mission, on Richmond street, for several years.



GOBLINS PREPARE FOR EMPRESS AVENUE SCHOOL CARNIVAL.

Here is a bright group of Goblins, caught by the Advertiser photographer this morning, when he found them trying on costumes for the big "Goblin Fair," which will be presented by over two hundred children of the Empress avenue school on Tuesday night, Feb. 17. The presentation of "The Goblin Fair" will follow the official opening of the new school which takes place in the afternoon.. Top, left to right—Bill McCallum, Jack Griffiths, Orville Sinclair, George Tuttle, Bill Trudell, Osborne Burley, Jack Bell. Second row—Bill Taylor, Ross Garrett, Ted Carlton, Reg. Paize, Bill Knaggs. Third row—Bob Pilgrim, Geo. Paradene, Lloyd Bere, Joe Gigg, Elmer Cavanagh, Richard Welsh, Harry Pope, David Geary, Bernard Clark, Stanley Coups, Chris. Bowen, Fred Eagen.

$40,000 IS NEEDED FOR PLAYGROUNDS

Commission Has to Rely On Generosity of the Council, Though—Big Program.

Though the public utilities commission may not ask the city council for an appropriation of $40,000 for playgrounds purposes this year, nevertheless such a sum could be used to advantage by the commission.

In the midst of preparing estimates this morning, Manager E. V. Buchanan pointed out that the commission had been unable to do little or no consruction work on the playgrounds last year, since the appropriation of $20,000 passed by the council was barely to meet the costs of maintenance.

Mr. Buchanan drew attention to the fact that the commission had been successful, through the strictest measures of economy, in maintaining the present playgrounds system, and at the same time reducing the overdraft of $9,300 carried over from 1923 to $4,300.

Should the commission purchase a site in the north end of the city for the McMahon playground, approximately $10,000, would be needed to provide the necessary equipment.

Improvements necessary to the Thames park swimming pool in order to have the accommodation meet the provinncial requirements, would approximate $10,000, embracing proper filtration plant, shower baths, lavatories, etc.

"We may be able to operate the pool again this year the same as last," remarked Mr. Buchanan, "but the board of health may object, as the present pool certainly does not comply with the regulations of the provincial board of health relative to civic swimming pools.

"Though department regulations are not satisfied by the present pool accommodations," concluded Mr. Buchanan, "the water is quite sterile owing to the high amount of chlorine used in the water."

The parks board has the legal right to request the council for parks appropriation of $60,000, equal to one mill on the dollar, but similar powers are not delegated to the playgrounds commission, which, accordingly, has only to throw itself upon the generosity of the council in the matter.

PUGILIST FINED IN BEER ACTION

Admits Illegally Purchasing "Genuine 8 Per Cent"—Pays $50.

Athletes don't drink and consequently a local physical instructor and pugilist never gave his pupils liquor, not even beer. He drinks ale himself, however, and paid $50 and costs in police court this morning for having illegally purchased several cartons of "genuine 8 per cent."

Charges of keeping liquor for sale and illegally purchasing were laid by License Inspector Walter Bolton.

In police court this morning, the defendant admitted buying the beer from an "unknown man," but emphatically denied having ever sold the beverage.

At his home 44 filled quart bottles were found by the police yesterday in a raid. Thirty-six empty containers were also discovered, and in a woodshed at the rear of the house as many as 40 empty cartons were stacked.

He explained that since the plebiscite he had bought the beer for his own consumption. He accounted for the great number of empty cartons by saying that they were purchased to form a lining to a chicken coop.

"I made an illegal purchase of the liquor," he said. "I admit that, your worship, and realize my mistake. I never sold it though. Sometimes I would give a drink to promoters, but never to my pupils. They're in training, you know, and drinking is bad for them."

"Thank you," he said when Magistrate Graydon imposed the minimum fine for his breach of the O. T. A. "That's be a good lesson, but I don't know what I'm going to do now for a drink if any doctor refuses to give me a 'per'."

CONDITION SERIOUS.

No change is reported in the condition of six-year-old Edward Lizmore, who was seriously hurt while sleighing on the Brick street hill, in South London, last week, according to officials at Victoria hospital, where the boy was taken soon after the accident. He is not yet out of danger, his physician declares, although the boy is resting comfortably.

Chicago Wheat Prices Fall

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Feb. 10.—Wheat prices plunged down nearly six cents a bushel today within hardly more than an hour. The new delivery vent as low as $1.85⅝ as compared with $1.90⅝ to $1.91 at yesterday's finish. Selling was active and general and the market without any adequate support.

GASOLINE EXPLOSION VICTIM IMPROVING

Mrs. Alex McCoy of 10 Dean street, who has been in Victoria hospital for more than a month, suffering from burns received in a gasoline explosion at her home, is showing consistent improvement in her condition, according to hospital officials.

Mrs. McCoy's condition was first considered extremely serious and little hope wa sheld for her recovery when she was first admitted to the hospital. Lately, however, her improvement, although gradual, has been most satisfactory, physicans state.

LAWYERS BEWARE.

Not only has a wire been stretched across the path recently used by local lawyers between the city and county registry office on the court house square, but a large sign has been erected to notify lawyers to keep to the sidewalks. "Keep off!" are the warning words printed in large black letters that swing in the breeze from the wires.

CITY ANTIS WILL BUILD A CHURCH

Members of Knox Congregation Lead Drive to Segregate Adherents.

Plans for the formation of an anti-union Presbyterian church in South London were formulated at an informal meeting held last night of a number of the anti-unionist members of Knox Presbyterian church.

The purchase of residential property in the district is being considered by those interested in the plan. In fact, the residence of the late Col. Leys on Elmwood avenue may be the property finally selected to house the new church for a period of probably five years, when a new church edifice would be built.

In addition to the anti-unionist members of Knox church, it is hoped to draw members from St. Andrew's and First churches sufficient to raise the strength of the anti-union church to at least 300, and possibly 500 members.

A number of the anti-unionist members of the session of Knox church, who recently resigned as such, are known to be behind the movement to form a new church.

Developments are awaited with interest by both unionists and anti-unionists in South London.

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WILLIAMS GIVEN YEAR IN PRISON

Herbert Milliard Pleads Guilty and Will Be Sentenced This Week.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, Feb. 10.—In the trial and conviction of Harry (Nigger) Williams on a charge of stealing a car belonging to H. Le'Courters to go joyriding with, the activities of one of the most dett pair of auto thieves in Western Ontario were brought to a close.

Williams pleaded "not guilty" before the magistrate, and elected for trial by Judge Ross, who imposed the maximum penalty of one year in the common jail. His accomplice, a 19-year-old English lad, Herbert Millard, pleaded guilty and will be sentenced by Magistrate Maxwell this week. Millard is a married youth with one child.

For four months the authorities were mystified by the disappearance of more than a dozen cars which were eventually recovered in back alleys and lanes. Millard admitted the theft of them all, explaining that he and Williams had used them to attend shows in London. In the possession was found a pair of license plates of 1924 series, which had been used to replace those on the stolen cars. Keys which would unlock any make of cars were also found in their possession. They were finally apprehended when they stalled with the Le'Courters car near Tempo. Williams pleaded not guilty to three additional charges of theft, all of which were dismissed. Crown Attorney McCrimmon prosecuted, and Hugh Cameron defended Williams.

JIMMIE TAKES VOW TO QUIT ALL ALCOHOL

Glanworth Man Is Freed on Promise to Return to Work.

James Eaton, of Glanworth, who has gained fame as an imbiber of rubbing alcohol, was allowed to proceed on his way by County Magistrate Hawkshaw this morning on payment of court costs of $6.80.

Jimmie was hustled to one of Governor Dawson's comfortable jail cots on Saturday when he was found in a Glanworth shack with John Rourke, the latter lying in a pool of blood.

"I don't want to go to jail. I'm going to work on the highway this summer," pleaded James. "I had a few drinks of alcohol, but I'm none the wors efor it."

"No, but you might be in the cemetery today," replied, the magistrate, pointing out the danger of such fluid taken as a beverage.

Mr. Eaton went on to state that the alcohol had been owned by Rourke and that the latter owed him for a month's board. It had been a long time since he had been in the toils.

"That's right. It is over two years since Jimmie was here" spoke up High Constable Wharton. "I'd like to see this man get back to work. He's a good fellow when he's on the job and a hard worker."

"That's a pretty good recommendation," declared the court. "I'll let you go on payment of the costs, but if you come back here again, you'll go to jail for some time."

"Thank you, gentlemen," bowed Jimmie. "I won't be back, you can bet on that."

"What religion are you?" queried the magistrate.

"I'm a a Methodist and 61 years of age," replied Mr. Eaton as he made for the exit.

FLORIDA CLUB HOLDS CANADIAN ROTARY DAY

Israel Taylor, manager of the London branch of the Imperial Life Assurance Company of Canada, who is at present at St. Petersburg, Florida, addressed members of the Rotary club there a short time ago on "Internationalism."

The St. Petersburg club arranged for a "Canadian" day, at which many Rotarians from all parts of Canada and the United States were present. Writing to friends in London, Mr. Taylor tells of lawn bowling and the cool of the shade.

ISSUES WRIT FOR $4,257.42.

The affairs of the Ruggles Truck Company are again brought to the fore by Col. W. G. Coles, who has issued a supreme court writ through Gibbons, Harper and Braden against John Bridge for $4,257.52 damages "by reason of the plaintiff being compelled to pay certain promissory notes and a check made in favor of the Ruggles Truck Company."

Six Killed At Crossing

Associated Press Despatch.

Chester, Pa., Feb. 10.—Four men and two women were killed and another woman seriously injured today when a shifting locomotive on the Pennsylavia railroad struck a motor truck and a motor car on a grade crossing at Marcus Hook, near here.

CADET UNFORMS NOW UNLIKELY

Failure of $6,000 Request Is Seen in Board's Economy Front.

Indications in educational circles point to the fact that the cadet corps of the city public schools must go without uniforms for a further period.

A least the large majority of them, since this year's board presents too economical a front on the question, despite the unanimous resolution passed by the 1924 board that the sum of $6,000 be included in the estimates this year for the uniforming of all the cadet corps of the city.

It is learned that the sum of $1,500 is included in the estimates for the current year for the purchase of about 250 cadet uniforms. Just what action will be taken by the board when the item comes up for consideration within the next few days remains a question.

Trustee Rev. Roy D. Mess, M.M., strongly supports the cadet movement in the public schools, and in so doing emphasizes the fact that the militia department of the federal government, together with the Lord Strathcona fund, supplies liberal grants on the uniforms.

"It is only those sentamentalists for peace that see in the cadet movement anything of the militaristic note," averred Mr. Mess, "and they are not necessarily the ones who will or can guarantee us peace.

"There was no militaristic spirit in the British army," continued the soldier-trustee, "certainly not like the militarism of the German army, and it s absurd to say that the cadet movement fosters such a militaristic spirit. Instead, it develops the best in the boys and any movement which brings out the best in boys cannot be very dangerous after all."

Trustee S. Fred Lawrason, chairman of the board, backs the opinion that drill and discipline is a good thing to be fostered and developed amongst the boys of the public schools.

Mr. Lawrason favors the uniforming of cadets, but is favorable this year to the inclusion in the estimates of only such a sum as will be returned in grants from the militia department and other sources. He is thus opposed to spending anything like $6,000 on cadet uniforms this year.

Both Mr. Lawrason and Mr. Mess made it clear that in favoring the setting aside of a much smaller sum than $6,000 this year, such action was favored by them, not because of the unfavorable comment which has appeared in the press recently from church clubs, Labor party and other organizations, but solely out of respect to the board's avowed policy of economy in confining this year's expenditures to only those things which are absolutely necessary.

CRUELTY IS ALLEGED.

A summons has been issued by County Magistrate Hawkshaw against a Dorchester township farmer, who, it is alleged, cruelly beat one of his horses with a logging chain. The information was laid by Inspector George Tustin, of the Humane society. The farmer will appear in county court on Saturday morning.

MARY JANE DAVIS

Mrs. Mary Jane Davis, who died Saturday, was buried today at 3 o'clock in Woodland cemetery. The funeral was held from her home at 62 Carfrae Crescent, with Rev. Mr. Moffatt of Melbourne, former pastor of Chalmers Presbyterian church of this city, conducting the services.

The pallbearers were Messrs. Booth, Colerick, Coombs, Jones, York and Hyatt.

ASKIN STREET W. M. S.

Mrs. James Brown presided over the regular monthly meeting of the W. M. S. of the Askin Street Methodist church held yesterday afternoon. Mrs. (Rev.) Salton gave a splendid paper on "Tithing," and Mrs. Cottam led in the devotional exercises. Mrs. Archibald, the president of the W. M. S. of the Chalmers church, Woodstock, was a special guest at the meeting, and brought a greeting from her society. Miss Phinn sang delightfully "The Lord Is My Shepherd," accomplished by Dr. Smith. Mrs. Ida Harrison gave on impressive talk on "Others."

FUNDS INVOLVED IN NEW CHARGES

Presbyterian Church Association of Two Counties Meets Today.

A resolution of the Presbyterian church association of Middlesex and Elgin of Jan. 25 in which the association appointed a treasurer, and in which some of the unionists claim that the anti-unionists were "by inference" asked to withhold funds from their churches until June 10 came under heavy polemical fire and criticism at this morning's meeting of the London Presbytery. This special meeting was called to deal with the resignations of Rev. W. A. Leitch of Kintyre, which after some discussion he was persuaded to withdraw until June 10, in view of representations of his congregation that he stay until that date, and that of Rev. D. G. Paton of Glencoe.

Several representatives of the Glencoe church attended the Presbytery, from both sides of the dispute. The union members claimed that this resolution of the church association had had some effect on their position in the church and had influenced them in withdrawing from the congregation.

Determined To Quit.

They made it very plain that the unionists in the Glencoe church were determined to withdraw, and would do so at the earliest opportunity to the Methodist church "across the road" as one put it. He also stated that the minister, Rev. D. G. Paton would accompany them to the new union church.

Anti-unionist members of the congregation, on the other hand, claimed that the central union committee in London had been active in getting more members to secede from the church, and that this was the reason for the present split in the congregation.

Rev. Mr. McIntosh at this juncture asked for a definite answer to a question as to whether there had actually been any move by the union committee in London to incite any member of the Glencoe church to leave just now.

"This is a concrete case," he said, where such an allegation is made and I want to have an answer to my question."

Deny Charges.

Members of the unionist faction at Glencoe denied absolutely that there had been any assistance or request for secession from the London committee in answer to Rev. William Beattie of the First Presbyterian church here, who is chairman of that committee.

The resignation of Mr. Paton was moved by Rev. J. M. McGillvray after an hour of discussion, but a motion of adjournment coming at the same time prevented the motion being moved on. The presbytery took an hour and a half for lunch and consideration. Mr. Paton in his statement said that he felt that it was better that he should resign in view of the split in his congregation and mentioned the difficulty in the matter of guarantee of stipend.

In the case of Mr. Leitch, the reason given for resignation was a promise made before the union vote was taken to his congregation that he would resign in the event of the congregation voting against union, which it did. It was merely the fulfillment of a promise.

EFFORTS BEING MADE TO FINISH ESTIMATES

Hope to Have 1925 Budget Decided Inside of a Month.

Efforts are being made this week to have committee estimates well in hand, s othat the 1925 budget may be fairly well decided on in naother month. BoBard of health, plumbing department and relief estimates have already been submitted. More estimates are expected at meetings of the city council major committees this week.

Fairly accurate estimates of last year's expenditures have been secured, and it is believed that a small surplus may be shown. Estimates for 1925, it is understood, will show little deviation in controllable expenditure from last year's costs. Outside of probable increases in paying and sewer construction costs and the likelihood of the construction of a new high school, no large construction is expected this year.

DISORDERLY CHARGES.

Clayton Taylor and Earl Fortle, two Dorchester township youths, will appear in county court before Magistrate Hawkshaw on Saturday morning, on charges of disorderly conduct while attending a recent dance at Dorchester.

City Churches

EMPRESS AVENUE LEAGUE.

Miss Margaret Bowie, the missionary vice-president, was in charge of the regular meeting of the Y. P. L. of the Empress Avenue Methodist church last night. The Bible lesson was read by Allan Goodman, after which a musical number by Prid Goodland and Charlie Robinson was greatly enjoyed. H. G. Bowle gave an interesting talk on "Missionary Work." A grocery shower was also held in aid of a needy family, and the meeting was largely attended.

HYATT AVENUE LEAGUE.

Miss May Bossence, the missionary vice-president, occupied the chair at the regular meeting of the league of the Hyatt Avenue Methodist church last night, when the missionary department took charge of the evening. Miss Louise Stevenson read the lesson, and Miss Lillian Gorley gave a splendid talk on "A Hundred Years of Missions," and Miss L. Hoffman read an interesting letter from Miss Sparling, a missionary in China, telling of her work.

CHURCH OF CHRIST L. A.

At a recent meeting the members of the Ladies' Aid of the Church of Christ planned to have a rummage sale, and it is to take place tomorrow afternoon in the old church building on Dundas street east. Mrs. C. B. Woods, the president, will be in charge, and the proceeds are to be in aid of the building fund. They also arranged to have the sale just in the afternoon, from 1:30 o'clock on, so that it will not inconvenience the ladies of the church.

Obituary

GEORGE W. WALTERS.

George W. Walters, well-known Londoner, died at his home, 640 Queen's avenue, this morning, following a short illness. He was prominently connected with Masonic and Oddfellow lodges of the city for many years.

Mr. Walters was a member of St. John's lodge, No. 209a, A., F. and A. M., and a member of Court Stella, A. O. F., No. 7047, being a past district chief ranger.

His funeral, which is to be held from his home on Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock, will be in charge of his fellow lodge members, and the services will be Masonic. Rev. G. Q. Warner of Cronyn Memorial church is to officiate.

Two sons, John and Roy of this city, and one daughter, Mrs. Charles Legg, also of London, are the survivors.

MRS. WALTER HAY.

The funeral of Mrs. Walter Hay, aged 23, was held from the Oatman funeral home this afternoon at 2 o'clock, Ensign Foster of the Rectory street citadel, Salvation Army, officiating at the services.

Interment was held at Mount Pleasant cemetery.

She is survived by her husband and two sons.

EMMA TEALE.

Funeral services for Mrs. Emma Teale, who died on Sunday morning, were held this afternoon at the funeral home of G. E. Logan. Rev. D. C. MacGregor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian church officiated. Interment was made at Woodland cemetery.

JOHN HOLTON.

The remains of John Holton, who died in this lety on Sunday, Feb. 8, weer forwarded to Amherstburg from the Oatman funeral home today by C. N. R.

Mr. Holton was a resident of Amherstburg, and was in his 71st year. He is survived by his wife.

Interment will be made in Amherstburg tomorrow.

AUDIT ACCOUNTS.

County Clerk John Stuart, Reeve J. S Cousins of Westminster township and Reeve A. C. Hodgins of London township, spent a busy morning auditing high school accounts of the county of Middlesex.

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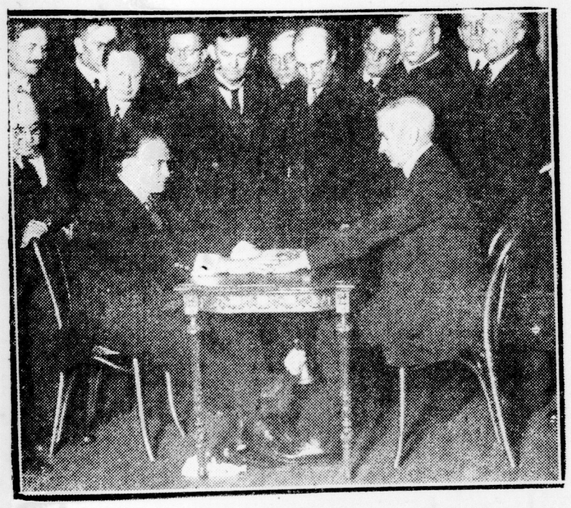
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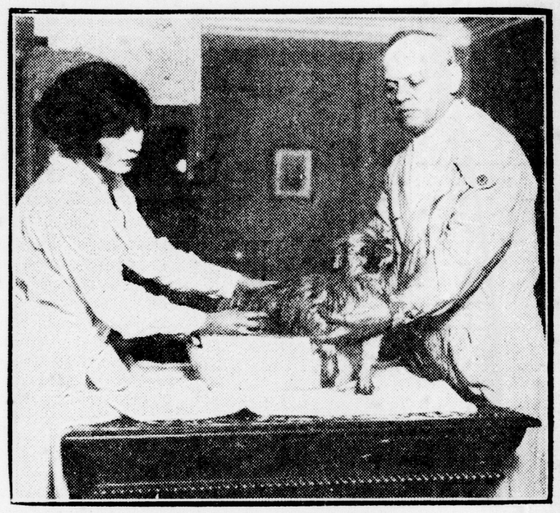
Once Reigning Beauty; Parliament Opens; Prefers Chorus Girls



Harry Houdini, magician, who devotes most of his time to exposing alleged spiritualists, is demonstrating to a group of New York clergy a method that is used in communication. While his "foot" is held he shows how it is possible to ring a bell



The colorful ceremony of the opening of Parliament at Ottawa the other day was attended by more than usual pomp. Here is shown a detachment of Princess Louise Dragoon Guards, which provided the fourteen outriders accompanying Baron Byng from Rideau Hall to the Senate Chamber where, with the reading of the speech from the throne, the session was formally opened



A dog's life is not so bad these days, for even beauty parlors have been opened for the treatment of chows, pekes and other such species in New York. Mud baths, facials, permanent waves, all are included



Lily Langtry, now the Lady de Bathe, who, thirty years ago, was the world's reigning beauty, is now at her villa on the Riviera, where she is writing her memoirs



Ignace Paderewsky, one-time premier of Poland, and perhaps better known as the world's greatest composer-pianist, is shown on a visit to Premier Mussolini in Rome



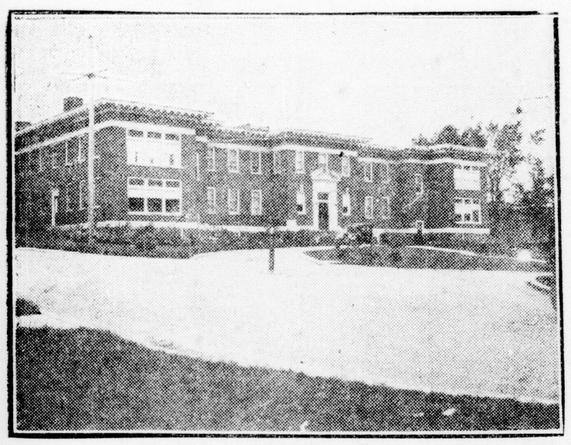
One of Boston's most noted society girls says that the smart set bores her and that she much prefers the companionship of chorus girls to debutantes. She is Miss Evelyn Gardiner, whose family occupies an entire page in the social register. And now she draws a pay check from a show in New York



Mme. Fahmy Wissa Bey, prominent Egyptian woman, is the leader in the Egyptian women's political movement for more representation and government power. Her following has already made itself felt



Here's a good reason for not going near the water. Mrs. Ernest G. Diehl of Cincinnati, dresses in a bathing suit of black velvet, trimmed with fancy lace collar and cuffs, for beach wear



Every returned soldier in Orillia and district is entitled to free treatment for the rest of his life in this magnificent new memorial hospital. The fund for its construction was donated by the community



Here is shown a recent snapshot of Giacomo de Martino, the new Italian ambassador to the United States. It is understood that he will take up the debt question shortly after his arrival



Here is the dancer who has attracted so much attention in the production of "Rose Marie" in New York, in which she appeared under the name of Miss Nirska. She is now sailing to appear in the London production of the same play



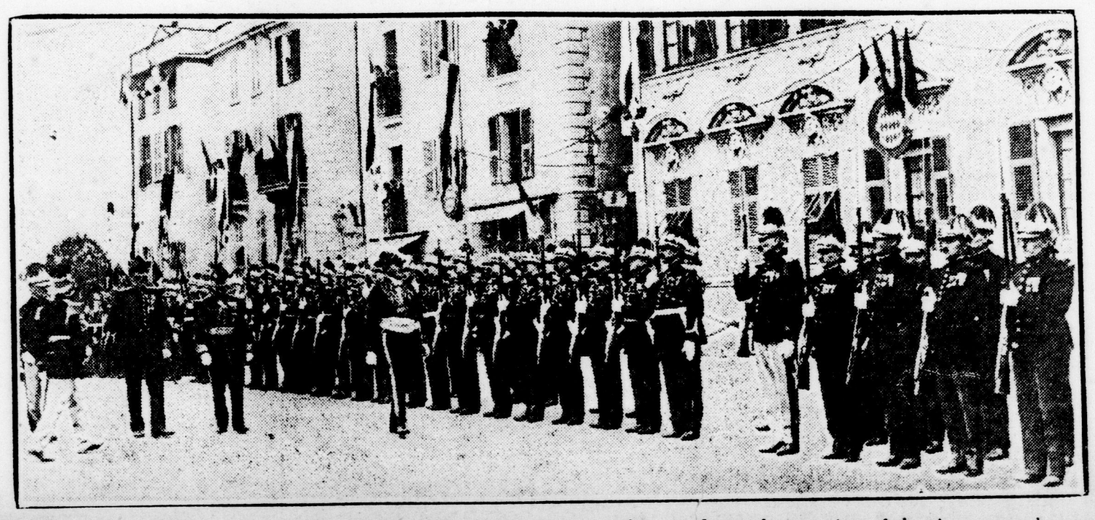
Alderson Fry, 20 years old, a footless student at Huntington, West Virginia, is puzzling psychiatrists who are endeavoring to learn how he manages to get along and feel normal on ninety minutes sleep a day



This snap shows a winter scene on Lake Joseph in Muskoka, where many Toronto people spend their vacations each year



Here is said to be latest in hats for the spring, showing a charming close-fitting chapeau of red straw, the hand-work design of which gives a decidedly "Cleopatra" effect



Here is shown the army of Monaco, the smallest in the world, drawn up for parade on the occasion of the tiny country's recent celebration at Monte Carlo



The Marchioness de la Falaise de la Coudray, the former Gloria Swanson, the thousand dollar a day screen star, is shown in the costume she wears in her newest starring vehicle, during the production of which she married the marquis in Paris

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TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1925.

Balance the Budget First.

A report from Toronto says that the coming session of the Ontario legislature may see an increase in the indemnity paid to members and also the members of the cabinet; the figure mentioned for the members is $2,000 per year and for members of the cabinet $8,000 and their sessional indemnity as well, which would make $10,000 in all.

If the increase were to be granted it would mean an additional yearly outlay of $80,600, made up of $66,600 for private members and $14,000 for cabinet members.

The members took office on the understanding that they were to receive an indemnity of $1,400; they were keen to get office at that figure; not in any one case was the point raised that a member would serve only if he received an increase in salary. The plea is made that the increase should be granted because it costs a member a fair-sized amount to get elected, and that he is continually a bright and shining target for all sorts of appeals on his purse. There is no doubt that this is so, and it is equally true that many members continue this practice of giving to this and that in order to create goodwill when the next election day comes around. Neither is it a good plea that the indemnity be increased because it takes money to get elected. The tendency should be away from large expenditures for this purpose rather than toward it. If we have arrived at the stage where only a well-to-do man can afford to run for parliament or the legislature, then we have reached a point where we should set about seriously to correct the fault rather than compromise with it by recognizing the practice and condoning it by granting more funds.

The Advertiser has stated on more than one occasion that the country is over-governed, and it believes that the majority of citizens share the same opinion. Any of our governing bodies would be just as representative of public opinion if they contained half the members they do today, and there would be no national or provincial suffering as a result.

The provincial government is not balancing its budget; it has intimated that it may have to resort to new forms of taxation if it is to carry out its road building program and other polic es which it has in mind. If the government is sincere in its statement that it is proceeding, or intends to proceed, on a plan that will cut expenditure, and make it possible for the province to get out of some of the fields of taxation that rightfully belong to the municipalities, it is time it took some definite steps in that direction. Placing an added burden of $80,600 on the province for increased indemnities to members of the legislature is not moving that way.

Provincial Assistance Welcomed.

Premier Ferguson announces that the province will assist in measures to relieve unemployment in cities to the extent of one-third of the surplus cost of work undertaken for that purpose. That is a phrase—"surplus cost"—that should be thoroughly understood. For instance, London is carrying out big sewer undertakings in winter, and the cost will be enhanced by two principal reasons, (1) many men on the work are not experienced, (2) the weather conditions make the work slower. This makes construction cost more than usual, and it is one-third of this excess the province will carry. On the basis of last year's program London's surplus cost was 50 per cent, and the absorption of one-third of this by the provincial government will come as welcome assistance.

Premier Ferguson's reasoning as to why the municipalities are primarily responsible for looking after unemployment is not entirely convincing. He says: "In times of prosperity the municipality invites an influx of population which is essential to the organization and carrying on of its various industrial enterprises. The municipality profits by the taxes and expenditures, with all the other advantages that come from increased population and its earnings. The responsibility rests secondarily with the dominion government, which has control of and encourages immigration."

London has not sent out a call for outside help for years, yet London finds that it has many times to provide work for those brought in here by the provincial government distribution as farm labor. Nor should Mr. Ferguson forget that his government is very willing to share in the prosperity of the population by accepting all the tax it can collect from race tracks, moving pictures, and other forms of entertainment.

The provincial government's assistance is welcome, and it also gives point to a remark made by James Malcolm, M.P. for North Bruce, during his recent address in London, that the country should think well about throwing open the gates for immigration until such time as our own citizens are well employed.

One Thing At a Time.

The opinion of the solicitor-general on the right of London to proceed with the erection of a city hall, even without a vote of the people, is not a matter of as great importance as it might seem. London citizens are paying the bills, and they will say when a city hall is to be built and how much shall be paid for it.

Right now the completion of the buildings for the secondary school system is a more pressing claim than the erection of a city hall, although the latter is necessary.

Any move that makes it look as though there were a desire to overdo the civic building program is liable to jeopardize the whole thing.

The plea that the erection of a city hall would provide employment has equal application in the case of the secondary school program.

The city council and board of education are spending the money of the same people. The most reasonable course would be to finish the school program first because it touches the more pressing need.

A Sad Case To Consider.

The coroner's inquest can be relied upon to sift all the evidence in connection with the death of the Chinese lad who died in London from taking poison. Theories at present include accident and deliberate attempt. Others have it that the lad found his condition that of loneliness, and it is alleged in some quarters that he found life becoming increasingly hard.

There is a touch of extreme sadness in the case, because the outlook of the normal boy of twelve years is not toward self-destruction. Life has a habit of looking very bright at that age.

The coroner's jury can be relied upon to deal fairly with all the evidence that comes before them in this distressing case, and their finding should, if possible, be definite enough to remove as far as can be done the mystery that seems to have settled around the happening.

Note and Comment.

Some hens are bred to lay; others are scared to lay.

Trades and labor council of St. Thomas is to investigate price of flour, and can start from the sure ground that the millstone is always found attached to the consumer's neck.

Noted chemist, speaking at Toronto, said people of today are not able to smell as they once did. Wonder if that speaker took a trip around the stock yards at West Toronto.

Correspondent wants to know why we printed pictures of young ladies who attended state ball in Ottawa on Saturday. Simply because it was so much easier than printing the pictures of all who weren't asked.

Noted police experts are going to have a convention in Windsor, at which some light may be shed on why a man's car has so much speed when he tries to sell it and so little when he appears on a charge of speeding.

Neighboring city talks of operating on a boy's thyroid gland to cure him of bad habits. A generation or so back such operations were performed in the woodshed, but not on the thyroid gland. The operation then was aimed directly at the seat of the trouble.

A fifth police magistrate has been named in Toronto, and the mayor hastens to greet him by stating he is an imposition on the taxpayers and the real fifth wheel on the police court wagon. These opening ceremonies being over, the new police court magistrate will proceed to function.

Public Utilities did not make money out of the civic golf course in the first year. The expense was $11,363, which included construction cost of $8,811. There was an overdraft of $3,568. The year 1925 will see the civic golf course making money, and it will continue to do so, because the receipts will be increasingly greater than the cost of maintenance.

About a week ago the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfrid Ritchie was destroyed in Chatham, and their two children perished in the fire. The citizens went to work at once and have raised a fund to $1,646 to help the grief-stricken parents start life again in a new home. Well done, Chatham. It is such acts that lift a community out of the stage where it is known as a city and make it known as a community where it is a pleasure to reside.

One Last Chance

Jim Fitzpatrick says his Barred Rocks can beat the record made by the birds in Widow Swartz's Plymouth pen.—Chesley Enterprise.

When I was readin' just a spell in Bill McDonald's tidy sheet, I noticed how he'd penned a yarn about this great egg-layin' feat.

I 'llow as how they'd took their books a-showin' as the eggs come out, and told the Chesley editor he didn't know what he's about. So then he prints the figures there a-showin' how Fitzpatrick's group had run the figure to a point a-beatin' Widow Schwartz's coop.

And so I took that paper home, a-plannin' when I'd time again I'd read the clippin' in the barn and show it to the speckled hen.

For I be troubled some at times a-wonderin' just what next to do to make them hens lay fifteen eggs instead of loafin' off on two. I've fed them on bran mash and cake and stuffed 'em on two-dollar wheat, a-thinkin' how to make them lay was handin' out great gobs to eat.

