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ALD. RICHTER HEADED POLL DESPITE FURIOUS ONSLAUGHT OF MR. BECK AND HIS ORGAN

Finance Minister of the City Council Returned With a Bumper Majority By Grateful Citizens Who Appreciate His Fight for Fair Play.

ALD. BENNETT ALSO SCORED TRIUMPH AGAINST A CAMPAIGN OF ABUSE

Unmistakable Answer of the Electors to Cries Raised Against the Six Aldermen Who Demanded Fuller Information—Five of Them Re-elected—Rebuke to Dictatorship.

After one of the most strenuous municipal campaigns held in London in some years, the returns last night showed that the personnel of the city council of 1912 had not been changed to any great extent. Ten former aldermen faced the electors and eight of them were elected. Two were defeated, the remaining two declining to run for the council. Three new faces will be seen at the council board, the fourth having seen service before.

The most satisfactory feature of the election was the magnificent vote given to Ald. Richter. In spite of a most vicious campaign conducted against him he headed the poll, a splendid tribute to his straightforward, manly stand on all public questions. It is doubtful that such a spontaneous outburst of approval has been seen in years in municipal elections in London. Alderman Bennett, who was also a special target for mud-throwing, did magnificently, running third.

Five Were Indorsed.

Five of the six aldermen who stood for more information on the question of electrification were returned—Ald. Richter, Ald. Bennett, Ald. Ashplant, Ald. Robinson and Ald. Johnson. Although a "dead set" was made on Ald. Johnston by a certain clique, he polled 309 more votes than last year.

Ald. Blandford was defeated, although he made a good run. His advocacy of the bylaw to compel property-owners to clean the snow off sidewalks militated against his success. Although the suggestion had a great deal to recommend it, and was in line with other advanced cities, it did not prove popular, and Ald. Blandford lost many votes on that account.

Ald. Coles, the originator of the Federal Square idea, was the other member of the council of 1912 to go down to defeat. This was a great surprise. He had given excellent service to the city and it was thought he would be returned.

The New Faces.

Ald. Rose, Ald. Moore and Ald. Spittal were also elected. The new faces on the council are Ald.-elect S. Frank Glass, J. Franklin White, and Ed J. L. Stein. Ald. J. H. Saunders has been on the council before. He was the only member of the 1911 aldermanic field to be re-elected, ex-Ald. Cooper, ex-Ald. Mitchell and ex-Ald. Tancock being defeated.

The vote polled by Dr. H. A. Stevenson for the water commission was very heavy. He distanced his opponents. Ald. Wright was a poor third.

The Bylaws.

Two of the loan bylaws were defeated—that to the C. N. W. Shoe Company, and to the Findlay Porcelain Company. They polled good majorities, but not the necessary two-thirds. The Dennis bylaw carried.

London will have the federal square. Although the father of the scheme was defeated, his idea found favor with the ratepayers, a handsome majority being given for the scheme. The vote in the East End was particularly strong for it.

Want Board of Control.

The board of control idea seemed to be extremely popular, as the vote in favor of it was nearly 3 to 1. The suggestion that the aldermen be given two-year terms was also favorably received. The citizens were of the opinion that the abolition of the water commissioners would be a good idea, and gave a majority of over 900 for this suggestion.

The bylaw to grant $15,000 to the consumptive sanatorium carried by a large majority. The application of the Greenlees Company for a franchise to sell [illegible] in the business area was defeated.

Board of Education.

The retiring members of the board of education were re-elected easily. The trustees W. W. Gammage, W. T. Strong and John M. Gunn, Dr. Shaw and Dr. Harry Greenlees were also elected. Both did well under existing conditions, and should be acquisitions to the board.

The results are as follows:

FOR ALDERMEN.

ELECTED.

J. G. RICHTER	3,075
G. E. ROSE	3,025
B. W. BENNETT	2,796
S. F. GLASS	2,781
J. P. MOORE	2,780
J. F. WHITE	2,665
HUBERT ASHPLANT	2,577
J. H. SAUNDERS	2,664
E. J. L. STEIN	2,641
W. SPITTAL	2,588
W. E. ROBINSON	2,426
E. H. JOHNSTON	2,387

NOT ELECTED.

James Donnelly	2,257
W. G. Coles	2,245
R. F. Blandford	2,057
Wm. Gerry	1,782
F. G. Mitchell	1,677
Neil Cooper	1,663
U. A. Buchner	1,600
J. A. Tancock	1,272
W. Hayman	1,153
Harry Ryan	1,114
Harry Wallace	386
E. H. Russell	382

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

ELECTED.

DR. H. A. STEVENSON	4,548
WILLIAM WYATT	2,334

NOT ELECTED.

W. D. I. Wright	1,667
A. R. Calcott	1,095

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

ELECTED.

W. W. GAMMAGE	3,150
W. T. STRONG	2,833
JOHN M. GUNN	2,667
DR. R. W. SHAW	2,201
F. H. GREENLEES	1,151

NOT ELECTED.

C. H. Merryfield	931
M. F. Irwin	854
John D. Jacob	786
John McLean	777
W. J. Hill	377
R. Edwards	323
R. S. Holmes	297
James F. Spry	263
S. S. Bedford	217
S. L. Spicer	151

THE BYLAWS.

BOARD OF CONTROL.

For	3,962
Against	1,348
Majority for	2,614

FEDERAL SQUARE.

For	2,282
Against	1,845
Majority for	437

CONSUMPTIVE SANATORIUM GRANT.

For	2,622
Against	1,419
Majority for	1,203

DENNIS BYLAW.

For	3,035
Against	1,091
Majority for	1,944

FINDLAY PORCELAIN CO.

For	2,632
Against	1,461
Majority for	1,171

C-N-W SHOE CO.

For	2,647
Against	1,401
Majority for	1,246

TO ABOLISH THE WATER COMMISSIONERS.

For	2,709
Against	1,796
Majority for	913

GREENE-SWIFT HEATING FRANCHISE.

For	1,793
Against	2,302
Majority against	509

TWO YEAR ALDERMANIC TERM.

For	2,695
Against	1,744
Majority for	951

ALDERMANIC VOTE IN 1912.

W. E. Robinson	3,755
J. P. Moore	2,992
J. G. Richter	2,781
Hubert Ashplant	2,476
W. D. I. Wright	2,419
William Spittal	2,352
William G. Coles	2,293
R. F. Blandford	2,286
George E. Rose	2,258
T. J. Murphy	2,241
E. H. Johnston	2,078
B. W. Bennett	2,042

NOT ELECTED.

F. G. Mitchell	2,007
A. J. Morgan	1,749
John H. Saunders	1,583
James A. Tancock	1,570
W. J. Lashbrook	1,533
James Donnelly	1,516
John M. Daly	1,499
Neil Cooper	1,395
John Hayman	1,247
J. Lang	1,059
Robt. S. Abram	882
W. A. Wilson	730
R. A. Y. Stinchcombe	488
M. J. Donohue	483

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—A LITTLE COLDER.

Forecasts.

Toronto, Jan. 2—8 a.m.

Today—Fresh to strong southerly winds, veering to westerly and northwesterly; rain and sleet tonight.

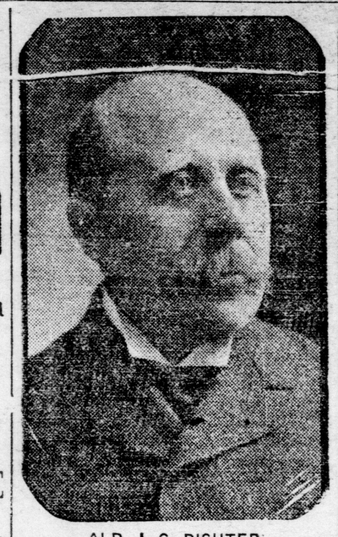
Friday—Local snow flurries, but mostly fair and a little colder.

Temperatures.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
LONDON	36.5	18	Clear
Victoria	40	38	Rain
Calgary	30	18	Clear
Winnipeg	28	— 8	Cloudy
Port Arthur	36	18	Cloudy
Toronto	42	30	Cloudy
Ottawa	34	18	Fair
Montreal	36	26	Fair
Quebec	36	24	Cloudy
Father Point	36	20	Clear

Minus (—) means below zero.



ALD. J. G. RICHTER,
The man who stands for fair play for all, and who headed the polls, despite the efforts of the Beck interests to knife him.

WILL SPRING SEE GENERAL ELECTION IN OLD COUNTRY

Asquith Asks Law as to His Stand Should Vote Support Home Rule.

UNIONISTS WOULD NOT BACK ULSTER

Cable to New York Tribune Says Liberal Govt. May Be Contemplating Early Appeal.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Jan. 2. — A cable to the Tribune from London says:

Before the vote on the home rule amendment in the House of Commons was taken yesterday, Mr. Asquith put a question to the Opposition leader, which lends color to the statement previously cabled about the possibility of a general election in the spring. The Prime Minister said:

"Supposing the bill as it stands, including Ulster, with the rest of Ireland, were submitted to the electors of the country and approved by them, what would then be the attitude of Ulster? That is a very serious question and one to which we are entitled to receive an answer."

Mr. Bonar Law lost no time in accepting the challenge. He stated that if the bill were submitted to the electors, and if it received their approval, then the Unionist party would not support Ulster in resisting it. If, however, the Government attempted to force it upon Ulster, without such approval, then he would assist Ulster in resisting it.

Does It Mean Election?

This passage at arms indicates that the Government may be contemplating an appeal to the country on the question of home rule, at a time when the Unionist party is at sixes and sevens over the food tax problem. A month ago Mr. Asquith would scarcely have made such an offer, but the extraordinary development in the situation since Mr. Bonar Law spoke at Ashton-Under-Lyne was given the Liberals at least a fighting chance of success.

If the election took place at an early date it would be impossible to keep taxes out of the fray, but if the Liberals should prove successful it is more than likely that the Unionist leader would withdraw his undertaking, on the ground that the election had not been fought on home rule at all.

HARDINGE SUFFERING; RECOVERY IS SLOW

Operation May Be Necessary to Remove Fragments of Fanatic's Bomb.

[Canadian Press.]

Delhi, India, Jan. 2.—The Viceroy of India, the Baron Hardinge, is not recovering as quickly as expected from the wounds he received on Dec. 23, when an Indian fanatic threw a bomb at him during his official entry to the new imperial capital city.

The doctors in attendance declare that he is suffering considerably from pain and remains in a feverish condition. A further operation, it is said, will possibly be necessary in order to remove some of the fragments of the bomb which remain embedded in the flesh of his shoulder.



DR. HUGH A. STEVENSON,
Who Headed the Poll in the Water Commissioners' Race.

SET-BACKS FOR MR. BECK

(1) Mr. Beck opposed Ald. Richter, and told the people of London not to elect him.

Mr. Richter headed the polls, while four other targets for Beck and Free Press abuse were also returned.

(2) Mr. Beck opposed the federal square bylaw, and through the Free Press sought to kill it.

The federal square bylaw was carried by a large majority.

(3) Mr. Beck opposed the change to a board of control and asked the electors to defeat it.

It was carried by a large majority.

(4) Mr. Beck opposed the change of control in the water commission.

The citizens declared in favor of it decisively.

It was a bad day for Beck.

A BOARD OF CONTROL IN 1914; BIG VOTE IN FAVOR OF CHANGE

Ald. Richter Explains That the People Will Vote for Controllers Next Year.

The conduct of the city's business will not be handed over to a board of control until 1914. The overwhelming vote of yesterday in favor of this method of civic government simply means that on Jan. 1, 1914, a slate for the board will be voted on. The passing of the bylaw puts in motion all the machinery necessary. Four members and the mayor constitute the board.

The impression prevails in some quarters that the four aldermen polling the largest number of votes yesterday would automatically form the board of control. According to Ald. Richter, the promoter of the scheme, this is erroneous.

"The council will conduct the business of the city this year as in the past," said Ald. Richter. "On Jan. 1, 1914, the citizens will have the privilege of voting on four men and the mayor, who will then form the board of control. We have done all that is necessary at the present time.

Eight Aldermen.

"In addition to the board, eight aldermen will be elected. This will make the full council twelve members without the mayor. The functions of the board will be administrative, while that of the aldermen will largely be legislative.

"According to the scheme, the aldermen will be elected for two years. I do not know how this will be managed the first year, but I fancy that the four highest will be given the two years, and the four lower the one year terms until the scheme is in full working order. This, of course, is a matter of detail. In this way I am of the opinion that we can get better municipal government than in the past."

Some citizens were of the opinion that the council might hold up the inauguration of a board of control, but this idea seems to be out of the

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TWO MORE ALDERMEN WHO WANT A FULL INVESTIGATION

Mr. S. F. Glass and Mr. J. H. Saunders Will Not Likely Be Rushed.

Two aldermen who were placed upon the electrification slate have not declared in favor of the scheme wtihout full investigation.

Mr. Frank Glass, at the meeting in East London, declared that he wanted full investigation into the matter. He would no doubt respond to the appeal from the business and wholesale interests of London.

Mr. John H. Saunders has never declared himself in favor of electrification. He has stated that he wanted everything to be in proper form before it should be submitted ao the people.

It is understood that there is not a man on the council in favor of allowing the matter to go to the people in the form ofa plebiscite of the whole electorate.

Ald. Moore, at a council meeting, introduced a resolution that only ratepayers be permitted to vote on the question. Mr. Moore's standing as a barrister would have permitted him to do nothing else. The resolution was unanimously carried.

SQUIRE EDWARDS HAS ONLY MISSED ONE VOTE

Although He Was 86 Yesterday He Walked to the Polls.

Probably one of the oldest voters who went to the polls New Year's Day to cast his vote was Squire Henry Edwards, of 388½ Ridout street. Squire Edwards celebrated his 86th birthday yesterday. Although suffering from a slight cold which he encountered on Christmas Day, he arose early and walked to the polls.

He has only missed one election from the time he was old enough to vote, and then it was because he was confined to his bed with inflammation of the lungs and was unable to get out.

The squire is still hale and hearty despite his years. He takes an active interest in municipal and provincial matters, and has done so for a great many years. He is well known in this part of the province as a strong liberal. He was the first white boy born in Lobo Township, and he is one of the pioneers of London, coming to this city during the days when it was known as The Forks. He was a justice of the peace for many years, and took an active interest in county affairs. He is living retired at present, contenting himself with the administering of his cancer cure, which he invented some years ago.

In honor of his birthday New Year's afternoon, a number of his friends and relatives gathered at his residence and held a party in his honor.

Among the guests were his two sons, Fred Edwards, of Komoko, and James, of Lobo Township, Mr. and Mrs. Elson and little daughter, of the Delaware town line, Rev. and Mrs. S. Anderson, of Memorial Methodist Church, and Miss Edwards, a cousin, of Dorchester. Quite an enjoyable afternoon was spent, the Squire coming in for many hearty congratulations.



ALD. B. W. BENNETT,
Labor candidate, who won by a large majority, despite the vicious onslaught of Mr. Beck and his friends.

ALD. COLES MADE A SACRIFICE HIT FOR CITY'S GOOD

Father of the Federal Square Scheme Warmly Praised for His Generous Act in the Matter.

SUBTLE INFLUENCES OPPOSED TO PLAN

Opposition Did Not Prove To Be Serious—Details Will Be Proceeded With at Once.

Independent of the attitude they took in the matter, Ald. W. G. Coles is being praised on all sides by citizens for his attitude on the federal square scheme.

There is no doubt that Mr. Coles, after months of hard work, sacrificed himself in the interests of the federal square. Its victory was his victory. Had he allowed his name to go on any one of the slates he would undoubtedly have been elected. But he realized that a definite attitude on either side of the question would draw fire upon the federal square, and he chose to place himself in the background.

Praise From Dr. Wilson.

Dr. George Wilson expressed himself in terms of highest praise for Mr. Coles.

"Some days ago, Mr. Coles told me that he realized that he would have to keep out of all other questions," said the doctor. "He did so, and sacrificed himself for his scheme. It was a gracious act, and he has won friends by the thousands. I think that if it were possible the council should appoint Major Coles in some honorary capacity to continue negotiations in regard to the federal square. He has given months of hard work to further it, and every citizen should feel proud of his stand. He has done more for the city, in my humble opinion, than anyone we have had in the city council in years, and his name will be an honored one to the end of his career."

The suggestion of Dr. Wilson was accorded with by many others of those present.

Ald. Coles Speaks.

Ald. Coles had little to say in regard to the outcome. He was thoroughly satisfied, and he wished to thank the people for carrying the bylaw:

"There were some sinister influences at work," he continued. "I do not wish to mention any names, but it may come out later. I think that everything is clear now to securing the carrying of the federal square scheme. My idea was to get the idea through, and I did not even advertise myself in my own advertising. I recognized that I must keep clear of either influence in order that the bylaw might not be attacked. It had some opposition, but that did not prove to be serious.

SWEEP OF RICHTER REGARDED AS TRIUMPH OVER ADAM BECK

Finance Minister Regards Splendid Vote as Vindication of Good Sense of People---An Answer to Bitter Attacks.

ALD. BENNETT SAYS ALL PROPOSALS MUST BE SENT TO THE PEOPLE

The heading of the polls by Ald. Richter, and the fine showing of Ald. Bennett and their associates, are regarded as the triumph of the campaign and a smashing blow for Adam Beck.

Mr. Beck made the bitterest attacks of his career upon these aldermen, and was backed by the Free Press. He was signally defeated in this regard, and in every proposal before the electors backed by Ald. Richter. It was a straight fight between Beck and Richter. Beck lost. It was the first downfall of his career and is looked upon by many as the beginning of the end.

A Vindication of Good Sense.

"Personally I feel that my vote yesterday was a vindication of the good sense of the citizens of London," commented Ald. Richter. "Since the 10th of December I have been subjected to a torrent of the most vicious abuse. In addition, Hon. Mr. Beck, a cabinet minister, injected himself into the campaign, and endeavored to do what he could in preventing my election. Coupled with this the fact that I did not canvass a single elector, or ask for a single vote, I think it is a complete vindication of my stand on all public questions. The good sense of the citizens has triumphed. They refused to listen to the vilification of myself and gave me a rousing vote. I appreciate this to the fullest extent."

A Victory Over Beck.

Ald. Bennett stated that he regarded his return so high in the list as a personal victory over Adam Beck.

"This man left no stone unturned, or unthrown, to accomplish my defeat," Mr. Bennett said. "I was always his friend and supporter before, but he acted with the grossest unfairness, and I think the electors resented it. As for the newspaper attacks they were the most dishonorable made on any set of men in London. That they were ineffective is a credit to the citizens.

"My idea is that the citizens must consider every side of the Port Stanley proposition. If the ratepayers consider any one proposal they should consider them all. I made this my platform and I was elected upon it. There will be fair treatment for all by this council, I feel sure."

"Ald. Ashplant, Ald. Johnston and Ald. Robinson were grateful to the electors for the display of confidence made in them.

The comparative vote of the six candidates, who opposed the rushing through of electrification, was as follows:

	1912.	1913.
Richter	2,781	3,043
Bennett	2,027	2,796
Ashplant	2,375	2,687
Robinson	3,755	2,407
Johnston	2,178	2,387
Total	13,116	13,320
Blandford	2,315	2,067
Total	15,431	15,387

CITY WILL GO AHEAD AT ONCE WITH FEDERAL SQUARE PLAN

About $180,000 Will Be Required to Secure the Land.

The council, as soon as it is organized, will appoint a special committee to deal with the construction of a city hall on the McCormick site.