Then when I go to gather eggs I can't see how as it's quite fair for me to be a-findin' naught but china eggs a-restin' there.

And I have took the family axe and pressed the grindstone on its blade, to see if them there speckled hens would shiver like and get afraid, a-thinkin' if they come to see how I was bound on blood and wreck, they'd start stern business in their hut to save me pryin' off their neck.

It's tryin' on the nerves it be to read in Bill's bright Chesley sheet, of them what has so many eggs they grow warts on the hired man's feet, for he just takes a basket out and rolls eggs on the kitchen floor, then has to scamper off again and start a-pickin' up some more.

Just one more move be left to me, I'll read them hens a lesson now, a-threatenin' for to twist their necks, instead of hens I'll keep a cow. If that don't work them speckled hens will see blood prancin' in my eye, we'll ask the parson up for tea and stuff him full of chicken pie.—ARK.

W. Williams Had Its Full Share of 'Macs'

IT was no distinction to refer to a man as "Mac" in the southern part of West Williams fifty years ago, for there would have been many answer to the same name. It is possible that there may have been sections where the names starting with "Mac" or "Mc" occurred more frequently, but it would be hard to imagine such a thing unless it became almost unanimous. Many of these same names are found in West Williams today; others bearing the names are in all corners of the dominion; London has its share of them, many of them coming from these West Williams families.

In the previous article on West Williams the printer made the Sylvan road to appear as the Aylmer road, showing, of course, that he had never visited the old mill pond at Sylvan or travelled along past "Gentleman Johnson's" fine farm. Indeed that may not be the name by which it is known now; but there was a time in the early days of Williams when Sylvan was a name to be conjured with, but that was before the old sawmill was burned, and before the railroad came along and refused to run into Sylvan.

Notice the number of Scottish names again, which are in the list of those who were land owners in 1878. This list takes in the southern section of the township:

Yes, the "Macs" Were Many.

THOMAS STANTON, Angus and Dugald McIntosh, A. McIntyre, J. McCormick, John Monteith, D. Cameron, Hugh Smith, Neil McIntosh, John McLellan, Neil McIntyre, Malcolm McIntosh, Arch. McLeod, Wm. Peddler, Ronald and Hector McIntyre, Donald McPhee, Horace Nutt, Murdock McCuish, Mrs. C. Loomis, Oscar Loomis, Thomas Rutherford, James Mackey, John Mott, Mathias Mackey, John McEachren, John Johnson, Angus McDonald, Angus and John McPhee, Hugh and Neil McPhee, Donald Steel, Rory Steel, John McDonald, Arch. McVicar, Pat. Kilgallin, Jas. Catovin, Charles McIntyre, Hugh McCormick, Donald McIsaac, Donald McCormick, Archie McCormick, Angus McIntosh, Angus McLellan, E. A. McIntyre, Donald and Neil McLellan, R. McIntosh, D. Morrison, Lachlan, McMullen, Ronald McIntyre, Dugald McIntosh, Donald Peterkin, Arch. McPhee, Wm. R. McKenzie, Donald McDonald, Alex. and Neil McMullen, Neil and Dan McPhee, John McDonald, James Hill, Dan McPhee, Hector McLean, C. Mott, W. G. Jenner, Angus McIntosh, Titus Doan, John McAdam, Archie and Hector McLeish, James Pedden, George, D., and William Teeper, Donald McDonald, Angus McLachlan, John and Archie Harvey, Alex. Clarke, Jas. Waun, Allan McDonald (on the corner of whose farm was Sable P.O.), John McCubbin, Donald McLeod, Mrs. R. McNevin, Wm. McKenzie, Robert Cruickshank, Neil McKillop, Alex. and W. McNeil, Donald McPherson, Donald McKenzie, Benj. Dignan, John Love, Angus McLeish, Dugald Love, Angus McMillan, Angus Galbraith, Duncan Black, Arch. McCall, W. Gilbert, Mrs. E. Campbell, Donald McKellar, Murdock McDonald, Jas. Fisher, John Galbraith, D. Gott, George Gott, John Cochrane, J. N. Dale, James Cavers, James Norton, F. B. and J. W. T. C. Cooper, Donald Fraser, Wm. Cameron, David Murphy, Jacob Holmes, M. Downey, J. Holmes, James McBean, M. York, James Guy, A. McPhee, Levi McLeish, Duncan McGregor, John Galbraith, Arch. White, Donald McLeish, John McLeish, John Herrick, Duncan Patterson, John Patterson, John Herrington, James Stewart, Mrs. Sara Evans, Nath. Wylie, David Brock, Robert Riggs, Nath. Davidson, Wm. Bartram, John Riggs, Jas. Saul, George Bitner, Wm. O'Neile, A. W. Augustine, John G. McIntosh, Geo. W. Fair, Thos. Bartlett, John Bartlett, H. Saul, N. R. McKenzie, William Marsh, Geo. Ranks, Michael Moore, Abraham Dennis.

To the Editor

Does Not Like Town Planning.

Citizen Can See No Danger To Be Averted or No Benefit To Be Gained From Following the Plan.

Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir,—For years our civic equilibrium has been disturbed by a noisy minority, at no time mustering, in the open, more than a corporal's guard, who cried aloud of the awful need of London for a town planning law. Councils of the past have eloquently debated this matter without attempting to define its scope or purpose, or really deciding whether the thing they advocated was a liquid or a paste.

In later years, with the growing intelligence of our councils, some of its latent purposes have been made more apparent. It is now shown beyond peradventure that we must have this law at once, to prevent the threatened invasion of these new, large and heavy manufacturing concerns continually crowding into our city from getting their iron heel on our residential beauty spots and obliterating them or at least disfiguring them beyond remedy.

This same menace, it is shown, so threatens our business streets and avenues of commerce that something must be done at once if we would save our retail business sections from being "steam rollered" off the map by soulless big business manufacturing newcomers scrambling for space and place in the hub of this manufacturing metropolis.

Of course there are those who get at this thing from another viewpoint; who, pointing to past records, estimate that unless the performance of the council for 1925 differs materially from its past few predecessors, any preventive measures to regulate and keep in place and in step the present invading army of manufacturing interests will be as helpless as a duck in thunder.

London has slept this turmoil of its "town savers" through, but awakened to find that the council of 1924 had assumed the mental magnitude to "intelligently" deal with this matter at the expense of the taxpayer for the benefit of the town planning specialists and spellbinders, local or imported.

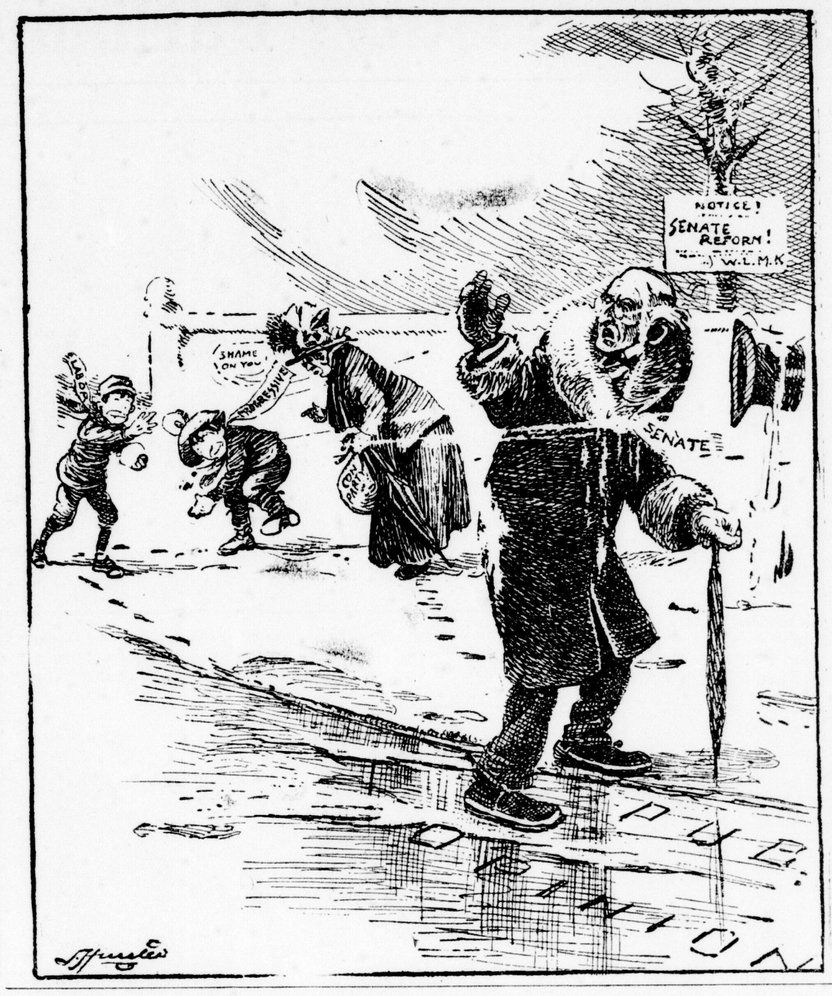
Now, just one serious word to the taxpayers of London on this newest fetter for the freeholder. Fight it to death. Fight it in the council. It has no earthly right to ever go to the people. It is a frame-up on the freeholder, that has no right to be dealt with by any other class of voter. Who, pray, among the taxpaying public wants this ball and chain fastened to his already tax-fettered feet? Another whip for the irresponsible to crack at the man who pays.

Mr. Seymour points out what is neither feasible, right, nor true, if he is fully informed of methods followed by former councils in tying knots on taxpayers. In urging for the passage of this monstrosity he is reported to have said in effect, "If not found satisfactory after a few years' trial, it might be changed on petition of the ratepayers." Such utter bosh! Within twenty-four hours of the passage of this trap for the taxpayer it would be rushed to Toronto and validated as provincial law, to satisfy and solidify the ulterior desires and designs of an element that will never overcrowd our city with manufacturing interests, just taking past action as an omen of the future.

Kill town planning and put it where it belongs—in the potters' field. NORMAL CITIZEN.

London, Feb. 6.

"WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND"



LEGISLATURE AND UNION

Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir,—The Presbyterian association, knowing that there is perplexity in the minds of many with regard to the subject of property and the relation in which the dominion law and the law which may be passed by the legislature hold to the several forms of property within the Presbyterian church, would be much pleased if you would insert the following letter, written by a well known Toronto lawyer:

What have to be dealt with by the Ontario legislature? Practically three classes of property: (1) general trust funds; (2) college lands, buildings and endowments, and (3) congregational lands, buildings and endowments.

(1) General trust funds: In each province of the dominion a body of trustees has been incorporated to hold and deal with the funds of the Presbyterian church in that province. In Ontario this body, incorporated by a special act of the Ontario legislature in 1900, is known as "the board of trustees of the Presbyterian church in Canada," and most of the general resources of the Presbyterians in Ontario are vested in and under the control of this corporate body. A creature of the Ontario legislature, with its office and investments in the province, it is clearly subject to the jurisdiction, and subject only to the jurisdiction of the Ontario legislature. It will be for that legislature, having regard to the views and wishes of the Presbyterians of Ontario, as indicated in the votes which have already been cast, or, if deemed by the legislature advisable, by a further general vote without congregational affinities and the pressure of pastoral pleading, to decide what apportionment shall be made of the funds held by this board of trustees. There is much to be said in favor of allowing the continuing Presbyterian church to retain the whole of these funds but probably a division on a proportionate basis between the Presbyterians in Ontario who remain Presbyterians and those who intend to become United churchmen would be on the whole fair and equitable.

2) College lands, buildings and endowments: As to these the position is not by any means the same as in the case of the general trust funds. The colleges in Ontario are three in number, namely, Knox college, Queen's theological college, and the Ottawa ladies' college. Each of these is a separate incorporated body and as to the first two there are special provisions which require consideration.

(a) Knox college: This college was incorporated in 1858 under this name by a special act of the then province of Canada, and this act, after reciting that the property held in trust for the institution has been acquired or granted from persons who granted or conveyed the same for the purpose of creating an educational establishment wherein the theological principles and doctrines of the Presbyterian church should be taught, authorizes the synod to declare (as it thereupon did) these theological principles and doctrines, and then provides that 'that declaration shall be irrevocable and shall be held at all times thereafter to contain the theological doctrines and principles to be taught in the said college, and for the propagation of which the property then held for the said college, or thereafter to be acquired for it, shall be appropriated, and to no other." Knox college and its buildings in Toronto, and its funds held in Toronto, are under the jurisdiction of the legislature of Ontario. That legislature has jurisdiction to disregard and abrogate a trust, however sacred, however irrevocable, in the hope and expectation of its creators, but will it do so? Will it give to the exponents of an untried and novel creed the lands and funds dedicated to the upbuilding of the Presbyterian faith? Surely not.

(b) Queen's theological college: This college was incorporated in 1912 under this name by a special act of the dominion of Canada, as the successor of the Faculty of Theology of Queen's university. At to its mode of government and degree-conferring powers it is, perhaps, under the jurisdiction of the dominion parliament, but as to its property rights it must bow to the jurisdiction of the province, and all its property, real and personal, which, by its constitution, is expressly directed to be held "in trust for the promotion of theological learning and education of youth for the holy ministry, under the authority and according to the principles and standards of the Presbyterian church in Canada," must be dealt with as the legislature of Ontario shall decide. Are those who are relinquishing the principles and forsaking the standards of the Presbyterian church in Canada for the more elastic and more easily lived up to principles and standards of the United church to have this property? There can be but one answer.

(c) Ottawa ladies' college: While this is an institution created and developed under Presbyterian auspices and carried on under the control of the Presbyterian church, there are not in this case, as in those of Knox college and Queen's theological college, a special dedication to and reliance upon the teachings and standards of the Presbyterian faith, and the legislature of Ontario can, therefore, as to it make such disposition as it may see fit without overriding and abrogating sacred trusts such as are attached to the properties of Knox college and Queen's theological college.

(3) Congregational lands, buildings and endowments: All these the unionist legal advisers would, in their proposed bill, vest in the United church, subject only to the exception that in any congregation in which there has been in the sentimental vote under the dominion act a majority against union, the lands, buildings and endowment shall remain Presbyterian. But in any congregation in which there has been a majority of even one vote in favor of union, the lands, buildings and endowment are to pass forthwith to the United church. Surely a courageous suggestion, but one which it is submitted with confidence the legislature of ontario will not give effect to.

Are the lands and buildings acquired in part in years of self-denial by those desirous of forming a center for the worship of God according to the faith and traditions of their fathers, and in part by gifts from those who have died in that faith and in those traditions, to be transferred to a new and untried organization, it may be, by one vote? No, surely the legislature of Ontario will not assent to that? If there were a weak and factious minority opposing the scheme of church union, something might be said in favor of the limitation of the power of that minority, but the rights of the many who have now so clearly shown that they wish to continue in Ontario the work and worship of the Presbyterian church should assuredly not be taken from them without substantial and undoubted indication of opinion.

At the least as much should be required to effect a change of title in Ontario to congregational lands, buildings and endowments, as is required now by the law of the province to enable a change to be made in the work-a-day and less immutable objects of a mere mercantile enterprise, or to terminate such an enterprise by a sale of its undertaking to, or by its merging with, another mercantile enterprise, even when that other mercantile enterprise may have objects and a mode of government similar to its own. The prior approval and assent of at least two-thirds of all those who are voting upon the question is in such a case essential, and surely no less should be required in the special realm of an attempted uprooting of cherished traditions and sacred associations.

In other jurisdictions a similar rule prevails. There cannot be under the bank act a merger of one bank with another, or a sale of the undertaking and assets of one bank to another, without the approval of two-thirds of all those holding shares in the institution. Under the bankruptcy act the approval of the higher proportion of three-fourths of all those interested must be had to interfere with the pre-existing contractual rights of debtor and creditor. And in the Free Church of Scotland case, close in analogy to the present one, the two-thirds rule also held good.

Why, indeed, should these outgoing unionists be allowed to take anything with them? They leave voluntarily on, as they say, a Divine mission of regeneration. Why do they not, as did their apostolic prototypes, go forth providing neither scrip nor staves, neither gold nor silver nor brass? Why do these pilgrims of the new crusade of illumination and unity wish to cumber themselves with goods and gear? Do they doubt the warmth of the reception to empty-handed adventists? Whatever the reason, whatever the demand, the legislature of Ontario will not, it is to be hoped, allow to be taken lightly from the Presbyterians of the province that which belongs to them, merely because asked to do so by these weathervane weaklings who are carried about by the wind of union doctrine.

R. S. CASSELS.

Toronto, Feb. 4.

TERRIFIC GALES SWEEP NORTH PACIFIC COAST

Canadian Press Despatch.

Victoria, B. C. Feb. 9.—Terrific gales are reported sweeping the North Pacific coast. Wireless advices received here yesterday report the Canadian-Australian liner Aorangi being hove to for nearly nine hours, 400 miles off the coast, owing to the storm. It is stated that the liner Empress of Canada may be delayed in reaching port, also having encountered heavy weather.

The center of the storm is 400 miles off the coast and extends from California to Vancouver Island.

VERDICT RETURNED DEATH ACCIDENTAL

Evidence Heard Regarding Death of J. Taylor of Muirkirk.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, Feb. 9.—the jury impaneled to inquire into the death of James Taylor, Muirkirk farmer, who died from injuries received at the Muirkirk station on the evening of February 9, when struck by the M. C. R. local passenger No. 12, attached no blame to the train crew. The wording of the verdict was: "From the evidence we find that Mr. Taylor's death was purely accidental and we attach no blame to any person."

Evidence indicated that Taylor crossed the platform as the train was pulling into the depot and was struck by a bumper. Dr. McPherson rendered first aid and ordered the man removed to hospital in St. Thomas. Taylor died when the train was near Dutton. He did not regain consciousness. He sustained a crushed molar bone, injury to the chest and his left leg was broken.

The inquest was held in the city hall this evening under the direction of Coroner Dr. Ewin. Examination of witnesses took but a few moments and the verdict was returned after the jury had been out about twenty-five minutes. Crown Attorney McCrimmon examined the witnesses. Frank A. Moynagh appeared for the railroad company. Members of the crew which gave evidence were William Jolliffe, engineer, Walter Wiltsie, fireman, J. H. Watson, conductor, R. A. Hamilton, baggageman, W. E. Craig, brakeman, and J. B. English, station agent at Muirkirk.

Agreement Reached.

At a special meeting of the park committee of the city council held in the city council this evening members of the St. Thomas bowling club and the newly-formed athletic bowling club agreed to co-operate in the use of the greens at the Athletic park.

The stranger taken in by the police Sunday evening suffering from loss of memory was John Wyckem, an inmate of the Ontario hospital, who had escaped during church parade on Sunday. He was returned to the hospital at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon by Guard Topping.

Angus McCallum.

The death of Angus McCallum, an employee of the M.C.R. building department, occurred today at the family residence, 25 Maple street, after a long illness. He was widely known and highly respected.

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Those presented with jewels on Friday night were: Rt. Ex. Companions Dr. G. F. Clarke, E. A. Richards, Jos. Grandy, George Stewart of this place, and E. E. C. Kilmer, former science master of the Aylmer high school, now inspector of public schools at Brantford. Each gave a short address. At the banquet hall the 4th degree was exemplified and a social hour enjoyed.

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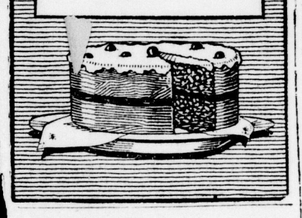
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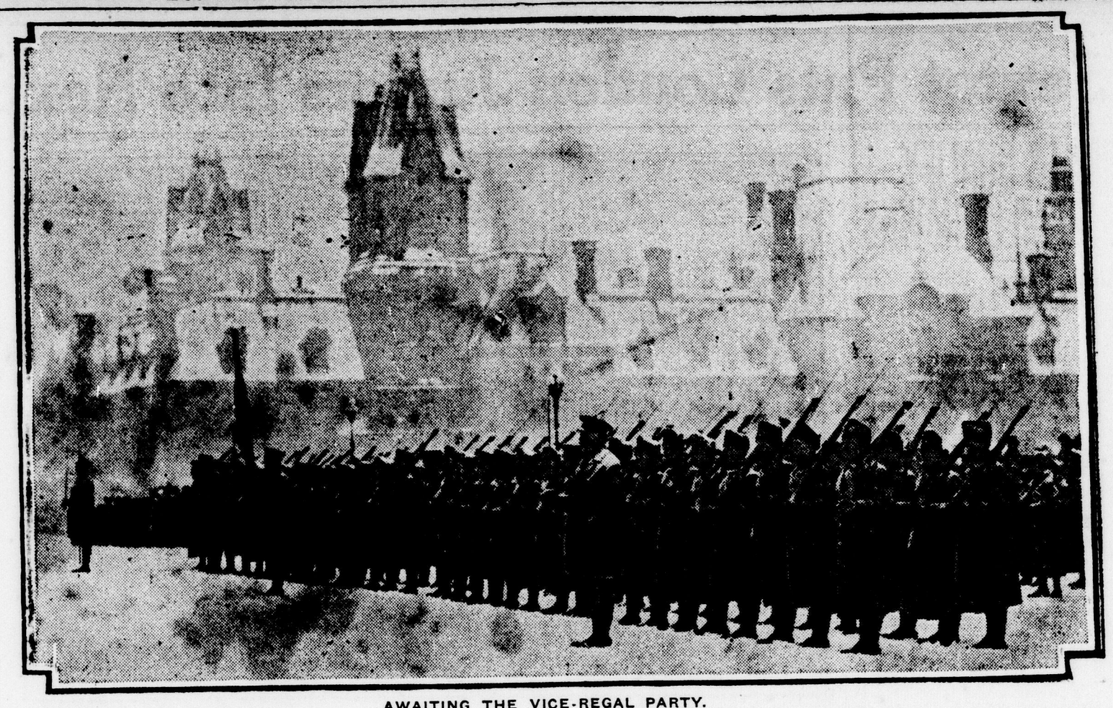
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EIGHT NEW SCHOOL ROOMS ASKED BY TECH COMMITTEE

Advisory Board Decides Addition To Technical High Is Necessary.

SEEKS APPROVAL

Would Cost $70,000, Half To Be Borne by the Province.

This year's building program of the board of education will include the erection of an eight-room addition to the technical high school.

That is if the board grants the request of the advisory-vocational committee as passed at its inaugural business meeting last night.

The members of the committee were unanimous in their opinion that the addition is necessary to cope with the ever-increasing attendance at the technical school.

Arthur W. White suggested that the technical school be enlarged to provide for 400 collegiate institute students, thus relieving the situation as to secondary school accommodation.

Such a suggestion was not looked upon favorably by the committee or as being feasible, though the plan will be brought to the attention of the board.

Will Cost $70,000.

Principal H. B. Beal outlined the needs of the technical school for additional accommodation, and stated that the proposed addition could be built and equipped for $70,000. Of this amount, 50 per cent would be borne by the provincial government and the other 50 per cent by the city. In the erection of the four-story addition accommodation will be provided for 250 more students.

Mr. Beal pointed out that the school had a 25 per cent increase in attendance last September, a net increase of 178 students, and had absorbed 43 per cent of the pupils passing their high school entrance examinations from the city public schools. At present the tech school has an enrollment of 765 full-time day students, of whom 436 are in first year, and a staff of 30 teachers.

Touching upon the lack of gymnasium accommodation in the present technical school building, Mr. Beal intimated that the provincial inspectors had criticized the system of having the students take up their physical training work at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium on account of the lost time in going to and from the school.

"The necessity for using the Y. M. C. A. gym could be eliminated when the new addition is built," remarked the principal, "by making use of a double class-room in it for physical training purposes.

Would Save Money.

"The advantage of such an arrangement is quite obvious," concluded Mr. Beal, "when it is considered that the committee will have to pay the Y. M. C. A. this year the sum of $3,300 for the use of the gym, while the interest and sinking fund charges to be borne by the city on its share of the cost of the proposed addition amount to only $2,800 per annum."

Mr. White emphasized the fact that if it were possible to enlarge the technical school to include the collegiate students of the east and south units the city tax rate could be appreciably reduced.

Mr. White's idea was that the department might be prevailed upon to agree to the plan temporarily, because of London's heavy tax rate, in which case the committee would have to do without the customary grants for say a period of five years, at the end of which time the whole building could be taken over entirely as a technical school, and collegiate units built in the east and south districts of the city.

It was pointed out by Trustee Geo. F. Copeland, chairman of the committee, and other members of the committee as well, that since, having refused to permit the construction and organization of such a "composite" school last year, the department of education would not likely consent to it now.

Will Prepare Plans.

The resolution that the board be requested to include the technical school addition in its building program was moved by Trustees J. B. Wright and N. F. Willmot. It was passed also that authority be secured for the preparation of the required plans and specifications.

Chairman Copeland, Trustee N. F. Willmot and Principal H. B. Beal were appointed as a subcommittee to consider the purchase of approximately $2,000 worth of equipment for the commercial department and $3,500 of equipment for the electrical department, which was opened last September, and report back to the board.

R. D. Reavie was temporarily appointed to the vacancy on the staff caused by the resignation of A. A. Neil owing to ill-health.

All the members of the committee were present at the meeting, with the exception of H. Hayman, W. N. Manning, Jas. Hussey and Wm. Hynd.

Trains To Cater To Puzzle Fiends

Dictionaries Ordered Placed in Libraries of C. N. R. Cars.

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Montreal, Que., Feb. 9.—The vogue of the cross-word puzzle is nation wide. It has outrun the borders of cities and towns and has extended its influence to trains that speed across the continent. At least, this is the opinion of Walter Pratt, general manager of the sleeping, dining and parlor car department of the Canadian National Railways, who announced today, in response to numerous requests from passengers, he had ordered dictionaries to be placed on all cars of the system that are equipped with a library.

ANNIVERSARY IS PLANNED BY TILLSONBURG MISSION

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Tillsonburg, Feb. 9.—The opera house was taxed to capacity on Sunday evening. The doors had to be closed and scores of people were turned away from the regular mission services conducted by Pastor Emmons. He announced that anniversary services would be observed next Sunday. In the evening a choir of 200 converts will render special music, while one of the converts, Wesley McIntee ,will have charge of the service. It will be the 52nd week since Pastor Emmons left the Baptist church, during which time he has had an approximate attendance of 53,200 people at all services.

Last Sunday evening his subject was "Church Union," and he illustrated his sermon with a large chart. He deplored the bitterness that had been caused by the voting.

1,192 FOR UNION.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—The summary of the church union vote, based on returns received at the church union headquarters up to tonight, was: For union, 1,192; against, 392.

AT THE THEATRES

LOEW'S THEATRE

"Find Your Man."

Even the people who don't like dogs will find it impossible not to enjoy "Find Your Man," the feature picture at Loew's for the first half of the week. Rin-Tin-Tin, a Belgian police dog, plays the leading role in the production, and is an animal of unusual ability and beauty. His acting is so well done that one wonders if he is not gifted with human intelligence. Rin-Tin-Tin is seen swimming with two people hanging to his collar for support, scaling tremendous heights, registering love and hate.

The forest scenes, streams, the river with floating logs all add atmosphere and provide a splendid background for the plot. June Marlowe (the girl of the soulful eyes) uses the said eyes to advantage. There isn't a dull minute in this picture.

A Mack Sennett comedy, "His New Mamma," introduces for a few brief minutes the famous Sennett bathing girls. It is a typical Pathe comedy. Loew's current news events complete the picture program.

Heading the vaudeville offerings are Jimmie Gildie and Co. in "The Great Lover," a musical farce that is out of the ordinary, and provides Mr. Gildie with many clever lines that he puts across the footlights with a bang. Special scenery lends charm to the act.

Charles and Mayme Butter provide an original entry to their contribution to the program and have a novelty aerial act that pleases.

Abbott and White, in songs and piano numbers, made a hit with last night's audience. Owing to poor train connections, they were unable to make the afternoon performance.

The orchestra of E. T. Kalani, which filled in for them, was heartily received, and responded to several encores.

CAPITOL THEATRE

"The Only Woman."

In "The Only Woman," showing the first three days of this week at the Capitol Theatre, Norma Talmadge appears in a typical society play of the most modern style. Eugene O'Brien, who plays the part of the hero, helps to give this picture of decadent society a most realistic atmosphere.

Helen Brindsley is the pretty daughter of a New York financier of not too sound methods. He is discovered by the boss of the ward to have spent the estate of a minor intrusted to him. With this as a weapon the boss forces Helen to marry his son Rex. He explains with customary brutality that Helen is the only woman who can regenerate his son, now making a reputation in the city as a drunkard. So the story opens. After some months Helen refuses to live any longer with her husband, and is met with the exposure of her father by her father-in-law. He, however, on thinking over matters, decides that he has been unfair to the girl, and offers to secure her divorce from his son and to return the evidence of her father's guilt if she can bring his son back to health.

Helen takes the situation in hand in masculine fashion while on a trip on the family yacht. She deliberately leaves the rest of the passengers on an island and heaves the vast quantity of liquor over the side. After that there comes a storm, a drunken sailor, an heroic husband, and a few days of drifting in a waterlogged wreck, and at last a happy ending of the sort movie fans today are used to. Norma plays with energy, and the story at least keeps moving. The rest of the program includes a Mack Sennett comedy and a Pathe News.

THE MAJESTIC

"Scandal."

In Cosmo Hamilton's "Scandal," the Majestic Theatre players' presentation which opened last night, Miss Peggy Coudray and Edward Cullen are the central figures in the so-called society play where a woman tampers with fire in the hope that there is a gallant male in the offing to put it out.

The play opens with the now threadbare plot, wherein a foolish woman goes nightly to the studio of an amorous artist. The gossips wag their tongues. Society is aghast. Friends of the charming and impetuous young lady who wants to know Bohemian life try to put an end to the nocturnal trips to the painter's attic. They plead in vain.

Naturally there is a scene. The girl's mother had interested relatives raid the studio. By claiming to have been secretly married to a young gallant across the hall the girl gets out of one predicament into another.

This gives rise to an attractive bedroom scene at the close of the second act.

Miss Coudray as usual knows her part and is able to catch the different moods suggested by the playwright. She plays the woman who has been trained by men to expect her every whim to be realized for the payment of a witty remark or an smile.

Edward Cullen gives a strong interpretation in the role of a man who does not rate the value of smiles and repartee so highly as the other men the woman has played with.

The scenery and gowns are of high order.

HIGH GRADE OIL WELL IS STRUCK IN CAMDEN

Hole On Earl Smith Farm Gives Promise of Big Flow.

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Thamesville, Feb. 9.—Bert Marcus and Art Father, drilling the Ajax well on the Earl Smith farm, lot 5, concession 13, township of Camden, Kent county, struck a hole full of oil from the corniferous limestone.

This is commonly known as top show oil, and in some instances is a heavy oil, but in the Ajax well the oil is very high grade, and tests 41 baume. It was the intention of the company to carry this well to the lower Monroe formation, approximately 650 feet, and the contract was let to go at that depth, as it now appears the well may be completed in the corniferous, and should from present showing be a good pumper.

There is a possibility of extended operations in this vicinity, as there are now at least five large companies that have secured leases in this extension of the Thamesville oilfields.

NEW SARUM

New Sarum, Feb. 9. — William Charlton is ill with la grippe. Dr. McLay of Aylmer is in attendance.

Mrs. (Rev.) Huxtable and son, Bryce, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Small of South Yarmouth.

Mrs. Cecil W. Thornton of Detroit, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank, has returned home

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Elgie and Miss A. Snyder of Jaffa, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McTaggart.

Earl Witter of Luton has been visiting his cousin, Mr. A. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Summers of Glencolin spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller.

Mrs. W. Secord is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. B. Robertson of Sparta.

Mrs. George Brower and daughter, Grace, of Mapleton, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert.

Fred Bowerman is ill with grippe.

Mrs. Wallace Tisdale, who has been quite ill, is slowly improving.

Several from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Edward Hatch at St. Thomas.

The B.Y.P.U. society of the Baptist church were guests of the Broderick Memorial Baptist church of St. Thomas. A good program was given, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ashton spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Bates of St. Thomas.

Miss Ena Ferns is spending a week with relatives in St. Thomas.

Miss Helen Powers is ill with la grippe. Dr. Leeson of Aylmer is in attendance.

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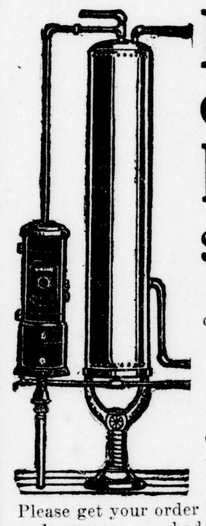
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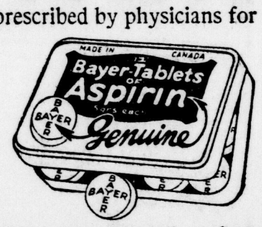
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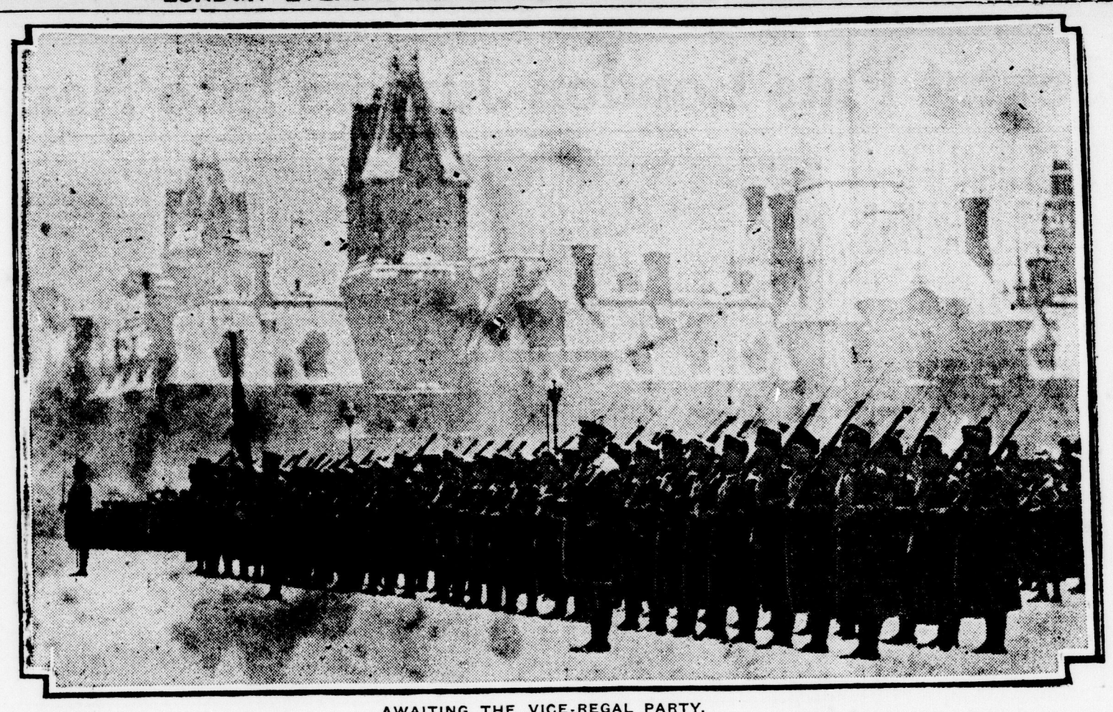
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Above is an unusual view of parliament buildings, Ottawa, taken through a veil of falling snow on the occasion of the opening of parliament by his excellency the governor-general on Thursday afternoon. Drawn up on the hill is the guard of honor awaiting the arrival of the vice-regal party from Rideau hall.

EIGHT NEW SCHOOL ROOMS ASKED BY TECH COMMITTEE

Advisory Board Decides Addition To Technical High Is Necessary.

SEEKS APPROVAL

Would Cost $70,000, Half To Be Borne by the Province.

This year's building program of the board of education will include the erection of an eight-room addition to the technical high school.

That is if the board grants the request of the advisory-vocational committee as passed at its inaugural business meeting last night.

The members of the committee were unanimous in their opinion that the addition is necessary to cope with the ever-increasing attendance at the technical school.

Arthur W. White suggested that the technical school be enlarged to provide for 400 collegiate institute students, thus relieving the situation as to secondary school accommodation.

Such a suggestion was not looked upon favorably by the committee or as being feasible, though the plan will be brought to the attention of the board.

Will Cost $70,000.

Principal H. B. Beal outlined the needs of the technical school for additional accommodation, and stated that the proposed addition could be built and equipped for $70,000. Of this amount, 50 per cent would be borne by the provincial government and the other 50 per cent by the city. In the erection of the four-story addition accommodation will be provided for 250 more students.

Mr. Beal pointed out that the school had a 25 per cent increase in attendance last September, a net increase of 178 students, and had absorbed 43 per cent of the pupils passing their high school entrance examinations from the city public schools. At present the tech school has an enrollment of 765 full-time day students, of whom 436 are in first year, and a staff of 30 teachers.

Touching upon the lack of gymnasium accommodation in the present technical school building, Mr. Beal intimated that the provincial inspectors had criticized the system of having the students take up their physical training work at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium on account of the lost time in going to and from the school.

"The necessity for using the Y. M. C. A. gym could be eliminated when the new addition is built," remarked the principal, "by making use of a double class-room in it for physical training purposes.

Would Save Money.

"The advantage of such an arrangement is quite obvious," concluded Mr. Beal, "when it is considered that the committee will have to pay the Y. M. C. A. this year the sum of $3,300 for the use of the gym, while the interest and sinking fund charges to be borne by the city on its share of the cost of the proposed addition amount to only $2,800 per annum."

Mr. White emphasized the fact that if it were possible to enlarge the technical school to include the collegiate students of the east and south units the city tax rate could be appreciably reduced.

Mr. White's idea was that the department might be prevailed upon to agree to the plan temporarily, because of London's heavy tax rate, in which case the committee would have to do without the customary grants for say a period of five years, at the end of which time the whole building could be taken over entirely as a technical school, and collegiate units built in the east and south districts of the city.

It was pointed out by Trustee Geo. F. Copeland, chairman of the committee, and other members of the committee as well, that since, having refused to permit the construction and organization of such a "composite" school last year, the department of education would not likely consent to it now.

Will Prepare Plans.

The resolution that the board be requested to include the technical school addition in its building program was moved by Trustees J. B. Wright and N. F. Willmot. It was passed also that authority be secured for the preparation of the required plans and specifications.

Chairman Copeland, Trustee N. F. Willmot and Principal H. B. Beal were appointed as a subcommittee to consider the purchase of approximately $2,000 worth of equipment for the commercial department and $3,500 of equipment for the electrical department, which was opened last September, and report back to the board.

R. D. Reavie was temporarily appointed to the vacancy on the staff caused by the resignation of A. A. Neil owing to ill-health.

All the members of the committee were present at the meeting, with the exception of H. Hayman, W. N. Manning, Jas. Hussey and Wm. Hynd.

Trains To Cater To Puzzle Fiends

Dictionaries Ordered Placed in Libraries of C. N. R. Cars.

Special to The Advertiser.

Montreal, Que., Feb. 9.—The vogue of the cross-word puzzle is nation wide. It has outrun the borders of cities and towns and has extended its influence to trains that speed across the continent. At least, this is the opinion of Walter Pratt, general manager of the sleeping, dining and parlor car department of the Canadian National Railways, who announced today, in response to numerous requests from passengers, he had ordered dictionaries to be placed on all cars of the system that are equipped with a library.

ANNIVERSARY IS PLANNED BY TILLSONBURG MISSION

Special to The Advertiser.

Tillsonburg, Feb. 9.—The opera house was taxed to capacity on Sunday evening. The doors had to be closed and scores of people were turned away from the regular mission services conducted by Pastor Emmons. He announced that anniversary services would be observed next Sunday. In the evening a choir of 200 converts will render special music, while one of the converts, Wesley McIntee ,will have charge of the service. It will be the 52nd week since Pastor Emmons left the Baptist church, during which time he has had an approximate attendance of 53,200 people at all services.

Last Sunday evening his subject was "Church Union," and he illustrated his sermon with a large chart. He deplored the bitterness that had been caused by the voting.

1,192 FOR UNION.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—The summary of the church union vote, based on returns received at the church union headquarters up to tonight, was: For union, 1,192; against, 392.

AT THE THEATRES

LOEW'S THEATRE

"Find Your Man."

Even the people who don't like dogs will find it impossible not to enjoy "Find Your Man," the feature picture at Loew's for the first half of the week. Rin-Tin-Tin, a Belgian police dog, plays the leading role in the production, and is an animal of unusual ability and beauty. His acting is so well done that one wonders if he is not gifted with human intelligence. Rin-Tin-Tin is seen swimming with two people hanging to his collar for support, scaling tremendous heights, registering love and hate.

The forest scenes, streams, the river with floating logs all add atmosphere and provide a splendid background for the plot. June Marlowe (the girl of the soulful eyes) uses the said eyes to advantage. There isn't a dull minute in this picture.

A Mack Sennett comedy, "His New Mamma," introduces for a few brief minutes the famous Sennett bathing girls. It is a typical Pathe comedy. Loew's current news events complete the picture program.

Heading the vaudeville offerings are Jimmie Gildie and Co. in "The Great Lover," a musical farce that is out of the ordinary, and provides Mr. Gildie with many clever lines that he puts across the footlights with a bang. Special scenery lends charm to the act.

Charles and Mayme Butter provide an original entry to their contribution to the program and have a novelty aerial act that pleases.

Abbott and White, in songs and piano numbers, made a hit with last night's audience. Owing to poor train connections, they were unable to make the afternoon performance.

The orchestra of E. T. Kalani, which filled in for them, was heartily received, and responded to several encores.

CAPITOL THEATRE

"The Only Woman."

In "The Only Woman," showing the first three days of this week at the Capitol Theatre, Norma Talmadge appears in a typical society play of the most modern style. Eugene O'Brien, who plays the part of the hero, helps to give this picture of decadent society a most realistic atmosphere.

Helen Brindsley is the pretty daughter of a New York financier of not too sound methods. He is discovered by the boss of the ward to have spent the estate of a minor intrusted to him. With this as a weapon the boss forces Helen to marry his son Rex. He explains with customary brutality that Helen is the only woman who can regenerate his son, now making a reputation in the city as a drunkard. So the story opens. After some months Helen refuses to live any longer with her husband, and is met with the exposure of her father by her father-in-law. He, however, on thinking over matters, decides that he has been unfair to the girl, and offers to secure her divorce from his son and to return the evidence of her father's guilt if she can bring his son back to health.

Helen takes the situation in hand in masculine fashion while on a trip on the family yacht. She deliberately leaves the rest of the passengers on an island and heaves the vast quantity of liquor over the side. After that there comes a storm, a drunken sailor, an heroic husband, and a few days of drifting in a waterlogged wreck, and at last a happy ending of the sort movie fans today are used to. Norma plays with energy, and the story at least keeps moving. The rest of the program includes a Mack Sennett comedy and a Pathe News.

THE MAJESTIC

"Scandal."

In Cosmo Hamilton's "Scandal," the Majestic Theatre players' presentation which opened last night, Miss Peggy Coudray and Edward Cullen are the central figures in the so-called society play where a woman tampers with fire in the hope that there is a gallant male in the offing to put it out.

The play opens with the now threadbare plot, wherein a foolish woman goes nightly to the studio of an amorous artist. The gossips wag their tongues. Society is aghast. Friends of the charming and impetuous young lady who wants to know Bohemian life try to put an end to the nocturnal trips to the painter's attic. They plead in vain.

Naturally there is a scene. The girl's mother had interested relatives raid the studio. By claiming to have been secretly married to a young gallant across the hall the girl gets out of one predicament into another.

This gives rise to an attractive bedroom scene at the close of the second act.

Miss Coudray as usual knows her part and is able to catch the different moods suggested by the playwright. She plays the woman who has been trained by men to expect her every whim to be realized for the payment of a witty remark or a smile.

Edward Cullen gives a strong interpretation in the role of a man who does not rate the value of smiles and repartee so highly as the other men the woman has played with.

The scenery and gowns are of high order.

HIGH GRADE OIL WELL IS STRUCK IN CAMDEN

Hole On Earl Smith Farm Gives Promise of Big Flow.

Special to The Advertiser.

Thamesville, Feb. 9.—Bert Marcus and Art Father, drilling the Ajax well on the Earl Smith farm, lot 5, concession 13, township of Camden, Kent county, struck a hole full of oil from the corniferous limestone.

This is commonly known as top show oil, and in some instances is a heavy oil, but in the Ajax well the oil is very high grade, and tests 41 baume. It was the intention of the company to carry this well to the lower Monroe formation, approximately 650 feet, and the contract was let to go at that depth, as it now appears the well may be completed in the corniferous, and should from present showing be a good pumper.

There is a possibility of extended operations in this vicinity, as there are now at least five large companies that have secured leases in this extension of the Thamesville oilfields.

NEW SARUM

New Sarum, Feb. 9. — William Charlton is ill with la grippe. Dr. McLay of Aylmer is in attendance.

Mrs. (Rev.) Huxtable and son, Bryce, spent Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. E. Small of South Yarmouth.

Mrs. Cecil W. Thornton of Detroit, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank, has returned home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Elgie and Miss A. Snyder of Jaffa, spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Duncan McTaggart.

Earl Witter of Luton has been visiting his cousin, Mr. A. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Grant Summers of Glencolin spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Miller.

Mrs. W. Secord is spending a few days with her sister, Mrs. B. Robertson of Sparta.

Mrs. George Brower and daughter, Grace, of Mapleton, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. George Gilbert.

Fred Bowerman is ill with grippe.

Mrs. Wallace Tisdale, who has been quite ill, is slowly improving.

Several from here attended the funeral of the late Mrs. Edward Hatch at St. Thomas.

The B.Y.P.U. society of the Baptist church were guests of the Broderick Memorial Baptist church of St. Thomas. A good program was given, after which refreshments were served.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Ashton spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. L. Bates of St. Thomas.

Miss Ena Ferns is spending a week with relatives in St. Thomas.

Miss Helen Powers is ill with la grippe. Dr. Leeson of Aylmer is in attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Angus Miller and son Clayton have been visiting the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Miller of Luton.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gilbert spent Wednesday with their daughter, Mrs. J. Bradt, of Aylmer.

William Frank is ill with la grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Cloes spent Thursday with Mrs. S. Bradshaw of Aylmer.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Dickout of Summers Corners have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Elgie.

Miss Rheta Beckett of Orwell has been visiting Miss Audrey Soper.



Good taste in both meanings of the phrase.

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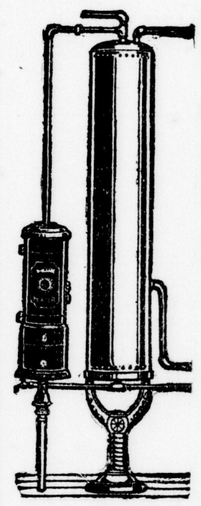
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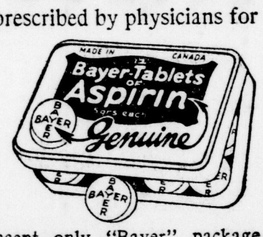
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6-4 Win Over Paris Sextet Puts London Juniors Into Next Round of Playoffs

Local Junior Six Removes One More Obstacle In Path Leading To Championship

Paris Kids Go Under in Wild, Hard-Fought Scrap.

ROUND SCORE 12--6

Young 75's Play Next Game in Kitchener Tomorrow Night.

The sawed-off 75's earned the right to meet Kitchener in the next O. H. A. round last night by beating the Paris Game Cocks 6 to 4. They grabbed the round 12 to 6, but they had their knuckles sharply rapped before they put the Parisians out of the O. H. A. picture. The locals will play in Kitchener Wednesday night with the return game here Friday.

Barrett's tying counter just near the end of the second counter, which made the tally sheet read 4 to 4, was the signal for a free-for-all fight. Gibbons butt-ended the London man into a conflict of jabs, and the latter dropped his stick. After that things happened so quickly that the action became general, and there were 30 or 40 players and civilians in a free-for-all that surged from behind the Paris goal and spread to center ice before Chief Birr-r-ell's riot squad hopped over the boards and somebody had the presence of mind to douse the combatants in darkness. When the lights came on Referee Percy Lesueur counted Gibbons, Barrett and Lauder out. It was a fine exhibition of the art of the late Marquis of Queensbury, no matter which of the battling pairs the eye caught, and there were a few wrestling bouts thrown in for good measure.

The Paris youngsters were not discouraged by a four-goal lead and they brought along plenty of chips. They handed out little more than they got, but they didn't wait a second for their hosts to start things. When things got dull, not the least backward, they started something themselves. The 2,000 fans who weren't there, came pretty nearly missing the best hockey game of the season. Sticky ice, which had the youngsters overskating the puck at crucial points and literally shoving it along at other times, kept the game throttled down, or the only fair crowd would have gone home conversing with itself.

Clever Stickhandling.

At that both teams got off some sizzling hockey, a mixture of clever stickhandling, close checking and terrific shooting that raised as many echoes off the boards as did some of the senior fire. Admiration for the London juniors' feat of going into Paris and coming out with a four-goal lead and alive was rampant before the game was five minutes old, and it grew as the battle progressed. The Parisians led the Londoners for nearly the whole of the first two periods. They checked the London combinations awry the first period and broke quickly for attacks. Their attack was versatile. They varied a three-man onslaught with shots from outside the defence, a fast trailer swooping in for the rebound. Both teams overskated the puck a lot, but in the second and third they were better used to the mucilaged surface. Paris tired on end. And Ziegler and Filmore scored two pretty goals to fatten up the London margin.

Goalies Good.

London had probably more chances to score than the visitors or took more, but both goalies gave exhibitions of net minding that compared more than favorably with a lot of the twine tending seen here in senior company. Schneicher and Fries were both cool, and used much the same style of clearing. The Parisians showed balance all over. Their forwards played smart hockey all through.

They were slightly handicapped by the loss of Kempthorne, their centre man, about halfway through the first period. He got a slash across the jaw in a melee, and had to retire, but Gill, probably a descendant of the family which used to contribute about half the players and Paris hockey teams, who replaced him, got a goal a moment later, and all through fitted in nicely with his two smart wings, Thrower and Von Zuben, as tricky a pair of stickhandlers as junior fans have seen this season. The Paris defence pair were good, and both rushed nicely. They carried their sticks high all night, and stepped right into the London attacks without fear or favor.

Lauder Stands Out.

Lauder, the chunky little Durham lad, came mighty close to being the outstanding star of the London collection. He not only checked back strongly all night, but showed good headwork around the nets. Good net minding cheated him out of several counters, and he did some clever rushing until the last period, when the defence men bodied him away from the puck. The Londoners, however, all played a nice game. There were no weak spots particularly. They apparently played as they were told, and never lost their heads, no matter how fast things were coming. They broke in nice combination formations, and both Barrett and Pritchard flitted in and out of attacks with all the abandon of front-line men. It was a fine tribute to the youngsters and to their drilling.

They hung out the motto, "Stay on the ice," and tried hard to keep it hanging straight. Of the twelve penalties handed out they drew five.

Von Zuben opened the scoring at 2:30. He stopped an attack, whirled, and, feinting a pass, drove in at an angle between the defence and across Fries' tummy. Lauder was waiting at the mouse-hole when Filmore tossed out a pass from behind the net at 6:10, and coolly lobbed it into the net. Paris pared down the four-goal margin by half in the next six minutes.

Scrambles Aplenty.

Kempthorne shot through the defence men, and Thrower swooped in like a hawk for the rebound. Gill grabbed a caromed pass in a mob at the London nets and counted the second goal. Fries made several nice stops. Barrett missed a bouncing pass in front of the almost-vacated net. Just as the period closed Pritchard and Barrett paired to beat the defence, the former scoring.

Both nets were the scenes of wild scrambles and spills in the second period. Von Zuben and Given worked right in close after pretty work, but Fries fell on the puck, and they heaped up on him. Thrower, after five minutes, inserted himself through the sandwiched London defence like a thin piece of paper, and, as Fries came out, dragged the puck around him into the net for one of the nicest bits of play of the night.

Filmore Gets Third.

Filmore got London's third goal on a pass from Ziegler after a neat triple combination. Schneider did a cool piece of work, as he stopped Filmore's hard drive and knee-ed out Lauder's return of the rebound.

Pritchard was hit in the throat by a high shot, but made a rush afterwards. As he skated back, he collapsed and had to be carried off. He returned later in the period. At 18 minutes Barrett got his goal out of a melee. It was disputed. The Parisians chattered like monkeys through the wire at the goal judge, and Lesueur asked for a new judge. It was a doubtful tally in the tangle of legs and arms through which or over which it was supposed to have been scored. The Londoners seemed to have more in reserve in the third period.

Ziegler got his goal at 9 minutes, going to the rails and then circling out again between the defence and the net to shoot into the twine instead of going through with his feinted passes. Filmore got his with four minutes to go. He rushed, and the visiting defence men, expecting a pass, let him work out of the corner into position for a shot. He flipped the puck into an open corner of the net, but a chance stick deflected it, and either he or Lauder, who was on the job as usual, batted in the rebound.

The line-ups and summary:

The line-ups:

Paris — Goal, Schneicher; defence, Griffith, Gibbons; center, Kemphorne; wings, Von Zuben, Thrower; subs, Gill, McArthur.

London—Goal, Fries; defence, Pritchard, Barrett; center, Zeigler; wings, Filmore, Lauder; subs, McKay and Screaton.

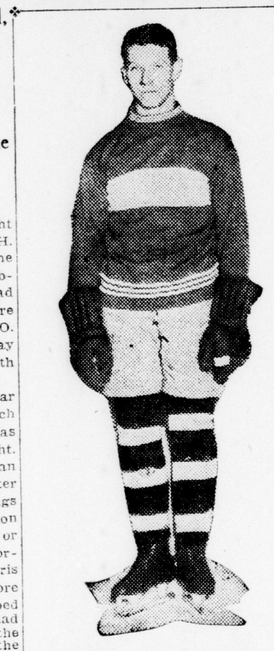
Referee—Percy Lesueur.

Goal summary:

First period—Paris, Von Zuben, 2:30; London, Lauder, 6:10; Paris, Thrower, 8:00; Paris, Gill, 12:00; London, Pritchard, 19:55.

Second period—Paris, Thrower, 5:55; London, Filmore, 11:00; London, Barrett, 18:00.

Third period—London, Zeigler, 9:00; London, Filmore, 16:30.



PLAYS FOR WESTERN.

Mowrey is again with the Western University hockey team this year. The purple and white open their local intercollegiate season here Wednesday afternoon at five o'clock against McMaster University six.

DR. WILMOT'S QUARTET ON TOP AT STRATHROY

Strathroy, Feb. 9.—The recent thaw interfered with the conclusion of the local bonspiel. Dr. Wilmot's rink closed in first place, with six wins, no losses and one defaulted game. For second place, D. H. Patterson's rink, with five wins, and the rink of W. T. Rapley, are tied. These two play together one game to complete the schedule. The winner will play off with Dr. Wilmot for the trophies, as soon as there is ice again.

ORIOLES QUALIFY TO MEET HAWKS

Defeat Young Britons in Junior League Game.

By defeating the Young Britons, 6—1, at the arena last night, the Orioles qualified to meet the Hawks in the play-off for the junior city league championship.

Both teams were tied for second place, each having won three games and lost three.

Jimmy Mills managed to slip in four counters in the first ten minutes of play. The first was notched on a nice lone rush, when he stick-handled past the defence and sent a hot one by Schott. His second was made on a rebound off Woods' shot. Again Mills was in to get the rebound off Tozer's drive to beat Scott. Ellwood made a fast rush and crossed up Scott with the fourth Oriole tally. Mills, again in the firing line and working hard on every Oriole attack, managed to push in another goal after a scramble in front of the Britons' nets.

Ellwood made a rush along the boards and scored the Orioles' last goal.

McCausland accepted a pass from Fitzmaurice and slapped the disc into the Hamilton road team's net for the Britons' only score.

Mills, Ellwood and Tozer were the hardest workers for the Orioles, and Cracknell, Rose and Fitzmaurice put up the best efforts for the north-enders. Scott again turned in another nice exhibition of goal-tending. The big goalie was under a barrage of shots all through the affair.

The line-ups:

Young Britons—Goal, Scott; defence, McCausland and McCallum; center, Cracknell; wings, Fitzmaurice and Taylor; subs, Ross, Coughtrey and Sandford.

Orioles—Goal, Biggs; defence, Ellwood and Waide; center, Mills; wings, Tozer and Woods; subs, Palmby, O'Rourke and Olson.

Referee—Mennill.

Bonspiel Billed For Tomorrow

Two Games On Bill For Tomorrow Night.

The London curling club is holding an invitation 'spiel Wednesday, starting at 9 o'clock. Two brand-new trophies, the Belvedere and the Astoria, are up for competition. Twenty-seven rinks are in the draw.

Should weather conditions tonight not indicate ice for Wednesday, all skips will be notified by wire.

The draw is as follows:

9:30 a.m.

Petrolia.	L. C. C.
J. Grenizen.	H. Hindmarsh.
L. C. C.	Thistles.
W. Casselman.	F. N. Allen.
L. C. C.	St. Thomas.
J. A. Wright.	G. Stanbury.
L. C. C.	L. R. C.
A. A. Smith.	J. Griffith.
L. C. C.	L. C. C.
T. Trout.	N. K. Wanless.
St. Thomas.	Ontario Hospital.
C. P. Cash.	E. A. Webb.

1 o'Clock.

L. C. C.	L. R. C.
E. Sage.	G. C. Chubb.
St. Thomas.	Owen Sound.
R. H. Emslie.	W. H. Smith.
Sarnia.	Strathroy.
Col. McKenzie	D. H. Patterson.
Thedford.	St. Thomas
J. Crawford.	F. W. Sutherland.
Wingham.	Seaforth.
A. Crawford.	R. Sproat.
Owen Sound.	L. C. C.
J. C. Telford.	R. Brooks.
Sarnia.	Seaforth.
A. Laschinger.	W. Ament.

Dr. Ireland, Harriston, vs. winner of Crawford-Sproat event.

THISTLES' TUESDAY 'SPIEL IS OFF OWING TO THAW

The usual Tuesday night 'spiel of the Thistles is off owing to the thaw. It was announced last night that a euchre would be staged instead.

The dealing starts at 8 o'clock sharp.

ODDFELLOWS CARPETBALL.

	Won.	Lost.	For.	Agst.
Chorazin	6	3	521	472
Forest City	6	3	454	455
Harmony	5	4	556	521
Dominion	5	4	550	512
Eureka	4	6	552	566
Thebas	2	8	420	537



FINISHED FOURTH IN GROUP.

Above, The Advertiser cameraman shows the Empress avenue team of the public school playgrounds league, which finished fourth in group one, with one win and three losses. Those in the picture are: Back row—Tuttle, Potter, Chas Deeley, coach, Tozer and Damby. Front row—Laughton, Cameron, Norton and Stone.

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Meets Brantford C. I. in Next Round For Wossa Cage Title.

Special to The Advertiser.

Guelph, Feb. 9.—The Kitchener C. I. basketball team was eliminated from the local Wossa group this afternoon when they succumbed to Guelph high school 37 to 22 in the second game of the final play-off. Having gained a two-point verdict over the Twin City students on their own floor last Friday, the Guelph boys won the round by 17 points. Don Hewer, captain of the Guelph team, was the best on the floor, running up a total of 18 points, while Morton and Lark were also good. Snyder and F. Hauck were the chief basket-getters for Kitchener. The Victory sends the Guelph team into the next round against Brantford, and the first game will be played in Brantford Thursday.

The teams:

Kitchener—Forwards, Snyder (5), Sinclair, Lautenstager (4), Buchanan; center, Clement; defence, C. Hauck (2), E. Hauck (7).

Guelph—Forwards, Hewer (18), Morton (9), Atcheson (1), James Hull; center, Lark (7); defence, G. Hull, Laing (2), Bibby and Reid.

Referee—R. Dickson, Kitchener.

Umpire—Ridley, O. A. C.

Manufacturers Vacation Ends

Two New Trophies Are Up For Competition.

The Manufacturers' league renews hostilities tomorrow night after a two weeks' vacation.

Bell Telephone meets McClarys in the opening game, and C. N. R. clashes with the first series winners, Standard Drug, in the second.

The Bell Telephone team, which was at the bottom of the standing all through the first series through failure to break into the win column, is going to be strengthened up. They will probably muster their new materials for the opening game.

The C. N. R. will go through with their team which battled strongly all thorugh the first lap. They are expected to give the yellow jackets stirring competition tomorrow night. Standard Drug are again favorites for the second series.

On the Side Lines With C.S.G.

He Was Only Choking.

Once the rasslers all shook in their shoes
As they saw the hold Strangler was after.
Now they are shaking another way
As they try to choke back their laughter.

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A Saving.

Judging by the fleetness of the Finns who have visited these shores, Finland won't need an air fleet in the next war.

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Unkind Fate.

Frederick Fulton has been the subject of the extremes of life. He's been banned internationally for not fighting and the California courts have fined him $500 for fighting. This last is the unkindest cut of all. He at least has never been guilty of conduct so unbecoming. Anyone who has followed his career could attest to that.

Growing Pains.

Hockey is going to have a painful time from sudden expansion the next few years. Not only is it growing as a business, but the game itself is changing. It's the fans that are going to suffer pain if the game develops into the state present tendencies indicate it will drift.

Hockey is becoming more scientific every day. The word "system" as applied to hockey strategy isn't over three years old. It's a lusty infant. It's been fed on scoring in which the content of goals is growing less and less each season.

First the goalkeepers started to pile on protection against the harder shooting they were faced with each year. Now the goalkeeper is a lap ahead of all but the most terrific shots in the game. When the ordinarily good goalie is at himself, and everything else is fairly equal, the chances of scoring are reduced to the minimum. Most goals now are scored from rebounds.

It's the same race as has taken place in baseball between the pitching and hitting.

The pros have reached the stage where they can just about make a hockey game sit up and talk and beg. Generalship and strategy, mostly of the set-piece variety, is showing its head more and more, and has reached the stage this year with some teams where the play has been almost mechanical. So far the most highly-developed system is that applied to the defensive. Nowadays, once the majority of the teams assume a two-goal lead, the fans may sit back and yawn. It's about as exciting as seeing two heavies in a two-hour clinch or two cautious lightweights sparring for an opening.

So far, hockey among the pros has reached the stage where the defensive is away out ahead of any offensive. It may take a little legislation, a few boo-es from the crowd, a pinch of sportsmanship, to bring the offensive up to a point where it can compete with the defensive system. And it's all coming.

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Dugan and Dixon.

The office Dugan and Dixon pattered again as follows:

"Longboat, is Nurmi one of those Finicky Fins?"

"No, he's going to run in Hamilton."

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About the Referees.

W. E. Ferguson writes:

If we are to believe the wails of the losing teams concerning inadequate refereeing, both amateur and professional, the applicants must pass under a questionnaire something like this:

Q.—What was the last hockey game you saw?
A.—Kenora Thistles and the Silver Seven.
Q.—Who won?
A.—The Little Men of Iron.
Q.—How is your eyesight?
A.—Terrible.
Q.—Who are the present professional hockey champions?
A.—Quebec Bulldogs.
Q.—Who is today's leading goaler?
A.—Russel Bowie.
Q.—What is a foul?
A.—Anything that the visiting team happens to do.
Q.—When a player is knocked out by a cross-check what happens?
A.—Count him out.
Q.—When a goal is claimed and the goal-judge hasn't seen it, what is the procedure?
A.—That depends on who claims it, the home or visiting team.
Q.—Who is your model in life?
A.—Jesse James.
Q.—Do you prefer to use a whistle or bell?
A.—A bell—the whistle reminds me of the police.
Q.—State briefly your qualifications for refereeing.
A.—I'm out of work.

Of course, other questions may be asked, but if we are to believe the losers, anybody who could answer in the manner indicated is elected at once.

Boyle Memorial Qualifies To Play In Loop Title Game

Defeats Tecumseh Avenue Sextet 2 to 1 in Semi-Final.

CLOSE ENCOUNTER

Boyle Memorial hockey team earned the right to meet the Trafalgar aggregation in the finals for the public school hockey championship when they took a close game 2 to 1 from the Tecumesh avenue sextet at the Arena yesterday.

The game was fast and clean, only four penalties being handed out by Referee Brother Phillips. The Boyle forward line kept the pace going at a whirlwind speed, and while they did not give the Tecumseh goalie a hot time, they were dangerous at all times and kept the defence right up on the bit. While the Boyle forwards were grabbing up loose pucks and racing down with neat combinations, the defence exhibited clever work that had the little net-minder yelping for an extra coat to keep warm. The one goal that did get past the little fellow was lucky. The Tecumseh forward line got the Boyle defence all bottled up at the net and somehow Bridge poked the rubber out of the melee and shoved it in past the unsuspecting goalie.

Young Maule, on defence for Boyle, was easily the best on the ice. He is fast, can handle a stick and uses his head at all times. When Boyle was holding a one-goal lead in the last period and the Tecumseh aggregation was putting up an extra effort to tie things up, he broke up the attack on several occasions and sent the rubber up the ice, forcing Tecumseh to start all over again.

Goddard got the two goals for Boyle, one in the second period and the other in the third. He registered them both on long hard drives from outside the defence that beat the Tecumseh goalie cleanly. Bridge got the lone goal for Tecumseh in the last period out of a melee in front of the Boyle net.

Line-ups:

Boyle — Goal, Fleming; defence, Maule, Bere; center, Jones; wings, Goddard, Mille; subs., Martin, Corbett, Masterson.

Tecumseh—Goal, Jacobs; defence, Moore, McWaine; center, Donnelly; wings, Bridge, Lacey; subs., Sulivan, Mason, Kincard.

Referee—Brother Philip.

Dodgers' Pilot Quits Hospital

Associated Press Despatch.

Baltimore, Feb. 9.—Wilbur Robinson, manager of the Brooklyn National league baseball team, who for the last month has been ill of pleurisy at the Union Memorial hospital here, was discharged today, according to hospital authorities. Robinson became ill while on a hunting trip in Georgia.

COURAGE NEEDED IN EVERY GAME

Gameness Shown by Senators Main Reason For Final Victory.

By STANLEY "BUCKY" HARRIS

CHAPTER XXXVII.

My Two Best Plays.

No one can ever question the gameness and courage of the Washington club, which won that last throbbing battle of the 1924 series. It had to show these qualities in practically every game. After Johnson lost the heart-breaking opener by 4 to 3, we came back to win the second by the same score. This was the game in which Marberry stopped the New York rally in the ninth after the score was tied. Playing for one run, I ordered Bluege to sacrifice after Judge walked. I counted on Peckinpaugh hitting—and he did. His drive to left scored Judge and ended the game.