The ratepayers yesterday emphatically decided in favor of the federal square idea, and the aldermen will at once commence securing the necessary land.

According to the opinion expressed at the city hall, it will be some time before the new hall is actually built, but as much headway as possible will be made in the meantime.

One of the first things to be done will be to call for tenders for fixing up a portion of the Spencer Block for temporary quarters. It is the intention of the council to occupy a portion of these buildings for city officials, and will desert the present quarters.

The McCormick Company have options on several pieces of property for a site for their plant, and will exercise the most satisfactory of these possible sites for the company are said to be located on Dundas street, east, the moment the bylaw is finally passed by the council on Monday next.

The McCormick Company will commence operation in the spring on the construction of their new buildings. The plans are practically completed, and tenders will be called for at an early date.

Building Belongs to Company.

The McCormick Company will then tear down the building on the present site. According to the terms of the agreement the building belongs to them and they will use much of it in the construction of their new plant. Much of the machinery is modern and up-to-date and will be utilized.

Options on al the property are in City Clerk Baktrs hands. These will be closed after the first council meeting, as tehey do not extend for a long period. The aldermen have $130,000 in hand to purchase the land, and this will buy a large portion of the property needed. Mayor Graham estimates tehat it will require about $180,000 to obtain all that the city requires for its purposes.

Will Go Ahead.

"We will go right ahead with the proposition," declared Mayor Graham. "The citizens have voted the money and we will get started as soon as we possibly can."

LONDON'S MAN'S DISCOVERY WILL BE WORTH MILLIONS

Charles E. Saunders Produces Wheat Which Will Grow in the North and Ripen Early.

After months of the most careful experimenting, Mr. Charles E. Saunders, formerly of London, now Dominion cerealist, with headquarters at Ottawa, has succeeded in producing a new kind of wheat, which, it is believed, will be orth mwany millions of dollars to Canada. The new variety, which is known as "Prelude," was obtained by cross-fertilization of the most hardy grades, and will not only grow in the northern districts of Canada, but will ripen from eight to ten days earlier than any o fthe others.

By producing a grade that will stand the cooler climate of the north, Mr. Saunders' success will make it possible to grow wheat in millions of acres in the Northwest and other districts where the land has been previously undeveloped, because no wheat plants could stand the coolness. The advantage of the grain ripening from a week to a week and a half earlier is apparent at a glance, and either of Mr. Saunders' successes would have been a triumph that can hardly be estimated in importance.

The work done by Mr. Sounders in his experimental station at Ottawa involved the most careful and exacting operations with the microscope. By selecting the best in one brand of wheat, taking the best in some other, and repeating the proces with still others, he finally obtained, after incessant work, the wonderful new variety, which he calls "Prelude."

Mr. Saunders fame in orwk of this kind is international. Not long ago he won a prize of $1,00 0in New York for producing the best kind of wheat. This was the famous "Marquis" variety, which ripens from four to five days earlier than any of the others and is of magnificent quality. Now he has completely eclipsed his previous work with another discovery, the importance of which agricultural experts say can hardly be estimated.

Mr. Saunders is a son of Prof. William Saunders, who recently retired from the directorship of the Dominion experimental farms to reside here, and a brother of Mr. W. E. Saunders.



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TORONTO VOTERS ARE FOR TAX REFORM

Large Majority in Favor of a Change Cast in the Elections.

Toronto, Jan. 2. — The Globe says: Tax reform scored a splendid victory in Toronto yesterday. Not only did the taxpayers vote four to one in favor of applying for legislation to assess buildings, business and income on a lower basis than land, but they gave it a heavier vote and larger majority than **any** of the bylaws.

It was a victory of the masses following a vigorous and educative campaign waged by the Tax Reform League of Eastern Canana, the Toronto branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, the Toornto Board of Trade, the Toronto District Trades and Labor Council, the Dominion Grange of Canada, the city of Toronto, the city of Ottawa and other monicipalities in Ontario.

On Dec. 19 there was almost a straight party division in the committee of the Legislature against tax reform, but since then the issue has been shorn of its political garments, largely because of the stand taken by Mr. W. M. Southam, of the Ottawa Citizen, and other prominent Conservatives throughout the Province in favor of a changed order of things

So overwhelming was the majority in favor of a radical change in the method of taxation that it is now almost assured that when application is made to the Legislatuer for power to change Toronto's tax system there will be no opposition. With eight men holding seath in the Ontario Legislature for Toronto favorable action on the part of the Legislature will be almost imperative.

FOUR QUALIFY

Hot Fight Is On In Bruce Township Elections.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Elgin, Jan. 2. — Up to nine o'clock last night only four councillors had qualified with the clerk, and both Messrs. H. Hilker and E. Roy Sayles had withdrawn their names from the reeveship, leaving D. J. Izzard the incumbent.

The council for 1913 consists of Reeve Izzard, Councillors Schwartz, Duff, Eidt and Robertson.

In Bruce Township one of the hottest fights in years is on between Arch McLean and Alex. Mewhinney for the reeveship.

The township hall at Underwood on nomination day was packed, and the speeches by these two men insure a hot time in the old township. Reeve McLean banks on his work for the telephone system to land him another term, while Mr. Mewhinney hopes to win on the count that his opponent has had it long enough. There is also a contest for deputy-reeve, and several men are in the running for councillors.

KILLED ON G. T. R.

Victim of Walkerville Railway Accident Came From Hamilton.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, Jan. 1.—The man who was struck and killed by a Grand Trunk train at Walkerville last night was identified today at Patrick Murphy, aged 45.

Murphy came from Hamilton, where his mother is said to be living, and obtained employment at the Kerr Engine Works, Walkerville. He was crossing the track last night when he was hit. His body was cut in two parts, and head crushed.

Coroner Hoare called a jury this morning, which, after viewing the body, adjourned to meet Friday night.



ALD. J. H. SAUNDERS.
A former member of the City Council, who made a big run.

NEW YORK'S GOVERNOR CUTS OUT TRIMMINGS

Sulzer, at Inauguration, Does Away With Military Salute and Civic Parade.

Albany, Jan. 2.—Precedents of years' standing were ignored and others created today during the inauguration of William Sulzer, of New York, as Democratic governor of the Empire State.

All the pomp and display usually incident to such occasions were lacking, this at the governor's own request. There was no military demonstration; no governor's salute of 19 guns to announce the change of administration; no parade of civic and political bodies; nothing, in fact, to feature the induction into office of the state's chief executive, except a notable gathering of prominent people and the carrying out of the procedure provided by the Constitution.

The new governor, in his desire for simplicity, insisted upon walking from the executive mansion to the capital, refusing to ride in a carriage which had been provided. After the ceremonies he inaugurated a new feature by appearing on the front steps of the capitol and addressing the thousands who were unable to witness the ceremonies inside.

Gov. Sulzer is the forty-second chief executive of the state. He succeeds John A Dix, second of the name to occupy the governor's chair, who, when he assumed office two years ago today, was the first Democratic governor in eighteen years.

PLUNGED TO DEATH WHEN BRIDGE GAVE WAY

Eight Ironworkers Perish By Collapse of Structure in West Virginia.

Huntington, W. Va., Jan. 1.—Eight men were killed and fifteen injured when a freight train on the Chesapeake and Ohio Railway went through a bridge over the Guyandotte River, three miles from here, at 11 o'clock this morning.

A crew of 30 or more ironworkers were employed in repairing the bridge when the freight train appeared on the main track. Some of them, believing the structure to have been weakened, left their posts, but others laughed at danger and were carried down with the wreckage when the bridge collapsed under the weight of the train. The fireman of the engine, it was reported, refused to cross the bridge, and witnessed the accident.

False work had been placed under the bridge while the repairs were being made, and those in charge believed it to be safe for railway travel. But the river had risen during the night, and it is reported so weakened the false work that it collapsed, allowing the bridge to go down. The ironworkers were thrown into the water and some of them were drowned, but others swam ashore. Spectators who were watching the men at work gave the alarm, and physicians were summoned from here. All traffic on the railroad will be tied up until a temporary bridge can be built.

HENSALL COUNCIL

Was Returned by Acclamation — Hot Contests in Hay and Tuckersmith.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Hensall, Jan. 1. — The council was elected by acclamation and is are follows: J. W. Ortwein, reeve; W. Praff, Thomas Hudson, John Berry and F. Busch, councillors.

The three last named were members of the 1912 council, and the reeve, J. W. Ortwein, sat on the board for several years. The only man who has not been elected before is W. Pfaff, but he has had considerable practical experience in connection with drainage matters.

The council of 1912 was re-elected in Hay.

A stiff run for the reeveship of Tuckersmith will take place between McKay, the old reeve, and T. Forsythe. The local option repeal vote is giving a zest to their election.

NEW THEATRE FOR TORONTO

Shea To Erect a Playhouse To Cost Nearly a Million.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Plans to erect in Toronto a new popular-price theatre at a cost of three-quarters of a million dollars were completed yesterday by Mr. Michael Shea, proprietor of the Shea's Theatres in Buffalo and Toronto.

The proposed theatre will occupy a site in the down-town section. It will be built after the latest designs, and will be one of the handsomest structures of this nature in the Dominion. The approved plans call for a building along the style of the well-known Hippodrome, and will have a seating capacity for 3,000 people.



ALD. SPITTAL,
Re-elected.

LITTLE INTEREST IN WOODSTOCK CAMPAIGN

Collegiate Institute Bylaw Only Question Going to a Vote.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Woodstock, Jan. 2.—Municipal matters are exceptionally quiet here this year. The following positions have been filled by acclamation: Mayor, J. G. MacBeath; council, Geo. H. King, W. D. Hobson, Geo. Parker, James Mitchell, W. S. West, Clifford Kemp, A. J. Gahagan, J. W. Scarff and John Manning; board of education, Geo. F. Mahon, James Steele, Robert Johnston and W. J. Beattie; board of water and light commissioners, Lieut.-Col. John White and Benson McNichol.

With the exception of voting "yes" or "no" in regard to a bylaw to raise $30,000 to improve the local Collegiate Institute, the ratepayers of Woodstock will have no other duty to perform on Monday next. Many citizens were nominated, but little willingness was shown by the majority to stand for election, and much difficulty was experienced in urging a sufficient number to stand to fill all positions.

LAURIER'S POLICY STRONGLY INDORSED

South Wellington Electors Heard Fine Address By Hugh Guthrie.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Rockwood, Jan. 1.—At a rousing meeting held here last evening, Hugh Guthrie, M. P., went at length into naval questions, and dealt especially with the bill. The meeting was the first of a series to be held in South Wellington.

The meetings are open for discussion, and two autoloads of army and navy veterans went down from Guelph. Mr. Guthrie gave an excellent address, closing with the demand that the people be given a say as to which policy should be adopted.

Two resolutions were passed, one favoring the Laurier policy, Mr. Burlingham, a Quaker, who spoke against both policies, being the only one against, and the other favoring the submission of both policies to the people for their judgment, this carrying unanimously. Further meetings will be held throughout the riding during the recess.

SERIOUS CHARGES

Two Windsor Men Alleged To Be Expert Chinese Smugglers.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Detroit, Jan. 1.—Albert Stephens and John Humphries, two Windsor men arrested charged with Chinese smuggling, were arraigned before United States Commissioner J. Stanley Hurd, and pleaded not guilty, but waived examination. Bail was fixed at $2,500 each.

Immediately following the arraignment Humphries was arrested again on a capias, the recent grand jury having found an indictment against him for alleged Chinese smuggling. He will be arraigned shortly before the United States District Court.

Chief Immigration Inspector Frick says that for four years the department has suspected Stephens of smuggling Chinese, and that he had been wanted for an alleged job in Buffalo.

M'MANIGAL STARTS BACK

Indianapolis, Jan. 2.—Ortie E. McManigal, the star witness for the Government in the recent dynamite trial, is on his way back to California, where his case will probably be disposed of soon.

Deputy Sheriff Malcolm McLaren, of Los Angeles, has McManigal in charge, and will reach Los Angeles probably Friday morning. The prisoner was brought to Indianapolis about Oct. 1, when the dynamite trial started, and has been confined in the Federal building ever since.

STILL UNDER WATER

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Jan. 1.—The Reid Wrecking Company today undertook to turn over the sand barge Hustler, which sank recently near Algonac, and was brought to this port later in a capsized condition. The wrecker Manistique and two powerful tugs made several efforts to roll her over, but were prevented by the smashing of steel cables and ropes. The tug Fisher broke two 7-inch ropes, and later the two tugs parted a double No. 7 steel cable. The boat is now being attached with new lines, and another pull will be given tomorrow. The suction of the water when the hull gets to a certain point causes the heavy strain.

NEED THE TRAIN

Port Elgin Shippers Averse to Changing Present Schedule.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Port Elgin, Jan. 1. — It is understood that the Grand Trunk officials may cut off the stock train, which has been leaving here regularly. The service given by that train has been a great convenience to the shippers and to the farmers, who hoped that the train would be continued. Every businessman is interested in the matter, as farmers are attracted to town owing to the shipping conveniences, and if the train is taken off, and the work has to be done by the early freight which leaves here shortly after six o'clock, farmers and shippers generally would be compelled to bring in the stock the night before.

The matter may be taken up with the railway commission.

Weather Probs—Fair SMALLMAN & INGRAM, Limited Shop With a Transfer Card

Sale of Blankets to Begin the New Year Today



100 Pairs, Large Sizes, $3.45, $4.25 and $4.95 Pair, Regular Prices $4.25, $5.00 and $6.00

A special purchase from one of the best blanket mills in Canada—the clearing of odd lots left after the season's orders had been filled. We secured the balance of three lines, about 100 pairs in all. Blankets that we have sold regularly and which we know are popular make and wanted sizes, extra large for these prices. A splendid opportunity for hotels and boarding-houses to replenish their supply, and in the face of advancing prices on all lines, the above prices mean even greater savings than the figures indicate. Both Union and All-Wool Blankets included in this sale. Note the sizes and weights. **SEE WINDOW DISPLAY TODAY.** All are perfectly clean goods, fresh from the mill.

MAIL ORDERS FILLED AND DELIVERY CHARGES PREPAID WHILE THEY LAST

50 Pairs $4.25 Blankets for $3.45 Pair

Fine White Wool Blankets (Union), standard weight and size, fresh, clean stock, 7 pounds weight, size 64x82. A very serviceable and unusual blanket at this price. Hotels and housekeepers should secure a quantity of these. 50 pairs only. $4.25 Blankets, sale price..... **$3.45**

25 Pairs $6.00 Blankets for $4.95 Pair

These are superfine all-wool Blankets of excellent quality, extra large size, 68x86 and 8 pounds in weight. A very white, soft blanket, thoroughly bleached and scoured, pink or blue borders. Only 25 pairs of this quality. It will be wise to order early for these. Regular $6.00 Blankets. Sale price, a pair..... **$4.95**

Fourth Floor

25 Pairs $5.00 Blankets for $4.25 Pair

These are All-Wool Blankets, extra quality, size 64x82, full 7 pounds. Extraordinary size and weight for this price, and the price should be a great inducement to lay in your stock now. Regular $5.00 Blankets. Sale price..... **$4.25**

Flannelette Blankets, Special $1.00 and $1.25 Pair

White and gray, some are slightly soiled; pink or blue borders, suitable for single or three-quarter beds or children's beds. This lot, pair..... **$1.00**

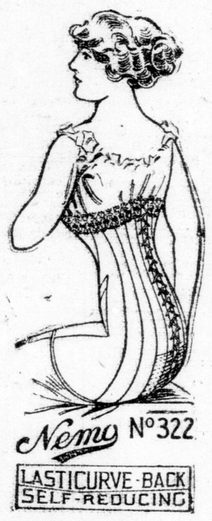
Also larger sizes for double beds in white or gray, with blue or pink borders, good quality. Special lot to clear at, per pair..... **$1.25**

Fourth Floor.

Introductory Sale of the Newest "Nemo" Corset

$3.50 Nemo TRIPLE STRIP $3.50

LASTICURVE-BACK SELF-REDUCING



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The picture shows the new "Lasticurve back"—broad gores of elastic which extend far below the back steels, and are laced clear down to the end.

The gores are of the new Lastikops cloth, which is guaranteed to retain all of its original elasticity. When you stand the very long skirt clings closely, and follows the incurve of the figure; corset edge can't show through even a gauzy gown.

When you sit down, you're comfortable. The corset spreads freely. Price, pair..... **$3.50**

Second Floor.

See those broad gores at the back. Every woman will understand that this means extreme style with comfort. This is a new model for stout women. Not only the greatest figure-reducing corset yet produced, but is a very remarkable value, simply as a corset, saying nothing of its splendid new style features. It is the new Nemo Lasticurve back, as pictured. One glance will tell you what this corset does. The elastic sections will outwear the corset. Price, pair. **$3.50**

The picture shows the new "Lasticurve back"—

Have your new gowns fitted over a pair of the new "Nemo," No. 322.

Delivery charges prepaid on all orders received by mail.

STOUT WOMEN FIND PERFECT COMFORT IN THE NEW NEMO.

SPECIAL REDUCTIONS IN LADIES' AND MISSES' WINTER COATS.

SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

IN THE RESTAURANT. Dainty afternoon teas. Special service for parties, 3 to 5:30.

GEORGE MORTIMER DEAD

Proprietary Medicine Man Was in Business in Canada for Some Years.

Boston, Jan. 1.—George Mortimer, founder of George Mortimer & Sons. and a pioneer in introducing the proprietary medicine trade in this country, died this noon at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Mary J. Mortimer, in Brookline, Mass.

When he was four years old he crossed the ocean and landed in Canada, where he became a carpenter. In 1856 he went to Wisconsin to study law. In 1867 Mr. Mortimer returned to Canada and became identified with a drug company in Montreal, of which he was manager for a time. In 1872 he came to this city, and in 1880 organized the company which bears his name.

Four sons and three daughters survive him.

COURIER CHANGES HANDS.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Brantford, Jan. 1.—A change in the ownership of the Brantford Courier went into effect today. A joint stock company, headed by W. F. Cockshutt, M. P., W. S. Brewster, M. P. P., and others, has acquired control. The change marks the retirement of R. H. Roville as business manager, but F. Douglas Roville will continue as editor.

Pains Have Vanished

Neuralgia Completely Cured.

The cure of Mrs. H. L. Barrett, Guthrie, P. Q., is another victory by Hood's Sarsaparilla. This great medicine has succeeded in many cases where others have utterly failed. Mrs. Barrett says: "I suffered intensely from neuralgia in the head, face and shoulders. I had used various medicines without relief. I heard of Hood's Sarsaparilla and decided to try it, and I bless the day I did. I took it several months and now feel well. All my pains have vanished."

Get Hood's Sarsaparilla today. Sold by all druggists everywhere.

SPECIAL AROUND THE WORLD CRUISE

Canadian Pacific Empresses of Russia and Asia

An unusual opportunity for an around the world cruise all under the Canadian Pacific flag with its consequent standard of service is offered with the advent of the great new quadruple screw turbine engine steamships "Empress of Russia" and "Empress of Asia."

The "Empress of Russia" will sail from Liverpool April 1st and will call at Gibraltar April 4th, Villefranche April 8th, Port Said April 12th, and will proceed via Suez, Colombo, Penang, Singapore, Hong Kong, Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama and arrive at Vancouver Saturday, May 31st. From Vancouver to Toronto, passengers may travel via Canadian Pacific main line or Crow's Nest Pass line and may also travel from Fort William or via Great Lakes route to Port McNicoll.