We lost the third struggle, 8 to 4, largely because of the wonderful work of Frisch and errors charged against me and Ralph Miller, a recruit infielder. Frisch turned in not one, but two, of the greatest fielding plays I have ever seen. He raced far back into midfield in the fourth inning to take what appeared to be a sure hit from Goslin. We got two runs out of the inning. There would have been five or six but for Frisch's wonderful play. The New York second baseman practically duplicated his brilliant feat on Goslin in the next inning.

We suffered more than defeat in this game. Peckinpaugh had to retire early in the contest. His legs gave out on him. He had hurt himself after hitting his two-bagger that scored the winning run in the second struggle. But for all our patched up infield we won the fourth game, 7 to 4. I made two plays in this contest that I consider the best of my baseball career. Both came in the seventh inning.

The first was made on Hank Gowdy. As the catcher swung I could see from his position that the ball probably would be hit over second, if he met it. It hopped over the bag going fast. But, having figured the play, I was just able to get to the ball. I whirled as I put my hands on it, and threw to Judge barely in time to beat Gowdy to the bag. Later Frisch cracked a hard hopper close to the first base foul line. Judge couldn't get near it. Again I was able to call the play. I started at top speed toward first when ball and bat met. I just got one hand on the ball. That was enough, however. I hung on.

Mogridge and Goslin were the heroes of the game. The left-hander went stale in the latter stage of the American league race. He didn't finish a game he started in the last four weeks. But he did wonderful work in the world's series. I had to take him out in the eighth inning of the fourth game. Up to that time he allowed only three scattered hits. He held the Giants down again when we needed him most in the final game.

Ruth's Series Record Smashed.

Goslin was responsible for five runs. He gathered four straight hits. They included a home run with two men on in the third inning. All told he made three home runs against the Giants, tying Babe Ruth's world's series record. He made eleven hits for a total of twenty-one bases in the seven games. He fielded flawlessly. He gave us the batting punch that helped us win a pennant.

Peckinpaugh insisted upon getting back in the lineup after Johnson lost the fifth game. "Mike will get me out there," he said, referring to Trainer Martin. "Maybe I can help some. Anyhow I'll be doing my best. I don't care if they carry me off on a stretcher." As it turned out that was practically what we had to do.

The shortstop's attitude was characteristic of the Washington club. It was loyalty of the highest type. He never considered that he might injure himself permanently. His first thought was for the club. He didn't stop to count the possible cost. Martin refused at first to take a chance on letting him get in the game, but the veteran took him aside and argued so earnestly that he finally won the trainer over.

He played a wonderful game. He started us toward our winning runs in the fifth with a hit. He was on third, with two out, when McNeely walked and I came to bat. The first ball Nehf pitched was a strike. I figured here was our chance to break through great pitching and a stout defence. I took a chance and gave McNeely the signal to steal. He went down, as I took a second futile swing, and slid safely under Gowdy's hurried and high throw.

This was the turning point of the series to my mind. We might never have won the game but for McNeely's speed. Had we lost the Giants would have captured the championship with the sixth game. We simply had to win. That was why I dared order McNeely to steal. The success of this strategy worried Nehf a bit. He was the New York pitcher the Washington club found hardest to hit in the series. He didn't bother me, however, as much as Virgil Barnes.

Grabbing Victory at Top Speed.

With two runs on the bases and the Giants' one run lead in danger, I fouled one off. Nehf then tossed up three wide ones. The next ball would tell the tale. It was just to my liking. I hit to right, and Peck and McNeely scored the only runs of our 2 to 1 victory.

We had to fight all the way, however, to stay in the race. Twice Sam Rice made plays which saved the game. He turned in his first brillant feat in the opening inning in which the Giants got their lone tally. Frisch doubled with one out. He was trapped between second and third on Wilson's roller to Zachary. Wilson taking second. George Kelly scored Wilson with a hit. Then Meusel hit one that seemed ticketed for the temporary bleachers. Back and back, Rice ran. He reached out his gloved hand while going at top speed along the low rail and picked the ball out of the stands. This cut off a home run and two tallies.

Rice saved another run in the third inning. He took Lindstrom's drive to right while on the dead run. Frisch doubled after this, and but for the catch would have scored the young Giant third baseman. He made another wonderful running catch of Nehf's short fly in the fifth. I doubt if there ever will be a greater series of plays by an outfielder in a single game.

Peckinpaugh, who, by his example of courage and loyalty, inspired us to our great deeds when our backs were to the wall, prevented a Giant run in the ninth. With Southworth running for Kelly, on first and one out, Meusel slashed a wicked hopper over second base. Peck, straining to the utmost, raced toward the bag and made an almost unbelievable stop. He pulled up sharp to toss the ball to me, forcing Southworth. His tortured muscles gave way, and he collapsed.

As I left the club house after the game I heard two boys discussing the victory. "These guys just don't know when they're licked," said one.

"You bet your life they don't!" his companion enthused. "They're fighting fools. They'll win the series tomorrow, sure."

And, thanks to Walter Johnson, we did.

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Tomorrow: How to Win in Spite of Averages.

McMaster Sextet Here Wednesday

Western Confident of Winning On Home Ice.

McMaster University hockey team plays Western in a scheduled intercollegiate game at the local arena on Wednesday at 5 o'clock.

The two teams battled to a 3--3 tie in the opening game in Toronto, and the Westerners who had had very little practice, believe they will win this affair.

Western has only Auld and Mowrey of last year's team, but this year's crop of freshmen contained a lot of hockey talent.

BLACKBURN ROVERS WIN.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 9.—Blackburn Rovers defeated Portsmouth 1--0 in a second round game in the English football association cup competition. The match was played at Highbury. Blackburn Rovers meet Tottenham Hotspurs in the third round on February 21.

GIRLS' SERIES ARRANGED.

South Collegiate girls' basketball team will play its first Wossa game of the next round of the championship against the Sarnia girls in the Tunnel City on Friday, Feb. 20, with the return game at the South C. I. gym here on February 27.

Poke and Cross Checks

Soft weather spoiled the games at Galt and Preston.

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The local hockey officials may decide to run a special to Kitchener Wednesday if the demand is loud enough. There were indications that it would be, last night.

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Jack McKay looked better than in any game so far last night. Screaton did not get much chance, but he and Barret were on mischief bent just when the gong stopped them.

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Those near the north end thought Ziegler must have broken his neck when he crashed into the boards headon. But he shook it off.

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The juniors made about 1,500 friends last night. It wouldn't be surprising to he crashed into the boards head-on. But they return with Kitchener.

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The youngsters lost nothing last night in contrast with the faraway recollection of the senior brand. They did everything that the seniors do, and almost as well. Even when it was bumpiest, play never came to quiet the halt it did when the going got rough in the Big Six.

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Whether a special train goes or not, there will be a big bunch of supporters invade Kitchener Wednesday night after last night's peek at the junior show.

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Le Canada, Montreal French morning newspaper, commenting on Saturday's fixture between Montreal and Boston Bruins, which the latter won, 1 to 0, says in part: "It was a poor exhibition of hockey and on the play the Bruins deserved the game, for they gave the locals a hard time of it. Benedict turned in a superb performance and but for his spectacular work the score would have been larger against Montreal. There was plenty of individual play and some brilliant end to end rushes, but this amounted to nothing. The goal scored by Boston resulted from a great combination play.

"Herberts and Shay were outstanding for the victors, while Reg Noble was practically the only dangerous man on the Montreal team."

OUR BOARDING HOUSE. BY AHERN.



Big Six Group Leaders Hang Up Thirteenth Victory At Expense of Tail-Enders

Falls Comes From Behind To Defeat Greenshirts 3-2

Siebert Registers Winning Goal in First Minute of Final Canto.

CLEAN AND FAST

STANDING.

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.
Niagara Falls	13	5	1	75	60
Stratford	11	7	0	72	57
Preston	9	9	0	68	68
London	8	9	1	64	71
Galt	7	10	1	42	42
Kitchener	5	13	1	48	71

Special to The Advertiser.

Niagara Falls, Feb. 9.—The Niagara Falls Big Six group leaders won a good, clean and comparatively fast game from Kitchener Green Shirts here tonight by the score of 3—2. The Green Shirts had the edge in the opening chapter. In the second period the Frasermen came to life, tieing the score and blanking the visitors. The tricolor kept on the aggressive in the final period, scoring the winning goal in the first minute of play. After the first period the Falls team all played well, though Fraser was outstanding. Hiller and Hillman were best for Kitchener.

First Period.

Play was even in point of possession of the rubber and close goals, although Kitchener showed much more system to their play. Hiller, Hillman and Hinsperger played well together. The Frasermen played decidedly loose at times, showing little pep in back checking after losing possession of the rubber. The invaders scored the only two goals of this period, Hillman being the marksman on each occasion. The first counter was registered after six minutes' play when he was in close alone.

The second goal came five minutes later on a long shot from outside the defence.

Second Period.

Fraser got the first counter on a pass from Herrington at 30 seconds. Fraser evened the count 14 minutes later on an end-to-end rush, going right in and picking the corner of the net. The homesters had more good chances to score in this section, although the Green Shirts continued to play good combination and use their heads in the pinches. Kitchen, Kelterbourne, Herrington, Siebert and Fraser all figured in plays that resulted in close calls, while Hiller, Hillman, Hinsperger and Karges worked hard and effectively.

Third Period.

Siebert put the game away in the first minute, going all the way on a fast individual rush for the only goal of this frame. The Falls were more aggressive than the Green Shirts, and only bad breaks prevented them from scoring. The visitors never let up, however, but kept plugging for the tying goal, although they were never clean inside the defence for an opening.

Summary:

First period — Kitchener, Hillman, 6:00; Kitchener, Hillman, 5:00.

Second period—Niagara Falls, Fraser, :30; Niagara Falls, Fraser, 14:00.

Third period—Niagara Falls, Siebert, 1:00.



DRAWS WITH FOLEY.

Jackie Johnson of Toronto, shown above, failed last night in his effort to lift the Canadian bantamweight crown, held by Vic Foley of Vancouver.

Race Results

JEFFERSON PARK RESULTS

FIRST RACE, 6 furlongs:
Brother John, 110 (Montgomery), 8 to 1, 3 to 1, 8 to 5, won.
Lorena Marcella, 99 (Wilson), 5 to 1, 5 to 2, second.
Everglade, 112 (McTague), 8 to 5, third.
Time—1:13 2-5.
John Q. Kelly, Lucky Strike, Lady Boss, Rapid Day, Pete the Scribe, John S. Mosby, Clonasjee also ran.

SECOND RACE, 6 furlongs:
Clever Seth, 102 (Harvey), 11 to 5, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, won.
Admirer, 110 (Allen), 3 to 1, 8 to 5, second.
R. E. Clark, 106 (Burger), 3 to 1, third.
Time—1:14 1-5.
Recover, Lucky Lou, Korbly, Twelve Bells, Archie Alexander, Quanah, Hughes Graham, Calvin, Charlnat also ran.

THIRD RACE, 6 furlongs:
Brinkley, 112 (Montgomery), 3 to 1, 6 to 5, 3 to 5, won.
Will Wells, 109 (Allen), 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second.
Miss Nancy, 98 (Harvey), 2 to 1, third.
Time—1:14.
Eliza Brown, High View, Lieut. Rust, Boo Hoo, Aurora, St. Nicholas, Battleman, Trapdale also ran.

FOURTH RACE, mile and 70 yards:
Benedict Vow, 97 (Hay), 9 to 5, 1 to 2, out, won.
Prince Tii Tii, 105 (Fronk), 3 to 5, out, second.
Riney, 111 (Harvey), out, third.
Time—1:44 3-5.
Cherry Cote also ran.

FIFTH RACE, mile and an eighth:
Batter Up, 105 (Thomas), even, 1 to 3, out, wonn.
Belphrizonia, 113 (McTague), 2 to 5, out, second.
The Archer, 108 (Anderson), even, third.
Time—1:53 3-5.
Escarpolette, Van Patrick also ran.

SIXTH RACE, mile and 2 sixteenth:
David Harum, 105 (Degere), 6 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, won.
Wapiti, 106 (Harvey), 6 to 5, 3 to 5, second.
Vulnad, 111 (McTague), 3 to 5, third.
Time—1:47.
Marcelline, Georgette, Rock and Rye, Theo, Bean King also ran.

SEVENTH RACE, mile and sixteenth:
Lexington Maid, 103 (McTague), 2 to 1, 4 to 5, 2 to 5, won.
Taylor Hay, 106 (W. Harvey), 2 to 1, even, second.
Dernier Sou, 105 (Fronk), 5 to 2, third.
Time—1:48.
Bush Buck, Hickory, Blackolia, Our Birthday, Snow Malden, Tender Seth, Peace Pal also ran.

MIAMI RESULTS

FIRST RACE, 5/8 Mile:
Frances Johnson, 103 (J. Callahan) $5.60, $3.70, $2.60, won.
Pauline M., 108 (Rodriquez) $4.20, $2.90, second.
Dusky Belle, 103 (Williams), $2.80, third.
Time—1:02 4-5.
Cozenza, Mizetta, Compact, Seraphis, Phenol, Galantman, Elga, Princess Ahmed, Wilton Flanna, also ran.

SECOND RACE, mile and 70 yards:
Attaboy II., 104 (Noe) $6.80, $5.40, $3, won.
Composer, 106 (J. Callahan) $9.20, $4.20, second.
Feiteitious, 115 (Weiner) $5.40, third.
Time—1:49 1-5.
Seas Stake, Sir Glen, Red Arrow, Rock Salt, Ticacey, Lough Storm, Tulan also ran.

THIRD RACE, 3½ furlongs:
Elon, 122 (Barrett) $4.10, $3.00, $3.40, won.
Muffet, 119 (F. Stevens) $7, $6.20, second.
Christopher, 122 (Parke) $3.40, third.
Time—:44.
War Tank, Freda D., Wormwood, Overlook, Miss Titania and Mulligan also ran.

FOURTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
Lady Choco, 111 (Malben) $22.20, $7.40, $3.50, won.
Sweepstakes, 114 (Parke) $3.20, $2.40, second.
Winnipeg, 114 (Ambrose). $2.70, third.
Time—1:15 1-5.
Uproar, Belle Ami and Triumph also ran.

FIFTH RACE, mile and 70 yards:
Sunspot, 105 (Kurtsinger) $5.70, $3.60, $2.90, won.
Fuo, 95 (Callahan) $4.50, $2.90, second.
Kellerman, 103 (Malben), $3.30, third.
Time—1:46.
Polly Wale and Brunell also ran.

SIXTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
Bridesmaid, 107 (Noe) $4.70, $2.50, $2.20, won.
Slow and Easy, 112 (Williams) $2.60, $2.20, second.
Ball Gee, 120 (F. Stevens) $2.30, third.
Time—1:13 2-5.
Dangerillo, Theo Fay and Fixola also ran.

SEVENTH RACE:
King's Ransom, won.
Ruban Rouge, second.
Leisch, third.

HAVANA RESULTS

FIRST RACE, mile and 70 yards:
Queen's Own, 107 (Neal), 3 to 1, even, 1 to 2, won.
Jacobean, 107 (Richards), even, 1 to 2, second.
Hello Pardner, 107 (Holecko), 6 to 5, third.
Time—1:48 1-5.
Seven Seas, Hindostan, Huen, Chandelier, Battle Bent, Laura Cochran, Swim, rimus also ran.

SECOND RACE, 5½ furlongs:
Miriam Wood, 100 (Geving), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, 6 to 5, won.
Winchester, 113 (Richards), 2 to 1, even, second.
Glenlivet, 108 (Neal), 1 to 5, third.
Time—1:08 4-5.
Aunt Deda, Miss Holland, Grey Girl, Confederacy, John Joseph, Service Flag also ran.

THIRD RACE, 5½ furlongs:
Quin, 108 (Charles), 7 to 5, 1 to 2, 1 to 4, won.
Horinga, 103 (Holecko), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, second.
Ukase, 113 (McCabe), even, third.
Time—1:08 3-5.
Bill Hennessy, Van Orman, Pinaquana, Hilloro also ran.

FOURTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
Kendall, 113 (Burns), 4 to 1, 8 to 5, 4 to 5, won.
Sister Sue, 106 (Hastings), 7 to 10, 1 to 3, second.
Beg Pardon, 107 (Roach), 2 to 1, third.
Time—1:14 4-5.
Mabel K., Captain Clover, Hullo, Richard Murray, Galleon also ran.

FIFTH RACE, 6 furlongs:
Seclusion, 101 (Taulelle), 6 to 1, 5 to 2, 5 to 5, won.
Bonnine Lizzie, 105 (Thrailkill), 8 to 5, 4 to 5, second.
Neptune, 105 (Neal), 1 to 5, third.
Time—1:14 4-5.
Louise Wagner, San Diego, Amber Fly, Private Peet and Colossus also ran.

SIXTH RACE, mile and sixteenth:
Clansman, 107 (McCabe), 2 to 1, 1 to 3, 1 to 6, won.
Marble, 112 (Carpenter), 1 to 6, 1 to 12, second.
Recoup, 107 (Banks), 7 to 5, third.
Time—1:48 4-5.
Dustman, Galiford, Montillo and Fincastle also ran.

Stove Leaguers' C-h-a-t-t-e-r

Brooklyn is manoeuvring to get into line to meet the infield strength that will be put on the field by opposing National league clubs in 1925.

The Giants have a young infield, with Groh in or out, that promises to sparkle. The Pittsburgers are satisfied, and so are others, that their infield will be the fastest young quartet playing ball. Of course, the qualification "young" must be taken into consideration. The Chicagos are confident that they have the best veteran infield.

Brooklyn crowded its way to second place last year because its pitchers were as good or better than any others in the league. It is not certain, however, that Brooklyn can make so much headway this season with her pitchers unless there is some improvement in an infield that does not promise to be as good as last year.

Tierney is not a fast second baseman. He is a powerful hitter. He might play second well enough to get by and make up for what he cannot cover in ground by his prowess at bat. If Johnston is unable to play in 1925, and if Stock can do not better than he did last season, High could be switched back to third. He batted well last season, and he plays third quite as well as Stock.

If Brooklyn started with Fournier at first, Tierney at second, Johnston at short and High at third, it would have a better combination than it had in 1924 so far as attack with the bat is concerned.

Brooklyn let Neis go to Boston. The Brooklyn outfield could take care of itself without Neis, and perhaps the latter will play better for Boston than for Brooklyn. During the exhibition series out on the coast last fall, Neis had some difficulty in a hotel, and he has not been popular with the Brooklyn management since.

Boston can take plenty of outfield strength because that is one part of the club that is not overstrong. In fact, it is only medium. The real point of interest in the switch of the players is the moving of Tierney into Brooklyn, where he can be used as a factor for changing an infield so as to provide more third base strength than Brooklyn had last season.

JOHNSON GIVEN DRAW WITH FOLEY

Toronto Boxer Fails To Lift Crown of Coast Bantam.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto Feb. 9.—Jackie Johnson of Toronto was favored by Referee Hayes of Hamilton in tonight's bout for the Canadian bantam title, when he was given a draw against Vic Foley of Vancouver, the champion, after ten rounds, the judges having disagreed. The decision was not extra popular, although Johnson is a local boy, the concensus of ringside opinion being that Foley had a cleancut margin. Foley was much better at in-fighting, and had Johnson worried toward the end, although the local lad made a garrison finish. Johnson landed the cleaner punches, and was willing, in fact, both were, but Foley was the stronger. Johnson's left to the head and his two-fisted attacks to the body appeared to give him the lead.

The preliminaries were of a very high order, the four bouts combining science, slugging, a knockout and everything that goes to please all the fans. The house was the largest in the history of indoor boxing in Toronto.

George Smith, Toronto, 135, outpointed Kid Savage, Syracuse, 139½, in six rounds.

Alex Burlie, Toronto, 110¼ pounds, knocked out Kid Atherleigh, Syracuse, 114½ pounds, in second round.

Frenchie Belanger, Toronto, 109¾ pounds, drew with Wee Willie Davis, Pittsburg, 111¼ pounds, in six rounds.

Timmy Mitchell, Toronto, 127 pounds, outpointed Tony Ross, Detroit, 128½ pounds, in six rounds.

Both Johnson and Foley were given great receptions. Foley had a slight advantage in weight, weighing 118¼ to Johnson's 118 pounds. The bout was for the Canadian bantamweight title, which Foley won in December by knocking out Howard Mayberry of Hamilton. The latter shook hands with the two principals.

Bowling ON MITCHES ALLEYS

TRAVELLERS' LEAGUE.

Indians—			
F. May	236	130	146—512
A. Rodgers	157	125	157—439
F. Hart	136	153	155—444
R. Coughey	147	119	190—436
Totals	676	518	657—1851
Yankees—			
Blackmore	186	155	144—485
Theis	141	195	91—427
Jenkins	192	132	127—502
Thorne	119	167	96—382
Totals	638	649	509—1796
Senators—			
J. W. McLeish	134	162	121—417
J. W. Hughes	134	95	118—447
L. Lackie	202	186	219—607
E. Richards	189	147	181—517
Totals	659	590	639—1988
Browns—			
J. Husband	174	185	261—620
H. Roe	159	167	150—476
J. Reehill	169	154	167—490
J. M. Brown	270	194	186—650
Totals	772	700	764—2236
Tigers—			
G. Brown	143	137	128—408
G. Keenleyside	179	120	72—371
C. Atkins	169	143	103—355
F. Johnston	129	95	252—476
Totals	560	495	555—1610
Athletics—			
W. Beadle	148	130	156—434
G. Oakdeen	145	115	128—386
H. Farrow	156	151	141—447
R. Magee	149	173	186—508
Totals	595	532	621—1748
Red Sox—			
Blay	143	160	180—483
Agnew	178	222	133—533
Silver	149	142	154—445
Clarke	103	116	152—371
Totals	573	640	619—1832
White Sox—			
Edgar	138	184	131—453
Baunton	172	166	165—403
Russell	145	130	172—447
Edworthy	200	208	132—540
Totals	655	688	600—1943

FLOOD AT PORT FEARED AS RAIN STARTS TO FALL

Creek Has Risen Three Feet —Ice Breaks at Bridge.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, Feb. 9.—The first indication of rain came tonight just before midnight, and has increased the anxiety of Port Stanley residents that trouble may develop, as the ice is moving out of the creek.

Early this afternoon the ice broke near the Warren bridge, about a mile north of the harbor, and about 7 o'clock tonight a break occurred opposite the English church. The ice in the harbor is still solid and the moving ice from the creek is passing to the lake under the solid mass in the harbor.

The creek has risen about three feet at Port Stanley, and there is some rise here, but not to a dangerous extent. If rain should fall heavily there is danger of flood proportions in the creek at Port, and preparations are being made to prevent, if possible, any particular ice jam. Ice has piled up slightly, but no immediate fears are felt unless more rain falls. The ice jam and flood of 1919 are still vividly remembered, and Port citizens do not want any repetition.

CANADIAN PACIFIC R. R. DIVIDENDS ARE DECLARED

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—At a meeting of the directors of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company today the following dividends were declared:

On preference stock, two per cent for half-year ended December 31 last;

On common stock, two and one-half per cent for quarter ended December 31, last from railway revenues, and special income.

Both dividends are payable April 1 to stockholders of record, 3 p.m., February 27.



NEW SPEED-SKATING CHAMPION.

Francis Allen of Chicago, the international amateur outdoor speed-skating champion for 1925. By virtue of taking second place at Saranac Lake in the 440-yard and five-mile races on top of victories the preceding day, Allen captured the crown won last year by Charles Gorman of St. John, N.B.

Paavo's Strategy Won Race Against Swedish Marvel

Nurmi's Conservation of Energy in Early Stages Enabled Him To Leave Wide Behind and Break Two Records.

CHAPTER X.

Beating Unbeatable Records.

The scene of Paavo Nurmi's race with Elvin Wide—the race Paavo regards as the most noteworthy in his brilliant career—was the Stockholm stadium.

That arena has a particular appeal to all Finns. It was there that Hannes Kolehmainen made Olympic history by racing to victories in three of the most taxing tests on the Olympic program of 1912. It was there and by reason of Kolehmainen's work and the efforts of Saaristo, Peltonen and others that Finland very definitely took its place as one of the leading athletic nations of the world—the leading athletic nation of the world in per capita Olympic accomplishments.

As an American youth might be inspired in visiting the battle scenes of the revolution, so Paavo was inspired when he stepped into the Stockholm coliseum. During the days before the race, which was scheduled for August 22, 1923, Paavo found it difficult to remain away from the track. He danced along its hard-packed cinders, tested his time twice a day, and established in his mind the points along the route where he would check his pace with the stop-watch he was to carry. He found the track far superior to those in Finland.

Stockholm awaited the day fretfully. Its people were confident their adopted fellow citizen, Wide, would take the measure of Nurmi. They besieged the group of Finns who had accompanied Paavo with offers to wager on the race, and Paavo's friends accommodated them. And when the great day arrived the stadium was packed.

A noisy throng it was. But absolute silence reigned as the two great foot racers were called to the mark for their instructions.

Paavo Plans Strategy.

Paavo had mapped out a definite program for the early portion of the race, but had decided to let conditions govern the later stages. His plan called for a fast 400 metres at the start, and only a slight letting up in the second 400. What Wide's plan was Paavo did not know.

Paavo admits he was somewhat nervous as he crouched on the starting mark. Never before had he seen such a throng, and the majority desired his defeat. He was the standard-bearer of his nation. All Finland looked to him. Then, too, Wide in all probability would be Sweden's representative in the Colombes Olympic games, less than a year away, and a victory over him in the matched race could not but have its effect in assuring other triumphs when they met in the Olympics.

But Paavo had little time to ponder these items as he stepped to the line and found solid and unyielding purchase for his spiked running shoes. Then the pistol barked.

A roar came from Swedish throats as Paavo and Wide leaped from the mark, for Wide had jumped with the gun and was out in front with the first stride.

The speed Paavo had set for the first lap of the race was fast, but it was not nearly so fast as the pace Wide was travelling, and the Swedish rooters were in ecstacies as their compatriot added inch by inch to his advantage until he was leading the Finn by eight yards as the first circling of the track was completed.

But Paavo, who had studied Wide's work, was convinced the latter could not continue throughout the full course the pace he then was setting. In the parlance of track athletics, Paavo knew Wide must come back to him.

And the second lap scarcely had begun before Nurmi started closing the gap. That lap was not completed before Paavo was in the van and edging away.

Wide did not lose heart. He summoned his energy, pulled up to within a stride of Paavo and hung to the latter's shoulder during the third lap. It was hard work for him. Still he fought on, hoping for a break in Paavo's pace.

Two Records at Once.

He thought that chance was at hand at the start of the fourth lap and unloosed what he believed would be a winning burst of speed. But Paavo sensed the challenge and answered it as it was issued. As he answered it they flashed but the 1,500 metre mark to the clicking of six stop-watches, and before Paavo concluded his answer the mile mark had been cleared, with Nurmi a good eight yards in the lead, and the little Finnish contingent acting like a group of madmen in the stadium stands.

But the thrill of the thing did not end with the victory.

An excited conference was going on among the official timers and the monster gallery held its seats. When this conference ended, the announcer stepped to the centre of the arena, raised his megaphone and informed the throng that the world's records had been shattered both at the 1,500-metre mark and the mile.

Three minutes and 53 seconds was Paavo's time for the former, nearly two seconds faster than J. Zander's record made in 1917. Four minutes 10 2-5 seconds was Paavo's time for a mile—a mark more than two seconds faster than Norman Taber's supposedly unbeatable record, made in 1914.

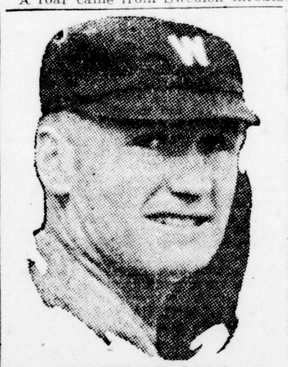
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HOCKEY RESULTS

GAMES TONIGHT.

Senior O. H. A.
Varsity at Parkdale.

Junior O. H. A.
Trenton at Brockville.
Brampton at Newmarket.
Grimsby at Oakville.



WALTER JOHNSON

has given up any hope of acquiring a Pacific coast league baseball club, and will pitch for the Weshington American League team again this season. He will join the team in Florida in two weeks.

GREYS TAKE FIRST FROM MILVERTON

Run Up 3 to 1 Score in Initial Game of Play-Off.

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Feb. 9.—Owen Sound Greys gained a two-goal advantage over Milverton juniors here tonight in the first of the play-off series. The score was 3 to 1. This was Milverton's home game, played here owing to the condition of the ice in Milverton.

The score just about indicates the play. The first period was almost even, with the Greys possibly having a slight bulge, but there was no scoring.

The second frame showed Milverton taking the aggressive, and though they outplayed their opponents, were outscored 2 to 1. The third frame was more Owen Sound, their lighter opponents becoming tired. One goal was scored in this frame.

The first tally came at seven minutes in the second period, Burmeister scoring on a pass from the side of the net. Seven minutes later Padden evened the count on a tricky shot. With three minutes to go in the same period Sturgeon put his team in the lead, scoring on a lovely pass. Half of the final stanza had gone before the Sounders again tallied, Sturgeon getting the counter out of a pretty bit of combination. Milverton fought hard to the last.

The teams:

Owen Sound—Goal, Smith; right defence, Gallighen; left defence, Brophy; center, Sturgeon; right wing, Burmeister; left wing, Keeling; subs, Clark, Burns and Grant.

Milverton—Goal, Mohr, right defence, Schumer; left defence, Smith; center, Padden; right wing, Kelterborne; left wing, Bastindorffe; subs, Bundscho, J. Bastindorffe.

COURT DECISION RESTS ON ANALYSIS OF LIQUID

Police Say Liquid Sopped Up From Floor When Crock Was Broken.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Feb. 9.—"You cannot believe everything you see in a newspaper, let alone what you smell," E. F. McDonald remarked in police court this morning, defending Mrs. Rose Solway, who was charged with selling liquor. He was quizzing Sergt. Dezilia about a piece of newspaper, which had been used to mop up a liquid which spilled on the floor when the woman is alleged to have smashed a crock as the police searched her home. The trial was postponed pending analysis of the liquid that was subsequently squeezed from the newspaper. Mrs. Solway's husband is serving a term for a liquor offence. Eight of her young children waited for their mother in an ante room of the court.

O.T.A. Fine.

M. Pheasant, Indian resident of Moraviantown, was fined $10 and costs in county police court this morning, when he pleaded guilty to a charge of being drunk. Charges against M. Stonefish and J. Noas were dismissed. F. Pheasant, young daughter of the former, testified against her father and Stonefish.

I.O.D.E. Officers.

Officers of the Major G. Smith chapter, I.O.D.E., were elected as follows: Hon. regent, Mrs. R. Bowler; honorary vice-regents, Mrs. McCarron and Mrs. Clark; regent, Mrs. E. R. Barr; vice-regents, Mrs. Kinzie and Miss M. Boyle; secretary, Miss G. Charteris; treasurer, Miss H. Pilkey; corresponding secretary, Miss E. Lynden; educational secretary, Mrs. C. Wright; standard bearer, Mrs. V. Aylesworth; councillors, Miss Jarvis, Mesdames Seeley, Hodgson, Godfrey, Sulman and Miss H. Landon.

Officers of the Mary T. Bray chapter, I.O.D.E., are: Regent, Miss Margaret Punchard; vice-regent, Miss M. Gray; secretary, Miss Margaret Kerr, corresponding secretary, Miss D. Vary; treasurer, Miss N. B. Thorn; standard-bearer, Miss R. Colby.

EMBRO

Special to The Advertiser.

Embro, Feb. 9.—Mr. Pegler of London was a Wednesday visitor in the village.

Arthur Hebden of Lakeside visited on Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Muir.

Mrs. Annie Sutherland of Woodstock spent Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. D. Beagley.

Mrs. G. McNeill was a visitor in Woodstock on Friday.

Mrs. John Smith of Brooksdale spent Thursday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Muir.

Miss Marion Beagley was in Ingersoll on Friday.

Alex. Haskett had the misfortune on Friday to have a tree fall on him, while cutting wood, which bruised him up and also broke a bone in his right arm. He was taken to Woodstock for an X-ray examination.

The 77th annual meeting of the Embro branch of the Bible society was held in the lecture room of the Congregational church on Wednesday evening at the close of the prayer meeting, with President Wm. J. McKay in the chair. The treasurer's report showed receipts of $150. Officers elected: President, Wm. J. McKay; vice-presidents, the local ministers; secretary-treasurer, E. J. Cody, for the 40th term. Miss Kate Ross and Mr. Doy were reappointed auditors. A hearty vote of thanks was tendered to the collectors, who so faithfully and efficiently did their work, also the officers of the society.

MELBOURNE

Special to The Advertiser.

Melbourne, Feb. 9.—The ladies' aid of the Sutherland Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. Herb. Sutherland for their regular monthly meeting. At the close of the business session a talk was given on "The Art of Seeing Ourselves as Others See Us," by Mrs. Pierce. Miss Mather spoke on the subject "Service." The meeting was well attended. Mrs. Sutherland served supper and a very pleasant social time was spent.

A number from here attended the shower given by the Riverside people at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Johnston of Ekfrid in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Jackson of Delaware.

Mrs. T. T. George of Parkhill will speak here in the Methodist church on the 11th inst. in the interests of the Woman's Missionary society.

Western Five Determined To Break Queen's Streak



TOMMY GIBBONS

will meet Bartley Madden, Irish heavyweight, who stayed the limit with Harry Wills last year in a 15-round match featuring the opening outdoor show of the Queensboro A. C. early in May.

FARMER MIGRATION CURBING IS SOUGHT

Scott Urges Ottawa To Check Emigration To United States.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The appendix by Mr. Commissioner Scott to the Turgeon report, published today, closes with a recommendation that the government should adopt an energetic policy aimed to stop the migration of the sons of Canadian farmers to the United States.

He draws attention to the fact that settlement of the bush country between Quebec, Montreal and Winnipeg is desirable. Railway rates to Canadian mills on pulp wood and lumber should be at least as low as the rates now charged for coal from Nova Scotia, so that the younger generation of Canadian farmers should be encouraged to emulate the Canadian pioneers in settling uncleared land.

Commissioner Scott is of the opinion that the western farmer will save from 7 to 10 cents a bushel in his freight rates if the government can see its way to adopting a policy of encouraging a return to the original low standard of grain rates eastbound. It would be, he points out, a much smaller measure of protection than the 42 cents per bushel with which the United States government protects its wheat growers at the general expense; an impetus would be given to colonization of the prairies and the forest country, and Canadian seaports would benefit through an increased share of the Canadian export grain, which now goes to United States seaports.

Mr. Scott closes with a tribute to the celerity with which the two great railways have moved grain crops to the sea and also to the great banking, elevator and inspection systems by which grain marketing is carried out and farmers' interests safeguarded.

SPARTA

Special to The Advertiser.

Sparta, Feb. 9.—The Courtesy club of Dexter put on a very interesting literary and social evening. The meeting was in charge of Miss Irene Janes, the president. Besides music and a bowling game, two dialogues were staged: one by the boys entitled, "Resolved, That Chewing Tobacco Is a Greater Sin Than Robbing Hen Roosts"; and one by the girls, entitled: "Arabella's Poor Relations." At the close of the program lunch was served.

The ladies' aid and W. M. S. of Dexter met at the home of Mrs. John Preffer with an attendance of 30. Mrs. Austin Smith had charge of the ladies' aid, and Mrs. T. Sprague of the W. M. S. At both meetings interesting items of business were discussed. The latter society decided to hold a bazaar sometime during March. At the close lunch was served. The March meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. William Armstrong.

The W.M.S. of the Sparta Methodist church met at the home of Mrs. C. A. Smith with some thirty present. Mrs. W. A. Henderson, the president, introduced a splendid program. It was decided to put on the program and serve lunch at the church family gathering Friday evening, February 13.

Mrs. S. K. Smith has been suffering from an attack of sciatica for the past week.

Dr. Griffin had the experience of upsetting his cutter while driving around the corner at the hardware store. The horse ran for a distance but no one was hurt, though the cutter was slightly damaged.

The sacrament of the Lord's Supper was administered in the Methodist church Sunday night.

The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist church will hold a sale of home cooking and various articles of clothing and quilts Saturday afternoon in Aylmer.

BEACHVILLE

Special to The Advertiser.

Beachville, Feb. 9.—Peter Graham has returned from Detroit where he had been spending a few days.

Miss Mildred Ward of London is visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Collier.

R. Gordon, formerly of Hamilton, has been secured by E. S. McClelland to look after the bakery.

John Downing left on Wednesday to spend a couple of months in Florida and other southern states.

Prof. Everton of Woodstock college occupied the pulpit of the Baptist church today.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McLelland returned this week from their honeymoon trip.

Mrs. Warner was a Wednesday guest with her daughter, Mrs. James Todd.

Mrs. John Butler of Ingersoll spent Thursday visiting friends in the village.

Kingston Senior Cagers To Play On Local Court Friday.

LEADING LEAGUE

Senior intercollegiate basketball has developed keen interest locally since the tri-color of Queen's University who visit London this week are sitting in an isolated position at the top of the league. They have yet to lose a match. However, when they take the road on Friday next, their real testing will begin, for while many teams in basketball are capable of winning at home where the playing space is familiar, their real test comes when they visit foreign courts. Unlike hockey where the rinks are mostly standardized and a team will do almost as well away as at home, basketball is a game in which personality, familiar surroundings, etc., have a good deal to do with the results of a close contest.

The first game Queen's will play away from home is on Friday next when they meet Western here, and should the local boys maintain the form displayed in their game with McGill last week there is no doubt about the outcome.

Elaborate preparations are being made by the Queen's graduates of whom there are a large number locally, to turn out 100% strong in support of their team, but not to be outdone Western's cheer leader and rooters together with many local followers will be on hand and the public will have an opportunity of witnessing, in the first place, Western, a team fighting to obtain hold of the silverware, and in the second place, Queen's, a team trying their best to maintain their record of victories. Queen's have considerable advantage in experience and in addition they are the title holders for the past two years. Granting them all this, however, the local school is carrying on rigid training for the contest.

An additional attraction is the St. Marys' junior O.A.B.A. team, who will play the Western junior boys as a preliminary to the big match.

Western Co-Eds To Play In Guelph

Western Co-eds, who take part in the intercollegiate basketball tourney at Guelph on March 6-7, have started drilling. Dr. Smith thinks that the Western girls have a splendid chance to win their games this year.

The inter-year league has developed some splendid players, and several of the co-eds in past have been sought for town teams.

Orients Decide To Enter Team

The Orients have decided to again enter the O.B.A.A. senior series.

A meeting of Orient club last night made the decision, which was not unexpected.

This will give London two senior teams again this year, and the same situation practically as last season when the city's baseball strength was divided, and consequently neither team got anywhere.

British Soccer Results

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 9. — Football games played today resulted as follows:

English league, second division—Fulham 4, Hull 0.

London provincial charity cup—Charlton A. 0, Crystal Palace 1.

Rugby—Exeter 0, Royal Air Force 3; Crosskeys 3, Pontypool 0; Abertillery 0, Heath 0 (abandoned).

Obituary

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Marys, Feb. 9.—The funeral was held here this afternoon of the late David Cousins, aged 70, whose death occurred on Saturday, following an illness of three weeks. The late Mr. Cousins was a highly-respected and well-known citizen here, having been a resident of this district all his life. He had lived in St. Marys for the past 24 years. He was born in Downie township, and was a mason by trade.

Interment was made in the St. Marys cemetery, the funeral service being conducted by Rev. Charles Waddell. Survivors are the widow, five children, Mrs. R. Sinclair of London, Mrs. L. Near and Mrs. J. Woods of St. Marys, Alfred and Sidney of Blanshard, and six brothers and sisters, Mrs. J. Irwin of St. Marys, Mrs. J. Bettridge, Robert, Joseph of St. Marys, William Woodstock and George of New Hamburg.

THORNDALE Y. P. S.

Special to The Advertiser.

Thorndale, Feb. 9.—The Y. P. S. of the Methodist church met in the church on Friday evening. Charles McCutcheon, the president, occupied the chair. The program consisted of Scripture reading by Estella McCutcheon, piano duet by Miss E. Murphy and Miss M. Gleason, solo by Lloyd Guest, piano solo by Max Abbott, reading by Miss M. Duffin, solo by Miss M. Bilyea, reading by Miss J. Abbott. The principal feature of the evening was a debate: "Resolved, that the investor has done more to promote human happiness than has the legislature." The affirmative was supported by Miss McCulloch and John Cavers, the negative by Mrs. F. Mossip and Miss D. Belton. The judges were Mrs. J. M. Fitzsimons, Mrs. G. B. Vining and Rev. A. Kellam. They gave their decision in favor of the affirmative side.

GEN. ELECTRIC DOWN 8 POINTS

N. Y. Market Is Generally Unsettled Today—Independent Strength Shown.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 10.—Liquidation of General Electric, which fell 8 points, and marking up of the renewal rate on call money to 4 per cent, induced renewed realizing, under which American Can, Radio, American Woolen, Bosch Magneto and United States Realty sold 2 to 3 points lower.

Despite the general unsettlement of the market, however, independent strength was shown by various pipe, chemical, public utility and motor issues. United States Cast Iron Pipe continued its spectacular advance, soaring 17 points to a record high at 231 before falling back to 223. Commercial Solvents A jumped 7, Mack Truck up 5 to a new peak at 144½, and American Express gained 4¾.

Market Sidelights

BRITISH PREFERENCE.

A rather important decision is said to have been made in England regarding certain Canadian preferences which will include meats. This announcement is looked upon by those in touch with the situation as of very great importance to the Canadian packing industry and a quiet demand has grown up for the shares of some of these companies not listed on the stock exchanges. Details of any new trade-within-the-empire preferences have not yet been fully made public so it is premature to go into discussion of them, but advanc information received in Canada points to an interesting arrangement being arrived at between the mother country and the dominion in this respect.

IRON AND STEEL TRADE.

Improvement in the iron and steel industry, which developed during the last quarter of 1924, has continued practically unabated, and prospects for the maintenance of present operating schedules well into the current year are favorable. Mills are running at from 90 to 98 per cent. of capacity, as compared with 70 per cent. several months ago, according to reports to Dun's Review. Producers already have more specifications than can be handled in the first quarter, it is understood, and many are booked well into the second quarter. Output in general is 20 per cent. greater than it was during the last quarter of 1924, and about 15 per cent more than in January, 1924. For pig iron output, January was the largest months since last March.

FLOUR

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal Feb. 9.—A firmer tone prevailed in the spring wheat flour market, and prices were advanced 10c a barrel. Prices for winter wheat flour were unchanged, owing to the light offerings from Ontario millers.

The volume of business in millfeed was moderate sized, and the trend was steady. The trade in rolled oats was quiet.

Flour—Man. spring wheat patents, firsts, $10.90; seconds, $10.40; strong bakers, $10.20; winter patents, choice $9.20 to $9.30.

Rolled oats—Bag, 90 lbs., $4.20.

Bran—Per ton, $36.25.

Shorts—Per ton, $38.25.

Middlings—Per ton, $44.25.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 9. — Manitoba flour, first patents, $10.80, Toronto; second patents, $10.30.

Ontario flour—90 per cent patents, $8.75, in jute bags, on track, Montreal or Toronto; export, 56 shillings, bulk, seaboard.

Bran—Per ton, $36.25.

Shorts—Per ton, $38.25.

Middlings—Per ton, $44.25.

Good feed flour—Per bag, $2.80.

Associated Press Despatch.

Minneapolis, Feb. 9.—Flour, 20c to 25c lower, at $9.90 to $9.95 per barrel; shipments, 42,130 barrels.

Bran—Per ton, $27.50.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Paul, Feb. 9.—An increase of 1c a pound loaf in the price of bread in the Twin Cities will go into effect on Monday. Rolls and doughnuts are to be put up 5c a dozen.

OILS

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Feb. 10.—Kerosene, No. 1, 1s 2d; kerosene, No. 2, 1s 3d.

Rosin, common, 17s 6d.

Turpentine spirits, 65s 9d.

Special to The Advertiser.

Los Angeles, Feb. 9.—Seventy of the smaller oil companies with refineries in Southern California are preparing to enter the central and northern retail fields in competition with the Standard Oil of California and other large producers. This has come about as a result of the 2c increase in price. The smaller companies in some instances are naming prices as low as 15c a gallon, including the 2c state tax.

COFFEE

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 9.—The coffee futures market closed 12 to 20 points net lower. Sales were estimated at 65,000 bags. Closing quotations: March, 20.60; May, 19.04; July, 17.93; Sept., 16.90; Dec., 16.28. Spot coffee was dull.

POTATOES

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Potatoes, per bag, carlots, 95c to $1.

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How the Stock Markets Closed

New York

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum, Royal Bank Bldg.

New York, Feb. 10.—1:30 close.

Stocks—	Open	High	Low	Close
Ajax Rubber	12⅝	12⅝	12¼	12¼
Allied Chem	86	88¼	86	87½
Allis-Chalmers	77¾	77⅞	77	77¾
Am Ag Chem	20	20⅝	20	20⅝
Am Beet Sugar	41¾	41¾	41¾	41¾
Am Can Co	172½	172½	169⅝	172
Am C and F	203⅜	203⅜	203⅜	203⅜
Am Int Corp	38	39¾	38	39¾
Am Loco	120¼	121⅜	118¾	121
Am S and C	12½	12½	12½	12½
Am Smelting	106¼	106⅝	105	105⅛
Am Steel Fdries	47½	47⅝	47⅛	47¼
Am Sugar Refin.	66¼	66¼	64¾	65⅝
Am Sumatra	16⅞	17¼	16⅞	17¼
Am Tel & Tel	132¼	132½	132¼	132⅜
Am Tob, com, B	88	88⅞	87	87
Am Woolen	52⅝	52⅝	51	51½
Anaconda Copper	46	46	45⅝	45¾
A T and S F	118	118	118	118
Atlantic Gulf	29	29	28⅝	28¾
Baldwin Loco	134¼	134¼	132¾	133⅜
Balti & Ohio	81	81⅛	80⅝	80¾
Barnsdale "A"	26⅝	27⅛	26⅝	26⅞
Bangor R R	40¼	40¼	40¼	40¼
Bethlehem Steel	50⅝	51⅜	50⅝	50⅝
Cal Petroleum	28⅝	28⅞	28⅝	28¾
C P R	150	150½	150	150
Central Leather	20⅝	21	20⅝	21
do, pfd	63⅜	65½	63⅝	64½
Cerro de Pasco	54⅝	54⅝	54	54
Chandler Motor	30⅞	30⅞	30¾	30¾
Ches & Ohio	95½	95½	95½	95½
C R I and P	48	48⅛	47½	47¾
Chicago & Alton	10	10	9¾	9¾
Chicago G W	13⅜	14⅜	13⅜	14
do, pfd	31⅛	31⅜	30⅝	31
Chile Copper	37⅛	37⅜	36⅞	36⅞
Coca-Cola	91¾	92¼	91¾	91¾
Col Fuel & Iron	46¼	46⅜	45½	45⅞
Con Can	65⅞	67⅞	65⅞	67
Con Motors	9¼	9⅜	9¼	9⅜
Con Gas	78½	78¾	78⅜	78⅝
Con Textile	4½	4½	4½	4½
Corn Products	40	40¼	40	40
Cosden Co	34	34⅜	33⅛	33⅛
Crucible Steel	73⅞	74¾	73¾	74½
Cuba Cane Sgr	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
do, pfd	62	62	61¼	61⅝
Cuban-Am Sgr	32¾	32⅞	32½	32⅝
Davison Chem	47⅝	47⅝	46⅝	47⅛
Dome Mines	15¼	15¼	15¼	15¼
Dupont	149½	149½	147½	148¾
Del & Hudson	142¼	143½	142¼	143½
Eastman Kodak	115	115⅝	115	115¼
Erie Railway	33	33	32¾	32¾
do, 1st pfd.	42¾	43	42¾	43
Eaton Axle Co.	12½	12½	12½	12½
Fleischmann	81½	82	81½	81½
Famous Players	96¼	96¾	96	96¼
Fisher Body	66	66	65⅞	65⅞
Fisk Rubber	13½	13½	12⅞	12⅞
Gen. Petroleum	51	51⅝	51	51⅛
Gen. Asphalt	58⅛	58⅛	58	58
Gen. Electric	243½	243½	237	238¼
Gen. Motors	78¾	79	77⅝	78¾
Goodrich Rub.	48¼	48¼	47¼	47⅜
Gt. North. Ore	38⅛	39¼	38⅛	38⅞
Gt. North. pfd.	70⅛	70⅛	70	70
Gulf S. Steel	92⅞	93½	92¼	93
Houston Oil	82¼	82½	82⅛	82¼
Hudson Motors	39¾	39⅞	39½	39¾
Hupp Motors	16	16	16	16
Insp. Copper	30¼	30¼	30	30
Ind. Oil and G.	26⅜	28⅜	26⅜	28¼
In. Harvester	107⅞	107⅞	107½	107⅞
In. Mer. Marine	13¾	13⅝	13¾	13¾
do, pfd.	50¼	50⅛	50	50
Inter. Nickel	27⅛	27¼	27	27
Inter. Paper	57½	57¾	56¼	56½
Inter. Combus.	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
Kelly-Spring.	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Kenn. Copper	55⅞	55⅞	55⅜	55⅜
Keystone Tire	2⅝	2⅝	2¼	2¼
Louisiana Oil	[illegible]	22⅝	21⅞	21⅞
Lehigh Valley	76¼	76½	76¼	76½
Lima Loco.	70⅝	70⅝	70	70
Maryland Oil	43⅝	44¼	43⅝	43¾
May Stores	105	105	105	105
Mack Truck	139¾	146	139½	145½
Mont., Ward	51⅜	52	51¼	51¼
Maxwell M, A	81¼	81¼	79¾	80
do, B	38⅜	38⅜	37⅛	38
Miami Copper	22⅝	22⅝	22½	22½
Middle States Oil	1½	1½	1½	1½
Mex. Seaboard	16⅜	16⅜	16⅛	16⅛
M., K. and T.	36⅛	36⅛	35⅝	36⅜
Miss. Pacific	40⅝	40⅝	39	39⅞
do, pfd.	81½	81⅞	80⅝	80¾
Mother Lode	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜	8⅜
National Lead	162	163⅞	162	163½
N. Y. Central	123⅝	123⅞	123¼	123½
N. Y., N. Haven	30⅝	32	30½	32
Nor. and West.	128¾	128¾	[illegible]	128¾
North American	45	45⅞	45	45⅞
North. Pacific	70¾	70¾	70⅜	70⅝
Owen Bottle	46⅜	46⅝	45⅝	46
Phillips Pet.	43⅞	44	43⅜	43½
Pan-American	73¾	73⅞	73½	73⅞
do, B	74¼	74¼	73⅝	73⅝
Pennsylvania	47⅞	48	47⅝	47¾
Penn. S. Steel	2½	2⅝	2½	2⅝
Pacific Oil	62½	63	62⅜	62⅜
Pere Marquette	69½	70	69½	70
Pierce Petrol.	7⅜	7½	7⅜	7½
Pittsburg Coal	52¼	52½	52¼	52½
Pr. Steel Car	64¼	64⅜	63¾	63⅜
Prod. and Ref.	30	30	30	30
Pure Oil	31⅝	31⅝	31½	31⅝
Radio	65½	65¾	63¾	64½
Ray C Copper	16⅞	16⅞	16½	16⅞
Reading Co	79	79⅜	78¾	79⅜
Replogle Steel	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜	20⅜
Republic Iron	57⅞	58	57⅞	58
Reynolds Tobs	78	78⅜	78	78¼
Reynolds Spring	15½	15⅝	15½	15⅝
Royal Dutch	55⅞	56⅛	55⅞	56
Seaboard A L	24½	24½	24¼	24¼
Shell Union	26⅞	27⅛	26¾	27
Skelly Oil	29¼	29¼	29¼	29¼
Sinclair Oil	22⅞	22⅞	21⅞	22⅛
Southern Pacific	105½	105¾	105	105¼
Southern Ry	89	89⅝	88½	89½
do pfd	86	86	86	86
St Paul	14⅛	14⅜	14	14
do, pfd	24⅛	24⅛	23⅝	23¾
Standard Oil, Cal	65⅛	65⅛	64⅞	64⅞
do, N J	45	45⅛	44¾	44⅞
Stewart-Warner	74⅛	74⅜	73½	73¾
Stromberg	72	72	72	72
Studebaker	44¾	44⅞	44¼	44⅝
St L and S F	69	70¼	68¼	69¾
St L and S W	51⅜	51⅜	50½	50¾
Tenn Copper	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Texas Co	47⅜	47⅜	47	47⅛
Tex-Gulf Sulphur	104⅞	104⅞	104½	104¾
Tex-Pacific Oil	21⅜	21⅞	21¼	21⅝
Tex-Pacific	50	50	49¼	49¾
Timken Roller	42½	43¾	42¼	[illegible]
Tobacco Products	77⅛	77⅜	75⅞	76¼
Trans Oil	5	5	4⅞	5
Union Pacific	151	151	150	150½
United Drug	116½	117	116⅜	116⅜
United Fruit	216	216	216	216
U S C I Pipe	220	233	220	229
Universal Pipe	44½	46⅜	44½	46⅜
U S In Alcohol	82¾	83⅜	82⅝	83⅜
U S Rubber	43⅜	43⅜	42¾	42¾
U S Steel	127¾	127⅝	126¾	127
Utah Copper	91½	91½	91½	91½
Vanadium Corp	29½	30¼	29½	30¼
Vivandau, Inc	11⅜	11⅜	11¼	11¼
Wabash A	[illegible]	63½	63	63⅜
do, com	24⅜	24½	24⅛	24⅜
Westinghouse	72½	72½	72½	72½
White Motor	67¼	67¼	67¼	67¼
Willys-Overland	10½	10½	10¼	10⅜
do, pfd	76½	77⅝	75⅛	76
Woolworth	117	117	116½	116⅝
Worthington	68½	72½	67¾	71⅞

NEW YORK CURB

Reported for The Advertiser by A. E. Moysey & Co.

New York, Feb. 10.

Stocks—	High	Low	Noon
Acme Coal	1	1	1
Durant Del	16¾	15⅝	16¾
Goodyear	33½	33⅛	33½
Inter Utilities B	13¾	13¾	13¾
Reo Motor	18¼	18	18¼
Thermodyne	15¼	15⅛	15¼
Tobacco Products	4	4	4
Un Pro Sharing	5	5	5
Happiness	6¼	6¼	6¼
Mining—			
Divide Extension	7	7	7
Eureka Croesus	18	16	17
Farmac	25	10	25
Ton Divide	33	33	33
Onited Eastern	55	55	55
West End	25	25	25
Oils—			
Anglo-American	20⅛	20	20
Cities Service	211	210½	211
Carib Syndicate	5	5	5
Engineers	6	6	6
Imperial	129	126½	129
Continental Oil	29¼	29⅛	29¼
Prairie Oil	246	246	246
Vacuum Gas	90¾	89¾	90¾
Standard of N Y	46⅜	45¼	46⅝
do, of Indiana	68⅛	67¾	68
do, of Kentucky	121	121	121

LINSEED

Associated Press Despatch.

Duluth, Feb. 9.—Linseed: Feb., $3.09; March, $3.09¾; May, $3.10; July, $3.07¾.

Toronto

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 10.

Sales	Stocks—	High	Low	Close
630	Atlantic Sugar	27½	27	27⅛
110	do, pfd	75¼	74	74
390	Braz T L & P	55⅛	55	55
25	Brompton	29½	29½	29½
80	B C Fishing ½	28½	28	[illegible]
57	Bell Telephone	135⅜	135	135
178	Burt, F N	157	156	156
10	Can Bread, pfd	105	105	105
65	C C & F C, pfd	90¼	89¾	90
11	Can Cement	103¾	100	100
52	Can S S Lines, pfd	49¼	48½	48½
14	Can Loco, pfd	88	87½	88
30	C P R	150	150	150
755	Cons Smelters	69¼	68	68¼
20	Con Gas	164	164	164
76	Dom Canners	95	95	[illegible]
5	Dom Telegraph	49	49	49
5	Goodyear, pfd	96	96	96
20	Laurentide	82¼	82¼	82¼
30	Davies A	28⅜	28	28¾
10	Pac Burt	30	30	30
19	Sawyer-Massey, p	6	5	5
60	Sterling Coal	52	52	52
375	Steel of Can	85⅝	84	85⅝
5	do, pfd	110	110	110
190	Winnipeg Ry	39½	38½	38½
50	do, pfd	90	90	90
	Mines—			
400	Keeley	230	230	230
100	Nipissing	650	650	650
25	Hollinger	1470	1470	1470
	Banks—			
4	Commerce	198¾	198⅜	198¾
8	Dominion	195¾	195½	195¾
5	Imperial	190	190	190
12	Montreal	248	248	248
25	Toronto	195⅞	195¾	195⅞
50	Union	108	108	108

STANDARD EXCHANGE

Reported for The Advertiser by Jones, Easton, McCallum, Royal Bank Bldg.

Toronto, Feb. 10.

	Bid	Ask		Bid	Ask
Apex	2¾	3¼	McInty'e	1670	1696
Atlas	4⅛	4½	Night'k	..	45
Argon't	42¾	43	Porc Cn	..	10
Baldwin	3¼	3⅜	Preston	9	9¼
Beatty	1½	1¾	T O B'e	38	39
Bucking	3⅝	4	Tex-H	133	134
Bidgood	10½	11	Vipond	128	129
W D L	16¾	17	Vickers	..	11
Clifton	15½	15¾	West T	3	3½
Dome M	1550	1570	Wasapika	2	2¼
Goldale	18¼	19	W-Har	440	445
Gold R	1⅛	1½	Beaver	32	32½
Hattie	2⅛	2¼	Conlag's	..	215
Hunton	5¼	5½	Cn Res	48½	49
Holling'r	1455	1469	Castle T	75	76
Indian	5½	6	Everett	6	6⅛
Keora	11½	11¾	Keeley	229	230
Kirkland	40½	41	L Lor'n	10	10½
Lake S	515	520	Larose	37	38
Moneta	16	17	Lorrain	16	16¼
			Lor T L	120	125

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

London, Feb. 10.

Consols for money	58⅛
British 5 per cent loan	101⅜
British 4½ per cent loan	97⅞
Atchison	118½
Baltimore and Ohio	81¼
Canadian Pacific	150½
Chesapeake and Ohio	96⅞
Chicago, Great Western	13⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	13¾
De Beers	12⅛
Erie	33¼
do, 1st pfd.	43⅛
Illinois Central	116
Louisville and Nashville	108½
New York Central	123¾
Norfolk and Western	130½
Ontario and Western	[illegible]
Pennsylvania	48
Rand Mines	[illegible]
Reading	77¼
Southern Railway	90¼
Southern Pacific	106½
Union Pacific	151
United States Steel	127⅝

ALLIED BONDS

New York, Feb. 9.

Sales	Stock.	High	Low	Close
31	Austrian 7's	96⅛	95½	95⅝
42	Argentine 7's	102⅞	102⅝	102¾
68	do, 6's, "A"	96½	96⅜	96⅜
207	do, 6's, "B"	96½	96⅜	96⅜
2	do, 5's	84⅛	..	..
1	Belgian 8's	107¼	..	..
4	do, 7½'s	109¾	109½	109¾
21	do, 6½'s	94¼	94⅛	94¼
55	do, 6's	87⅝	87½	87½
2	Bordeaux 6's	85¼	..	..
39	Brazil 8's	97⅞	96¾	97⅜
1	do, 7½'s	106⅝	..	..
42	do, C. 7's	83⅛	82¾	83⅛
16	British 5½'s, 1929	116⅞	116¾	116¾
28	do, 5½'s, 1937	106⅜	106⅛	106⅛
19	Canada 5½'s, 1929	103¼	103⅛	103¼
18	do, 5's, 1926	101⅜	101¼	101⅜
3	do, 5's, 1931	103½	103⅜	103½
3	Canada S. S. 7's	99	98½	99
54	French 8's	104	103¾	102¾
10	do, 7½'s	100¼	100	100⅛
106	do, 7's	91½	91¼	91¼
282	German 7's	95	94¾	94⅞
20	Hungary 7½'s	89⅞	89⅞	89⅞
82	Japan 6½'s	91½	91⅜	91½
5	Lyons 6's	85⅜	85⅛	85¼
5	Marseilles 6's	85⅜	85¼	85¼
4	Paris, L & M, 6's	78⅜	78⅜	78⅜
24	do, 7's	87⅜	87⅛	87⅜
7	Paris-Orleans 7's	87	..	..
4	Queensland 7½'s	110	..	..
13	do, 6's	104	103¾	104
13	Seine 7's	90⅜	90¼	90⅜
125	Serbian 8's	86⅜	85½	86
1	Soisson's 6's	84½	..	..
6	Sweden 5½'s	99¾	99½	99½
1	Swiss 8's	115	..	..
11	do, 5½'s	101⅞	101¾	101¾
9	Tokio 5's	65½	..	..

GOVERNMENT LOANS

Reported for The Advertiser Wood, Gundy & Co., Royal Bank Bldg. London, Ont., Feb. 10.

Year.	Bid.	Asked.	Yield.
5½% Victory.			
1927	102.85	102.95	4.36
1933	106.50	106.60	4.60
1934	104.25	104.35	4.92
1937	108.60	108.70	4.61
5% War Loan.			
1925	100.95	101.05	4.80
1931	102.30	102.40	4.60
1937	104.00	104.10	4.57
5½% Renewal.			
1927	102.25	102.35	4.62
1932	103.75	103.85	4.90
5% Refunding.			
1928	101.00	101.10	4.66
1943	101.85	101.95	4.90
4½% Refunding.			
1944	95.65	95.75	4.82

UNLISTED BONDS

Toronto, Feb. 9.

Reported for The Advertiser by A. J. Pattison, Jun., & Co., Ltd.

	Bid.	Ask.
Abitibi Gen. Mtge. 6's, 1940	99.00	100.50
Algoma Steel 5's, 1962	33.50	37.00
Brompton 6's, 1939	97.25	100.25
Can. Machinery 6's, 1940	70.00	80.00
C.N.R. 5's, Dom. Guar, 1954	99.75	100.75
Canada Salt 6's, 1934	100.00	....
Can. Steamship 7's, 1942	98.50	99.50
Can. Salt 6's, 1933 (serial)	....	100.50
Dom. Iron & Steel 5's, 1939	57.00	59.50
Dom. Power & T. 5's, 1932	95.50	97.00
Duke Price 6's, 1949	99.25	100.25
Eastern Car 6's, 1952	81.50	86.00
G. T. P. 4's, 1955	75.60	....
Guardian Realty 6's, 1933	85.00	87.50
Howard Smith 6's, 1934	94.25	96.50
Inter. Milling 6's, 1930	99.50	....
Lake Superior 6's, 1941	105.50	108.00
Loew's Toronto 8% Notes	95.00	100.00
Manitoba Power 7's, 1941	101.50	102.75
Mattagami Pulp Deb	30.00	32.00
Mon. L., H. & P. 5's, 1933	99.25	100.25
Mon. Tram. & P. 6's, 1929	100.75	101.50
Nor. Ont. L. & P. 6's, 1931	98.25	99.25
Ont. Pulp 6's, 1931	106.00	109.00
Price Bros. 6's, 1943	99.00	100.00
Provincial Paper 6's, 1940	99.25	....
Simpson, Robt., 5's, 1952	90.00	....
Spanish River 8's, 1941	107.00	....
St. Maurice P. 6½'s, 1953	106.00	107.00
Whalen Pulp & Paper 6's	45.00	50.00

HAY AND STRAW

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 9.—Hay, No. 2 timothy, per ton, $14.50; No. 3 timothy, $11.50 to $12.50; mixed, $11.50 to $12.

Straw—Per ton, $8.50 to $9.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Hay, No. 2, per ton, carlots, $14 to $15.

Montreal

Reported for The Advertiser by McDougall & Cowans, Toronto.

Montreal, Feb. 10.

Sales	Stocks:	Open	High	Low	Noon
30	Abitibi	63½	63½	63½	63½
1215	At. Sugar	27½	27¾	27	27½
24	Bell Tel	135	135¼	135	135¼
40	B. C. Fishing	28	28	28	28
265	Brazilian	55	55	55	55
50	Brompton	29	29	29	29
345	Cement	103⅜	103⅜	101¾	101¾
80	Converters	86	86½	85½	85½
35	Detroit U.	24	24	24	24
100	Dom. Bridge	91	91½	91	91
30	Dom Glass	114	114	114	114
50	L. Woods	186	186	186	186
45	Laurentide	82	82	82	82
10	Macdonald	8	8	8	8
25	Mont. Cotton	98	98	98	98
10	Mont. Power	169¼	169¼	169	169¼
25	Penmans	153	153	153	153
150	Price Bros.	37½	37½	37½	37½
85	Shawinigan	136¼	136¼	136¼	136¼
1075	Smelters	69⅜	69½	67⅞	68½
150	Spanish	106¼	106¼	106¼	106¼
2775	Steel of Can.	84¼	86¾	84¼	86¾
345	Textile	71¾	71⅞	71½	71¾
10	Twin City	62	62	62	62
125	Winnipeg	38¾	39	38¾	39
175	Alcohol	19¼	19½	19¼	19½
15	Hollinger	14.85	14.86	14.85	14.85
340	Paint	124	127	124	127
100	Mont. Tram.	165	165	165	165
	Preferred:				
200	B. E. S., 2nd	10½	10½	10½	10½
25	C. G. Electric	54	54	54	54
75	Canada Car.	89	90	89	89⅞
500	C. S. L.	49¾	50	49½	50
90	H. Smith	82	82	82	82
50	Sugar	74¾	74¾	74	74
105	Tooke	45½	45½	45	45
10	Woods Mfg.	72	72	72	72
20	Winnipeg	92	92	92	92
	Banks:				
3	Montreal	247½	247½	247½	247½
	Bonds:				
1000	W. L., 1925	10090	10090	10090	10090
2000	do, 1937	10420	10420	10420	10420
2000	V. L., 1934	10650	10650	10650	10650
10000	do, 1934	10420	10430	10420	10430
7000	do, 1937	10885	10885	10875	10875

PROVISIONS

Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company, Royal Bank Building.