The most direct connection to make for the sailing from Liverpool April 1st is via "Empress of Britain" from St. John, N. B., March 21st, 1913.

The Canadian Pacific Atlantic Empresses are so well known and have established so enviable a reputation for safety, speed, service and accommodation, that when we say the "Empress of Russia" and "Empress of Asia" are larger and faster than the "Empress of Britain" and "Empress of Ireland," it means a great deal. They embody the very latest features of marine architecture and every known convenience and comfort for passengers — the service and cuisine will be maintained at high "Canadian Pacific" standard.

The "Empress of Russia" and "Empress of Asia" are sister ships — 593 feet long, 68 feet beam—gross register 16,850 tons, displacement about 34,000 tons—speed 20 knots—quadruple screw—turbine engines—and the first merchant vessels built with the "cruiser" stern, a feature which is especially adapted for speed and increases the stability, besides securing more room on the various decks. When ocean liners were built so that they should float with two of their compartments filled with water, it was thought a great thing, but the new "Empresses" can have four of their compartments filled and still float.

The rate for the entire cruise is $639.10 exclusive of maintenance between arrival time in England and departure of the "Empress of Russia."

A similar cruise will be made by the "Empress of Asia" sailing from Liverpool May 27th, 1913.

Get particulars from Canadian Pacific agents, or write M. G. Murphy, district passenger agent, Toronto. b

MORE SCHOOLS IN RUSSIA

Popular Education Making Rapid Strides Under Czar's Policy.

St. Petersburg, Dec. 31. — Popular education in Russia is making rapid strides in advance; so much so that the next statistics of people who can neither read nor write, not long ago officially estimated at 60 per cent of the total population, will certainly indicate a notable decrease. In the last fifteen years public instruction has immensely improved.

The existing system of state schools was founded in the second half of the nineteenth century, when the edict of the abolition of serfdom appeared. Until the year 1860 Russia only had 4,077 public schools. When in 1864 the zemstvos were established, the number of schools increased rapidly, and at the end of the sixties there were in Russia 22,770 schools with 1,140,915 pupils.

Under Alexander III. popular education made further advances, and at the end of his reign the number of schools had reached 43,385 with 2,970,000 pupils. Under the present Czar, educational matters have received increased attention. Thus the schools opened by the zemstvos were granted a state subsidy of $190 for every 50 schools, while the teachers got increases in salary.

At the present time there are in Russia 100,295 elementary schools with 154,177 male and female teachers and 6,180,510 pupils. Of these schools 56,910 have been opened under the reign of Nicholas II., the present Czar. During the same period the number of industrial schools has risen from 1,223 to 2,748. A teacher in the state schools now begins on a salary of $172 a year. After five years he draws $200, after ten years $220, and the maximum is only $270 a year.

FRANCIS JOSEPH ILL

Disquieting Reports in Regard to the Health of the Austrian Emperor.

London, Thursday, Jan. 2.—The Rome correspondent of the Daily Mail says the Papal Nuncio at Vienna has sent to the Vatican a disquieting report in regard to the health of the Emperor Francis Joseph.

The report has caused much anxiety notwtihstanding official reassuring statements from Vienna.

INDIANS WIN CASE

$247,609 Land Claim Allowed After 116 Years' Litigation.

Albany, Jan. 2.—The court of appeals yesterday declared that the Cayuga nation of Indians has the right to an adjustment of its claim against the state for $247,609.33, which has been pending 116 years. The claim was for the profits realized by the state from the sale of lands acquired from the Indians in 1796, and the court holds that the land board must try to effect a settlement.

"It is to be assumed," says the prevailing opinion of Judge Gray, "that a sense of justice and a spirit of fairness will govern the board in agreeing upon the prineipal sum to be awarded, as well as in the allowance of any sum as a charge against the award for expenses of prosecuting the claim."

The court stood four to two on the ruling.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS.

Jan. 1.	Reported at	From
L. Champlain	St. John	London
Adriatic	New York	Genoa
Kroonland	New York	Antwerp
Megantic	Queenstown	New York

CONDENSED ADS.

No Advertisement Accepted Less Than Fifteen Words.

Amusements—Ten cents per line each insertion, or two cents per word if set solid.

Meetings—Where no admission is charged, one cent per word each insertion.

Articles for Sale, To Let, Help Wanted, Situations Wanted, Board and Lodgings, Lost and Found, Rooms to Let, and all similar condensed advertisements — First insertion, one cent per word; each subsequent insertion, one-half cent a word. No advertisements less than fifteen words.

BORN, MARRIED, DIED.

MARRIAGES

McLEOD—WESTON — At 437 Ontario street, the residence of the bride's mother, on Dec. 31, 1912, by the Rev. G. N. Hazen, Ellen Mary, fourth daughter of the late Nathaniel Weston, to Donald J. McLeod, both of London. b

DEATHS.

LEARN—At her late residence, 25 Bruce street, on Thursday, Jan. 2, 1913, Mary J., beloved wife of Benjamin Learn, in her 71st year.

Funeral private, from above address, on Saturday, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 p.m. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery. 5u

TOTTON—Suddenly, on Monday, Dec. 30, 1912, at her late residence in Toronto, the dearly beloved wife of Joseph Totton, aged 66 years.

TOTTON—On Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1912, at Toronto, Joseph Totton, husband of the late Margaret Totton, in his 68th year.

The double funeral from 625 Broadview avenue, Toronto, on Thursday, Jan. 2; service at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Norway Cemetery. b

AMUSEMENTS, LECTURES.

GRAND A. J. SMALL Sole Prop.

TWICE TODAY 2:30, 8:15
LAST TIME.
PAUL J. RAINEY'S AFRICAN HUNT
Seen and Described by Marvellous Motion Pictures.
NIGHT, 25c, 35c, 50c; Few, 75c.
MATINEE, 25c, 35c, 50c.

TOMORROW EVENING SAT. MAT. & NIGHT.
A Clean, Wholesome Comedy-Drama for Old and Young.
LITTLE WOMEN
Original New York Company.
MATINEE, 25c, 35c, 50c, 75c, $1.00.
NIGHT, 25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
SEATS ON SALE.

Next Monday Night
SEASON'S DRAMATIC EVENT.
A BUTTERFLY ON THE WHEEL
ALL-STAR ENGLISH CAST.
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1.00, $1.50.
SEATS TOMORROW.

Wednesday Night
Lewis Waller
—IN—
"A MARRIAGE OF CONVENIENCE"
And His Entire English Company.
Cast Includes
MADGE TITHERADGE.
PRICES—25c, 50c, 75c, $1, $1.50, $2.
Seats Saturday, 9 a.m. Mail Orders.

JUBILEE ROLLER RINK—BAND TONIGHT (Thursday). Friday, one-mile amateur race. Saturday afternoon, matinee; band at night. b

CRUISES
Bermuda, Jamaica, Central and South America, Mediterranean, Egypt and the Holy Land.
E. DE LA HOOKE
General Steamship and Tourist Agent,
422 Park Avenue (London Loan Block).

NEW YEAR'S DANCE—PALACE ACADEMY, Monday evening, Jan. 6. Present regular Monday evening invitations. For extras, phone. Private lesons any hour. Classes as usual. Dayton & McCormick.

F. B. CLARKE'S
is the best office to buy your tickets to the Old Country. All business transacted quickly. Our long distance phone reaches the head office at once. No waiting. The latest information always at hand.
To The Old Country
by all lines. Steamship business our specialty.
F. B. CLARKE
416 RICHMOND STREET,
Next Bank of Commerce, London, Ont.

LONDON MINERAL BATHS — OPEN Saturday, Sunday, Monday during winter. Baths, 25c and 50c.

WARD'S HARP ORCHESTRA—ENGAGEMENTS accepted for social events. 91 Tecumseh avenue. Phone 8499.

TONY CORTESE & SON'S ORCHESTRA —Original London Harpers, 161 Maple street. Phone 1570.

LONDON LADY HARPERS—ENGAGEMENTS accepted for concerts and social events. Address Miss Ella Topping, Tambling's Corners. Phone 91, Ring 3, Byron

DANCING—PRIVATE LESSONS, R. B. Millard, 345 Princess avenue. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phone 2451. 26tf

MUSIC FURNISHED FOR PARTIES, balls, banquets. Phone 1265, Tony Vita's Italian Harpers, 122 Queen's avenue.

CORTESE BROS., LONDON HARPERS —Engagements accepted for all occasions. Phone 1806. 131 Fullarton street. 7tf

SIGNS.

"THE SIGNRY," MARLEY & WEEKES —Electric signs and fine show cards our specialty. 272 Dundas street. Phone 1345

SLATE ROOFING.

SLATE, GRAVEL AND CEMENT roofer—Paint for iron roofs. Walter Scott, 506 York street.

DERMATOLOGY.

BUTLER'S, 235 DUNDAS — HAIR goods, hairdressing, face and scalp treatment. Superfluous hair removed.

MISS BEATTIE, GRADUATE GRAHAM Dermatological School, Chicago—Superfluous hair, moles, warts, permanently removed. Chiropody and manicuring. Room 214, Masonic Temple.

MEETINGS.

AUDITORIUM, SUNDAY, 4 O'CLOCK—Dr. F. W. Troy, New York city, speaks to men. Dr. Troy is a brilliant speaker. All men invited. 5u-wt

MALE HELP WANTED.

YOUNG MEN IN GREAT DEMAND now for telegraphers, station agents, freight and ticket clerks. We specialize in this training. Positions secured. Want 200 more now to prepare for positions in the spring. Free Book M gives full particulars. Write Dominion School Railroading, Toronto. 5-1wxxxx

MESSENGER BOYS WANTED. APPLY G. N. W. Telegraph Company. 3-1

WANTED — AN APPRENTICE TO learn barbering. J. Frezell, East London. 3c-ywt

CYLINDER PRESS FEEDERS WANTED. Apply Advertiser Job Department. 5tf

BOYS WANTED. APPLY ADAM BECK, 173 Albert street. 34tf

CANADIAN GOVERNMENT NEEDS railway mail clerks, $90 month; London examinations soon; specimen questions free. Franklin Institute, Dept. 716 W., Rochester, N. Y. Jan.17

SITUATIONS WANTED.

MAN WANTS WORK—GOOD REFERENCES. Address Box 64, Advertiser. 95bu

WANTED.

PAINTING, PAPERHANGING AND glazing, building repairs of all kinds. Address A. Goodeve, Broughdale P.O. 5c

HENS WANTED—50 WHITE ROCK and 50 Leghorn laying hens, also two sectional incubators of 500 capacity each. J. G. Maloney, 281 Wellington street or 11 Chester street. 5c

WANTED—SIX-ROOM HOUSE, ABOUT ten minutes' walk from C. P. R. depot; all modern conveniences. Box 84, Advertiser. 5c

CASH PAID FOR MEN'S AND BOY'S second-hand bicycles. Gurd's, 185 Dundas street.

WANTED — SHETLAND OR WELSH pony, city broke and sound. Apply Dan Scott, Arva, Ont. 4c

WANTED TO BUY—SMALL COTTAGE, price not to exceed $1,100. Apply 16 Horn street, London South. 4c-xwt

WANTED—FLAT-TOPPED DESK OR office table. Apply Box 79, Advertiser. 3tf

WANTED—SOMEONE TO BOARD A baby girl. Box 78, Advertiser. 3c

WANTED—SOMEONE TO ADOPT A baby girl. Box 77, Advertiser. 3c

WANTED—DRESSMAKING BY THE day; capable and neat, up to date. 442 Waterloo street. 3c

WANTED—ROOM AND BOARD IN PRIVATE family by young lady who is prepared to pay for comforts of a home. Apply Box 71, Advertiser. 3c

BOARD AND ROOMS WANTED FOR students attending the Westervelt School. Send particulars. J. W. Westervelt, principal. 2n

WANTED — DEAD HORSES AND cattle; phone 638; will go twelve miles; no animal removed without its hide on. The London Fertilizer Company.

WANTED—LADY'S ASTRIDE SADDLE and bridle. Apply Box 25, Advertiser. 80tf

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—NICKEL MILITARY SPUR, ON Oxford street, between Richmond and Maitland streets. Return to Advertiser office and receive reward. b

$5 REWARD FOR LEATHER SATCHEL lost on Saturday evening, containing girl's clothing, etc., on fifth concession, London Township, Proof Line road, or city, north of Fullarton. Please return to this office. bd&w

LOST, SUNDAY NIGHT, BETWEEN King and Grey, on Colborne—Ivory and gold crook-handle of parasol. Return, 377 Grey. Reward. 4c

FOUND, SUNDAY—BRINDLE BULL, collar on. Apply 263 Talbot street. 4u

LOST—BELT PIN, AMETHYST SETTING. Reward on return to this office. 4c

LOST—GOLD LOCKET, MONOGRAM "F. L.," back and front; ruby and white sapphire. Reward, G. T. R. parcel room. 3c

LOST, ON SATURDAY, DEC. 14—White bull pup, ears recently cut. Reward at Morkin House. 3c

MEDICAL CARDS.

DR. J. D COLLINS, 171 KENT STREET. Phone 3844.

DR. GEORGE McNEILL HAS REMOVED his office and residence to 245 Queen's avenue.

DR. PINGEL—OFFICE, 316 QUEEN'S avenue, London. X-ray specialist.

DR. W. M. SHOEBOTHAM, CORNER Richmond and John streets. Specialty, surgery and diseases of women.

DR. G. L. CLARKE—EYE, EAR, NOSE and throat. 394 Dundas street.

DR. NORMAN R. HENDERSON, CORNER Park and Dufferin. Eye, ear, nose, throat.

DR. N. H. BEAL, CORNER OF DUNDAS and Maitland streets. Specialty, diseases of women and surgery. Phone 889.

DR. E. PARDEE BUCKE, 207 QUEEN'S avenue. Eye, ear, nose and throat.

DR. GORDON L JEPSON, 310 QUEEN'S avenue. Telephone 2913.

F. L. BURDON, M.D., L.R.C.P. AND S. (Edinburgh)—Special attention diseases women, children. Office and residence, 461 Waterloo street. Phone 258.

DR. J. CAMERON WILSON—OFFICE and residence, 260 Queen's avenue. Phone 266.

DR. ERNEST WILLIAMS—SPECIALTY, diseases of the heart. 363 Queen's avenue.

DR. McLELLAN — EYE, EAR, NOSE, throat. Hours, 10 to 4, 6 to 7:30. Sunday by appointment only. 564 Richmond.

DR. MEEK, QUEEN'S AVENUE — Specialty, diseases of women. Hours, 10 to 2.

DR. J. W. CRANE, 289 QUEEN'S AVENUE. Phone 4052.

DR. W. J. STEVENSON, 389 DUNDAS street—Specialty, diseases of women and surgery. Phone 519.

DR. HUGH A. STEVENSON, 391 DUNDAS street—Special attention X-rays. Phone 127.

DR. F. P. DRAKE—SPECIALTY, DISEASES of stomach and digestive system. Office, 371 Wellington street.

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EXTEND INTERCHANGE OF THE OFFICERS

Canadians in Imperial Army Service Favored by Deputy to the Minister of War.

London, Jan. 2. — The question of an interchange of military officers between Great Britan and the dominions, which has received the strong advocacy of Colonel Sam Hughes, the Canadian minister of militia, and Senator Pearce, the Australian minister of defence, was raised in the House of Commons today, when Sir G. Parker asked the colonial secretary and the war minister how many imperial officers were at present serving in the dominions, and how many dominion officers were employed at the British war office or engaged in British military service.

Coloney J. E. B. Seely, the secretary of state for war, replied that the number of imperial officers in the dominions' service was: Canada 36, Australia 11, South Africa 14, New Zealand 16, this being exclusive of officers holding appointments as aides-de-camp. Dominion officers serving in the war office and with the British and Indian forces, exclusive of those attached for instruction, numbered: Canada 2, Australia 2, New Zealand 1.

"Will the Government," asked Mr. Parker, "consider a considerable extension in the appointment of overseas officers in the service here, not only for the purpose of extending the good feeling existing, but for the acquisition of knowledge necessary for the proper development of the imperial system?"

Col. Seely replied: "We are very anxious to extend this interchange of officer in every way we can, and we shall take every step possible."

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NAVY SECRETS OUT; ENGLAND PERTURBED

Authorities Attempt to Trace Course and Learn Source of Hints to Germany.

London, Dec. 31.—The British naval authorities are perturbed over the way in which minor secrets of the British navy have been reaching foreign powers, particularly Germany, the spies from which country, it is asserted, are always prepared with the biggest prices for information pertaining to naval matters.

There have been several prosecutions of civilians charged with communicating these secrets to foreign powers, and two men under suspicion have been dropped from the navy. More importance is attached to the recent arrest of George C. Parrott, an exgunner of the navy, one of the class of petty officers who, under recent regulations, are in line for promotion to the commissioned ranks.

Parrott, it was found, while doing duty at the school of gunnery, made trips to Ostend, where, according to evidence given against him, he was met by a foreigner, with whom he passed the evening, returning to England the same night. As it is against the regulations for a bluejacket or petty officer to leave England without leave Parrott's name was removed from the navy list, and some months later the police, having discovered that he received letters under an assumed name from the continent with money inclosed, he was arrested.

It was also found that Parrott had deposited considerable sums of money at his bank. One of the points of evidence against the prisoner is that the bank notes he received had on one occasion been sent to Germany. This evidence was made possible by the fact that at all banks a memorandum is made of the numbers of Bank of England notes in the bank's possession, and the disposition made of them. In this case two of the notes had been paid out to travelers, who had changed them in Germany.

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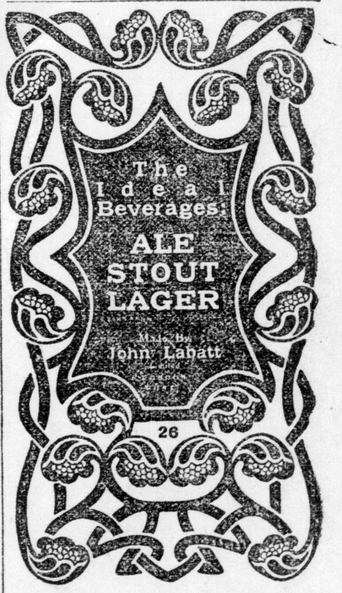
Batavia, Java, Dec. 31.—The Dutch Government is viewing with more or less displeasure the great activity of the Japanese relating to the trade of Java, and it is learned that the island authorities have made a report to The Hague urging that representations be made to Tokio against the greatly reduced shipping rates put into recent operation by the Japanese steamship lines, and made possible by the increased subsidies of Japan.

Dutch steamer people assert that they will have to go out of business so far as the carrying trade between Java and other Asiatic ports is concerned if the Japanese are allowed to compete at the ruinously low charges now in vogue.

In various parts of the island chambers of commerce and other trades bodies have passed resolutions calling upon shippers and passengers to boycott the Japanese lines, and at a number of the ports laborers have refused either to load or unload cargoes of Japanese ships. This has called forth loud protests on the part of the owners, but the local authorities have only ignored them, and this in turn has caused the Japanese Foreign Office to be appealed to.

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The Minister of Power has been shorn of his power as a Czar in this community.

He threw himself into this campaign with the avowed object of annhilating the six candidates who had refused to bow the knee to him in the council.

Particularly did he whet his knife for Alderman Richter, who dared to question the sacrosanct figures of the hydro-electric commission for street lighting, and whose remarkable acumen in financial matters tore Mr. Beck's rhetoric into shreds and patches.