Chicago, Feb. 10—2:30 close.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Lard—				
May	$16 35	16 35	16 17	16 20
July	16 67	16 67	16 50	16 55
Sept.	16 97	16 97	16 80	16 82
Ribs—				
May	16 05	16 05	15 95	16 00
July	16 30	16 30	16 27	16 27

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Feb. 10.—Hams, American cut, 12 to 16 lbs., 95s.

Bacon, Cumberland cut, 22 to 36 lbs., 78s; Canadian Wiltshires, 50 to 75 lbs., 90s; clear bellies, 14 to 20 lbs., 102s; long clear middles, light, 28 to 35 lbs., 92s 6d; short clear backs, 12 to 20 lbs., 90s 6d; New York shoulders, 71s; shoulders, square, 12 to 16 lbs., 68s 6d.

Lard, American refined, in boxes, 82s; prime western in tierces, 82s 9d.

RAW SUGAR

Reported for The Advertiser by W. G. Coles & Co., Bank of Toronto.

New York, Feb. 10.—Raw sugar quiet, now change: sellers 2⅞c; buyers offering ⅛c lower.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 9. — Raw sugar futures:

	High.	Low.	Close.
March	2.86	2.85	2.86
May	2.98	2.96	2.97
July	3.14	3.12	3.14
September	3.25	3.24	3.25

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 9.—The raw sugar market today was steadier and unchanged at $4.62 for spot, while later shipment was higher. Sales were 24,500 bags of Philippines to an operator for February-March shipment at 4.65c.

Raw sugar futures were steadier throughout the session, with closing prices 1 to 3 points net higher. Wall Street and commission-houses bought, inspired by the steadiness of the spot market. Trade interests sold. March closed at 2.86, May 2.97, July 3.14, September 3.25.

Demand for refined sugar continued light. Prices were unchanged, all refiners accepting business at 6c for prompt shipment after Feb. 16.

Refined sugar futures were nominal.

METALS

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 9.—Standard copper, spot, £65 7s 6d; futures, £66 7s 6d.

Electrolytic—Spot, £70; futures, £70 10s.

Tin—Spot, £261 12s 6d; futures, £264 17s 6d.

Lead—£38 5s; futures, £37 7s 6d.

Zinc—Spot, £36 15s; futures, £36 5s.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 9.—Copper steady.

Electrolytic—Spot and futures, 15c.

Tin—Easy; spot and nearby, $57; futures, $57.25.

Iron—Steady; No. 1 northern, $24.50 to $25; No. 1 northern, $23.50 to $24; No. 2 southern, $20.50 to $21.

Lead—Steady; spot, $9.62 to $9.75.

Zinc—Steady; East St. Louis, spot and futures, $7.60 to $7.62.

Antimony—Spot, $19.50 to $20.

COTTON

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 9.—Cotton futures closed steady. Closing bids: Feb., 23.95c; March, 24.15c; April, 24.32c; May, 24.50c; June, 24.63c; July, 24.76c; Aug., 24.64c; Sept., 24.74c; Oct., 24.54c; Nov., 24.57c; Dec., 24.60c.

Spot cotton closed quiet. Middling uplands, 24.45c.

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Feb. 9.—Spot cotton was in good demand, with prices steady.

American middling, fair, 14.70d; good middling, 13.85d; middling, 13.45d; low middling, 12.85d; good ordinary, 11.85d.

The sales of the day were 8,000 bales, of which 5,900 were American. The receipts were 100 bales, all American.

Futures closed steady.

EGG MARKET REVIEW

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Feb. 9.—The arrival of several cars of Chinese eggs has been reported during the last few days, and it is interesting to note that of these certificates of inspection have been refused on two cars, one in Toronto and one in Montreal. This means that the eggs cannot be placed on sale in this country, and it is reported that orders have been given for reshipping to the United States.

Anothes car, which passed inspection in Edmonton, is not moving satisfactorily. The majority of the dealers in the city refused to handle them, and in all probability the most of this car will also be reshipped possibly out of the country. Imports during the last week have been quite heavy in Winnipeg, comprising some 47 lots totalling 971 cases. This includes one car of Chinese.

Toronto—Unchanged. Ontario country shippers report paying extras 44c, firsts 38c and making sales extras 55c, firsts 44c f.o.b.

Manitoba—Dealers quoting extras 50c to 55c, firsts 45c to 50c, seconds 30c to 35c.

Saskatchewan—Dealers quoting delivered extras 55c, firsts 50c, seconds 40c.

Alberta—Dealers quoting delivered extras 55c, firsts 50c to 52c, seconds 35c.

British Columbia—Market weak; dealers quoting delivered extras 45c, firsts 43c.

British cables (Prices shillings per ten dozen):

Glasgow, Feb. 9. — Irish 14s to 19s f.o.b.; Danish sixteens 17½s; eighteens 19s.

SEEDS

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Feb. 9.—Timothyseed, $5.60 to $6.50.

Cloverseed—$25 to $33.

SMELTERS FALLS QUARTER POINT

Winnipeg Railway Reacts to 38½, Closing For Loss of One-Half.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—Moderate activity, with irregular trend to prices, prevailed in this morning's session on the exchange. Smelters, the most active stock on the board, after an over-night gain of ¼ at 69, dropped back to 68, closing with a net loss of ¼ at 68½. Winnipeg Railway, also strong at the opening, reacted to 38½ at the close, half a point under yesterday's close. On an odd lot transaction Cement fell from 103¾ to 100. Burt closed 1 up at 156, and Steel of Canada 1⅝ better at 85⅝. Brazilian held steady at 55, Sugar preferred advanced 1 at 74 at the close, while Dominion Canners declined a similar amount to 95. Cockshutt preferred, on small lot transactions, advanced from 30 to 32.

STEEL OF CANADA HITS NEW HIGH

Jumps to 86¾ at Montreal Today—General Tone Irregular.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 10.—An irregular tone developed on the local stock exchange this morning, with gains and losses fairly equal. Prominent among the strong spots was Steel of Canada, which, in addition to being the most active stock, established a new high at 86¾, at which figure the last sale occurred. Sherwin-Williams rose 5 points to 127 on fairly light buying.

On the other hand, some leaders displayed weakness, notably Consolidated Smelters, which during the morning sagged 1¼ to 67¾, recovering, however, before the close to 68½, at which figure it was off a half. Another weak issue was Canada Cement, at 101¾, a figure 1½ points below its yesterday's close.

BUTTER AND EGGS

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—The butter market was inactive and the feeling easier, although no further change occurred in prices.

Butter—No. 1 pasteurized, 29½c to 30c; No. 1 creamery, 28½c to 29c; seconds, 28c.

Eggs—Fresh extras, 56c; fresh firsts, 53c.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 9.—Butter steady; receipts, 5,938 tubs. Creamery, higher than extras, 39¾c to 40½c; extras, 39½c; firsts, 37c to 39c; packing stock, current make, No. 2, 24c.

BEANS

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—Crop beans were steady at $2.90 per bushel.

Special to The Advertiser.

Detroit, Feb. 9. — Beans, Michigan choice hand-picked, $6.35 to $6.40 per cwt. at shipping points.

CITY DEPARTMENT MERGER SOUGHT

Members of Council Committee Will Review Question at Meeting Tonight.

Belief that municipal business will be best served by the adoption, sooner or later, of a system suprevised by a civic manager is strongly held in civic circles. Indications point strongly to such a move and, though there has been no definite action taken by this year's council as yet, it is believed that ultimate efforts of city legislators will be to centralize city hall control.

Tonight members of the board of health and No. 2 committee of the city council will discuss the placing of the plumbing inspector's office under the city engineer. This follows the inclusion of building inspection under the engineer, the joining of the relief and health departments and the placing of the tax office and other matters under the city treasurer.

From discussion that has already taken place it would appear altogether likely that the recommendation to have the plumbing inspector work under the engineer's supervision would be sanctioned by the council. This is quite in keeping with the slow but steady progress in the direction of centralized city hall control during the past ten years.

According to the mayor, a form of civic manager will settle many of London's problems, and it should come in the near future. "It has got to come ultimately," his worship declared today. Other advocates of centralized control believe that before long three city hall officials will be given joint control of administrative business, with one of their number as senior officer, providing the city with a city manager without an additional salary cost.

EDUCATION PROBLEM FACES THE BOY TODAY

The problem of the education for the boy is open for discussion between fathers and sons today, in accordance with the plan of the "Father and Son Week."

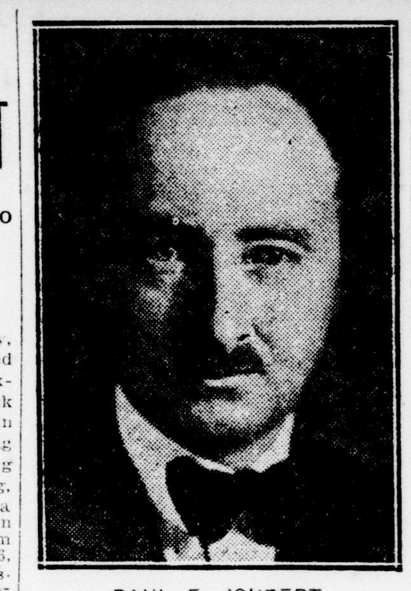
B. S. Scott of the London Technical school and member of the boys' work board, says that the day should give a definite understanding on the important question of school.

Vital questions to both parent and child come up in the attitude of the boy to the school. His reactions to teaching he does not like, and his ideas on the value of education are things to be discussed.

The teacher advocates a talk about the necessary discipline which goes into school life, showing that it is necessary to molding of character.

REMAINS IN HOSPITAL.

Sylvadore Sansone, under sentence of two years in Kingston penitentiary, is making fair progress in Victoria hospital. Sheriff Donald Graham stated this morning. The sheriff declared that Sansone would soon be back in the county jail, but was not prepared to state just how long the young man would still remain in the hospital.



PAUL E. JOUBERT, recently elected president of the Montreal chambre de commerce, is well known in Canadian manufacturing and commercial circles.

Grain Markets

WINNIPEG

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, Feb. 10.—Lower Liverpool cables imparted further weakness to the wheat market this morning. Opening prices were from 1¼c to 2¼c below yesterday's closing figures, the May future dropping to $1.97½ around 10 o'clock, representing an extreme dip of 2¾c. Trade volume during the early part of the session was very small, and trading generally was featureless.

Export demand was a missing factor in this morning's market, which, according to the trade, is directly responsible for the bearish sentiment.

In sympathy with the decline of wheat prices, the coarse grains all were weaker.

There was nothing doing in the cash coarse grains and flax.

Wheat—No. 1 northern, $1.98; No. 2 northern, $1.92; No. 3 northern, $1.87¼; No. 4, $1.76½; No. 5, $1.70¼; No. 6, $1.58¼; feed, $1.32¼; track, $1.97.

Oats—No. 2 C. W., 67⅜c; No. 3 C. W., 62¼c; extra No. 1 feed, 62½c; No. 1 feed, 60¼c; No. 2 feed, 54⅛c; rejected, 49⅞c; track, 67⅜c.

Barley—No. 3 C. W., 98c; No. 4 C. W., 91½c; rejected, 86¼c; feed, 84¼c; track, 98c.

Flax—No. 1 N. W. C., $2.65½; No. 2 C. W., $2.61; No. 3 C. W., $2.54; rejected, $2.54; track, $2.65¾.

Rye—No. 2 C. W., $1.60½.

WINNIPEG GRAIN FUTURES.

Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company, Royal Bank Building.

Winnipeg, Feb. 10.

	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May	$1 99	1 99	1 94½	1 94¾
July	1 95	1 95	1 91	1 91⅛
Oats—				
May	69	69	67	67⅛
July	69⅝	70	68⅛	68⅛
Flax—				
May	2 69	2 72	2 65	2 66½
July	2 65	2 71	2 65	2 66

TORONTO.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 10. — Board of trade quotations:

Manitoba wheat—No. 1, $2.14; No. 2, $2.08; No. 3, $2.03; No. 4, $1.93.

Manitoba oats—No. 2 C. W., 77¼c; No. 3 C. W., 73¾c; extra No. 1 feed, 73¼c; No. 1 feed, 71¾c; No. 2 feed 69¼c.

Standard recleaned screenings—$28 per ton, f.o.b., bay ports.

Ontario oats—No. 3 white, 57c to 59c.

American corn—No. 2 yellow, $1.46, on track, Toronto.

Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter, $1.65 to $1.69; No. 3 winter, $1.63 to $1.67; No. 1 commercial, $1.62 to $1.66.

Barley—Malting, 90c to 94c.

Buckwheat—No. 2, 85c to 89c.

Rye—No. 2, $1.36 to $1.41.

CHICAGO

CHICAGO GRAIN FUTURES.

Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company, Royal Bank Building.

Chicago, Feb. 10.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	$1 88¾	1 89	1 83¼	1 84
July	1 60½	1 60¾	1 56⅞	1 57¼
Sept.	1 47	1 47¾	1 44½	1 45
Corn—				
May	1 33	1 33	1 29⅜	1 30⅛
July	1 34¼	1 34¼	1 30⅜	1 31⅛
Sept.	1 34	1 34¼	1 30¾	1 31⅛
Oats—				
May	60	60	57⅛	57¼
July	61	61	58⅜	58⅞
Sept.	58½	58⅝	56⅜	57

MONTREAL.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Montreal, Feb. 9.—With the exception of some further business in low-grade Manitoba wheat over the cable with the continent today, the export trade in grain here was quiet, owing to the fact that United Kingdom buyers did not follow the advanced prices asked by exporters.

The feature of the domestic cash grain market was the demand for No 3 C. W. barley, and some sales were made at 4¾c per bushel over the Winnipeg May option, c.i.f. bay ports, and at the close of the day buyers were bidding 5c per bushel over for more, with sellers asking 5½c per bushel over.

The tone of the market for oats was stronger, and prices were advanced 1½c a bushel. Ontario No. 2 white was quoted at 68½c and No. 3 at 66½c. Canadian western oats, No. 2, were quoted at 82½c, No. 3 at 78½c, and extra No. 1 feed at 76½c.

MINNEAPOLIS.

Minneapolis, Feb. 9.—Wheat, No. 1 northern, $1.79¾ to $1.83⅜; May, $1.83⅝; July, $1.81¾.

Corn—No. 3 yellow, $1.21½ to $1.22½.

Oats—No. 3 white, 52c to 52½c.

Flax—No. 1, $3.09 to $3.13.

LIVERPOOL.

Liverpool, Feb. 9.—Wheat—Spot, No. 2 hard winter, 15s 2d.

WAGES FOR CARPENTERS VARIES ON WIDE SCALE

No regular agreement exists between the local union of the carpenters and the builders' exchange, it was learned today. This means that carpenters' wages must be determinted between the employers and the individual men. At the present moment carpenters are being paid about 70 cents an hour in most places. The best men are getting around 80 cents, and what some of the contractors and builders call "wood butchers" are getting from 50 to 60 cents.

One builder in the city this morning put it this way: "It is entirely a matter of the qualification of the individual carpenter. There is no regular agreement covering all kinds and conditions of carpenters. We pay the best of our men 80 cents an hour, and the 'wood butchers' from 50 to 60 cents. There are as many classes of carpenters as there are men in the work almost, and the employer has to pay according to the quality of work done."

UNFILLED STEEL ORDERS.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 10.—Unfilled orders of the United States Steel Corporation on Jan. 31, made public today, totalled 5,037,323 tons, an increase of 220,847 tons, compared with the end of the preceding month.

Local Market

Bad roads, made worse by the rains of the past few days, have cut the market to such an extent that trading is almost negligible. Monday's market was the slowest in weeks, and this morning three loads of hay and a few vegetables comprised the offerings.

Hay is living its balmiest days at the present moment, when supplies are rather scarce. Only those living close to a concrete highway will risk the treacherous mud with a heavy load. This morning's top price was $16 a ton, a record for two months or more. The market will drop to the $11 to $14 level when roads harden and suplies increase, buyers say.

Cabbages are enjoying a well-deserved popularity among vegetables, as the general size and quality this year are exceptionally fine. Prices are steady at 5c and 10c each, or 60c a dozen.

Mid-winter rhubarb is selling fairly well at two bunches for 25c; while celery is bringing from 75c to $1.25 for a dozen bunches.

The hide and wool market is reported as extremely dull, though prices locally are steady.

Grain, Per Bushel:			
Barley, per bu	$ 84	to	$ 84
Oats, per bu	56	to	57
Wheat, per bu	1 70	to	1 75
Grain, Per Cwt.:			
Barley, per cwt	1 90	to	1 95
Buckwheat, per cwt	2 00	to	2 00
Oats, per cwt	1 85	to	1 90
Rye, per cwt	2 00	to	2 00
Hay and Straw:			
Hay, per ton	13 00	to	16 00
Straw, per ton	8 00	to	9 00
Fruit, Vegetables:			
Apples, per bu	75	to	1 25
Beets, per bu	50	to	75
Brussels sprouts	12	to	15
Carrots, per bu	50	to	65
Cabbages, per doz	60	to	75
Celery, doz bunches	75	to	1 25
Lettuce, doz bunches	60	to	60
do, Chinese, head	15	to	15
Onions, per bu	90	to	1 00
Parsnips, per bu	75	to	75
Parsley, per bunch	.5	to	5
Potatoes, per bag	1 00	to	1 10
Rhubarb, per doz	1 00	to	1 25
Sage, per bunch	5	to	5
Spinach, per peck	40	to	50
Turnips, per bu	40	to	50
Honey, Wholesale:			
Honey, 5-lb. pails	50	to	75
Honey, Retail:			
Honey, 5-lb. pails	60	to	85
Dairy Products, Retail:			
Butter, dairy, lb	35	to	38
do, creamery, lb	40	to	42
Eggs, new-laid, doz	65	to	70
Dairy Products, Wholesale:			
Eggs, fresh, ext, doz	45	to	45
do, firsts	42	to	42
do, seconds	34	to	35
do, cracks	34	to	35
do, pullet, extras	35	to	37
Poultry, Dressed, Retail:			
Chickens, old, lb	20	to	25
do, spring, lb	25	to	28
Ducks, per lb	22	to	25
Turkeys, per lb	35	to	38
Dressed Meats, Wholesale:			
Heifers and steers, 500 to 600 lbs. cwt	12 00	to	13 00
Cow beef, 400 to 500 lbs., per cwt	8 00	to	10 00
Beef, hinds, lb	13	to	15
do, fronts, lb	10	to	11
Hogs, dressed, cwt	14 00	to	14 00
Lambs, spring, lb	23	to	25
Dressed Meats, Retail:			
Pork, fronts, lb	15	to	16
do, hinds, lb	18	to	18
Live Stock:			
Hogs, alive, cwt	10 50	to	10 50
Pigs, small, pair	8 00	to	10 00
Sows, fat, cwt	5 50	to	6 00
Hides and Wool:			
Cow hides, No. 1 lb.	8½	to	8½
do, No. 2	7½	to	7½
Calf skins, No. 1	16	to	16
do, No. 2	14	to	14
Horse hides, each	2 50	to	3 00
Kip, No. 1, per lb	14	to	14
do, No. 2	12	to	12
Sheep skins, each	1 00	to	2 00
Lamb skins, spring	50	to	60

Poultry, Wholesale:	Alive.	Dressed.
Spring chickens—		
over 5 lbs. each	20	25-26
4 to 5 lbs. each	18	23-24
under 4 lbs. each	15-16	20
Hens, over 5 lbs each	20	23
do, 4 to 5 lbs each	16	20
do, under 4 lbs each	12	10-15
Old Roosters—		
over 5 lbs. each	10	14-15
under 5 lbs. each	8	12
Spring ducks—		
over 5 lbs each	18	18
Geese, over 10 lbs.	12	
Turkeys—		
young hens or gobblers, over 8 lbs	26-28	32-35
do, old hens or gobblers	22-25	28-30

WHEAT IS EXPECTED TO SURVIVE THE THAW

Wheat fields rendered bare by the Finn of the department of agriculture thaw are in pretty good shape, R. A. states.

"The wheat looks just as good as it did last October," said Mr. Finn today on his return from Newbury. "There is a lot of water on some of the low fields, but if given a chance to run away will not hurt the wheat to any extent."

FOX, SANSONE EVIDENCE SENT IN APPEAL CASE

Copies of evidence taken in the Fox and Sansone cases last October before Mr. Justice Riddell have now been completed and sent to Osgoode hall, it was learned today.

This means that the appeal instituted by the lawyer of the young man will shortly be heard in Toronto before the appellate court.

Both young men were sentenced to lashes and terms in Kingston penitentiary for offences against two young London girls.

WARSAW UNIVERSITY NOW TO TEACH OLD THEOLOGY

Warsaw, Feb. 10.—A faculty of Russian orthodox theology was officially inaugurated at Warsaw university yesterday. Its establishment is of great importance for the Russian church as under the soviet regime it is impossible for it to train and educate a new generation of clergy in Russia.

RIDOUT STREET LEAGUE.

The missionary department was in charge of the regular meeting of the league of the Ridout Street Methodist church last night, and Miss Jean Phelan presided. The lesson was read responsively, after which Mrs. Futcher gave an interesting talk on Japan, telling of the people and their customs, and also leading a discussion on immigration.

FIRST METHODIST LEAGUE.

A splendid review of the book, "Maria Chapdelaine," by Mrs. Freida Stephens, featured last night's regular meeting of the Young People's league of the First Methodist church. Miss Bessie Smith presided, and the Bible reading was given by Miss Emma Deeming. Miss Ruby Finley contributed a delightful reading, and Miss E. Shannon sang a very pleasing solo.

FOCH'S BROTHER DIES.

Associated Press Despatch.

Tarbes, France, Feb. 10.—Marshal Foch's elder brother, Gabriel, died here yesterday, aged 75. He was a widely-known attorney.

MITCHELL

Mitchell, Feb. 9.—On Saturday William Forrester, M.P., shipped 72 head of fine cattle, which were purchased by Mr. Schomberg, an American, and which are being exported to Liverpool, England.

CALVES SELLING AT LOWER PRICE

Butcher Trade at Toronto Live Stock Yards Slow, With Many Leftovers.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, Feb. 10.—Leftovers from yesterday totalled 1,000 head. Butcher trade opened dull with few early sales. Export steers are fairly active at $7 to $8.25. Store cattle sold steadily at $4 to $6.75 per hundrelweight.

Calves are slow, with prices 50c lower, with the best ranging from $11 to $12.50.

Hogs are steady at $11.75 off cars for thick smooths and $12.88 for selects.

Ordinary lambs sold from $13 to $15.30 with a few choice at $17. Good sheep sold up to $8.50.

Quotations:

Cattle—Receipts, 900.			
Beef steers, heavy	$7 00	to	$8 25
Butcher steers—			
Good to choice	6 50	to	7 25
Fair to good	5 50	to	6 50
Common to fair	4 50	to	5 50
Butcher heifers—			
Good to choice	6 25	to	7 00
Fair to good	5 50	to	6 25
Common to fair	4 50	to	5 50
Butcher cows—			
Good to choice	4 25	to	5 00
Fair to good	3 25	to	4 25
Canners and cutters	2 25	to	3 00
Butcher bulls, good	4 00	to	4 75
do, fair	3 25	to	5 00
do, bologna	2 50	to	3 00
Feeding steers, good	6 00	to	6 75
do, fair	5 00	to	6 00
Stockers, good	4 50	to	5 50
do, fair	4 00	to	4 50
Milch cows, choice	60 00	to	80 00
Springers, choice	70 00	to	90 00
Calves—Receipts, 277.			
Calves, choice	10 00	to	12 50
do, medium	5 00	to	9 50
do, grassers	3 50	to	4 50
Hogs—Receipts, 995.			
Hogs, select bacon	12 88	to	12 88
do, thick smooth	11 75	to	11 75
do, light	10 75	to	10 75
do, heavy	10 75	to	11 25
do, sows	7 75	to	8 75
Sheep—Receipts, 134.			
Sheep, good light	7 50	to	8 50
do, heavy and bucks	5 00	to	7 00
do, culls	3 00	to	4 50
Lambs, ewes, good	15 00	to	15 50
do, bucks	12 00	to	14 00
do, medium	10 00	to	13 00
do, culls	10 00	to	11 00

CHICAGO.

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, Feb. 9. — Cattle — Receipts 23,000; fed steers of value to sell at $9.50 upward, steady to strong; spots shade higher on weighty offerings; latter in fairly active demand; lower grades uneven, mostly weak to 15c lower; spots off more; late top handyweight steers $11.25; average weight 1,268 pounds; some 1,425 to 1,485-pound averages $11; long yearlings upward to $11; very draggy; clearance on common and medium grade steers; liberal share of run these kind; stockers and feeders firm on better grades, slow on others; fat cows of value to sell at $5.50 upward, weak to 25c lower; others and canners and cutters fully steady; light heifers steady to 25c higher; spots up more; bulls easy; vealers closing 25c to 50c lower, mostly 50c lower; bulk to packers $10.50 to $11.50.

Hogs—Receipts 68,000; closing very active at early 15c advance; pigs and light lights very uneven with outlet narrow; about steady with Saturday's average; top $11.30; bulk desirable weighty butchers $11 to $11.25; inside figures very popular on shipping droves averaging 200 pounds, most 160 to 190-pound kind $10.50 to $10.90; bulk 140 to 150-pound kind $10.15 to $10.40; bulk strong weight slaughter pigs $8.50 to $9.25; most desirable packing sows $10.20 to $10.40; estimated holdover 22,000.

Special to The Advertiser.

Denver, Feb. 9.—Livestock now on Colorado farms numbers 4,975,000 head, with an aggregate value of $87,746,000. Sheep are the most numerous, numbering 2,616,000.

EAST BUFFALO.

Associated Press Despatch.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 100; active and steady.

Calves—Receipts, 400; slow, 50c lower; choice, $13 to $1.50; fair to good, $10.50 to $12.50; culls, $6 to $10; heavy, $6 to $8; grassers, $4 to $5.

Hogs—Receipts, 4,000; slow, 10c to 15c lower; heavy, $11.60; mixed, $11.40 to $11.50; yorkers, $11.25 to $11.40; do, light, $10 to $10.75; pigs, $9 to $9.50; roughs, $10; stags, $5 to $7.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,500; slow; lambs, $10 to $18.25; yearlings, $10 to $15; wethers, $10.50 to $11; ewes, $3 to $10; mixed sheep, $10 to $10.50.

CHEESE

Montreal, Feb. 9. — The trade in cheese was active and prices were firm, with fodder-made No. 1 quoted at 20¼c to 20½c per pound, and No. 2 grade at 19¼c to 19½c per pound.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Feb. 9.—Cheese receipts, 227,610 pounds; state whole milk flats, held fancy to fancy specials, 25¼c to 26c; average run, 25c.

Associated Press Despatch.

Liverpool, Feb. 10.—Cheese, Canadian, finest white, 101s 6d; colored, 101s 6d.

WEST LORNE

Special to The Advertiser.

West Lorne, Feb. 9.—H. Robinson was a St. Thomas visitor last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Hissey visited in Rodney at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. Humphrey last week.

Mrs. Barrett and baby of Talent, Ore., are visiting Mrs. Barrett's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Timson.

Miss Irene Groff of the Bell telephone office is visiting in London and St. Marys.

Mrs. D. M. Leitch, who has been in St. Joseph's hospital, London, for the past three weeks, has returned home.

W. H. Bole was a business caller in Leamington, Kingsville and Windsor last week.

Mrs. Bessie Wismer is visiting in St. Thomas.

Mrs. John M. Bole of Aylmer is visiting in town.

W. Jennings of Ridgetown was a recent visitor at the home of his mother, Mrs. M. Jennings.

Charles Barker of Leamington is visiting relatives and friends in this vicinity.

A. G. Schluhauf has returned to Detroit after visiting his family here.

Mrs. William Pfeifer and family are visiting in Chatham.

Mrs. F. H. Collins was a recent visitor in Chatham and Sarnia.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Dennis have returned to their home in Wallacetown after visiting at the homes of Mrs. Fannie Dennis and Mrs. Barbara Huffman.

Miss Jane Page of Detroit visited her parents here last week.

Mrs. William Neil has returned home after visiting her son, George F. Neil and Mrs. Neil at Ridgetown.

Miss Bessie Haycock and Miss Mabel Dennis of Wallacetown spent a few days last week with the latter's grandmother, Mrs. Fannie Dennis.

Harry Dromgole of Wallacetown was a business caller in town this week.

S. Knight of Rodney was a business caller here on Friday.

WORTLEY CHURCH OPENS REVIVAL

Evangelist Will H. Houghton Raps Insincerity in Many Church Services.

PERSONAL RELIGION

Preparation for a season of revival was urged last night in a revival service held in the Wortley Road Baptist church by Evangelist Will H. Houghton. Mr. Houghton is beginning a two-weeks' revival and at the opening service every seat in the church was filled. The insincerity and indefiniteness of much of the usual church service and worship was heavily scored by the preacher who pleaded for a more personal and real religion in every day life.

"The Christian church today is indefinite. We aim at nothing and we teach it. We are indefinite in our prayer, indefinite in our efforts. What is in your prayer? The great part of it is selfish and after that we ask God to bless the world. James says 'Ye have not because ye ask not.' Some think it is humility, but it is sheer spiritual laziness. You make an indefinite petition and you get an indefinite answer. The time has come to pray for certain people and to keep praying on until God answers the prayer and they are saved. Have you ever prayed for a person and prayed for them until that person was saved? If you haven't you have missed one of the greatest joys ever known.

Pleads for Prayer.

"Definite prayer and then definite witness. We say we are saved and we are satisfied if our family, our neighbors and friends are lost. But go back to prayer, asking God to suggest to you names to pray for during these meetings, and then go to them. At least, invite them to the services. If you will do it, I know what God, the Holy Spirit, has promised to do and He has never failed us yet.

"To read the Word and get it in your mind only will do you very little good, you want to get it in your heart," explained the evangelist. "We must get our heads right into our Bible, reading it and meditating its points until it takes root in our hearts. We must return to the family altar and if you want to make a revival begin tonight to read your Bible as you have never read it. Study to show thyself a workman approved of God. Some think all the workman needs is industry. We need something more than industry. There are folks in the church who are working their fingers off and God isn't going to thank them for what they are doing. They are hard workers, but they are not doing what God wants them to do. How may we come to know? We will not be informed workers, unless we are students of the Word. It is God's work and He knows what He wants us to do.

Depend on Ministers.

"The revival will come when we have a revival of witnessing. The Lord Jesus called witnesses, but for several decades we have been depending on ministers. It was not the eloquence of preaching or because of inspiring oratory that men and women came to Christ, but because numbers, who had been dead in sin, were quickened into life and they told of their saving Christ blessed their witness and there were added to the church daily such as were saved. 'Before the law, if you don't have many witnesses, you need a good lawyer to influence the jury,' a lawyer friend remarked to me once. We have been dependent on orators, pulpiteers, who can sway the crowds and evangelists who can get converts. We have been depending on Billy Sundays because we cannot get witnesses. Jesus began with calling Andrew and Andrew called his brother. This was the method of the early church."

Obituary

MARY ANN GILBERT.

The funeral of Mrs. Mary Ann Gilbert, who died on Saturday, was held from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. William Stinson, 908 Princess avenue, yesterday afternoon to Mount Pleasant cemetery.

Mrs. Gilbert was born in Ireland 85 years ago, and had been a resident of this city for 62 years, residing in the east end of the city.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. W. Stinson of this city; two sons, John Arbuckle of Vancouver and S. D. Arbuckle of this city; one brother, Hamilton Spiers, and one sister, Mrs. F. Ballantyne, both of Hamilton.

The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. W. R. McIntosh, minister of the King street Presbyterian church. Five grandsons of the deceased acted as pallbearers.

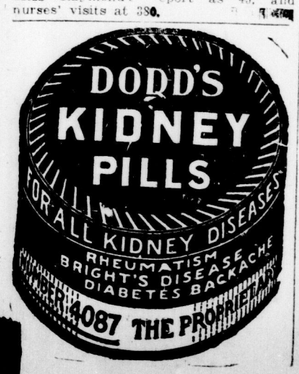
IT ARRIVES.

There was received this morning at Administrator V. K. Greer's office a copy of the "Statistiques de l'Enseignement pour l'annee ecolaire, 1923-24," issued by the secretary's department, bureau of statistics, for the province of Quebec.

The book, which corresponds to the blue book published by the Ontario department of education, is forwarded each year to the public school inspectors of the province.

ONE DEATH.

One death from tuberculosis in January is reported by Miss E. Raymond, senior nurse at the city clinic. There were 91 old cases and 11 new patients treated. Student visits are given in Miss Raymond's report as 45, and nurses' visits at 380.



ROTORSHIP BEATS STEAMER IN RACE THROUGH STORMS

Twin-Screw Vessel Reaches Danzig Five Hours Later Than the Buckau.

TRIP HALF OVER

Builders Elated Over Performance of Ship on First Leg of Trip to Scotland.

By JAMES B. WHARTON.
Special Correspondent of The Advertiser and the North American Newspaper Alliance.

Holtenau, Germany, Feb. 9.—Wallowing through heavy seas and harassed by head-on winds, Anton Flettner's fantastic rotorship has won its first victory over steam power. It was learned today that the Buckau arrived at Holtenau yesterday from Danzig five hours ahead of the twin-screw steamer, Tondren, which left Danzig at the same time. The test, which was the first real tryout of the seaworthiness and fuel-saving possibilities of the Buckau, demonstrated not the superior performance of rotor equipment alone, but the efficiency of combined rotors and power, as the Buckau was compelled to use its auxiliary engines.