Against Ald. Richter Mr. Beck exerted all his powers of abuse and misrepresentation, on the platform and through the London Free Press. The word was passed around that Richter must be given his quietus now and forever.

Ald. Richter's return at the head of the polls is more than a personal triumph, more than a reward for honest and able stewardship. It is a stunning rebuke to Adam Beck, the autocrat; a protest by thinking citizens against a bludgeoning dictatorship. Many in Mr. Beck's own political camp, hitherto his staunch and admiring followers, had their sense of fair play shocked by the treatment of so upright and conscientious a public servant as Ald. Richter, and rallied to his defence.

Alderman Bennett was also singled out for special attention at the hands of the Lord High Executioner. He had committed a capital offence by refusing to be bulldozed. His overwhelming victory is another blow in the face to Mr. Beck and his scribbling crew of defamers.

Electors were daily implored to defeat the six aldermen-candidates who were falsely accused of trying to "muzzle the people" because they insisted on the right of citizens to fuller information on a scheme involving the expenditure of nearly a million dollars; a scheme based on an obviously imperfect report, concealed from the council and the public until a few weeks before polling day; a scheme which aroused grave fears among manufacturers and shippers lest they should be deprived of steam road connections essential to their business. Five of the six members of the council who withstood the autocrat and were pelted with daily diatribes, have been re-elected. The sixth, Ald. Blandford, failed by a narrow margin, because he risked the loss of votes by advocating the compulsory clearing of snow from sidewalks, a method which, if tried in London, would, we are sure, find permanent favor as in other cities.

It is true that seven candidates were elected whose names appeared on what was called an "electrification slate," but it will be surprising if all of them shut the door in the faces of manufacturers and merchants who ask that at least the vital question of the relation of steam roads to the project be considered before the ratepayers are compelled to make a decision.

The voting on the bylaws gave Mr. Beck another black eye.

He denounced the board of control proposal, and the citizens indorsed it by a vote of three to one.

He pleaded for the retention of the board of water commissionerrs, and the citizens rejected his advice.

At the eleventh hour he caused a broadside to be fired through his newspaper at the Federal Square Scheme, not on its merits, but because he feared the expenditure of $200,000 would militate against the success of his own pet project. Result: The Federal Square bylaw carried by a vote of 2,282 to 1,845.

It will be in keeping with Mr. Beck's methods if he tries to invoke the power of the Legislature to defeat the will of the people in respect to the board of control and the board of water commissioners. There are precedents for this arbitrary course; fiat legislation has too often supplanted the reign of law in recent years.

Will the aldermen elected by the specious cry that they "trusted the people" more than their rivals, acquiesce in any steps to annul the popular vote? We do not believe they will be disposed to do so, but an attempt may be made to dragoon them.

The duty of the council in respect to the whole railroad situation is discussed in an article which follows.

DUTY OF THE CITY COUNCIL.

The election completely vindicated the seven aldermen who voted in favor of obtaining the necessary information from independent sources before submitting the question of electrification to the people. It cannot be contended that their attitude was rebuked by the citizens when the two candidates who were specially denounced by the promoters of the scheme ran first and third respectively at the polls.

It is now the duty of the City Council to act as men untrammeled by dictatorship, and uninfluenced by the plea that Mr. Beck's future as a public man is involved. Mr. Beck's position is a personal matter, of no importance compared with the position of the city of London.

In the campaign an effort was made to hoodwink the railwaymen of the city by asserting that the claims of the Grand Trunk and Canadian Pacific to the L. and P. S. R. were being ignored. There can be no objection to inviting bids for the road from the Grand Trunk, the Canadian Pacific, the Canadian Northern, the Michigan Central, the Pere Marquette and any other railway. There is no interest in London greater than its railway interests. They involve the wholesale and manufacturing interests, and the general welfare of the whole city.

It should be made a certainty that the Michigan Central and Pere Marquette will be retained. It will be a calamity if the Canadian Northern is not also secured. In this way the wholesale and manufacturing interests will be preserved and stimulated. It is the first duty of the council to protect in every way those who have by their energy and ability built up London as the second wholesale centre in the province.

Let the council consider well what the destruction or even partial destruction of these interests means to London. Mr. Beck advises that the London and Port Stanley be electrified first, and the Michigan Central and Pere Marquette dealt with afterwards. He advises this in the face of the letter from the chairman of the executive of the Michigan Central that he will not use the rails of the London and Port Stanley if electrified, and against the protest of the wholesale men of London, who say the loss of the Michigan Central means the ruin of the wholesale business of London.

Will he repeat that advice in the face of the vote polled by Ald. Richter and Ald. Bennett?

Mr. Beck advises that the statements made by the Canadian Northern Railway be disregarded. The Canadian Northern say they will put London on their main line, connecting it with their transcontinental system. They will build shops employing 150 men. These depend on satisfactory arrangements as to terminals, which in the company's opinion can be best secured by means of the London and Port Stanley Railway. Failing these arrangements, the company will carry their main line through St. Thomas, and reach London by a spur.

Will Mr. Beck repeat his advice to have nothing to say to the Canadian Northern in face of the vote polled by the aldermen he assailed?

Yesterday word was received that $20,000,000 would be expended by the United States Steel Corporation in establishing one of their huge plants at Sandwich. The statement is also made that the Canadian Northern terminals are being arranged between Windsor and Sandwich. Sandwich, Windsor and Walkerville are practically one city. Each has been for some time enjoying a quiet boom that bids fair to blossom into one rivalling the west. One of Windsor's best citizens, and he shares the common belief there, says in less than three years these three places, in reality one, will have a population exceeding 50,000. This latest development tends to confirm his faith. If London is to maintain its place, it cannot afford to ignore either its railway or wholesale interests.

In the light of these facts, and in the face of the vote polled by Ald. Richter and Ald. Bennett, will Mr. Beck repeat his advice to disregard anything the wholesale or railway interests may say?

Was there ever a more pitiable spectacle in London than Adam Beck pleading with the council of 1912 to refuse an independent inquiry before forcing the people to vote on a project, which, for all that is yet known, would destroy London's railway interests and therefore destroy its wholesale trade and break up hundreds of the homes of its best citizens, and for no other reason than that "My future as a public man depends on the success of this scheme?"

'Tis true, 'tis pity; and pity 'tis, 'tis true." "Ichabod" may well be written over Adam's brow.

BETTER OFF THAN HE KNEW.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"Merry Christmas, Rambo! Here's your bill for professional services, receipted in full."

"Thanks awfully, doctor; but—but you oughtn't to give me such a present as that. I've done nothing to deserve it."

"I know it. I'm not making you a present of anything. You paid me one day when you were too full to know what you were doing, and I've held back the receipt till now. Merry Christmas, old chap!"

HOW WE APPORTION OUR TIME.

[London Chronicle.]

Lord Knutsford, whose sudden illness is causing anxiety, has already lived 14 years longer than his grandfather, Sydney Smith. The author of "Peter Plymley" once made an elaborate calculation as to the way people apportion their time in the course of a long life.

When he was 72 he remarked, to a girl he met, "Do you ever reflect how you pass your life? If you live to be my age, which I hope you may, your life is passed in the following manner: An hour a day is three years. This makes 27 years sleeping, nine years dressing, nine years at table, six years playing with children, nine years walking, drawing and visiting; six years shopping and three years quarrelling.

WAIT FOR RESULTS.

[Newark Morning Star.]

A fire insurance agent tells this one: "We have some funny experiences in our business. One day a small merchant of the Hill section came to me and insured his stock of ready-made clothing for $3,500. He was going out with the policy when I reminded him that he had forgotten to pay the premium.

"How much is it?" inquired my customer.

"'Oh, just a little matter of $24.'

"'Well,' said he, 'suppose you just let the premium stand and deduct it when the store burns down.'"

A GOOD THING TO KEEP.

[New Orltans Picayune.]

The way to keep your credit good is never to use it. It is one of the few things in this world that gets better and more valuable without exercise.

A CASE OF SHEER OBSTINACY.

[Toronto Star.]

The question of assessment reform is non-political. Its chief spokesmen have been in Sir James Whitney's own party. Conservative newspapers everywhere favor it. There are more Conservative members of the Legislature in favor of it than there are Liberals now in the assembly. Why is Sir James against it? Because he is against it. Somebody rubbed him the wrong way some time or other on this question, and the country must sweat for it, because Caesar, mind you, is Caesar, and his minions, mind you, must not be allowed to forget that they are minions.

HIT THE NAIL ON THE HEAD.

[Lippincott's.]

"What," asked the Sunday school teacher, "is meant by bearing false witness against one's neighbor?"

"It's telling falsehoods about them," said one small maid.

"Partly right and partly wrong," said the teacher.

"I know," said another little girl, holding her hand high in the air. "It's when nobody did anything and somebody went and told about it."

USEFULNESS.

[Chicago Trigune.]

Some men seem to have outlived their usefulness, when as a matter of fact they never had any.

A BAREFACED LEGALITE.

[New York Sun.]

May it please your honor," said the lawyer, addressing one of the judges, "I brought the prisoner from the jail on a habeas corpus."

"Well," said the man in an undertone, who was standing in the rear of the court, "these lawyers will say anything. I saw the man get out of a taxi at the court door."

EGYPT'S COTTON CROP.

New York, Jan. 2. — A cable from Cairo says: Lord Edward Cecil, financial adviser to the Egyptian Government, has presented his note on the budget of 1913. Respecting the cotton crop, he remarks that the crop of 1912 is probably larger than in any previous year, and that if present prices are maintained it should be worth about $12,500,000 more than that of 1911.



MR. S. F. GLASS,
Elected an Alderman for the first time in London.

BRYON AND THE FAIR SEX

[By Special Arrangement With the Winnipeg Telegram.]

The other day I had occasion to refer to the infelicities of married life in the Byron household. Today I should like to call the attention of my readers to a new life of Byron that has just been written by Ethel Colburn Mayne, and has been published in two volumes by Methuen & Co. As might be expected, this new biographer of the handsome poet confesses that he had many noble attributes, but she excoriates him for his contemptuous opinion of women. The shade of Byron cannot complain if a lady biographer exposes his faults, for he said things about the fair sex which ought to make every woman execrate his memory. Imagine how a suffragette would gnash her teeth at this Byronic outburst, as frank and as cynical as anything he ever wrote—"I regard them," he says, "as very pretty but inferior creatures, who are as little in their place at our tables as they would be in our council chambers. The whole of the present system with regard to the female sex is a remnant of the barbarism of the chivalry of our forefathers. I look on them as grown-up children: but, like a foolish mamma, I am constantly the slave of one of them. The Turks shut up their women, and are much happier; give a woman a looking-glass and burnt almonds, and she will be content." We can faintly imagine how Mrs. Pankhurst would chortle at these words, and we find here in this new biography the joy which dominates Miss Mayne's style as she pays Byron back in his own coin. She mocks him because of his dandyism, his vanity, his self-indulgence, his fits of temper, his inability to break away from his bondage to the Countess Giriccoli, and other charmers, and his numerous vices.

And yet, despite the cruel realism with which Miss Mayne has depicted Byron's attitude to women and his sins generally, she has been unable to resist altogether the glamor of that wonderful personality which held Europe in thrall as much as did Napoleon Bonaparte himself. If Byron was a great sinner, he was also a sincere repenter. Miss Mayne quotes Swinburne as saying of Byron that the power of his personality lay in "the splendid and imperishable excellence which covers all his offences and outweighs all his defects; the excellence of sincerity and strength." Byron always submitted to temptation and indulged himself in the sins of the flesh, but he always repented, sometimes with tears and bitter lamentations, enduring the pains of hell. Miss Mayne recognizes this Davidian virtue in the poet of despair and analyzes these moods with great psychological insight. She puts the very worst interpretation on that mysterious sin, the memory of which haunted Byron in his later years, and for which Harriet Beecher Stowe flayed him all through the pages of her book, which was inspired by the confidences of Lady Byron. I cannot agree with this new biographer in her acceptance of the Mrs. Stowe charges, which blackened the character of Augusta Leigh, Byron's half sister. Sometimes I am inclined to think that this awful tragedy which stalks through the pages of "Manfred," this secret sin, which Byron raved about, was the figment of his own imagination, but whatever the theories that literary critics may spin, it is an enigma that never can be solved. The very fact, however, that Byron had a genius for repentance, as one writer puts it, is what wins for him our sympathy.

And no matter how cruelly Miss Mayne shows up his weak points, no matter how bitterly Lady Byron, Mrs. Stowe, Harriet Martineau, and all the blue stocking writers of his own time railed against him, Byron possessed a remarkable charm even for the members of that sex whom he affected to despite, but whom he really adored. Even Lady Caroline Lamb, an aristocratic and eccentric beauty who flourished in Byron's hey-day of fame had to confess his power of attraction although she tried to summon up will power enough to resist it. Her friend Rogers, the banker, warned her against the blandishments of the noble poet. "He has a club foot," he said, "and he bites his nails." "If he is as ugly as Aesop, I must see him," she exclaimed. After her first meeting with Byron, she went home and wrote in her diary, "Mad—bad—and dangerous to know." Later, however, when the Apollo of English song called at Melbourne House, she "flew to beautify herself." A few months later, she was so captivated by him that we find her threatening to stab herself with a pair of scissors unless she can obtain some assurance that he has not ceased to love her. Even in a literary way his influence over the fair sex was prodigious. They realized that his poetry was pernicious in its influence, but very few could resist its fascination. It was "mad—sometimes bad—often dangerous to know," but, like the genius who wrote it, it had the same flavor that the Eden apple had for Eve. Frances Ann Kemble relates in her memoirs how Byron's poetry fascinated her, how she "fastened on the book with a grip like steel," and carried it off and hid it under her pillow; how it affected her "like an evil potion" and stirred her whole being with a tempest of excitement, till finally, she flung it aside, "resolved to read that grand poetry no more, and broke through the thraldom of that powerful spell." Perhaps Miss Mayne's book will help to revive that spell of the personality and poetry of Lord Byron, for to appreciate his verse you must be familiar with the events in that short and stormy life.

Ivanhoe.

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CHAPMAN'S JANUARY LINEN SALE

Housekeepers, Attention!

Starting today, January 2nd, the big annual linen event comes on. As usual, we have arranged a list of particular interest to the housekeeper, in the home, the hotel and the boarding-house. Prices are reduced to induce buying this month. It is a chance to lay in a supply of Table Linen, Towels and Toweling.

Unbleached TABLE LINEN

54-inch Half-Bleached Table Linen. Special January Sale price, a yard.....22¢
60-inch Half-Bleached Table Linen, regular 35c yard. January Sale price, yard.29¢
60-inch Half-Bleached Table Linen, every thread pure Irish linen. Special, per yard .....36¢
64-inch Half-Bleached Table Linen, sale price, a yard .....47¢
66-inch extra heavy loom Damask Tabling, pure linen, worth 75c a yard. Sale price, a yard .....63¢
72-inch Half-Bleached Tabling, pure linen and very fine quality. Worth 90c. Sale price, a yard .....72¢

Towels

Linen Type Tea Towels, size 19x27 inches, hemmed ready to use. Sale price..... .....9¢ each, $1.00 a dozen
Extra large Huck Towels, plain white, hemmed ready for use. Size 24x38 inches. Special.....12½¢ each, $1.40 dozen
Pure Linen Huck Towels, size 22x40. Best 25c quality. Sale price, each.....20¢

Wool Caps and Sashes

Children's Knitted Wool Hockey Caps, in cardinal, navy, black and white, also navy Aviation Caps. Were 50c, to clear..44¢
Children's Wool Sashes, full length, with tassel. Cardinal or scarlet. Were 50c. To clear at .....44¢

Bleached Table Linen

62-inch Bleached Tabling, pure linen, extra heavy. Sale price, a yard .....42¢
60-inch Bleached Tabling, extra heavy pure linen. Sale price, a yard.....48¢
68-inch Bleached Tabling, fine quality, pure linen. Sale price, a yard.....65¢
72-inch Bleached Tabling, heavy damask. Regular price $1.15. Sale price, yard..98¢

Towelling

Linen Crash Towelling, 16 inches wide. Sale price, a yard .....5¢
Linen Crash Towelling, with red border, 17 inches wide. Sale price ....6½¢ a yard, 16 yards for $1.00
Brown and White Stripe Linen Towelling, extra heavy, at 8½¢ yard, 12 yards $1
Scotch Crash Towelling with red border, 17 inches wide. Regular 12½c a yard. Sale price.....10¢ yard, 10 yards $1.00

TEA CRASH TOWELLING.

Usual 18c Tea Crash, a yard.....14¢
23-inch Tea Crash, a yard.....11¢
27-inch Tea Crash, a yard.....10¢
22-inch Tea Crash, a yard .....8½¢
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One of the noble steeds at 931 Wellington street, upon interviewed, stated that it was time the base calumnies portraying himself and his stable mates as enemies of hydro should cease.

As the reporter gazed upon the row of hides, otherwise the hide-row, he was ready to believe it.

"But you surely don't regard yourself as part of the plant?" he asked.

"Sure," responded the horse. "Don't we make the wheels go around?"

"Are you in favor of electrification?"

"Neigh! Neigh!" responded the horse.

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Answer, Adam, answer this.

Answer this and nothing more,
"Why did you not speak last night?"
And Adam answered:
"I was sore."

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Hats off to John George Richter, pinch hitter!

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Adam Beck inaugurated the year 1913—mark well the 13—by starting on the toboggan to oblivion.

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The first day of the year was Richter's not Beck's.

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Really it's almost worth that $500 challenge to get that $1.17 admission.

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Every man attacked personally by the Free Press and ever scheme opposed by it were carried by the people.

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Adam is on the toboggan.

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It will need a large force of vacuum cleaners to extract the hollowness from this Free Press "triumph."

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If the people were in favor of rushing this scheme to the people why did they vote so overwhelmingly for Ald. Richter? Think it over!

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And there is no joy at Hedley;
Mighty Adam has struck out.

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Yes, Ambrose, the electrifi-cat is a black cat.

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Some more of Mr. Beck's prestige will be shorn, when he explains away the blocking of the Grand Trunk elevation and new station in London.

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Personal abuse doesn't go down with the electors of London. Mark it well, ye yellow journalists.

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We hope to be there when Ald. Richter climbs up on the gate post at Hedley to cry in clarion tones, "Cock a Doodle, Doo!"

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Adam came down a few pegs in public estimation on the first day of 1913.

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Ald. Wright says "the funny man" of this paper said he was "left at the post." Not quite right, Mr. Wright. We simply printed "Left at the post."

Being in the hat business, you put the cap on. Now it's "distanced."

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All honor to Ald. Coles. He sacrificed himself for his scheme. He gained good friends by the hundred.

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In a Nutshell.

Mr. Beck came out for electrification.

Ald. Richter, whom Mr. Beck described as electrification's enemy, headed the polls.

Mr. Beck sought to kill the federal square bylaw.

It was carried by a large majority.

Mr. Beck opposed the board of control idea.

The citizens showed their approval of it.

Mr. Beck opposed the change in the water commission.

The citizens carried it by a large majority.

Mr. Beck sought the defeat of six aldermen who would not be bulldozed.

Five of them were given splendid re-indorsations!

How does your future as a public man feel this evening, Mr. Beck?

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Commissioner Stevenson may say that he has twice done more than Wright.

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In spite of all claims, watch this council divulge a few surprises.

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Don't let any spineless person try to tell you otherwise, it was a glorious victory for our side.

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And the fall of Adam was written in the year one thousand, nine hundred and THIRTEEN.