Officials of the Germania Werft, the constructors of the Buckau, said today they were thoroughly satisfied with the performance of the rotorship on her three-day voyage. The ship is being overhauled today and will proceed tomorrow through the Kiel canal, and across the North Sea to Scotland. Wilheim Heberling, the chief engineer of the Germania Werft, inspected the vessel and expressed the opinion that the voyage had proven the soundness of the rotor principle.

"Its economic value remains to be determined," he said, "as but half the cargo voyage is over, and the data is not sufficient to justify a conclusion as to actual efficiency."

The fuel economy of the rotorship is calculated over a wide range to be from seventy to eighty per cent. Without auxiliary power the maximum is achieved, the remaining 20 per cent being used to turn the rotors. During the voyage from Danzig it was necessary to use the auxiliary motor virtually during the entire voyage, due to the foul weather.

If fair weather is met in the North Sea it is hoped the voyage may be made without auxiliary power. However, no unnecessary tacks will be taken to achieve this purpose.

Although no definite contracts have been made with the Germania Werft for the construction of other ships, as previously reported, the company, which is a subsidiary of the Krupp concern, is planning on paper the construction of two, four, six and eight thousand ton rotorships, with rotors twice the size of those of the Buckau and five times their height. The Buckau's rotors are about ten feet thick and fifty feet high.

Heberling believes the maximum value of the rotor principle will be attained with the ships of far greater size than the Buckau, which is only six hundred tons.

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CANADIAN SHIP CAPTAIN HONORED BY COOLIDGE

Commander Gillies, of Empress of Scotland, Gets Portrait For His Skill.

Special to The Advertiser.

New York, Feb. 9.—With four hundred and twenty-five passengers aboard, including not a few celebrities, the Canadian Pacific steamship Empress of Scotland left her pier in New York harbor for a tour of the Mediterranean sharp at noon today. Before leaving, Commander Gillies had the distinction of receiving from President Coolidge an autographed portrait in recognition of his skill as a navigator in landing his passengers at New York last week in record time from England.

The passengers on the Empress of Scotland are looking forward to extensive shore excursions in Egypt, Palestine, Turkey, Spain and Portugal. It was announced before she sailed that this vessel has been scheduled to cruise round the world, starting in December next.

HEAVY RAINS PERMIT POWERHOUSES TO RUN

Many Eastern Ontario Industries Had Been Stopped Through Hydro Lack.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, Feb. 10.—The sudden thaw, accompanied by a steady rain, general throughout this district yesterday, has greatly improved the water and hydro power situation throughout Eastern Ontario. Hydro power houses had been compelled to close down owing to the shortage of water power, and farmers were compelled to draw water for miles to water their stock. The heavy snowfall last week, however, culminating in a steady rain yesterday, has greatly cleared the situation.

Water shortage on the Bonnechere, Madawaska and other rivers developed last week, greatly affecting the power situation, and caused a number of industries in the Renfrew district to close down temporarily. All these streams had regained normal height by midnight.

City Churches

SOUTHERN CONGREGATIONAL.

Miss M. Marwick of Watford gave a splendid paper on "The Conquest of Selfishness" at the regular meeting of the Christian Endeavor Society of the Southern Congregational church last night. Miss Ruth Ruddick presided and the meeting was largely attended. The scripture lesson was read by Gordon Fonger, and a much appreciated duet was given by Mrs. Sam Angles and Miss Alma Gillett, after which a discussion on Miss Marwick's topic by the telephone directory was enjoyed, when each one spoke briefly on the topic as his number was called. Dr. H. Taylor presided over the business session, when an invitation was extended to attend the Bible baseball match at the Church of Christ, Disciples, next Monday evening.

SOUTHERN M. B.

The regular meeting of the mission band of the Southern Congregational church was held yesterday afternoon under the direction of the leaders, Mrs. W. Powell and Mrs. R. Rodda. After the work period a short business session was held, over which Miss T. Byrnes presided. There was a prayer given by each child, and it was decided to hold a social hour next week, when a valentine box will be the center of attraction. The band took the 55th chapter of Isaiah for memory work yesterday, after which the meeting closed with the mission band prayer.

DUNDAS CENTRE W. M. S.

Mrs. Nelson, the president of the W. M. S. of the Dundas Centre Methodist church, presided over the business session of the regular monthly meeting held yesterday afternoon in the church. Mrs. W. Edlington was the leader of the group for February, and Miss Hanley read the scripture lesson. The Christian stewardship was taken by Mrs. W. R. Grant, and Mrs. Charles Turner gave a splendid address on "The Ideals in Home and Foreign Missions." There was a solo by Miss Myrtle Judd, and Mrs. J. Jones gave a prayer for their temperance cause. Mrs. Godwin reported on the strangers' secretary, and the study book was taken by Mrs. Frank White. The rest fund collection was also taken.

WILLING WORKERS M. B.

The regular meeting of the Willing Workers Mission Band of the Wellington street Methodist church was held yesterday afternoon. Following the opening hymn, Mrs. H. Maule led in prayer, after which Lillian Vandusan read the Bible lesson. After the business session a delightful program was given, including a delightful story told by Mrs. W. T. Jones; a reading, "When Bao Found His Eyes," by Janet Maule; another reading, "S- Was I," by Evelyn Nicholson, and the repeating of the Beatitudes by the members, after which Mrs. W. T. Jones closed with prayer. Each member was given a valentine card, and light refreshments were served.

WELLINGTON ST. SERVICES.

On Sunday evening the Wellington street Methodist church was filled to capacity to hear one of the best musical programs that has been put on in the city. It was given by James Cresewell and his thirty-five piece orchestra, and the leader deserves great credit as no one has done more than Mr. Cresswell to raise music to a higher standard.

Some of the numbers included in the program were the overture "Le Diademe," by Herman; "A Lullaby," Foley; "Ave Maria," Bach's prelude; "In a Monastery Garden," Ketelbey; "The Hallelujah Chorus," from the Messiah, and Mozart's "Mass in G." Mr. Cresswell has been the leader of the Wellington street Sunday school orchestra for over 22 years, and has built it up so that it is second to none in this city. His musical program on Sunday evening was greatly appreciated.

ST. MARK'S A. Y. P. A.

The regular devotional meeting of the A. Y. P. A. of St. Mark's church was held on Sunday evening, with the president, Harold Skellett, in charge. Miss Lillian Moss gave a splendid paper on "Opportunities for service in the A. Y. P. A.", and the rector, Rev. A. L. Beverley, also addressed the young people briefly. An invitation has been extended to the members of the cast of the operetta, which the choir of St. Mark's church are presenting tonight and tomorrow evening in the church, to be guests at a social evening next Monday.

ST. MATTHEW'S A. Y. P. A.

A social evening at the home of Fred Hitchins, English street, was greatly enjoyed by the young people of St. Matthew's Anglican church last night, when they were entertained at cards and dancing in place of the sleighride party that had been planned. Miss Doris Leslie and Thomas Fryer were the winners of the progressive euchre, and other jolly games were also enjoyed. Wilfred Mawson and Pem. Cary provided the music for the dancing, and during the evening light refreshments were served.

On Feb. 23 the members will be given an opportunity to hear Professor Anderson of Huron college, when he will speak to the A. Y. P. A. members at their regular meeting on that night.

ALL SAINTS' A. Y. P. A.

S. S. Hudgell was the special speaker at the regular meeting of the A. Y. P. A. of All Saints' church last night. He gave a splendid address on the Panama canal, telling of its construction and the heroic work of the laborers. His talk was illustrated with clear slides, and it was greatly enjoyed. During the business session plans were discussed for the local council play, and the evening was concluded with games. R. Scott presided.

EGERTON B. Y. P. U.

Mr. Ireland of the South London collegiate was the special speaker at the regular meeting of the B. Y. P. U. of the Egerton street Baptist church last night, speaking to the junior group on "Radio." His talk was very interesting and greatly appreciated. However, his talk on "Butterflies" was even more interesting, and his beautiful specimens were greatly admired by the children. A reading was given by Miss Alice Dean, and Miss Vera Mantle presided, with the airship group in charge of the meeting. Delightful solos were also contributed by the little Misses Gladys Tupholme and Isabel Evans. Miss Mantle took the topic, giving an airplane visit to India, and described the people and their customs. It was very interesting. There were 80 children present, and the airship group won in attendance. Grace Huddart gave an instrumental number and Mrs. Tupholme took charge of the devotional exercises. About 25 members received cards for perfectly repeating the Ten Commandments for the Scripture contest.

The senior members had an equally interesting meeting, when a splendid talk was given by Jack Tupholme on "Preparation," and he took his topic from the 6th chapter of Matthew. Miss Madeline White contributed a delightful solo, and Mr. Wilcox played several much appreciated violin selections. A splendid reading was also given by Miss Gladys Mantle. Miss Winnie White presided. Next Monday night the young people will be given an opportunity to hear an address by Mr. Barker of Toronto, who will speak on "An Evangelistic Revival."

ST. LUKE'S A. Y. P. A.

The members of the A. Y. P. A. of St. Luke's Anglican church, Broughdale, though greatly disappointed because they could not hold their sleighride party as planned, enjoyed a social evening at the church. Many jolly games were played under the direction of James Rennie, after which light refreshments were served.

CRONYN MEMORIAL A. Y. P. A.

The members of the A. Y. P. A. of the Cronyn Memorial church held their first meeting in the new parish hall last night. The meeting was held in the Senior Boys' club rooms, and during the evening the program was discussed for the general A. Y. P. A. "at home," which is being held in the new parish hall of this church on April 20. On Friday evening, Mrs. (Dr.) Clegg is entertaining the young people to a social evening at her home.

ASKIN STREET LEAGUE.

The missionary department was in charge of the regular meeting of the league of the Askin street Methodist church last night. Miss Lillian Robinson presided, and Mr. Moorehouse gave a splendid missionary talk, using Daniel as his central figure. Miss Clara Mitchell read the Scripture lesson from the first chapter of Daniel, and Miss Eva Ottenger contributed a very pleasing solo, accompanied by Miss Grace Bloomfield. The evening was concluded with games.



WAR GOD COMES TO MUSEUM.

When any good German during the war subscribed enough to the war funds it was his supreme felicity to drive an iron nail into the great wooden Hindenburg statue. In Northern Angola, Portuguese South Africa, the natives did the same thing to their war god, just presented to the Royal Ontario museum as a gift from the members.

ONTARIO HORSESHOERS WILL CONVENE HERE

W. Prust Secures '26 Convention For City—Carriage Workers Coming, Too.

William Proust of this city was was elected first vice-president of the horseshoers' and carriage workers' association at a convention of more than 230 delegates held Friday and Saturday in Lindsay, Ont.

R. B. Smallman of Port Perry was again elected president.

Although Mr. Proust was the only representative from London he managed to secure the delegates consent to choose this city as next year's meeting place of the convention. This will be the first time in many years that the association of master horseshoers and carriage workers will assemble here.

Delegates to the convention included members of the association from all parts of Ontario, although few representatives of Western Ontario were present.

For his work in the interests of the craft, Mr. Proust, who is also secretary of London local, was the winner of a cash prize, having run second to Mr. Manhood of Kincardine in the competition for securing new members. Mr. Manhood was winner of a handsome silver trophy.

FARR DECLARED IN RIGHT MIND

Will Face Magistrate on Friday Following Complaints of Farmers.

John Farr, arrested last Thursday on a nominal charge of vagrancy, is not insane, jail physician Dr. James D. Wilson has reported to jail authorities.

Farr, who claims to be an American citizen, has been the guest of honor in a number of Middlesex farm homes as a result of alleged promises to buy farms worth over $50,000. Farmers declare that the deals were fine and all that could be desired, except that they never saw the color of Mr. Farr's cash.

Reports of his operations are still drifting in to county police headquarters. It is alleged that he tried a deal in Blanchard township and also agreed to purchase property in the city from a Mrs. Guest.

Although he claims to be about 58 years of age, jail officials declare Farr is on the shady side of 70. The prisoner declares that he was born at St. Marys and was just looking round for farm property and never attempted to close any deals.

Farr will appear before County Magistrate Hawkshaw on Friday the 13th.

TEACHERS' RETIREMENT FUND BILL ADVANCES

Associated Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, Feb. 10.—With only two minor amendments, the bill for establishing a teachers' retirement fund in Manitoba was given third reading in the provincial legislature last night.

Various amendments submitted by Labor members of the house were all rejected.

TALKS TO FARM WOMEN.

A number of women, old and young, not regular attendants at the Newbury short course in home economics, arrived in Newbury this morning to hear the address of Mrs. Aitkens on "Money-making Side Lines for Farm Women." F. W. Presant, O. A. C., Guelph, will lecture to the short course agricultural students tomorrow on fruit and vegetables.

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MUMPS ARE PREVALENT, HEALTH OFFICER REPORTS

Many cases of mumps are still being reported to the city health department, and, according to Dr. W. S. Downham, medical officer of health, there have been 385 cases during the past two months.

During January chickenpox was very prevalent in London, and 83 cases were reported. Not all of these were children, as one woman 82 years of age was among the victims.

There were 11 cases of scarlet fever and 11 cases of diphtheria. Death resulted in two of the latter cases.

HEAR REPORT.

The members of the men's committee of the Y. M. C. A. met at noon today to hear the monthly report and discuss the program for the coming month. Dr. K. P. R. Neville was chairman. Other members were: B. A. Swayze and A. F. Penny, junior business men and religious work; G. F. Copeland and W. D. Quigley, membership work. H. R. Franks, senior business men; Howard Obeay and A. Garwood, young men's work.

VISITS HOSPITAL.

W. F. Sherwin, hospital secretary of the Y. M. C. A., visited Westminster hospital today. He took magazines and sweets for the soldier patients there.

ST. THOMAS EVENT.

The commissioning of local officers of the Salvation Army will take place at St. Thomas tonight. Brigadier McAmmond of Clarence street citadel will be present. The program includes a commissioning of the soldiers in the Band of Love and the War Cry Brigade.

TO ATTEND OPENING.

R. A. Finn of the department of agriculture will be among the county officials attending the opening of the Thorndale continuation school tomorrow night. A splendid program has been arranged by the board of trustees.

London Public School Art Students Storm Cowan's For Drawing Portfolios and Acclaim Beauties of Alabastine

All day Saturday Cowan's Hardware was besieged by hundreds of London's public school art students. They came to secure the free drawing portfolios given away in the interest of Art in School and Home by Alabastine. Many were the expressions of delight as the children saw the simplicity with which Alabastine is applied and the beautiful effects attained. Of course, there was such a crowd that very little demonstrating could be done by Miss Steele, the well-known interior decorator, who is demonstrating Alabastine and co-operating with the Beautiful Homes movement. But she is to be at Cowan's for the balance of the week and will meet any of the children or their parents to give advice as to home decoration or to explain the contest for art students.

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MEETINGS

REGULAR meeting of St. John's Lodge, No. 20, G. R. C., A. F. and A. M., will be held this (Tuesday) evening in Masonic Temple, at 8 o'clock. Official visit Rt. Wor. Bro. J. Bernie Smith, D.D.G.M., London District. Visiting brethren welcome. W. G. Young, W. M.; R. Booth, sec.

EUREKA LODGE, No. 30, I. O. O. F., meets tonight. General business. Visiting brethren welcome. W. A. McRoberts, recording secretary; Geo. Haylock, N. G.

CHORAZIN Lodge meets at 7:30 tonight in Alma Block. Initiation. Visitors welcome. R. M. Fudge, N. G.; L. A. Steels, Recording Secretary.

MYRTLE LODGE, No. 2, Knight of Pythias, meets Feb. 10, 1925, 8 p.m., Castle Hall, 110 Dundas St. Third degree.

WESTERN Ontario Bible Society—Annual business meeting will be held on Tuesday, Feb. 10, 8 p.m., at Y. M. C. A., Room 6. All friends and supporters are cordially invited.

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

BLACKSMITH shop, with tools, only shop in village; will rent by the year. Apply Wm. Lewis, Clandeboye.

FOR SALE—All classes of businesses. Sydney Smythe, business broker, Market Lane, London.

GROCERY STOCK and fixtures, east, private dwelling in connection; would turn over, low rent; owner has other interests. J. C. Patterson, 359 Richmond.

MAN with executive ability who could purchase part to controlling interest in manufacturing firm in London, Ont. Box 119, Advertiser.

OSTEOPATHY

CATON, DR. H. V., has removed to 380 Adelaide St., between Dundas and King Sts. Phone 1873.

MONUMENTS

CONSULT your family funeral director about the new Automatic Concrete Sealing Burial Vaults.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED

DIED.

ANDERSON—John, beloved husband of Jane Boyle Anderson, on Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1925.

Funeral (private) from 165 John street, on Thursday, Feb. 12, at 2:30 p.m. Please omit flowers.

CASE—At Victoria hospital, on Sunday, Feb. 8, 1925, Charles A. Case, 15 Teresa street, beloved husband of Mary Case, in his 73rd year.

Funeral service at Askin street Methodist church on Thursday at 2:30 p.m. Interment in Mount Pleasant cemetery.

DAVIS—In this city, on Saturday, Feb. 7, 1925, Mary Jane Davis, in her 74th year.

Funeral service at her late residence, 26 Carfrae Crescent, at 3 o'clock on Tuesday, Feb. 10. In kindness please omit flowers.

HAY—At Victoria Hospital, on Sunday, Feb. 8, 1925, Betsy, beloved wife of Walter Hay, 604 King St., aged 23 years.

Funeral service at the Oatman Funeral Home, King and Colborne Sts., at 2 p.m. on Tuesday, Feb. 10. Interment in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

LANG—At Victoria hospital, on Feb. 9, 1925, Martha, dearly beloved wife of Thomas Lang, in her 64th year.

Funeral service will be held at N. J. Griffith's chapel, 104 Dundas street, on Wednesday at 3 p.m. Interment at Mount Pleasant cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation.

MATHEWSON—At her late residence, Komoka, on Sunday, Feb. 8, 1925, Mabel, dearly beloved wife of David J. Mathewson, aged 42 years.

Funeral services will be held at the above address on Wednesday at 1:30 p.m. Interment at Campbell's cemetery.

READ—Fell asleep in Jesus at the family residence, 241 William St., on Sunday, Feb. 8, 1925, Sarah G., beloved wife of Siderick Read, aged 72 years and 9 months.

Funeral from above address on Wednesday, Feb. 11, at 2:30 p.m. Service at 2 o'clock. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

WALTERS—At his late residence, 640 Queen's avenue, on Tuesday, Feb. 10, 1925, George W., beloved husband of the late Emma Alice Walters.

Funeral notice later.

CARD OF THANKS.

Mr. Joseph Downs and family wish to thank the many friends and neighbors for their kindness in their recent sad bereavement, also for the floral tributes received.

Mrs. William West and family wish to sincerely thank their friends, also the Hobbs Hardware Company, for the sympathy and help during their recent sad bereavement.

MALE HELP WANTED

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An experienced and capable man for the position of district manager for Perth County, to reside in Stratford. Good contract offered, and correspondence treated in strict confidence. Apply Continental Life Insurance Company, branch office, corner King and Talbot Sts.

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Six Hundred Delegates Are Expected to Attend Washington Parley.

Associated Press Despatch.

Minneapolis, Feb. 9.—The national congress for the cause and cure of war, to be held at Washington, D.C., Jan. 19-24, will offer a course of study by the best experts to determine just why wars have occurred and how they can be prevented, and will not be a conference of propaganda or hysteria, according to Mrs. Thomas G. Winter, chairman of the program committee and former president of the General Federation of Women's Clubs.

Six hundred women, representing six large national women's organizations, have been invited to attend. They are the Federation of Women's Clubs, the National League of Women Voters, the American Association of University Women, the National Young Women's Christian Association, the National Christian Temperance Union, and the Council of Jewish Women.

With the conclusion of the conference, said Mrs. Winter, a statement of the findings will be drawn up, and each of the represented organizations asked to sign it, giving a warking basis for further action toward international peace.

RADIO CRAZE HITS VIENNA, GROCERY STORES SELL SETS

Associated Press Despatch.

Vienna, Feb. 9.—Although it has been slow in coming, radio has finally invaded iVenna and the people are succumbing in droves.

A dozen or more Austrian firms make receiving sets, and in the beginning their prices were high. Some public benefactor, however, conceived the idea of popular lectures to tell the amateur how to make his own set, and the result of this procedure has been two-fold; the makers are cutting prices, and some 200 small firms are manufacturing parts.

Receiving sets are now sold all over the city, tailors, grocers and florists joining in the competition. There are some 60,000 receivers in the city, but only a very few con do more than pick up the local broadcasting station. This station attempts to collect, but with indifferent success, a monthly charge of 28 cents from each listener.

WASHINGTON STATE PASSES FEW REFERENDUM BILLS

Associated Press Despatch.

Tacoma, Wash., Feb. 9.—Only four initiative or referendum measures have been passed by the voters of Washington in the dozen years since the enabling law was adopted.

The initiative measures enacted into law by popular vote since 1913 were a prohibition bill knocking out saloons in the state, but establishing a permit system by which a certain amount of liquor could be shipped in; the present "bone dry" bill that superseded the first law, and the bill abolishing the state poll tax. The only referendum passed was one granting a bonus to veterans of the world war.

Ten initiative measures and seventeen referendum bills were voted down during the period. The record shows that only one out of eight measures met public approval.

AMERICAN MILLIONAIRE TO ADDRESS CITY CLUB

"Succeeding in business today" will be the subject of T. K. Kelly of Minneapolis Minn, in an address to be made before the members of the Round Table Club at the Smallman and Ingram dining room on Friday evening.

Mr. Kelly is a millionaire businessman of Minneapolis and president of four banks in the twin cities. His address promises to be one of the most interesting of the season, members of the program committee state.

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JURY HAS CHARGE OF MANSLAUGHTER

True Bill Returned Against Harry Finan in Lambton Court.

ECHO OF ACCIDENT

Special to The Advertiser.

Sarnia, Feb. 9.—A charge of manslaughter against Harry Finan of this city was the only criminal action in the supreme court docket, when Mr. Justice Mowat of Toronto opened the spring session this afternoon. The grand jury, after several hours' deliberation, brought in a true bill against Finan, who is charged in connection with the death of Henry Broughton, Sarnia township vegetable grower, who was struck by Finan's automobile in October last, and died, in hospital, from his injuries.

Civil Action.

Tihs afternoon's proceedings opened with the hearing of a civil action, in which George W. Thompson and James E. McMann, of this city, are the principals. Thompson claims $2,640 on a property deal, claiming false representation, and $1,500 damages.

Students As Speakers.

The two students who will carry the colors of the Sarnia collegiate institute and technical school in the district "Wossa" oratorical contest here on Friday night next, Helen Donald and Harold Van Horne, were the speakers at the weekly session of the luncheon club at the chamber of commerce this afternoon.

Beresford—Booth.

Sarnians were keenly interested in the marriage in Detroit on Saturday of James Alfred Beresford, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Beresford, of this city, and Miss Florence Louise Booth, daughter of George Gough Booth, owner of the Detroit News. The ceremony was one of the smartest of Detroit winter weddings, and took place at the home of the bride's parents.

ANTIS PLANNING JOINT COMMUNION SERVICE

New St. James Church Will See Big Event Tomorrow Night.

Arrangements have been completed for the joint communion service to be held in New St. James' Presbyterian church tomorrow night under the auspices of the Presbyterian Church Association of Middlesex and Elgin.

Rev. James MacKay, pastor, is to conduct the service. He will be assisted by a number of ministers of anti-union churches in London and vicinity.

Mr. MacKay stated this morning that the intention of the service was a deepening of spiritual life upon the part of the Presbyterian anti-unionist forces and by way of expressing thankfulness to God for the mercies shown.

Addresses will be given at the service by Rev. M. Fraser Cree of Hamilton Road church, and Rev. J. Hosie of St. George's church. Rev. John McNair, D.D., will read a resolution, prepared by a committee of which he is chairman, pledging the members of the association to the old standards of the Presbyterian church and to the reconsecration of their lives to God.

Others who will assist at the service are as follows: Prayer, Rev. William Smith, Knollwood Park church, and Rev. J. A. McGillivray, Knox church, St. Thomas; Scripture reading, Rev. Peter Jamieson, Port Stanley, and Rev. D. C. Souls, Alma church, St. Thomas.

Representative elders from the different non-concurring Presbyterian churches in the city will assist Mr. MacKay in the administration of the sacrament. The session of New St. James' church will complete the number necessary to serve the people present. It is expected that the auditorium of the church will be taxed to its capacity.

JUDGE ALLOWS PROBE INTO QUEBEC AFFAIRS

Civic Administration For Past Five Years Will Be Investigated.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Quebec, Feb. 9.—The inquiry into the civic administration of the past five years sought by Messrs. Belanger, was virtually granted this morning when Chief Justice Sir Francois Lemieux adjourned the request until Tuesday of next week, but declared that in the interval he would name a judge to preside over the hearing, and decided when and where the inquiry would be held.

HOLD SOCIAL EVENING.

Special to The Advertiser.

Strathroy, Feb. 9.—The ladies' hospital auxiliary held a delightful social evening on Friday at the home of Mrs. J. W. Cameron. The feature of the program was a travelogue by Miss Elizabeth Henry, B.A., of the collegiate staff. An instrumental trio by Miss Ella Sexton, violin, Miss Dorothy Stepler, 'cello, and Miss Marguerite Purdy, piano, and a solo by Mrs. Yeo were enjoyed. There was a large attendence, and over ... was realized.

MOST OLD FOLKS REQUIRE A HEART AND NERVE TONIC

After middle age little sicknesses and ailments seem harder to shake off than formerly as the heart action becomes weak and uncertain and the nerves are not as steady as they were in the younger days.

Now is the time when all aged people who wish to maintain their health and vigor and retain their energy unimpaired should use

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Mrs. M. O'Connor, Whitestone, Ont., writes:—"I have been troubled most of my life with shortness of breath, palpitation of the heart, and fainting spells. I was advised by a friend to try Milburn's H. & N. Pills, which I did, and at once found relief, and I have never had a really bad spell since. I am 80 years of age and I always keep them in the house, and feel that with their help I will see many years yet. I always recommend them to anyone who is suffering from heart trouble."

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The originator of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery for the blood, as well as the "Favorite Prescription" for women, was Dr. Ray V. Pierce, a practising physician in Western Pennsylvania, right after the Civil War. He early moved to Buffalo, N. Y., and established The Invalids' Hotel, then he put up his home remedies in the World's Dispensary, where they were carefully prepared from roots, barks and herbs, and placed them with druggists all over the U. S. and Canada.

For over half a century, Dr. Pierce's Discovery, for he blood, has been sold in larger quantities by druggists than any other medicine. It is a tonic in its effect on the stomach and digestive apparatus; an alternative in its action on the blood, liver and skin. It increases the appetite, stimulates the digestion, enriches the blood, clear the skin of eruptions and blemishes, and makes both men and women feel as they did when they were young and care free.

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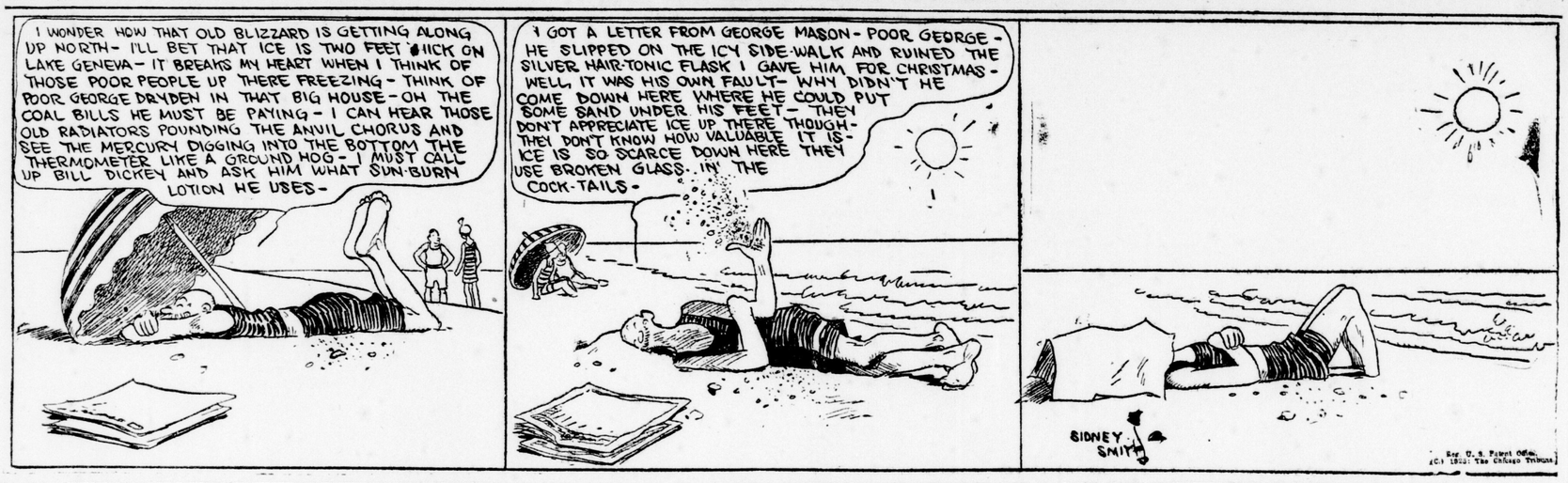
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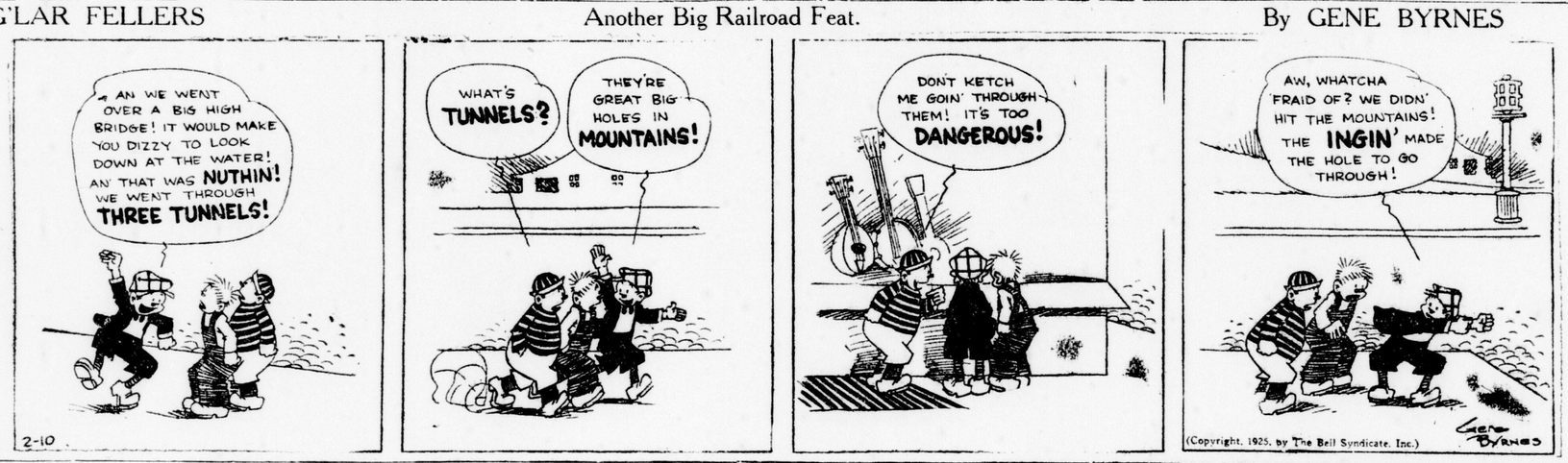
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...e, Feb. 9.—Rev. D. G. Paton ...d pulpits today with Rev. ...tson of Burns church, Mosa. ... S. Lloyd of Hespeler called ...ber of his friends and for...shioners during last week. ... T. George of London ad...the public and high schoo...edal contest work and also ...the meeting of the W. C. ...the home of Mrs. Farrell on

THE GUMPS—HO HUM!



REG'LAR FELLERS — Another Big Railroad Feat. — By GENE BYRNES



TOOTS AND CASPER — Casper's Very Desirous of "Opening" a Conversation. — By JIMMY MURPHY



New All-Metal Dirigible For Transatlantic Trips Will Be Built For States

Three-Day Service Between London and Detroit Planned.

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Special Duralumin Covering Six Times Stronger Than Fabric.

Special to The Advertiser.
By Staff Correspondent.

Detroit, Feb. 9.—A new type of rigid metal dirigible to be made for the United States government at the Ford Motor Company plant at Dearborn is the initial move in a plan to establish a three-day passenger air service between Detroit and London, the Aircraft Development corporation announced today.

The government, it is said, will sign a contract within 30 days for construction of the new ship. The Airship Development Corporation, of which Edsel B. Ford is a director, will fabricate the dirigible at Dearborn. It will be assembled at Scott field of the army air service at Belleville, Ill.

The metal ship will have a "skin" of special duralumin plates only eight one-thousandths of an inch thick, which will be six times stronger than the present fabric coverings of dirigibles.