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What Mr. Beck wanted was a council ready to submit a plebiscite—and he hasn't got it.

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Beck's silence last night was born of his soreness.

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We know at least two men on that "electrification" slate who never committed themselves to electrification.

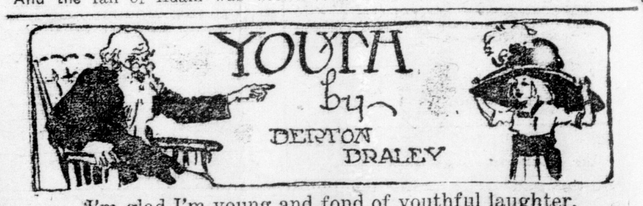
CHINESE BUDGET.

London, Jan. 2.—A dispatch to the Daily Telegraph from Peking says that the Chinese budget, which shortly will be submitted to the advisory council, will reach the immense total of 903,000,000 Mexican dollars. It will include $30,000,000 for reforming the salt gabelle, $30,000,000 to establish a gold exchange standard and $100,000,000 for the conversion of short-term domestic loans.

NEW BERLIN RULE.

Berlin, Germany, Jan. 2. —Right angles in crossing the street are required by local police rules, which have been adopted in the fashionable Schoeneberg and Charlottenberg residential districts of Berlin. The instructions now being distributed make it nominally unlawful to cross streets diagonally. The rule is in line with many new regualtions recently announced for traffic conditions in the city.

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I'm glad I'm young and fond of youthful laughter,
Finding much joy in all this wonderous earth,
My heart a house—filled up from floor to rafter
With love of life and light and gentle mirth—
I'm glad I'm young, with eyes that still can twinkle,
With ears that pleasure when the songs are sung,
And lips that still recall the way to crinkle
At jest and whimsy—ah, I'm glad I'm young!

I'm glad I'm young, although my hair has whitened,
And I am near my three-score years and ten;
Youth in my heart has kept my spirits lightened,
The ways of youth are still within my ken;
And if I cannot dance—I watch and listen,
Thinking of memories to which I've clung;
My blood still leaps, my eyes are still aglisten,
And, though I'm old, I'm glad that I am young!

Some Interesting News For Women

Crisp, Delicious Doughnuts for Cold Winter Days



Raised Doughnuts.

The ingredients for four dozen medium-sized doughnuts are one cup of sugar, one-half cup of butter, two eggs, one pint of warm milk, one cup of yeast or one yeast cake dissolved in warm water, one-halfteaspoon, each, of soda and salt, a dash of nutmeg. Mix with flour like soft bread dough. Let it rise over night. Turn out on a floured board, roll, cut one inch thick, cut into rings. Let rise until very light. Fry in hot fat turning often. When cold roll in powdered sugar. If these doughnuts are kept in a jar and heated and rolled in sugar as they are needed they will seem like freshly-cooked doughnuts.

Another way to have fresh doughnuts every day is to make the dough as directed and cut off enough each morning to roll out and fry for breakfast, keeping the rest of the dough on ice, which chills the yeast plant and retards rising. However, the cook must rise early to raise the dough. The first method is easier, though.

Dropped Doughnuts.

Two well-beaten eggs, one cupful of sugar, one cupful of sweet milk, one level teaspoonful of salt, one-half nutmeg, grated rind of lemon, three cupfuls of flour and two heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Drop from a teaspoon into boiling fat. The doughnuts will rise in round balls. Fry until a golden brown. Roll in sugar.

Fried Cakes.

Success in making good fried cakes depends as much on the cooking as the mixing. In the first place there should be boiling lard to keep them free from the kettle, so they swim on the top. The lard should never be so hot as to smoke or so cool as not to be boiling. If it is, the doughnuts soak grease and are spoiled. If the fat is at the right heat, the doughnuts will be a delicate brown outside in about ten minutes and nicely cooked inside. Try the fat by dropping a piece of the dough in first. If it is right the fat will boil up when it is dropped in. They should be turned over almost constantly, which causes them to rise and brown evenly. When the doughnut is sufficiently cooked raise from the hot fat and drain until no more fat drops from them.

More Raised Doughnuts.

The old-fashioned raised doughnut is seldom seen nowadays, but is easily made. Make a sponge as for bread, using a pint of warm water or milk and a large cupful of yeast. When the sponge is very light add a half a cupful of butter or sweet lard, a coffee cupful of sugar, a teaspoonful of salt and one small teaspoonful of soda, dissolved in a little water; one tablespoonful of cinnamon, a little grated nutmeg. Then stir in two well-beaten eggs. Add sifted flour until it is the consistency of biscuit dough. Knead it well, cover and let rise. Then roll the dough out into a sheet half an inch thick. Cut out with a very small biscuit cutter, or in strips half an inch wide and three inches long. Place them on greased tins. Cover them well and let them rise before frying them. Drop them in very hot lard. Raised cakes require longer than cakes made with baking powder. Sift powdered sugar over the cakes as fast as they dry.

German Doughnuts.

One pint of milk, four eggs, one small tablespoonful of melted butter, flavoring, salt to taste. First boil the milk and pour it, while hot, over a pint of flour. Beat it very smooth and when it is cool have ready the yolks of the eggs well beaten; add them to the milk and flour, beaten well into it. Then add the well-beaten whites. Then, lastly, add the salt and as much more flour as will make the whole into a soft dough. Flour your board, turn your dough upon it, roll it in pieces as thick as your fingers and turn them in the form of a ring. Cook in plenty of boiling lard. This is a nice breakfast cake with coffee.

Puff-Ball Doughnuts.

These doughnuts are quickly made. The ingredients are three eggs, one cupful of sugar, a pint of sweet milk, salt, nutmeg and flour enough to permit the spoon to stand upright in the mixture. Add two heaping teaspoonfuls of baking powder to the flour. Beat all until very light. Drop by the dessert spoonful into boiling lard. These will not absorb a bit of fat and are not at all rich.

Quick Doughnuts.

Cream, one cupful of sugar, with a cupful of shortening. Add one cupful of milk, two eggs, well beaten, one tablespoonful of cinnamon and nutmeg mixed and two cupfuls of flour, into which has been sifted a heaping teaspoonful of baking powder. Work in enough flour to make a soft dough. Roll out into a sheet nearly an inch thick and cut into shapes with a cutter. Fry in deep fat.

Sour Milk Doughnuts.

Cream a cupful of fat and two cupfuls of sugar. Add three beaten eggs, a half pint of sour milk, a teaspoonful of soda dissolved in a little boiling water, a teaspoonful, each, of nutmeg and cinnamon and enough flour to make a dough that can be roiled out. Boil and cut into shapes. Fry in deep, boiling fat which has been heated slowly.

Mother's Doughnuts.

Cream a generous half cupful of fat with two cupfuls of sugar. Add three well-beaten eggs, a cupful and a half of milk, about five cupfuls of flour which has been sifted with three teaspoonfuls of baking powder. Add this flour gradually until you have enough to make a dough that can be rolled out, as it may not take the full amount. Roll out, cut into rounds, drop into boiling fat and fry to a golden brown. Drain in a colander. While hot sprinkle with powdered sugar.

Crullers.

A piece of butted the size of an egg, one cup of sugar, one nutmeg, three eggs. Make stiff with flour and cut in fanciful shapes. Fry in boiling lard.

Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

A Home Shampoo.

Dear Miss Grey: What do you recommend as a safe shampoo for the hair? I am afraid of the preparations sold on the market.

OILY HEAD.

A.—The yolk of two eggs beaten into half a cup of warm water and applied to the head as a lather will prove effective and safe. There is sulphur in the yolk, which is good for the hair. If well applied and thoroughly rinsed out afterwards, the hair will be fluffy and free from oil. Dry in the open air if possible. Apply once in three weeks.

Removing Plates.

Dear Miss Grey: Please tell the order in which the plates should be removed from the table before dessert is served. A SUBSCRIBER.

A.—Plates should be removed in the order in which the courses are served.

To Clean a Robe.

Dear Miss Grey: Will you kindly tell me how to clean a white lamb baby robe? Thanking you,

YOUNG MOTHER.

A.—Take equal parts of flour and powdered salt (which should be well heated in an oven), and thoroughly rub into the robe. Allow it to remain thus for a day or so. Then thoroughly shake and brush to remove the powder. Some prefer powdered whiting that is slightly damp. Lastly pour a little spirits of wine on a plate, dip a soft brush in this, and pass it lightly over the robe, moving the way the fur lies.

Would Buy Hominy.

Dear Miss Grey: I saw in The Advertiser of Dec. 18, a recipe for hominy fritters. Could you please tell me where I can get the flour to make hominy? I have tried here to get it but it seems they don't know nothing about the flour. It is called maize flour. I want it for my husband. He took a paralytic stroke two years ago; he is able to walk around some, but cannot talk. I saw about a man in California that had a severe stroke and he lived on hominy and honey and got cured. Dear Miss Grey, if you can tell me anyti ing about where I could get it I would be very thankful to you. MRS. M. P. V.

Answer—I read your letter with interest and assure you of my sympathy in your husband's illness. No doubt some of the city stores will keep the hominy meal and you might get it the next time you come to town. Or, why not request your grocer to order it for you from his wholesale dealer? I am sure he will do this if you ask him, and I sincerely hope that you may have good results.

Best to Wait.

Dear Miss Grey: I am an interested reader of your page. I am going to ask you for a little advice.

I have been keeping company with a young man one year my senior, and we love each other very much. I have no mother or close relatives to give me the advice that I know you would, so I am going to ask you the following questions: This young fellow has a sister, whom I went to school with once, and I have known her brother for a year or more before we fell in love.

My guardian is an uncle of mine, whom I am living with, and he has property, which I expect to get some day if nothing happens.

But this young fellow has nothing only what he works for and earns. He has asked me to marry him, but my friends and relatives will not allow it. They have said that he is a very nice boy and is good enough for any girl.

But they want me to marry a man who has got something to support me without working out among other people. I do not wish to marry for money, because I have it myself. And I dearly love this young man.

Would you advise me to go against their wishes and marry him or not?

My uncle will not tell my sweetheart why he does not consent to our marriage, but he always is welcome to my home.

How many times should he come to see me during the week?

Hoping I have been no trouble to you. Yours sincerely,

A MOTHERLESS GIRL.

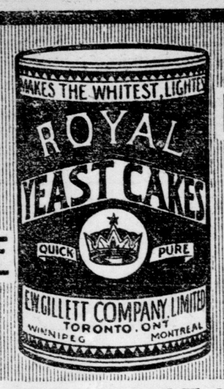
P. S.—Wishing you a merry Christmas and a happy new year.

A.—You are entirely welcome to such advice as I can give, as it must be hard, indeed, not to have a mother to confide in. I wish you had told me your age, for then I should have been able to offer better assistance, but I certainly don't advise your going against the wishes of your friends. Give your betrothed a chance for two or three years, and perhaps his financial prospects may improve. No matter how nice and worthy he is, it will not be pleasant for either of you to have to said that "he married her for her money.

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ARTISTIC IDEAS FOR NEEDLEWORK

Butterfly and Floral Designs Are Combined in Attractive Manner for Napery—Punch Work Still Popular.

Newest needlework designs have some surprisingly handsome patterns.

Probably the first choice will be the new punch-work patterns. This is called new, but is really the old fourteenth century background stitch seen to perfection on Italian embroideries, ancient and modern. It looks complicated, suggesting intricate thread-drawing, but is simply achieved by means of a heavy needle and fine linen thread.

The punch-work in a centrepiece is used in several ways. Ofter the design is in outline in bold flower or fruit effects, and the background is punched; again, it is used for the centres of medallions or other figures, which are worked in satin stitch or fancy stitches.

Equally popular is the border effect, where borders of pomegranates, wild roses, flags and other floral or geometric designs are worked in a wreath and the background is punched to any desired depth between two parallel rows of heavy outlining.

Empire Rose Popular.

Even newer than the punch-work alone is its combination with the Empire Rose worked in color and built up in the embroidery so it is at least three-eighths of an inch high at the centre. This work looks complicated, but is really simple, as no padding is required.

The centre of the rose is sometimes formed by a number of stitches taken over and over each other in pale green, or else a cluster of French knots in yellow to build up a small knob. The rest is a simple outline stitch, worked around and around the rose, beginning with the darkest shade of pink or yellow for a few rounds, then the next lightest and then the palest. The outer stitches are taken further from the centre to gradually flatten to the linen.

Very effective for big centrepieces are Empire baskets worked in an interlacing basket stitch in yellow silk and filled with the Empire roses in shades of pink and yellow harmonized by soft green foliage.

The girl who likes work that has a permanent value should start butterfly or basket squares, which are joined into any size centrepiece by lace insertion run at right angles. The centrepiece, when finished, is bordered with lace to match, put on flatly. The square are of heavy white line, five or six inches each way, and two or three are used to a side, according to the desired size.

The work is done in white mercerized cotton entirely in eyelet work for the butterfly, save for the body, which is in satin stitch, while the basket for the other square may be outlined or worked solid, while the floral sprays are in eyelet embroidery.

A centrepiece that should have lasting style is worked in white mercerized cotton on a fine grade heavy linen. Its edge has alternate grouped scallops—a rather shallow one of eleven smaller scallops and deeper curve of seven small scallops.

In the centre of each shallow-curve is a tall, narrow, Empire basket, worked in chain stitch and filled with conventionalized daisies and foliage in eyelet. In the deeper curve is a semi-circle of eyelets, with an eyelet daisy and foliage above it, while opposite each point is a six-petalled forget-me-not and three leaves worked in satin stitch. This is connected with the semi-circle of eyelets by scrolls pointing toward the basket.

Indian Red Is the Newest Shade

One notes the predominance of red shades at every gathering these days, and this time, fortunately, red has arrived during a season when the warm tones are pleasing and not burdensome, as they are apt to be in spring—the season when Paris seems usually bent upon bringing them to the fore. Indian red and a peculiar brick-red hue are the favorites, and when combined with dark furs these colors are exceedingly rich and effective. At a fashionable musicale the other afternoon a tall young woman wore a very striking costume of Indian red velvet, absolutely simple in line, but wonderfully pleasing in treatment of trimming. A long tunic of the velvet fell below the knee, and was bordered narrowly with black fox. Three rows of the black fur banded the tunic above this border, the trimming being thus massed between knee and hip in the flounce effect. The upper part of the tunic crossed in surplice fashion, and gave the effect of a coat, the loose sleeve being bordered also with the black fur. A black velvet hat, with two shaded red and black plumes, accompanied this costume, and its wearer carried a muff of the black fox fur.

TO CLEAN WOOLEN GARMENTS.

A stiff brush dipped in gasoline, then in cornmeal, and rubbed over any soiled worsted garment will clean and freshen it.

If the sweater is very much soiled first shake out all the dust, then drop it into slightly warm water and stir round. Use clean, warm soapy water with a teaspoonful of borax and gently souse up and down, and if there are any greasy spots rub soap on the hands and manipulate the sweater, but do not allow any soap to come in contact with the sweater. Rinse in thre clear warm waters, and add a few drops of bluing to the final water. Now press out, place the sweater in a large pillowcase and suspend the four corners by large pins over a tub for three days. Then spread on a sheet in the sunshine for a day or two until dry. This method is followed by expert cleaners.

To preserve a clear whiteness in silk and woolen underwear, it must not be washed in hot water or with other garments, and must be rinsed in warm water and dried indoors. The goods should not be sprinkled for ironing. A disregard of these rules will result in yellowing the goods, and there is no known method of restoring the lost whiteness. Silk and wool garments will not shrink if these rules are followed.

"Recipe" Party Is the Latest Stunt

A girl famous among her friends for original entertainments gave a recipe party the other evening. Most of the girls lived at home and so were interested in household affairs. Three or four taught school, and one gave music lessons; but even these busy people liked to cook occasionally—on the chafing dish, at any rate. Each guest was asked to bring two favorite recipes, and she was cautioned not to compare notes with any other girl or to divulge the nature of her own contribution.

When the girls had all arrived and had had a cosy chat they were invited into the dining-room. Chairs were ranged around the long table—made longer for the occasion—and paper and pencil lay at each place. Each girl in turn read a recipe aloud, being careful not to announce what it was. From the ingredients mentioned and the directions for making, the others were to guess what her concoction would be. No restrictions were imposed as to the kind of recipes to be presented, so the girls were at liberty to offer their favorite cakes, muffins, preserves, puddings, chafing dish delicacies or candies.

One guest who had the reputation of being a good writer and a rapid one was asked to write the recipes in a little book. This was a home-made affair, consisting of sheets of water color paper, the covers and occasional pages being daintily and appropriately decorated. When the last of the recipes had been read, lists were compared and corrected. The girl who guessed corectly the greatest number was given the little book as a prize. The others were at liberty to write the recipes as read.

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THE PINAFORE GOWN.

For smarter wear there is a beautiful model of very fine linen. This has a pinafore top with straps over the shoulders, and is intended to be worn with a fine blouse. The upper part of this, including the little scooped-out apron top and bib, as well as the lower part to below the hips, is a mass of thick embroidery in soft, glossy, white thread in a bold design of flowers and leaves in relief. From beneath this embroidered top there falls a round skirt of linen plainly hemmed and lightly gathered into it. The corsage worn with it is of white tulle, with revers and cuffs of embroidered linen.

For smart afternoon occasions one sees a good deal of the old-fashioned plum color which our grandmothers delighted in for their stiff silks and brocades. A costume of fine crepe de chine in this tone had a wide skirt, knife-kilted from waist to hem. With this there was a little cutaway coat of the same color and material with orange silk revers and cuffs lightly braided with soutache, with a touch of some really good lace introduced into the scheme.

The Birthday Calendar



IF THIS IS YOUR BIRTHDAY.

You will receive presents and, if in employ, advancement. Do not take risks with anything of much value, for the signs of chance games are against you.

Those born today will have intelligence and energy. They will not spare themselves in their efforts to advance and will usually win the goal. They will me inclined to run to extremes, and should be associated with those of moderate, well-controlled minds.

TAKES COLOR OUT.

To take the color entirely out of a cotton dress after it has become somewhat faded, boil the dress in cream of tartar water. A perfectly white dress results.

CLEAN SPONGES FREQUENTLY.

One's sponge should be cleaned frequentl yto keep it in good condition. An effective way of washing it is with warm water in which a little tartaric acid or a spoonful of soda has been dissolved. It should be rinsed in clean warm water.

Saying "Thank You"

What Children Should Say on Receiving Presents.

Of course, Santa Claus brought you some note paper. Perhaps he brought you some pretty correspondence cards with your initial in the corner. The first use to make of any such present is in writing "Thank you" notes to the persons who have sent you Christmas presents.

Don't let your mother or big sister take this pleasure away from you. Remember this is a part of the Christmas fun. If you make it work it will be your own fault. Commence thinking beforehand what you want to say in those neatly written "Thank you" notes. If you have something all thought out half the work is already done.

One of the first things you'd think of if you were speaking directly to the giver would be just what the present was. You wouldn't say to Cousin Kate, for instance, "Thank you for your present." You would be pretty sure to say just what the gift was. This is one of the big things to remember when you write your "Thank you" notes. Menton the present n each case.

This gives a real personal touch to your note and proves that you didn't get your presents mixed up. If you are one of the fortunate children who get ever so many presents be sure to keep track of the names of the givers. If there is a card attached don't take it off until you are sure you will remember just who gave you that particular sled or doll or music box.

Some children like the fun of ruling off a big sheet of brown paper and writing down in one column the names of the givers and in the other a little description of the present. If you have two sleds be sure that you don't thank Cousin Fred for the yellow sled when the one he gave you was a bright red. It will please Aunt Fanny to read that you liked her Roman striped necktie, for it will prove to her that no matter how many ties were given you, you knew which one came from her.

If you are afraid of spoiling some sheets of your pretty new paper before you get the note nicely placed, get some one to cut a couple of pieces of ordinary paper of just the same size as your Christmas note paper. With a little practice you will learn just how far up on the page to begin and about how far down on the page your name will come. No one expects a long letter just at Christmas time, but every one has a right to expect a prettily-expressed, nicely-written note of thanks when there is no chance for a "Thank you" in words.

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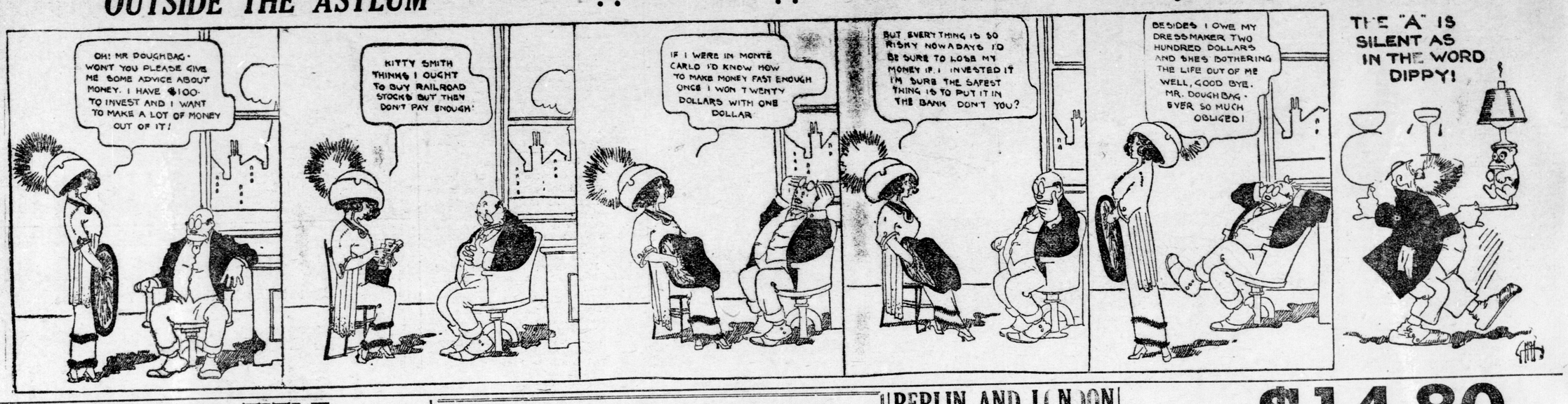
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A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

OUTSIDE THE ASYLUM

By George McManus



M'CARTY WINS TITLE OF WORLD'S CHAMPION HEAVYWEIGHT BOXER

Missouri Cow Puncher Defeated Al. Palzer in 18th Round—Palzer Was Given a Bad Beating—Referee Eyeton Stopped the Bout and Declared McCarty the Winner.

Los Angeles, Jan. 1.—Speed and Severness won Luther McCarty the title of heavyweight champion of the world when he defeated Al Palzer in the Vernon Arena this afternoon. The fight was so onesided that Charles Eyton, referee, stopped it in the eighteen to save the reeling Palzer from further punishment. McCarty, Palzer's curly-haired superior, was smiling and scarcely scratched when the fight ended. Palzer's eyes were almost closed, his mouth, nose, cheek and ears cut, and he presented a bloody and battered appearance. Only his capacity for standing punishment saved him from being knocked out, for McCarty landed on his jaw repeatedly.

McCarty, in addition to the championship, wins an attractive and remunerative theatrical engagement, a large purse and the diamond studded championship belt made to the order of Tom McCarey, the fight promoter, for presentation to the winner.

Vernon Arena seats 11,000 when filled to capacity, as it was today. Several thousand persons, unable to gain admittance, crowded around the entrances when the main event started about 3:30. The preliminary events were: Freddie Barrett vs. Jack Linkenback, welterweights, four rounds, draw; Eddie Gary vs. Sam Morris, featherweights, four rounds, draw; Danny Lyons vs. Jean Rado, bantamweights, four rounds, draw.

McCarty and Palzer did not shake hands when they went to the centre of the ring for the first round. They began slugging immediately, McCarty landing the first blow, a light right hook to the jaw. The round ended with honors even and both men smilin and confident.

Fight by Rounds.

McCarty entered the ring at 2:54, after watching the last preliminary from a ringside seat. He was followed by Palzer within a few moments, Ringside betting appeared to favor McCarty, although offers of 10 to 8 were greedily accepted by Palzer's backers. Most of the heavy betting was at even money. Palzer's weight was announced at 227, and McCarty's 205.

Round 1—The fight started at 3:18. Palzer rushed McCarty and McCarty walloped him with left and right to the head. McCarty drove a hard right to Palzer's eye. Palzer missed two hard rights and a left. McCarty ducked wild swings. Palzer reached McCarty's jaw with a hard right. Palzer staggered McCarty with a hard straight left to the chin. Palzer brought blood from McCarty's lip with another straight left. They clinched. As the bell rang Palzer stopped to shake hands with McCarty. The round was even.

Round 2—McCarty landed a hard right to Palzer's jaw and forced Palzer to make several vicious swings. They exchanged rights to head and hard body blows in a clinch. McCarty drove a terrific left to Palzer's left eye. Palzer reached McCarty's face with two lefts, and McCarty sent Palzer's head back with a left to the face. Both landed hard lefts to the face. McCarty brought blood from Palzer's nose with a right swing, and sent swift lefts and rights to the stomach. McCarty apparently landed at will on Palzer's stomach. McCarty's round.

Round 3—Paler sent right to the body and put two hard rights to the stomach. Both missed, and they went into a clinch. McCarty rammed straight left into Palzer's face, and followed with right and left to the body. McCarty landed light left to face and cleverly blocked a terrific swing. Palzer in a clinch crossed with a left to McCarty's face. McCarty rammed Palzer's jaw with right and left with terrific speed. They exchanged blows in the centre of the ring. McCarty's round.

Round 4—After feinting, McCarty landed right and left to face. McCarty swung a hard right to the stomach, and Palzer sent three lefts to the jaw. McCarty put right to Palzer's jaw. Round even.

Round 5—Both of Palzer's eyes were swollen when he came up in the fifth. McCarty drove a hard right to the ribs, sent right to chin and swung a hard right uppercut. Palzer drove a vicious right to McCarty's heart, and McCarty put lefts and rights to the face, causing Palzer's mouth and nose to bleed. Palzer drove a hard left to McCarty's chin, but the cowboy merely grinned. McCarty's round.

Round 6—Palzer put two straghts to McCarty's face. McCarty swung his right to jaw, causing another flow of blood from Palzer's mouth. Palzer sent McCarty to the ropes with two lefts to the face, but McCarty bounced back smiling. Palzer went to his corner looking groggy. McCarty's round.

Round 7—McCarty drove a terrific right to Palzer's jaw, nearly throwing him off his feet. Palzer reached McCarty's jaw with a left, and the Missourian came back with a right hook to the chin. Palzer's left eye bled. Both were laughing as they went to their corners. It was McCarty's round.

Round 7—McCarty sent hard right to the wind and left to face. Palzer rocked McCarty's head with two straight lefts. McCarty's round by a shade.

Round 9—Palzer staggered McCarty with a left to face. Palzer drove a terrific blow to the wind, and McCarty retaliated with a terrific right swing that sent Palzer's head back. Round even.

Round 10—Palzer came up aggressively and put three lefts to McCarty's jaw. Both appeared to be slowing up. Three straight lefts, followed by a hard right, brought the blood from Palzer's eye. McCarty slipped to the mat, but was up in an instant. A straight left opened a slight cut under McCarty's right eye. Round even.

Round 11—McCarty drove a terrific left to Palzer's right eye and Palzer was almost blind. He rushed McCarty desperately, only to be met by a right to the stomach and another left swing to the injured eye. Palzer was dazed as the gong rang. The crowd rose to its feet yelling for McCarty.

Round 12—McCarty sent a crashing left to Palzer's mouth and Palzer reeled stupidly about. Both Palzer's cheeks and his mouth and right eye were bleeding profusely. Palzer did not land a blow during the round.

Round 13—Palzer reached McCarty's ribs with his long left, and the cowboy sent his crashing right against Palzer's jaw. A terrific right swing cut Palzer's left ear. As the bell rang McCarty smothered Palzer with a fusillade of terrific swings to the head and body, and Palzer reeled to his corner.

Round 14—Palzer came up viciously, and after reaching McCarty with right straight arm blows, McCarty again staggered him with a series of straight lefts to the face and stomach. McCarty smiled as he took a hard left to the face, again working his right and left to Palzer's face with precision.

Round 15—Palzer put a left to the jaw and a right to stomach. McCarty followed Palzer about the ring and sent his right and left at will to the face and body. Palzer hung on to McCarty's neck and the cowboy shot rights and lefts to the wind. Palzer was dazed at the bell.

Round 16—Palzer rushed in at McCarty, who placed rights and lefts to the body. Palzer soon was staggering about the ring from blows to the head. The Iowan rallied and put his left to McCarty's face, and the cowboy again sent him back with well-placed blows to the stomach. Palzer was hanging on as the bell rang.

Round 17—Palzer was groggy as he came up for the seventeenth round, but there was no doubt of his courage. His ability to stand punishment appeared to be his sole asset. McCarty put two terrific rights to the jaw and followed with straight lefts to the injured eye. A short uppercut to the jaw almost finished Palzer, and the Iowan hung on with his eyes half closed. Palzer hit McCarty low, and the referee cautioned the big fellow. Palzer could hardly find his corner at the bell.

Round 18—Palzer stumbled into a terrific left hook and hung on to McCarty's shoulder. McCarty shot a hard left to the jaw and played a tattoo on Palzer's body. The blood flowed from Palzer's eyes and mouth as McCarty shot two terrific straight lefts to the head. As Palzer staggered about blindly, Referee Eyton rushed to McCarty and held up his right glove.

PALZER AND McCARTY

How the pugilists compare personally:

Palzer.		McCarty.
218	Weight	205
81	Reach	75½
18	Neck	17½
42¼	Chest contracted.	39
48	Chest expanded.	42½
37½	Waist	36½
13½	Right forearm	13⅞
13½	Left forearm	14
14½	Right biceps	15
14½	Left biceps	15¼
25¾	Left thigh	26
25¾	Right thigh	26½
16¼	Left calf	16
8	Wrist	7⅞
10	Ankle	9½

Palzer, born at Ossian, Ia., Oct. 4, 1890.
McCarty, born at Lincoln, Neb., March 17, 1892.

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DOINGS IN CITY HOCKEY CIRCLES

Frank Howson, who goalkeeped for Askin Street Church and the Talbot Street Church teams last winter, will keep goal for the Perrin team in the manufacturers' league this winter according to reports.

The Empire Brass team speak well of the Sarnia intermediates. They claim that the tunnel town septette is a fast one and had the ice been hard would have run up a large score. The team play of the Sarnia team was particularly noticeable.

No word has been heard from the Spalding people about the city league trophy. The city league executive are, however, endeavoring to get the cup here as soon as possible and it will be placed on exhibition when it comes.

The London intermediates will appear on the ice this winter in khaki pants. This will be a novelty in these parts and should give the team a distinction no other team in the group will have.

With the local season due to open on Friday evening and little prospect of any ice, local hockey fans are feeling kind of blue at present. However, there is a cold wave on the way and the game with Drumbo Friday night may yet be played.

The Meds. have cancelled their Northern league circuit trip. Owing to the soft weather, and uncertainty of ice it was thought best to postpone the tour. The new sweaters of the team arrived yesterday. They are black, white and purple and are prettily designed.

The Swastika hockey club has been organized for the season. The Swastikas hope to have one of the fastest independent teams in the city. They have decided to play all comers and will accept games with any team in Western Ontario outside of the O. H. A. All clubs wishing games kindly correspond with H. Aitken, 170 Bruce street, this city.

The Manufacturers' League opening, which was to have taken place this evening, will not take place until Tuesday, weather permitting. The opening games are as follows:

Perrins vs. Lawson & Jones; Empire Brass vs. McCormicks.

The schedule will be moved ahead a week as a result of the postponement, so the final games will be played on Feb. 27 instead of Feb. 20, as originally scheduled.

Laurie Gillies, Eddie McKay, Billy McGeoch, and Albert Buchanan, all of the A. M. C. City League team, have signed O. H. A. certificates. Buchanan will play junior, while the others will play intermediate.

HOCKEY

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS.

O. H. A. Junior.

Chesley 6, Wiarton 5.
Stratford 9, Seaforth 1.

National Association.

Canadiens 4, Tecumsehs 3.
Ottawa 7, Toronto 1.

Exhibition.

Orillia Juniors 9, Toronto Canoe Juniors 3.
London Tecumsehs 3, Berlin 3.
Detroit 3, Ottawa College 2.
Watford 10, Alvinston 7.
McGill University 2, Yale 0.

Games Today.

O. H. A. Intermediate—Oshawa at Bowmanville, Wellesley at Ayr, St. Marys at Seaforth.

O. H. A. Junior—Kingston at Picton, Preston at Waterloo.

International League — Sturgeon Falls at North Bay.

Interprovincial League — Grand Mere at Westmount.

Exhibition—Kingston O. H. A. Seniors vs. Parkdale O. H. A. Seniors.

THE N. H. A. RECORD.

Teams.	Won.	Lost.	For.	Agst.
Canadiens	3	0	21	13
Quebec	2	0	10	4
Wanderers	1	1	8	7
Ottawa	1	1	10	8
Tecumsehs	0	2	7	11
Toronto	0	3	11	24

Games Tonight—Canadiens at Tecumsehs; Torontos at Ottawa.

POLICE PREVENTED FIGHT.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 1.—The police would not permit Mike ("Twin") Sullivan and Reth McLeod, of St. John, to meet in their proposed ten-round boxing bout this afternoon in Moncton.

TOMMY MURPHY BEAT FRANK BURNS

Seconds Threw Towel Into Ring at End of Seventeenth Round, Saving Burns From Knockout.

San Francisco, Cal., Jan. 1.—Frankie Burns' seconds threw a towel into the ring in the seventeenth round of his fight with Harlem Tommy Murphy today. Burns had been beaten almost insensible and his face had lost its contour.

Murphy, barring the second round, when he ran foul of a right cross that sent him to the mat for a couple of seconds, was at all times Burns' master.

Ringside odds saw Burns on the long end at 10 to 6 against 10 to 7 this morning. Weather conditions were ideal and 4,500 people witnessed the contest.

Burns staggered Murphy in the twelfth, a left to the face followed quickly with a powerful right slowing up the Harlemite. Both men were covered with blood when the round ended.

Murphy, in the sixteenth, almost knocked out Burns with right and left punches to the jaw, and Burns was carried to his corner. When the bell rang for the start of the seventeenth, Burns tottered from his seat. Murphy went after him, landing right and left on an undefended face. The crowd importuned Referee Griffin to stop the fight, and a towel was thrown from Burns' corner as a token of defeat.

JUST MANAGED TO WIN.

Chesley, Jan. 1.—In a Junior O. H. A. match here tonight, the home team defeated Wiarton 6 to 5. Score at half time: Chesley 5, Wiarton 0. Line-up:

Chesley—Goal, Buckley; point, Helmbecker; coverpoint, Savage; rover, Lamont; centre, Goodwin; left wing, McDonald; right wing, Lustig.

Wiarton—Goal, Hay; point, Ferguson; coverpoint, Ashley; rover, Nimmon; centre, Kreutzweiser; left wing, McDonald; right wing, Geib.

Referee—Gilner, Wiarton.

BERLIN AND LONDON PLAY A TIE GAME

Good Exhibition Between Intermediate Teams on Berlin Ice.

BORLAND WAS A STAR

London's Lineup Was Different From That Which Defeated Preston—Game Was Clean.

Berlin, Jan. 1.—Berlin and London O. H. A. Intermediate teams played an exhibition game to a tie tonight before a crowd of 1,000. The score was 3 to 3, and at the resting period the score was 2 to 2. It was a fast game, considering the poor sheet of ice. The play was evenly divided, with the visitors excelling slightly in combination work. Two substitutes, Roschman and Schell, figured on the local line, and as a result the team was not up to strength. The same, however, was true of the visitors, Wright, the junior, taking Wardrope's place in the nets. Borland was the pick of the London line, and Selbert, Soloman and Ugelman were the best for the Berliners. Oliver Selbert handled the game, and the play was clean throughout. The four penalties went to the visitors.

Berlin started scoring after twelve minutes play, tallying two in quick succession. Tecumsehs evened up before half time, Borland and Reid scoring.

In the second half the visitors gained a lead when McEvoy scored. The locals saved themselves from defeat by Roschman scoring.

The teams:

Berlin—Goal, Karges and Hainsworth; point, Bottger; cover, Selbert; rover, Uffelman; centre, Roschman; right, Schell; left, Soloman.

London—Goal, Wright; point, Borland; cover, Grannary. rover, McEvoy; centre; Reid; right, Walden; left, Gillis.

CURLING NOTES

Unless the weather tightens up pretty soon the London city bonspiel, which opens on Tuesday next, may have to be postponed. There is nothing but bare floors at the local curling rinks at present, and it generally takes two or three days to get a sheet of ice fit to curl on. With no present indications of cold weather, the outlook for the bonspiel is not very bright. Secretary Tillson has received a number of letters from outside rinks who are coming, and the indications are that the outside entries will exceed the number last year.

The Minhinnick bonspiel, which was to have been held at the Thistle Rink New Year's Day, but was postponed for lack of ice, will be held later on in the month. New entries will have to be made. The date of the bonspiel will be announced later.

Tha executive of the London Curling Club will hold a meeting at the Grigg House on Monday night next for the purpose of discussing bonspiel arrangements and the collection of accounts. The season will open on Tuesday next at the London Rink with the city bonspiel, if there is ice. The Thursday night local bonspiels of the Thistle Club may be inaugurated next Thursday evening if the weather permits.

The date of the Thistle Club reception will be announced at the first of the week. The committee in charge have practically completed all the arrangements. The furnishings have been put in the new club rooms and a new furnace is being put in at present. When this is completed the committee will be in a position to name the night of the big opening.

NETKEEPER PREVENTED WIN FOR TECUMSEHS

Vezina, of Canadiens, Gave a Great Exhibition.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—Very excellent goaltending by Vezina was responsible for another defeat of the Tecumsehs at the Arena last night, Canadiens winning by 4 to 3. The largest crowd of the season saw the game, which was close throughout, but not notable for speed until near the end of the final period, when Tecumsehs came very near to evening the count. Vezina, however, stood in the breach and practically won the game for the Frenchmen. The teams:

Tecumsehs—Goal, Nicholson; point, G. McNamara; cover, H. McNamara; centre, Smith; right, Strike; left, Throop.

Canadiens—Goal, Vezina; point, Dubeau; cover, Laviolette; centre, Lalonde; right, Pitre; left, Smith.

Referee, Johnny Brennan, Montreal; judge of play, Charles Querrie, Toronto; goal umpires, Marchand, Montreal, and Anglin, Toronto.

FERNS GOT THE DECISION.