It will be fireproof, weather-proof, navigable in practically any kind of weather and highly economical in the use of buoyant gas and ballast. One of the principal difficulties in the commercial use of fabric airships is the high expense of valving helium gas when it is desired to descend in daylight, when the warm gas is expanded, and at maximum buoyancy.

The new metal ship, it is said, will be durable and permanent in structure beyond anything heretofore attempted. It will be of 15,000 pounds displacement and have an approximate capacity of 200,000 feet of helium gas. The length will be 150 feet and the diameter 53 feet.

Thomas A. Edison and the Edison Laboratories have made the new craft lightning proof.

Drop in today and see the delicious Malage Grapes dipped at the Laura Secord shop, 159 Dundas street, near Richmnod street.—Advt.

BOTHWELL

Special to The Advertiser.

Bothwell, Feb. 9.—Reeve W. S. Beamish is visiting in Toronto.

H. H. Kelly of London is visiting his daughter, Mrs. S. P. Campbell.

Miss Clara Webber has returned to St. Louis, after spending six weeks with her friend, Miss Lena Johns.

Mrs. H. Bloom spent Friday in London.

Miss Hazel Beaul of London is visiting at her home here.

J. Burgess of Chatham visited his sister, Mrs. Thos. Baynton, this week.

Dan McLaren Jun. and Mrs. Harry Nash of Windsor have been called to the bedside of their father, Dan McLaren Sen., who is very ill.

Reeve W. S. Beamish spent Wednesday in Chatham.

Mrs. Herbert Newkirk of Ridgetown spent last week with her aunt, Mrs. Thos. Baynton.

Mrs. John Boam visited in London last week.

Message of Hope To The Old Folk

George Crawford Tells What Dodd's Kidney Pills and Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets Did for Him.

Quebec Man Relieved of Rheumatism And Stomach Trouble.

Standon, Que., Feb. 9.—(Special.)—Another tribute to Dodd's Kidney Pills is sent to us by Mr. G. Crawford, a well-known resident of this place. He says: "It is with pleasure that I let you know your Dodd's Kidney Pills have done me good and I am well satisfied with the results. My trouble started from a cold. My sleep was broken and unrefreshing, and I had a bitter taste in my mouth, especially in the mornings. Rheumatism also troubled me. I am now taking your Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets and find them very good. When I feel my stomach bad I take them and get instant relief. My age is 76."

Dodd's Kidney Pills not only relieve the pain or ache that is causing the most distress, but they put the kidneys in good working order and all the impurities and poisons are strained out of the body.

Dodd's Dyspepsia Tablets keep the stomach free from trouble. They are a natural remedy digesting the food while the stomach rests and recuperafes.—Advt.

WILL CHALLENGE BACK DOOR TARIFF

To Demand Discussion of Safeguarding of Industries Act.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Feb. 9.—Sufficient domestic legislation to occupy the House of Commons for six months, will confront the house when it opens tomorrow.

Right. Hon. Stanley Baldwin has a majority of 215, counting four Liberals who accept the Conservative whip's leadership. This should make the ministerial bench feel fairly comfortable, but nevertheless there are some obvious snags in sight.

Of all the Conservative ministers, Hon. Arthur Neville Chamberlain, minister of health, has most reason perhaps, to fear what the session may have in store for him. He will be called on soon to give an account of the progress, if any, that has been made towards a solution of the housing problem, especially regarding inquiries as to the merits of the steel and wooden house which are at present being experimented with.

Quite recently Mr. Chamberlain, one of the mildest-mannered of men, uttered something approaching a threat towards the building trades unions. The question naturally arises how he proposes to get round the hostility of the unions. The housing problem has for so long been acute in England that it is likely to get on the nerves of the members generally. It was houses, or rather the absence of them, which was mainly responsible for Dr. Addison, one of Lloyd George's war "discoveries," and formerly his most faithful lieutenant, going into outer darkness. Premier Baldwin would probably extend to Chamberlain a larger-hearted backing than Addison received when he found the circumstances too much for him; nevertheless there remains a possibility of the minister of health's head falling over this most thorny matter.

Policy Denounced.

The Liberals will early in the session demand a discussion of the safeguarding of industries act sponsored by the government, which guarantees protection to British industries who can show they are suffering upfair and abnormal competition, and which has been denounced by former Premier Ramsay MacDonald and the Liberal press as a species of "tariff by the back door."

The House of Lords will next week discuss the long standing question of the Singapore naval base. Incidentally the entry of the new Earl of Oxford, H. H. Asquith, into the House of Lords would be immediate. Several preliminaries in connection with his establishment as a member are still incomplete.

The British Empire Exhibiton at Wembley—its unliquidated liabilities of last year and its potential liabilities of the coming season—are likely to provoke an early debate in the House of Commons on the matter.

Bills sponsored by private members depend, of course, largely on the luck of the ballot.

Conservatives Ask Levy.

A group of Conservatives proposes to introduce a measure concerning the trades union political levy, making it necessary for a member of the union to first signify his desire to pay a levy, whereas, now he signifies if he does not wish to subscribe.

Another bill proposes to give equal rights to mothers in the guardianship of children and a measure is also to be presented to legitimatize children whose parents subsequently marry.

The first business of the legislators tomorrow will be to deal with a bill concerning the endowment of the Church of Scotland, and to enable a charge to enter the projected union with the United Free church. The Scottish Labor members resent the introduction of the bill so early in the session. English members who are not very keenly interested in the Scottish church will make it an excuse to take a few extra days holidays.

It is thought that the royal commission which is investigating the prices of food in Britain will issue an interim report to form a basis of legislation before Whitsuntide. There is strong criticism of the commission for holding certain of its sittings behind closed doors.

Wealthy Motorist To Serve Prison Term For Killing Man

Special to The Advertiser
By Staff Correspondent.

Detroit, Feb. 9.—Spencer A. Risden, Mount Clemens manufacturer, was sentenced to from 6 months to 15 years in the Detroit House of Correction today for having left Edward Dunn, whom he ran down and fatally injured, to die in the ditch by a country roadside last November 10.

Judge Guy A. Miller of circuit court, in passing sentence, declared he was making the penalty light because of Risden's good character and the fact that the accident itself was not the manufacturer's fault. He recommended six months.

"Your only fault," the judge said, "was in running away after you had injured the man. The fact that he would have died anyhow does not lessen your culpability in fleeing."

TALBOTVILLE

Special to The Advertiser.

Talbotville, Feb. 9.—The ladies' aid of the Community church met in the parsonage, Mrs. James Lindsay presiding. Through the success of the recent social the ladies' aid was able to complete the payment on the recent decorating of the church. The treasurer reported all accounts paid, and a nice balance on hand. The autograph quilt work was completed. Mrs. Couzens, assisted by Mrs. French and Mrs. Vann, served a dainty lunch.

On Friday night the North street Y. P. L., led by pastor Rev. Thomas Steadman, visited the league here. The visiting league presented a splendid missionary program. Rev. Mr. Kayser gave a splendid address on "The new Canadian, the foreigner, who has settled among us." Eldon Hunt, president, acted as chairman. Miss Thelma Knight of the local Y. P. L., took charge of the recreation, consisting of two interesting contests. The Talbotville league served refreshments. The North street Y. P. L. invited the local league to visit them on February 20.

On Sunday night a special father and son service was held in the church. The Trail Rangers assisted the pastor. On Tuesday night the annual father and son banquet will be held.

AILSA CRAIG

Special to The Advertiser.

Ailsa Craig, Feb. 8.—The annual meeting of the Presbyterian congregation, held in the church, was very largely attended. All the officers were re-elected, and John Crawford was elected trustee to fill the place of the late Arch. Stewart. Dr. Anderson made a motion, which was seconded by Andrew Hotson, that members remain true to the obligations of the church till the 10th of June. The motion was carried unanimously. This congregation voted anti-union by a large majority.

Duncan Stewart of Anderson & Nelles drug store, London, spent a few days with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Stewart, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Reid entertained a number of friends to a dinner on Tuesday evening.

The public and continuation schools are making great preparations for their annual entertainment, which takes place on Feb. 13.

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Obesity, Rheumatism, Torpid Liver and a Host of Conditions Yield More Readily to Stuart's Calcium Wafers.

Constipation has an odd way of affecting people differently. Some get violently sick with headache, others merely get fat, still others are apparently just lazy, others get melancholy, while mos people take colds and go from bad to worse.

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Send your name and address to F. A. Stuart Company, 667 Stuart Building, Marshall, Mich., for a convincing free trial package.—Advt.

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WNYC, NEW YORK—526.8.
8:30 p.m.—Hunter College music appreciation lecture.
9:45 p.m.—Song recital.
10:10 p.m.—Lecture, Carter Troop.

WEAF, NEW YORK—492.
4 p.m.—Musical program.
6 p.m.—Waldorf orchestra.
7 p.m.—Synagogue services.
7:30 p.m.—U. S. navy band (WCAP).
8:30 p.m.—Freda Williams, soprano.
8:40 p.m.—Winifred Barr and Kathleen Stewart, pianists.
9 p.m.—Atwater-Kent artists.
10 p.m.—Talk, Glenn Newell.
10:10 p.m.—Thomas Morris, baritone.
10:30 p.m.—Musical program.
11 p.m.—Lido-Venice orchestra.

WJZ, NEW YORK—455.
4 p.m.—Recital, orchestra.
7 p.m.—Commodore orchestra.
8 p.m.—Wall Street Journal.
8:10 p.m.—N. Y. U. air college.
8:30 p.m.—Wanamaker auditorium concert; orchestra conducted by Henry Hadley; Marco Bossi, Marcel Dupre, Charles M. Courboin and Palmer Christian, organists.
10:30 p.m.—Billy Wynne's orchestra.

WGBS, NEW YORK—316.
6 p.m.—Children's period.
6:30 p.m.—Dinner program.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395.
4 p.m.—Serbian Serenaders.
6:30 p.m.—Davis orchestra.
7 p.m.—Sunny Jim stories.

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—509.9.
5 p.m.—Pearl Block, soprano.
6:05 p.m.—Oppenheim orchestra.
6:45 p.m.—Market reports.
7 p.m.—Uncle Wip's stories.

WOO, PHILADELPHIA—509.9.
7:30 p.m.—Candelori's orchestra.
8 p.m.—Program from WEAF.
9 p.m.—Atwater-Kent artists.
10 p.m.—Program from WEAF.

WLIT, PHILADELPHIA—395.
4:30 p.m.—Artist recital.
7:30 p.m.—Dream Daddy stories.
8 p.m.—Current events. Travelogue.
9:30 p.m.—Cotton Pickers orchestra.
10 p.m.—Arcadia orchestra.

WCAE, PITTSBURG—462.
6:30 p.m.—William Penn orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—Uncle Karbee. Features.
8:30 p.m.—Musical program.
9 p.m.—Atwater-Kent artists.

KDKA, EAST PITTSBURG—309.1.
6:15 p.m.—Scalzo's orchestra.
7:15 p.m.—Stockman market reports.
7:30 p.m.—Kindergarten Circle.
8 p.m.—Talk, Dr. John Ray Ewers.
8:15 p.m.—"Science in Industry."
8:30 p.m.—Concert program.

WCAP, WASHINGTON—469.
7:30 p.m.—U. S. navy band.
9 p.m.—Atwater-Kent artists.
10 p.m.—Dance program.

WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.
6:45 p.m.—Adventure story.
7 p.m.—Strand orchestra.
8:30 p.m.—Organ and orchestra program from WJZ, New York.

WBZ, SPRINGFIELD—337.
6 p.m.—Lenox ensemble.
7 p.m.—Markets, stories, etc.
7:30 p.m.—French lessons.
8 p.m.—Lincoln's birthday broadcast, including address by Gov. Fuller.
9:30 p.m.—Bankers Association banquet.

WEEI, BOSTON—476.
6:30 p.m.—Big Brother club.
7:15 p.m.—Musical program.
7:45 p.m.—Harry Einstein.
8 p.m.—Traveller orchestra.
8:30 p.m.—Musical program.
9 p.m.—Gillette band.
10 p.m.—Musical program.
11 p.m.—Del Castillo, organist.

WHK, CLEVELAND—273.
6 p.m.—Press radio bulletins.
6:30 p.m.—Gill's orchestra.

WTAM, CLEVELAND—364.3.
6 p.m.—Spitalny's orchestra.
8 p.m.—Plain Dealer concert.
10:30 p.m.—Spitalny's orchestra.

WEAR, CLEVELAND—364.3.
7 p.m.—Francisci's orchestra.

WWJ, DETROIT—352.7.
6 p.m.—Dinner concert.
8:30 p.m.—Harry A. McDonald, baritone; Irene Barkume, soprano.

WCX, DETROIT—516.
7 p.m.—Concert program.

CNRO, OTTAWA—435.
7 p.m.—Half-hour talk.
7:45 p.m.—"Books for Boys."
8:30 p.m.—Chateau Laurier orchestra; concert artists; dance program.

CFCF, MONTREAL—460.
7 p.m.—Rex Battle's orchestra.

CFCA, TORONTO—350.
8:30 p.m.—"The Arabian Nights."

PWX, HAVANA—400.
8:30 p.m.—Cuban army staff band.

(Central Standard Time.)

WLW, CINCINNATI—423.
6 p.m.—Selinsky quintet.
8 p.m.—Mixed quartet; Milner trio; Clifford Lang, pianist.
9 p.m.—Formica orchestra.
9:20 p.m.—Talk, Dr. W. C. Herman.
9:35 p.m.—Formica orchestra; Larah Ferguson, baritone; Vernon Manor trio.

WHA, MADISON—535.4.
9 p.m.—University school of music.

WMAQ, CHICAGO—447.5.
6 p.m.—Chicago theatre organ.
6:30 p.m.—Stories for children.
8 p.m.—University lecture.
8:30 p.m.—Piano concerto.
9 p.m.—WMAQ players.

WLS, CHICAGO—345.
6 p.m.—Weather, farm reports.
6:30 p.m.—Organ; orchestra.
8 p.m.—Evening RFD program.
9 p.m.—Lucas sisters; WLS theatre; Everett Shaw, baritone; Pearl Doty, pianist; Nubs Allen; Kahn's orchestra; Verdi trio; Jones' orchestra.

KYW, CHICAGO—536.
6:35 p.m.—Children's stories.
7 p.m.—Congress dinner concert.
8 p.m.—Hazel O'Neil, soprano; William Hoke, tenor; Carrol's orchestra; talks.
9:45 p.m.—Midnight revue.

WGN, CHICAGO—370.
5:30 p.m.—Skeezix time.
6 p.m.—Organ; orchestra.
8 p.m.—Classic hour.
10 p.m.—Don Bestor's orchestra.

WHAS, LOUSVILLE—400.
4 p.m.—Caroline Gauld, alto.
7:30 p.m.—K. I. Terminal orchestra.

WHO, DES MOINES—522.3.
6:30 p.m.—Reese-Hughes orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—WHO orchestra; Varsity three.
9 p.m.—Theatre orchestra.

WOC, DAVENPORT—484.
7 p.m.—Sandman's visit.
8 p.m.—Erwin Swindell, organist; Chas. Hall, tenor.

KFAB, LINCOLN—240.
7:30 p.m.—Piano concert.
9 p.m.—Nebraskans orchestra.

WOS, JEFFERSON CITY—440.9.
8 p.m.—Addresses, J. M. Ramsay, Senator Brown, L. D. Haigh; musicale, direction of Mrs. Cortez Milne.

WDAF, KANSAS CITY—411.1.
3:30 p.m.—Star's radio trio.
6 p.m.—School of the air.
8 p.m.—Star orchestra; soloists.

KTHS, HOT SPRINGS—375.
8:30 p.m.—Davis and McGill.
10 p.m.—Fisher's orchestra.

WBAP, FORT WORTH—472.9.
7:30 p.m.—Bonner's fiddlers.
9:30 p.m.—Riley's orchestra.

(Mountain Standard Time)

KOA, DENVER—323.
6 p.m.—Final news, stocks.
8 p.m.—Treble Clef club.

CFAC, CALGARY—430.
7:15 p.m.—Bedtime story.
7:45 p.m.—Jean Gilbert, pianist; Ruth Matthews, pianist; Berg Ellinson, tenor.

(Pacific Coast Standard Time)

KGO, OAKLAND—300.
4 p.m.—St. Francis orchestra.
6:45 p.m.—Final news and stocks.

KPO, SAN FRANCISCO—423.
4:30 p.m.—Seiger's orchestra.
5:30 p.m.—Children's stories.
7 p.m.—Seiger's orchestra.
8 p.m.—Gene James' orchestra; Dora Badgeley, pianist; Carl Bryant, basso.

KHJ, LOS ANGELES—395.
6 p.m.—Hickman's orchestra.
6:30 p.m.—Children's program.
8 p.m.—Concert program.
9:30 p.m.—Piggly-Wiggly girls.
10 p.m.—Hickman's orchestra.

KGW, PORTLAND—492.
5 p.m.—Children's program.
7:15 p.m.—Markets, weather, news.
8 p.m.—First act "The Mikado." Franklin high school.
10 p.m.—Multnomah strollers.

Wednesday's Silent Stations.
WCBD, WJY, WOAW, WBUI, WFAA, CNRW, CNRR, CNRC, CNRT, WRC.

Charles D. Roberts Claims He Is Not Less Canadian Despite 17 Year Absence

Great Writer Gives Lecture Before London Canadian Club.

TELLS OF STRUGGLES

For a speaker to take an audience of strangers into intimate companionship, even though it be for but an hour and a half, is a condition which rarely happens. Yet in no other way could be described Charles D. G. Roberts' attitude to his audience last night when he spoke in the Central collegiate auditorium under the combined auspices of the Men's and Women's Canadian clubs.

This distinguished man of letters, beloved alike for his poetry and for his nature stories, has that most charming of all gifts—the gift of the great man who does not awe simple folk with his greatness. Instead, he stens down to them and they are friends together

To the friends whom he made last night he read informally from his poetry and told intimate stories of his relationships with Bliss Carman and other famous men of letters. It was the sort of evening which thrills the layman, who knows that his nearest approach to literary greatness will be just this sort of intimate contact with a great writer.

Eyes of Dreamer.

Charles G. D. Roberts is a slim man of moderate height, with iron-gray hair and the eyes of a dreamer His hair is not long, nor does he affect a flowing tie like his distinguished cousin, Bliss Carman. He has the general appearance of a successful businessman, and from certain of his remarks last night, evidently prides himself on presenting such a front to the world.

His chief concern last night was to put himself right with Canadians after a prolonged sojourn of seventeen years away from home.

"I feel that I should make some sort of apology," he said, "after having been so long away from Canada. I went to England for three months seventeen years ago, and am only returning to Canada now. But my stay away has not made me the less Canadian. In all things that remain in the artist's blood I am Canadian still. Only listen to my accent and you will hear that that is unchanged. I have kept it pure through all the years so that by it I am always recognized as a Canadian. And when I write my work is tpyically Canadian."

Tribute To Carman.

The speaker paid a great tribute to Bliss Carman, whom he termed as "not only the best poet, bar none, that Canada has produced in the line of pure lyricism," but doubted that there was a greater now singing in the English tongue.

"The only other man I consider supreme, with Bliss Carman, is the Irishman, Yeates, and I believe that Carman is his peer," he declared.

His talk was replete with interesting incidents which occurred during his association with Bliss Carman. But perhaps the most interesting story of all, was that of how the modern animal story was evolved.

It came on the request of someone in the audience.

"How did you first come to write animal stories?"

Longed For Wilderness.

The speaker explained that his early life, practically in the back woods, had brought him into intimate contact with animal life. He early became interested, and for years before he actually wrote an animal story the material for such stories was stored up within him.

Years after, in New York, a craving for the wilderness came over him. And in response to it he wrote his first animal story with a view to demonstrating that there was an animal psychology.

This story was refused by several editors, but at last accepted by Ernest Seaton, then a close friend of Roberts, who had been drawing animal pictures, saw the story in Harpers, and rushed to the home of the writer. He had just completed a series of animal pictures for publication. Roberts' story was just the type of thing he needed in connection with his pictures. Would Roberts undertake to write for his illustrations?

Roberts, however, suggested that Seaton do his own writing, and finally prevailed upon him to try, with the results which the reading public knows.

"Seaton's stories immediately made a demand for animal stories on the market," said the speaker. "I had invented the form. Seaton found it an audience. And so together we invented the modern animal story. The animal story in the modern form had not been done before. Seaton deals rather with the habits of animal life, while I, in my stories, am more concerned with the psychology."

Mr. Roberts told many amusing stories about himself and Carman. Sometimes Carman followed his lead and sometimes he followed carman. Once he attempted to wear his hair like Carman, there were four of them, who adopted the long hair cut. Roberts' bob, however, did not outlast the humor on the New York Sun, who termed the four of them "The Angora School of Poets."

Debut Is Made By Lone Snake

Believing that spring was really here, a lone snake pulled itself out of its winter quarters yesterday in search of that which brings joy to all of its kind—sunshine. Instead of sunshine the snake was greeted by rain, but the weather was warm so he remained.

The reptile was about a foot long and was seen by two boys on Eva street.

MRS. E. THOMPSON PASSES AT WINDSOR

Wife of Police Chief Formerly Resided in London.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, Feb. 9.—Elizabeth Thompson, wife of Chief Daniel Thompson of the Windsor police department, died suddenly at noon today at her residence, 35 Elm avenue. She had been ill for three weeks, but it was thought she would recover. Mrs. Thompson was 53 years of age, and had been a resident of Windsor for the past four years.

Born in London, where she received her early education, Mrs. Thompson later moved to Peterboro, where she resided for 12 years. In Windsor she was an active worker in Bruor avenue Baptist church, actively working in the ladies' aid and the mission circle.

Surviving are two sons, Melville G., Detroit, Gordon H., at home, and two daughters, Hilda, who is in training in Grace hospital, Detroit, and Mildred at home. Charles White, a brother, in Peterboro, and two sisters, Mrs. F. Neilson of London and Mrs. W. J. Hanlon of Detroit, also survive.

LOCAL NIGHT WIRE CHIEF IS MOVED TO PORT ARTHUR

J. M. Wilson, who has been night chief in the local Canadian National telegraph offices, left yesterday for Port Arthur where he will be in charge of the high-speed repeaters.

CROSS WORD PUZZLE NO. 102

Take this little animal home with you and treat him kindly. He has a a spotted coat which may give him a terrible aspect. But you will find him a fine pet if you spend a little time with him.

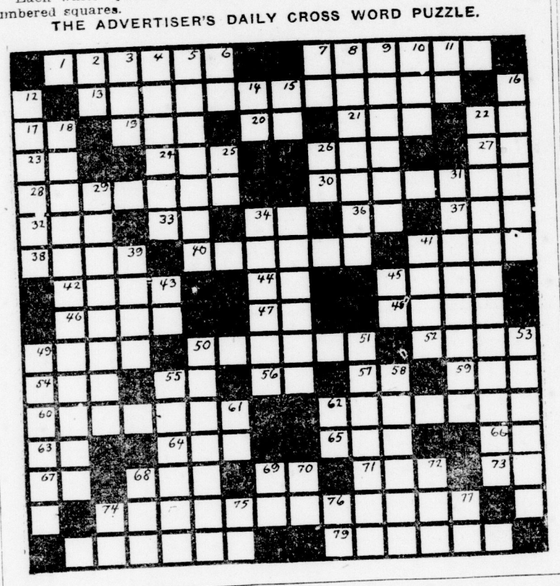
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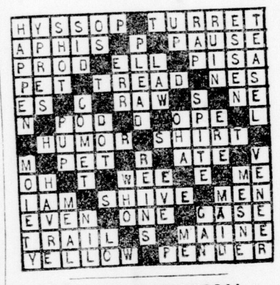
HORIZONTAL.

1 Very small
7 Coming or arrival
13 The working dress of soldiers (two words)
17 Two vowels
19 Covering the seed of plants
20 "The daily dozen (army colloq)
21 Skill; cunning
22 Company (abbr)
23 Royal navy (abbr)
24 A swine
26 Donkey
27 Forward
28 The art of making liquor from malt
30 A spire
32 Even (poet)
33 Adjutant general (abbr)
34 Bachelor of surgery (abbr)
36 That (Latin)
37 1¼ yards (English measurements)
38 To scratch or blot out
40 The radiophans' bugbear
41 To continue in a place
42 Six and S
44 A western continent (abbr)
45 A lure
46 A medley (music)
47 Three-toed sloth
48 Latin prefix, meaning "before"; a term in poker
49 A small winged insect with a sting
50 Certain directions in the prayer book formerly printed in red
52 Knights
54 A torn piece of cloth
55 Exists
56 In like manner
57 Houses of parliament (abbr)
59 A grain
60 An upright, four-sided tapering pillar, ending in a small pyramid
62 Having clean habits
63 Initials of former Liberal chieftain
64 S. T. G.
65 In place of
66 Low Latin (abbr)
67 The (Fr)
68 Boy's name
69 Negation
71 Rivern (Sp)
73 Nom. pl. of the second person of which "thou" is the singular
74 Those who give accounts of deaths
78 A maker of pots
79 Interjections expressing contempt (pl)

VERTICAL.

2 Whether
3 The woolly substance on the surface of cloth
4 An imaginary island, enjoying perfection in politics, laws, etc
5 News
6 For example (abbr)
7 Advertisement (abbr)
8 Active; powerful
9 Skilled
10 Established (abbr)
11 Maritime province (abbr)
12 Tonsorial artist
14 Aloft
15 And (French)
16 Solitary alone
18 Irrational, contrary to reason
22 Running parallel (adv.)
25 Baby talk for "horse"
26 For example (not an abbr)
29 A mode of storing corn, etc., in silos, also the fodder
31 A supplication; a request
34 A hardwood tree found in the Philippine Islands
35 A flight of steps
39 A means of going out
41 Without (Fr)
43 Very
45 Bachelor of arts (abbr)
49 Grumbles (scerb)
50 Replace
51 Wife of Zephyrus, the Greek goddess of flowers
53 Fashions
55 To cut into two equal parts
58 To pass away entirely
61 Knight of the Garter (abbr)
62 C. E.
68 Allow
69 North latitude (abb)
70 Once over (abb)
72 Ontario temperance act (abbr)
74 Number (abbr)
75 Marking one of two
76 G. P.
77 Point of the compass (abbr)

SOLUTION TO NO. 101.



PROVINCES URGED FOSTER HARMONY

Ontario and Quebec Declared Balance Wheel For East and West.

Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Feb. 9.—The fact that Quebec's language and religion were distinctly hers, and that it was not necessary to change these to have the best of feeling between the two provinces, was distinctly emphasized by H. W. Strudley, speaking to a well attended luncheon at the chamber of commerce, at noon today. He was discussing the recent visit of the Bonne Entente party to Quebec recently. Mr. Strudley pointed out that Ontario and Quebec have identical interests, and that the two provinces, working together, will prove to be the balance wheel, steadying the claims of the Western and Maritime provinces.

The congregations of Knox church and St. Andrews church were cited yesterday to appear for their interests at the meeting of the Presbytery to be held on February 24, when the resignations of Rev. Robert Martin, D.D., and Rev. Finlay Matheson, B.A., will be considered. A meeting of the congregation of Knox church has been called for Wednesday evening, February 11.

Officers Installed.

Perth County Grand Black Chapter of the Royal Black Knights of Ireland officers were installed by J. B. Armitage, H.C.M. of Lucan; Very-Wor. County Master George Cook, Granton; Very Worship Dep. County Master W. Graham, Stratford; Chap. S. K. Foster, Stratford; treasurer, J. Dunbar, St. Marys; registrar, K. W. Langford, Straford; first lecturer, F. Westman; second lecturer, F. Jamieson; first censor, F. Larkin; second censor, W. Mitchell, Stratford; first S.B., J. Carrouthers, Stratford; second S.B., A. Paterson; pur., F. Mills, Stratford; P. Coupland, Woodham; committees, J. B. Armitage, H. Hopkins, Woodham; H. Cook, Granton; J. C. Dunseith, Stratford; O. Brazill, Greenway; M. L. Brandon, St. Marys; A. Hodgins, Lucan. It was decided to hold the next annual meeting in Stratford, with the semi-annual meeting in Greenway.

Encouraging reports were presented at the annual meeting of the Holy Name society of St. Joseph's church, held yesterday afternoon. M. Cahill, the retiring president, occupied the chair and the officers elected were: President, Thos. Williams; vice-president, J. G. Smith; financial secretary, M. J. Dillon; treasurer, E. O'Flaherty; spiritual director, Rev. J. A. MacKesy; executive, C. A. Culliton Jos. Murphy, M. Cahill, E. Hisson. The sum of $50 was voted for boy's work.

The Musicians' Protective Union, Local No. 418, has elected officers for the year as follows: President, C. A. Bird; vice-president, M. J. McCauley; recording secretary, Douglas Plummer; financial secretary, A. J. Flanigan; treasurer, W. Essex; marshal, J. Brodhagen; sergt.-at-arms, T. Hodson.

Damage in Fire.

Fire of undetermined origin did about $500 damage to a large shed at the rear of the Brooks steam motors plant last night. The building was used as a storehouse for old threshing machines and separators, owned by the J. R. MacDonald thresher company. The cause is a complete mystery to the fire department. The damage was covered by insurance.

S. A. Admans, a native of Margate, England, and a resident of Stratford for the last four years, died at his home 261 Nelson street, Sunday. He was 33 years old. The late Mr. Admans was a painter and decorator. He served in the Imperial army during the war. He married Miss Frances Lightfoot, also of Margate, fifteen years ago. He is survived by six brothers and sisters, his parents and his wife and children.

St. Andrew's church manse was the scene of a quiet wedding this morning, when Rev. Finlay Matheson united in marriage Eve Esther Geraldine Crosan and Frank Stuart Donnelly, both of Listowel.

The marriage of Jenny Mae, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George McEwin of the Gore of Downie and Nelson Samuel Loghrin, also of the Gore of Downie, took place at St. Andrew's church manse here, Rev. Finley Matheson officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Loghrin will reside in Stratford.

EVANGELISTIC SERVICES ARE BROUGHT TO A CLOSE

Special to The Advertiser.

Seaforth, Feb. 9. — The special evangelistic services which have been conducted for the past two weeks by the Rev. F. A. Robinson, M.A., in the Edmondhill Presbyterian church, were brought to a close on Sunday evening. The attendance throughout the series has been so large, in spite of the cold weather, that the building was not large enough.

The program each evening was varied and interesting. Rev. Robinson is a good musical conductor and appealing speaker, and thrilled the audience with his stirring gospel messages and incidents of work among the miners in the Kootenay district and other places.

One of the special features has been the picture nights, the views being exceptionally fine. The reproductions of the great masters, the scenic slides from different countries of the East, especially Syria, Palestine and Egypt, and the illustrated hymn slides, were the best ever exhibited here.

J. Koffend, who accompanied Rev. Robinson, is an able exponent of the Gospel in song, while Miss Grunnert's sympathetic accompaniment and hymn improvisations were greatly appreciated, as were those of H. C. Hamilton.

PRESENT JAPANESE PLAY.

Special to The Advertiser.

Mitchell, Feb. 9.—The Japanese operetta "Chrysanthemum" was put on in the opera house on Saturday evening by the scholars of the public school, under the direction of Miss Drake. The costumes were of Japanese style and the solos, drills and dances were well given. A large crowd witnessed the play.

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WATER COMMISSION ASKED TO AID TAX CUT

Woodstock Council Adopts Resolution Requesting Part of $9,000 Surplus.

Special to The Advertiser.

Woodstock, Feb. 9. — At tonight's meeting of the city council, a resolution was introduced by Alderman Hill asking the water and light commission to consider turning over part of its 1924 surplus of over $9,000 to the city council to help reduce the general tax rate. Mayor Rea expressed the view that as the commission had heavy expenditures to make and wished to use the surplus for this instead of issuing debentures, it was not likely that the request would be favorably considered. The resolution, however, was adopted by the council.

Another resolution was passed referring back to the library board its estimates for 1925, with a request that they be reconsidered with a view to reducing them $300 to last year's figures.

A deputation from the Victorian Order of Nurses asked for a grant of $1,000 this year instead of the former grant of $500 on account of the growth of the work. The charity accounts passed for January amounted to $478.30, this being the largest figure for any one month for the last three years. A traffic committee, composed of Mayor Rea, Aldermen O'Rourke and Alderman Cole was appointed to continue the work of providing for aids to the enforcement of the traffic bylaws of the city.

Following the council meeting the aldermen and city officials were the guests of Mayor Rea at the annual mayor's banquet held in the Hotel Oxford. An excellent supper was served and all the aldermen made brief addresses, outlining the work of the various departments for the year.

JOSEPH YELLOW.

Special to The Advertiser.

Exeter, Feb. 9.—Joseph Yellow of the first concession of Usborne died yesterday. Funeral arrangements have not yet been made.





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—beige, pull-on gloves of suede for harmony.

—a gay leather purse for contrast.

For your new satin dress—which is likely to be in one of the sunlit blonde shades—

—sheer silk hose for creamy nude.

—blonde satin slippers to match the golden lights of your frock. For your dance frock which may well be of delicate flower-hued chiffon—

—pearls for your neck and pearls again for your wrist.

—and a large, fluffy flower to bloom brightly on your left shoulder."

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Bewitching piles of new lingerie in the pastel shades. Clever little adornments of ribbon bows and lace medallions. A lavish use of fine lace and tiny tucks. Very chic and tailored garments have embroidered monograms. A pastel picture of honey, mauve, pink, peach, green, yellow, sky.

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