Kansas City, Mo., Jan. 1. — Clarence ("Wildcat") Ferns, of Kansas City, claimant of the welterweight championship of the world, won the decision over Harry Brewer, of Kansas City, after ten rounds of furious fighting here this afternoon.

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MIKE DONLIN IS NAMED TO SUCCEED RED DOOIN

Former Member of Pirates May Lead Phillies When 1913 Season Opens.

Chicago, Dec. 31.—Mike Donlin, one of the best natural hitters the national game has produced, is slated to succeed Charley Dooin as manager of the Philadelphia National League club, if Secretary Will Locke, of the Pirates, puts through the deal which he is negotiating with Charles P. Taft, owner of the Quaker City team. This was the substance of a statement made by a friend of the former Giant star tonight.

Donlin, like many other diamond performers, spends the off-season behind the footlights. He is a member of the vaudeville team of Donlin and Lewis, the latter half of the sketch being a well-known comedian. The pair showed in Chicago a short time ago, and it was during this engagement that Mike hinted that he might be a National League manager when the 1913 campaign was started. Those who heard Donlin's declaration thought he was pulling off some of his comedy, but a few days afterward it became known that Fred Clarke, of the Pirates, had asked and secured waivers on the once great outfielder.

Later it was announced that the Phillies had landed Mike for the waiver price of $1,500, but at the time it was believed that Donlin was carded to act as pinch hitter only. It is well known that Mike's legs have gone back on him and that his speed has also been retarded by an accident during the 1912 campaign, which resulted in a broken toe. Today it was learned that Locke had parted with a big amount of coin for a two weeks' option on the Phillies, and as advices from Cincinnati indicate that Taft is favorably inclined toward Locke's proposition, it begins to look as if Donlin had Charley Dooin's job in mind when he made known his managerial expectations some time ago.

Y-SENIORS BEAT OLD BOYS 36 TO 32

Fast and Exciting Game Played at Y. M. C. A. New Year's Morning Won in Last Minute.

The basketball played at the Y. M. C. A. on New Year's morning proved to be interesting. The London Old Boys and the Y. M. C. A. were the opposing teams, and the local team succeeded in winning out by the close score of 36 to 32. Walter Morris and his brother Jack, of Winnipeg, Colin Duffield, of McGill University, and William Duffield, of Ridley College, played for the Old Boys. The regular Y. Seniors did not show up, so Capt. Ernie Shaw picked a team composed of Clare Steele and Trevor Thomas, of the Y. Juniors, and A. T. Taylor and L. McLeod, of the Y. M. C. A.

The first half was very closely and cleanly played, and both teams appeared about evenly matched, but the locals were leading at half-time by the score of 16 to 14. The Old Boys came to life in the second period, and by hard work succeeded in gaining a lead, which they held until, with only a couple of minutes to play, the Y. Seniors scored three baskets in quick succession, winning out by the score of 36 to 32.

The teams lined up as follows:

Old Boys.

Mr. W. Jones	was referee.
W. Morris,	left forward 22
T. Weir,	right forward 6
C. Duffield,	centre 4
J. Morris,	left guard 0
W. Duffield,	right guard 0
Total	 36

Y. Seniors.

T. Thomas,	left forward 15
C. Steele,	right forward 4
E. Shaw,	centre 15
L. McLeod,	left guard 2
A. T. Taylor,	right guard 0
Total	 36

DROUILLARD FOUGHT KETCHELL TO A DRAW

Grand Rapids, Jan. 1.—Patsy Drouillard, of Windsor, Ont., and Steve Ketchell, of Chicago, fought six rounds to a draw here this afternoon.

Drouillard, who weighed in at 133 pounds, was the more aggressive, forcing the fighting in the clinches. Both boys showed an eagerness to mix it, every round being featured with fast work.

In the third round Ketchell landed a glancing blow on Drouillard's jaw, following it with a vicious rush, which forced the Canadian through the ropes among the spectators.

In the fourth Drouillard, during a clinch, nearly forced Ketchell through the ropes with a right swing. In the fifth round Ketchell fought for a knockout, battling for the heart and jaw. Drouillard accepted the punishment and drew him into clinches, where he evened matters by serving out several uppercuts and punches to the Chicagoan.

The fight ended with Drouillard having a shade the better of the round, because of points secured during the infighting. The popular decision was that the match was a pretty draw.

WATFORD JUNIORS WON FROM ALVINSTON

Team That London Juniors Play First Looks Pretty Strong.

Watford, Jan. 1.—The hockey season was opened here tonight with an exhibition game between Alvinston and Watford Junior O. H. A. teams. The ice was heavy, but despite this fact a fairly good game was witnessed by a good attendance. The score was 10 to 7 in favor of Watford. The line-up.

Alvinston—Goal, F. Hamilton; point, C. Wall; cover-point, E. Hamilton; rover, C. Misner, centre, C. Norsworthy; left wing, R. Shaw; right wing, F. Temple.

Watford—Goal, R. Trenouth; point, S. Rogers; cover-point, L. Dodds; rovre, J. Lamb; centre, R. Brown; left wing, E. Roche; right wing, T. Dodds.

Referee—S. Williams, Alvinston.

JOE JEANNETTE DOES A COME-BACK AND WINS

Defeated Big Jim Johnson Before New York Club.

New York, Jan. 1.—Joe Jeannette showed today at the Irving A. C. that he is far from being all in by beating big Jim Johnson, who he was fighting for the third time. In the first round Johnson rushed Jeannette all over the ring, and it looked as if Joe would fall before his blows, but Johnson was unable to down his man. After that Joe put up an aggressive fight, and he used his right jab with good effect on Johnson's stomach. In the closing rounds Johnson fought wild in an attempt to land a knockout. Jeannette took advantage of this, and drove home his right with telling effect.

JOHNNY KILBANE MADE SHORT WORK OF KIRK

Attell's Conqueror Lost Two Rounds With Champion.

St. Louis, Jan. 1.—Oliver Kirk, admittedly the best featherweight at present in St. Louis, and the boy who made Abe Attell quit, lasted just one round and a half before Johnny Kilbane, champion, this afternoon in the feature bout at the future City Athletic Club. Kilbane simply tore his opponent to pieces, and battered him down with his fierce infighting, and the end came with Kirk helpless against the ropes, his hands hanging limply at his sides, and his quivering knees all but refusing to hold him upright, even with the assistance of the ropes.

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DRUMBO CLUB QUITS O. H. A. FOUR TEAMS LEFT IN GROUP

No Game Here Tomorrow Night and Local Season Will Not Open Until January 10—Drumbo's Action a Surprise to Local Hockey Fans—The Team Was a Strong One.

The number of teams in intermediate group No. 7 was lessened this morning, when the Drumbo club announced that it had decided to drop out of the O. H. A. for this season. The local hockey officials were notified that morning that the opening game here tomorrow evening would not be played.

The news of the Drumbo team's withdrawal came as a surprise to the local hockeyinsts. The Drumbo team was considered a strong one and an important factor in the deciding of a group winner. Many of the players who represented Drumbo when that team captured the championship of its group two years ago were turning out with the club, and the action of dropping out comes all the more surprising.

Opens on Jan. 10.

As a result, the O. H. A. season will not open in this city until Friday, Jan. 10. The local hockey club endeavored to arrange a game with Goderich here for tomorrow evening, but the Goderich officials notified President Casselman at noon that they would be unable to send a team. An effort will be made to arrange a couple of exhibition games the first of next week, but just what teams will be brought here is not known.

Four Teams Left.

Group No. 7 is now reduced from a six-team to a four-team district. The Guelph O. A. C. team dropped out a couple of weeks ago. The four teams remaining are Guelph Victorias, Brantford, Paris and London. This makes a strong, compact group, and the team that survives will stand a good chance to land the championship. Both Brantford and Paris have fast teams and the Guelph Victorias are strengthening up with the best players of the O. A. C. team.

SHAUGHNESSY MAY RETURN TO FORT WAYNE IN SPRING

Ottawa Owner May Not Manage Club in Canadian League.

Fort Wayne dispatch in Sporting News: News of particular local interest is that Frank Shaughnessy may remain as manager of the Fort Wayne team, after all. Shag led the Billikins to a pennant last year, and through his proxy, Louis Cook, also won a pennant in the Canadian League with his Ottawa team. He had made up his mind to devote all his time to Ottawa next year, but now seems to have changed that plan, and is said to be willing to return here and continue the proxy arrangement in Ottawa. The only thing that makes him hesitate, according to reports, is the desire of his wife that he remain in Ottawa. If the lady can be overruled, Shag will be back with us.

"Shag" Was "In Dutch."

When Shag left here a year ago he was, or rather believed he was, "in Dutch" with the fans. He had played an honest, determined game all summer, had kept his men in the best condition physically, had insisted on proper behavior on and off the field, and had brought a pennant to Fort Wayne, but for some reason or other had gotten in wrong with the near-fans. It may have been his method of controlling his men that earned him some enemies among the class of fans that believes it can manage a ball club better than any man that ever drew a salary for doing it; but whatever it was Shaughnessy felt the adverse criticism keenly and announced that he did not want to come back to this city to run another ball club. It now seems, however, that he has experienced a change of heart, and that with some of the trouble-makers on the club removed he will be willing to take another fling at the job.

Players Did Not Like It.

Some of the Billikens had been here too long. They had formed friendships that were unreasoning, and every time Shag called one of these favorites for pulling a boneheaded play or doing something contrary to orders, the player, instead of taking his calling in good part, would seek the solace of a lot of flat-headed friends that didn't know a base hit from a bat bag. The result was the impression got abroad that Shag was unreasonable and an enemy of every good player on his club. Most of these "idols" are no longer members of the club, and Shag may, therefore, be prevailed upon to come back.

CANADIAN RUNNERS WIN MOST OF THE HONORS

Dellow, of St. Marys, Finishes Second at Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Jan. 1. — Jas. Duffy, Eaton A. C., Toronto, won the Stars and Stripes' first annual eleven-mile road race here today. His time was 1 hour, 22 seconds. All honors went to Canadian runners.

James Duffy, Eaton A. C., Toronto 1:00:22
James A. Dellow, St. Marys, Ont. 1:03:44
C. Phillips, East End Y. M. C. A., Hamilton 1:08:32
Charles E. Bowman, company E., Third Regiment, Niagara Falls 1:09:20
Robert F. Conby, Bardin A. C., Buffalo 1:10:22
Kenneth D. Barnett, Maple Leaf Club, Niagara Falls, Ont. 1:11:04
S. Allan, St. Andrew's Club, Niagara Falls, Ont. 1:12:10
John L. oJhnson, unattached, city 1:23:50
Wm. Irwin, Maple Leaf Club, Niagara Falls, Ont. 1:26:00

SMALL CROWD SAW TORONTOS DEFEATED

Queen City Aggregation Was Easy for Senators.

Ottawa, Jan. 1.—The smallest crowd that has ever witnessed a National Hockey Association game in Ottawa saw Ottawa defeat the Torontos by 7 to 1 in a burlesque exhibition at the Arena tonight. Taking a lead of three goals in the first period, the wearers of the red, white and black scored two against Toronto, one in the second and added another brace in the final. Toronto's goal was a lucky one, a long shot from "Sue" McLean's stick finding a place in the net behind Lesuer. The blue shirts were never dangerous.

H. Pulford and R. Hern were the officials, both doing fine work. The line-up:

Ottawa—Goal, Lesuer; point, Lake; cover, Shore; centre, Ronan; right wing, Broadbent; left wing, Darragh.

Toronto—Goal, Holmes; point, Davidson; cover, Cameron; centre, McGiffin; right wing, Wilson; left wing, Foyston.

STRATFORD JUNIORS DEFEATED SEAFORTH

Opening O. H. A. Fixture Played on Stratford Ice.

Stratford, Jan. 1.—The O. H. A. season got away to an auspicious start locally this afternoon, when the Stratford Juniors defeated the Seaforth team by the score of 9 to 1. The play was fast for this early in the season, but each team lacked condition, more especially the visitors. Seaforth scored the first goal, but after that they never got past the defence. The 1,200 fans who witnessed the game are very optimistic over the Juniors' chances. The line-up:

Stratford—Goal, Roffey; point, Lynch; cover, Boles; rover, Vivian; centre, Birkett; left wing, Lavalle; right wing, Tobin.

Seaforth—Goal, Morrison; point, Hayes; cover, Hinchley; rover, McKay; centre, Dick; left wing, Best; right wing, Habkirk.

Referee—Will Davidson, Toronto.

LONDON RUNNER WON POWDER HILL EVENT

Queal, of New York, Ran Second—Longboat's Time Faster.

Edinburgh, Scotland, Jan. 2.—Dinning, a professional runner, belonging to London, was first and Wm. Queal, of New York, second, in a 15-mile professional race run today at the Powder Hall Athletic grounds. The winner's time was 1 hour, 21 minutes and 45 seconds.

Tom Longboat, the Canadian Indian, when he won the same race last year, took only 1 hour, 20 minutes and 4 2-5 seconds for the distance.

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Rev. H. A. Bermis, of Toronto, a Russian by birth, addressed a gathering of 150 of his fellow-countrymen employees in the McClary works, in the factory rooms on Tuesday evening.

Mr. Bermis spoke in the native tongue, and advised the local colony to study the English language, to become worthy Canadian citizens and good workmen. He also desired them to keep their home in a more sanitary condition.

The address was greatly appreciated, and Mr. Bermis was given a warm invitation for a return visit.

MANY IN THE FIELD IN ST. MARYS TOWN

Public School Trustees Were Mostly Returned By Acclamation.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

St. Marys, Jan. 1.—The municipal time limit for candidates to qualify expired last night. The following is the revised list of those elected by acclamation, and the others who will have to go to a contest: Mayor—Wm Weir, Wm. R. Butcher. At large councillors (two to be elected)—Wm. Dale, Dr. P. T. Coward. Councillors, North Ward—W. H. Bartlett, Wm. McLarty. West Ward—Hazelton White, William Lucas. East Ward—Wm. Mathieson, Wm. Pullyblank. South Ward—W. W. Hains (acclamation). Water and Light Commission—M. J. Dewey (acclamation). Public School Trustees, North Ward—Dr. J. R. Stanley (acclamation). South Ward—Thos. Gordon (acclamation). East Ward—E. W. White (acclamation). West Ward—R. J. Teskey, W. H. Tovell.

A public meeting will be held in the town hall on Thursday evening to discuss municipal matters.

The vital statistics of the town of St. Marys for the month of December were: Births 5, marriages 3, deaths 2. Causes of death: One tuberculosis, 1 pneumonia.

A HERMIT PAINTER

France's Most Famous Artist Lives a Retired Life.

Paris, Jan. 2.—Degas, who has suddenly become famous to the larger public at the age of 69, through the sale of one of his paintings for $86,000, is very much of a hermit.

Failing eyesight has prevented him from painting for some years now, and his door is rarely open to strangers. Art discussions do not interest him.

"No, no," he once said, "I cannot talk painting; no one does who is a real painter. It is discussed in omnibuses, in cafes, in drawing-rooms. But not here. Painting is like a murmured prayer."

After the sale in which his picture, "Les Danseuses a la Barre," for which he originally received only $100, sold for $86,000, he went to Neuilly, on the outskirts of Paris. From the window of a friend's house he looked in astonishment at the peopled avenues. "In my time," he said, "there was nothing here."

As a rule he stays in Montmartre, and knows nothing of the newer parts of the city. Though he is the greatest living French painter, he has never been decorated. His hobby is collecting the pictures of Ingres. Every scrap of drawing of the great academic artist he treasures, which practice is an example of his contradictions, for he is one of the founders of the opposite school. Nor is he kind to contemporaries, labelling one "The Little Steam Watteau," and another "The Rag-Pickers' Raphael."

CANADIANS WIN POLO GAME.

San Diego, Cal., Jan. 2.—The Coronado Club's polo team was outplayed yesterday by the Canadians from Calgary in the first match of the 1913 series. The visitors won easily, 6 goals to 2½.

OXFORD AND CAMBRIDGE MAY ACCEPT INVITATION

London, Jan. 2.—The Standard this morning announces that Oxford and Cambridge are now prepared to consider an official invitation from Yale and Harvard to an inter-university athletic competition.

If their trip to America is arranged, the English athletes will also meet those of McGill University in Montreal.



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ACCLAMATION

Enniskillen Council Was Returned Without Any Contest.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Petrolea, Jan. 2. — The Enniskillen council of 1912 has been returned by acclamation for 1913. The members are: Reeve Park, Deputy Reeve Simpson, and Councillors Jardine, Jackson and Steadman.

The following are the candidates for municipal honors in Petrolea:

Mayor—James Peat, John Walker, Wm. Dunlop, ex-Mayor Pollard, Thos. Johnston and R. Surrett.

Deputy reeve — Dr. C. O. Fairbank (acclamation).

Councillors — Clarke, Riley, Kerr, and Waddell, of the old council, and Wm. Burgess, John Wismer, John Fisher and John Gibson.

School Trustees — No. 1 ward, Dr. Macalpine (acclamation); No. 2 ward, John Hastings (acclamation3; No. 3 ward, Wm. Fletcher (acclamation); No. 4 ward, W. McDonald and R. Bryant.

Water commissioner—B. P. Corey.

PARIS LESS GAY

Boulevard Cafes Feel Effects of the Balkan War.

Paris, Jan. 2. — The pleasure places of Paris are less gay this winter owing to the absence of many familiar figures who have been called away to the war in the Balkans.

In normal times the boulevard cafes number among their regular patrons many Turks, Greeks, Bulgarians, and Servians, the majority of whom have resided here for many years. Representatives of the armies of all four nations are to be found as a rule among the students at the great military college at St. Cyr, and there are several instances recorded of fellow-students there finding themselves face to face in opposing armies on the battlefield.

The Egyptian prince, Aziz, was one of the best-known habitues of the opera quarter. Prince Arsene Karageorgevitch, a younger brother of King Peter of Servia, who was severely wounded while leading the Servians at Monastir, lived here for some years, until the death of King Alexander opened the way for the return of the sons of "Black" George to their country. Many quaint stories are told of his adventures in the city in the days of his poverty. To his many intimates he was known as "Kara," and these delight to talk of the bravery he has displayed in the war.

Juarez Results.

Juarez, Jan. 1.—The races here today resulted as follows:

First race, 3 furlongs—1, Aunt Mamie, 112; 2, Ida Lavinia, 112; 3, Irish Ann, 112. Time, :35.

Second race, 6 furlongs—1, Prince Conrad, 104; 2, Lookout, 109; 3, Auto Girl, 104. Time, 1:15 1-5.

Third race, 6 furlongs—1, Balrona, 105; 2, Mary Emily, 104; 3, Just Red, 102. Time, 1:13 4-5.

Fourth race, 1 1-16 miles—1, Injury, 112; 2, Irish Gentleman, 110; 3, General Marchmont, 103. Time, 1:46 4-5.

Fifth race, 6 furlongs—1, Gimli, 102; 2, Tomy McGee, 105; 3, Lee Harrison II., 106. Time, 1:14 1-5.

Sixth race, 1⅛ miles—1, Balcliff, 112; 2, Orpeth, 107; 3, Sister Florence, 96. Time, 1:54 2-5.

PETROLEA "AT HOME."

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Petrolea, Jan. 2. — The "at home" given by Mrs. Harrison Corey in Victoria Opera House in honor of Miss Kathleen Gurd, was one of the nicest social functions given here for some years. The ballroom was tastefully decorated, as becoming the occasion. Several visitors were present, including Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Lewis, Chatham. Fralick's orchestra of Toronto furnished the music, and cards and dancing formed the program.

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ALL PARIS STARTLED BY TALE OF BANDIT

Weird Story of a Hold-Up By a Noted Anarchist Gunman.

Paris, Dec. 31.—Paris is intensely interested in the newspaper accounts of a recent hold-up by the Anarchist Lacombe, gunman, of Choisy-le-Roy and Nogent-sur-Seine, friend of Bonnot and Garnier, at whose deaths the army and police department participated for the benefit of the press and moving pictures. This new hold-up, which is rapidly turning into a murder with each edition of the evening papers, is supposed to have taken place last Tuesday in the home of Eribach-Ducret, an anarchist bookseller in the Passage de Clichy.

According to many printed accounts the bookseller was hated by Lacombe because he told the police certain things about the gunman. Ducret was asleep with his wife and adopted son Roger, 5 years old, when Lacombe came thundering at the door of the shop with two loaded revolvers.

In another room slept Mlle. Le Coz, a young woman boarder, who, according to the boulevard journalists, had also broken faith with Lacombe, her one-time lover.

She was driven into the room with the bookseller and his terrified wife and child, as the story runs, and Lacombe, sitting at the foot of the bed and waving his revolvers, told the four that he had set 2 o'clock in the morning as the time of their sudden deaths. It was then 10 o'clock at night.

Apparently Lacombe was in a jovial mood. Fondling his weapons he burst into song. He sang an anarchistic melody that is not sung in the best Parisian homes. He sang it so loudly that the neighbors came out to hear. But with the neighbors apparently came no police.

When he had tired singing he told the bookseller that he was a beast and he ran through a list of beasts that the bookseller was, letting him take his pick. Every now and then he kissed the young woman whom he was to kill in the morning. As it grew later he grew sleepy. The bookseller thrust into song. He sang an anarchistic melone cautious leg out of bed. Quick as a flash Lacombe sprang up and thrust a revolver aganst Ducret's goose-fleshed chest. Ducret clambered back to bed and Lacombe returned to his song. So with song and what not the night sped away and 2 o'clock struck in a nearby watchtower, say the 3 o'clock editions.

Lacombe reared himself up in the darkness with revolvers levelled. The four terrified people prayed, but their time had not yet come. Lacombe laughingly tossed a two-sou piece on the bed spread saying, "Heads, I shoot you now, tails, I kill you at 6 o'clock, the hour when we Reds are executed by the knife of Mme. La Guillotine." The coin fell tails.

A little later 6 o'clock struck, so Lacombe shot the bookseller in the neck and laughing heartily rode away in a big red touring car that had been waiting for him all the time.

The bookseller receives reporters daily in the hospital. After each visit the story grows. The bookseller's wife and adopted child and the beautiful Mlle. Coz are in the country for their nerves. Is it not a beautiful story?

AMUSEMENTS

A Favorite Story.

"Little Women," the story which made the fame of Louisa M. Alcott, and which, although published 43 years ago, still enjoys a tremendous sale, will be presented in dramatic form at the Grand Opera House Friday and Saturday this week.

The difficulties which arose in securing the consent of living members of the Alcott family to transferring "Little Women" to the stage were many. It was only after many arguments that one of Miss Alcott's nephews, who, himself had been a character in the story, was convinced that nothing offensive would result from reproducing "Little Women."

"A Butterfly on the Wheel."

"A Butterfly on the Wheel" will be the attraction at the Grand next Monday evening. The theme of the play is as follows: The plot centres in a court. It is the endeavor of the prosecuting attorney to prove her guilty. During the trial the wife makes frequent appeals to the court for mercy. In the end she collapses, and her little body falls over the rail of the witness stand. This concludes the trial scene. In the end the husband finds that his wife is innocent and a happy reconciliation brings this interesting drama to a close. Seat sale opens tomorrow.

Mr. Lewis Waller.

The appearance of Mr. Lewis Waller in this city on next Wednesday night at the Grand will, in all probability, prove one of the most delightful dramatic events of the season, aside from the fact that the distinguished English actor has never previously appeared here. He has been pleased to select for this occasion the play, which is world-famous for its delightful wit and comedy, "A Marriage of Convenience." Mr. Waller brings his entire English Company for the interpretation of the piece. Seat sale opens Saturday at 9 a.m. Mail orders now.

African Hunt Pictures.

Good-sized audience viewed the Paul Rainey African hunt pictures at the Grand Opera House on the holiday. They delighted all who were fortunate enough to see them. Nothing equal to these pictures has been seen in this city, and lovers of nature and art should not fail to go to the Grand. The coloring and the action are simply wonderful. Tonight will be the last opportunity of seeing these pictures.

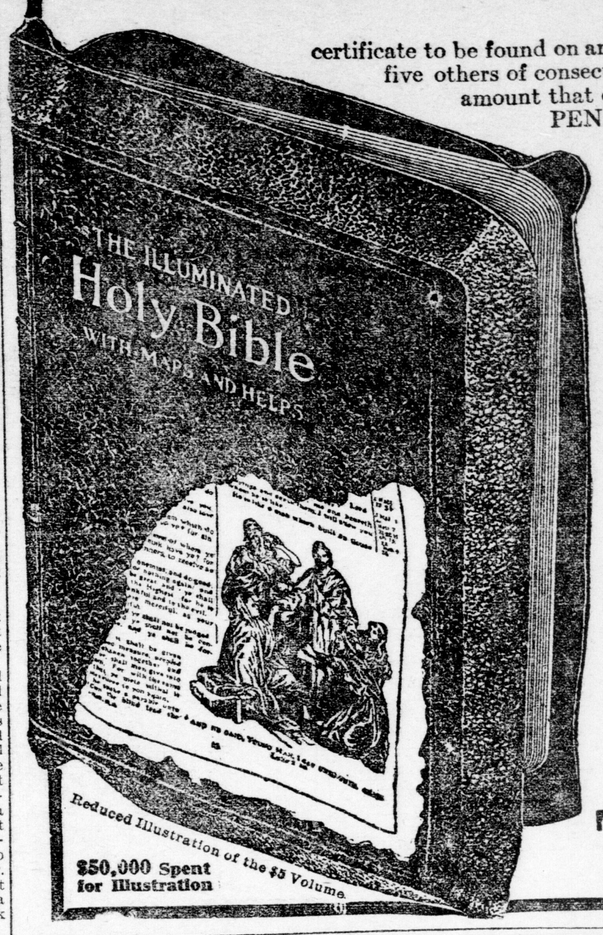
WIRELESS ROW ENDS

United States Will Cease Arresting Captains of Unequipped Steamers.

Boston, Jan. 2.—Federal prosecution of the two trans-Atlantic steamship captains charged with failure to comply with the new wireless laws was withdrawn today by order of Secretary of Commerce and Labor Nagel. Captain Hall, of the steamer Numidian, and Captain Shepherd, of the Winifredian, had been made the subjects of charges, while other cases had been under consideration by Government officials. The steamship companies' pleas that they were unable to comply with the new regulations because of delay on the part of contractors in filling their order for equipment were accepted, and they were given further time to install the apparatus.

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TO-DAY

CHURCHILL STINGS ENEMY AND STARTS AN UPROAR

Heated Exchange Marks Home Rule Debate When Carson and Law Demand That Ulster Be Excluded From Bill—Amendment of Opposition Was Defeated.

London, Jan. 1.—Ulster must accept the home rule bill as well as every other province in Ireland, according to a vote in the House of Commons today. An amendment was proposed by the Unionist members to exclude Ulster from the operations of the bill. This amendment was debated at some length and with considerable rancor tonight, but it was finally beaten by a vote of 294 to 197.

When the debate opened Sir Edward Carson, the chairman of the Ulster Unionist organization, earnestly deprecated what he called the tendency of the Ministerial members to laugh at and treat with levity the attitude of the Orange Ulstermen. There was no use, he declared, in saying that Ulster was bluffing or blustering. Ulster's hostility to the home rule bill could not be overcome by ridicule. It was a stern fact, and he (Sir Edward) was convinced that nothing but force could compel the Ulstermen to break their covenant and submit to home rule.

If the Ulstermen resisted the Government in the enforcement of the provisions of the home rule bill, said Sir Edward, who a short time ago was the Government's legal adviser, they would be right. Nobody could tell where the forces of disorder, once let loose, would find their objective.

Mr. Asquith's Attitude.

Premier Asquith in reply said the Government in framing the measure had taken all precautions possible to guard against the Irish Parliament misusing its powers, and was still prepared to add any safeguards that could be shown to be necessary, but they could not accept the proposed amendment. If Ulster were excluded the bill would be wrecked, because every clause in the bill then could not be worked. Moreover, said the Prime Minister, large sections of Ulster were Nationalist; the whole of the northwest, the whole of the south and a large part of the middle of the province was unanimously in favor of home rule. Why, he asked, should they be excluded? It was noteworthy, said the Premier, that the proportion of Protestants to Catholics in Ulster was only nine to seven.

John Redmond, the Irish-Nationalist leader, described the amendment as a piece of political tactics.

Bonar Law, the Unionist leader, said disaster would follow if the bill were carried against the will of Ulster. He contended that any Irish county ought to be allowed to decide whether it should be ruled by the proposed new Parliament, or by the present Imperial Parliament at Westminster. He declared it as his belief that the Unionists in Ireland would rather be ruled by a foreign country than by the Irish Nationalists.

At this point the Ulster Unionists broke into loud cheers, which were replied to by scornful cries from the Ministerialists.

Would Aid Resistance.

If, said Bonar Law, the Government would submit the bill to the country and get an indorsement, he would not encourage Ulster to resist, but if the Ministry attempted to enforce it on Ulster against her will the whole electorate would assist them in resisting its enforcements.

Winston Churchill, who has a knack of starting things up, interrupted with a sarcastic reference to Mr. Law's remark about a foreign country, saying: "This is the latest Tory threat; Ulster will secede to Germany."

This stung the Unionists, and a great uproar followed.

There were shouts of "Germany," "Which Germany?" "Who said Germany?" Epithets of "Rat" and "Traitor" were applied to Churchill by the disturbers.

The speaker appealed in vain for order, while all the time Churchill stood up and attempted to continue his remarks. Every time he attempted to speak he was interrupted, and finally he sat down, after having apparently succeeded in achieving his bile-stirring purpose by his gratuitous allusion to Germany.

The amendment was then put to a vote, and defeated.

AUTO KILLS DEER; DEER WRECKS AUTO.



Here's the first case on record of an automobile running down a deer. It happened on the road near Newcomb, N. Y. The machine, a small runabout, hit the animal while it was crossing the road. The impact killed the deer and knocked the auto into a gully beside the road. It overturned, and was blown to pieces by a gasoline explosion. The occupants escaped with slight injuries.

District Personals

PARKHILL.

Parkhill, Jan. 2.—Messrs. John and Kenneth McColl are home from Toronto.

Mrs. Wm. England, of London, is visiting friends here.

The ball in the town hall, under the auspices of local young men, was attended by about one hundred and fifty, including visitors from Toronto, London, Strathroy, Sarnia, Forest, Ailsa Craig and Hensall. At the close, the ladies served lunch.

Miss Marion Parkinson, of Toronto, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Magladery.

Mr. and Mrs. John R. McMillan, of Norwich, Ont., is visiting with Mrs. S. Armstrong.

DENFIELD.

Denfield, Jan. 2.—Thos. Rosser, jun., attended the Toronto races recently.

Mr. Alex. Cameron, of Lobo, visited in London recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. Tedder are visiting their son, Fred Tedder, of Marine City, Mich.

Mr. Barney Stanley visited friends here recently.

Mr. Chas. Rosser was in London recently.

FLORENCE.

Florence, Jan. 2.—Henry Osborne spent New Year's Day with relatives in St. Thomas.

Miss Millie North is thought to be improving.

Harvey Osborne, of Ogema, Sask., is here spending a few weeks with his parents.

Misses Josie Scarlett, Louisa Daniels and Guy Peters were successful in passing the model exams of 1912 at Chatham.

The young son of John Beattie is ill with diphtheria.

Chas. J. Ellison has sold out his undertaking business at Port Colborne and will locate in the Western Peninsula.

Mrs. (Rev.) Ashton spent the holidays with her sisters, the Mesdames Childs.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Stokes, of Dundalk, are holiday guests of Mr. Stokes sister, Mrs. Manuel Congdon.

CODY'S CORNERS.

Cody's Corners, Jan. 2.—Mrs. James Ward and daughter were in Woodstock over the New Year.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Cody are visiting Lakeside friends for a few days.

John Day visited recently with his sister, Mrs. Morley, of Chatham.

Messrs. Donald McCaul and John Macpherson, of Holiday, were recent guests with Fred Prouse.

Mrs. Nicholas Parker and children, of Woodstock, visited Mrs. H. Greenfield recently.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Day and family, of Brantford, visited with relatives in this vicinity recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Holland, of Detroit, spent Thursday with Mr. Holland's brother, Tom Holland.

Mr and Mrs. Thos. Ward and daughter, Miss Erie, are spending the week with Mrs. Bolton, of Wildwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Lindley and son, of Hamilton, visited with the latter's father, Mr. Russel Day, recently.

Mr. Charles Marr, of London, spent New Year's at his uncle's, Mr. Andrew Hamilton.

Mr. Andrew Hamilton was able to return home on Tuesday night from St. Joseph's Hospital, London, where he has been for the past couple of months.

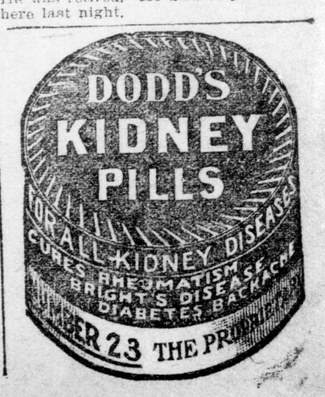
At the annual school meeting, Mr. E. L. Cody was re-elected trustee.

Misses Tena and Margaret Murray entertained a number of their Corner and Beashville friends on New Year's Eve.

Messrs. Ewart and Stewart Alger and sister, Miss Elsie, of Tweed, were recent visitors at Mr. E. L. Cody's.

GENERAL MURRAY DEAD.

Baltimore, Jan. 2.—General Robert Murray, 91 years of age, surgeon-general of the United States army 1882-86. He was retired. He died of pneumonia here last night.



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"Before taking your medicine she was all run down, suffered from pains in her side, could not walk but a short distance at a time, and had severe pains in head and limbs. She came very near having nervous prostration. She had begun to cough a good deal and seemed melancholy by spells. She tried two doctors but got little help.

"I cannot find words to express my gratefulness for what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for my daughter. She feels and looks like another girl since taking it, and I shall always feel that I owe you a great debt.

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Ardent Suitor—"I lay my fortune at your feet." Fair Lady—"Your fortune! I didn't know you had one." Ardent Suitor—"Well, it isn't much of a fortune, but it will look large beside those tiny feet."—Boston Transcript.

English people are not used to eating peaches, as the English hothouse product sells for as much as $5 a dozen, and the peach grown outside sometimes at nearly $2.50 a dozen. Hence the market for American peaches in England is in its infancy.

THE GUARDIAN

BY FREDERICK ORIN BARTLETT

"I think—I think he didn't tell you because he didn't wish to pain you at parting," Julie apologized for him.

"He's gone! He's gone," moaned the mother.

"But he's gone to sea," exclaimed the girl, as though this brightened up the whole adventure. "He's gone to make his fortune. Why, he's going to Rio de Janeiro. And he's going to India. And he said he would get some tigers."

This fact, to be sure, hadn't put much heart into Julie herself, but she thought that perhaps the mother, being of hardier stuff, might appreciate the opportunity even as 'Gene had. But Mrs. Page only began to rock to and fro, as though this was quite the end of the boy. Julie kept her hand on the mother's shoulder, and without being able to say more, felt her own spirits sink. In spite of all the arguments she brought forth to herself to excuse 'Gene, she felt keenly that in going after this fashion he had done something unworthy of himself. He hadn't been quite direct. He ought to have confided in her anyway that his family did not know of his plans. If he had done that, she would have made him return and tell them. She determined to scold him for this in her next letter.

"Oh, my boy!" moaned the mother. "Oh, my darling 'Gene!"

Julie stooped and kissed the white hair. "Can't you just think of when he's coming back?" she whispered. "It will be almost before we know it. Can't you think of that?"

Mrs. Page shook her head.

"It's easy enough to talk when he ain't your own," she sobbed.

Julie started back. For a second she resented the speech. Before she quite recovered herself the kitchen door opened and Mr. Page strode in. His face was hard as flint.

"Nat says the boy's gone to sea," he growled.

Mrs. Page didn't even look up.

"What fer you cryin'," he demanded. "He's gone!" she repeated.

His father levelled his hard eyes first upon his wife and then upon Julie.

"Serves him right," he answered. "It may knock a little sense into him."

"Mr. Page!" gasped Julie.

He faced her. He waited. She did not reply.

"Serves him right," he repeated, and strode out of the room.

Julie glanced at Mrs. Page, who had now stopped crying.

"If he'd only let me pack his clothes and git his things ready. I don't b'lieve he tuk his flannels."

"He—he had a bag with him," said Julie, with some confusion.

"I'm goin' right up to his room this minute an' see what he did take," declared Mrs. Page.

She hurried out and left the girl standing there. Julie was disappointed. She felt almost like an intruder. Here in 'Gene's own home she had been treated like an outsider. But as she stood alone for a minute, this feeling vanished before a warm glow of content from within which mastered her even as the kitchen clock on the mantel over the stove seemed to subdue all other sounds in the music of its own ticking. This was 'Gene's home, and everything in it was associated in some way with him. How many times his eyes must have rested on that scarred old clock face; how many times his lips must have touched the tin dipper hanging over the wooden sink; how many times his fingers must have grasped the iron lifter on the stove. Year after year he had looked at the drab-painted boards which sheathed this room, and at the yellow-bound Farmer's Almanac hanging by a string from the mantel. He had sat in these chairs with the painted grapes on the backs. The red tablecloth and the dishes upon the table set for luncheon, and the cupboard by the side of the sink and the tin dishpan over it—even those things, because they had been the setting of his daily life, brought him nearer to her. In giving herself up to this thought she almost saw and felt him. She heard his steps coming through the woodshed. She saw him open the kitchen door.

But it was Nat who entered—not 'Gene.

CHAPTER IX.
The Next Best.

Day after day Julie sat by the side of the road after supper and watched for old Lyman Chase, who on his return from work brought back with him from the Hio postoffice the Miller and Page mail. Day after day he shook his head at her outstretched hand. She had expected 'Gene to write her at least a note from Boston before sailing, and for a week bolstered up her hopes with every conceivable theory which might send the letter astray. Then she computed how long it would take for the first mail to reach her from India, and being unable to cut it down below three months, cried a little, and after that no longer waited by the side of the road.

But she waited everywhere else—even in school, where she went about her tasks mechanically with 'Gene's empty seat always before her. During recitations in physical geography her cheeks flamed hot and her eyes grew blurry until she couldn't distinguish South America on the map from Africa. Across the face of every distant continent there was but one name printed, and that read 'Gene. April dragged into May, May into June, and every passing day left her more and more restless. She herself felt the wanderlust and began to resent the hills and mountains that hemmed her in.

She turned her eyes longingly towards the summit of Eagle. From there Nat had told her one could see forty miles in every direction. If she could go up there and have one broad look, she felt that it would clear her brain and break the monotony of the waiting. Furthermore, the physical effort would give some outlet to her pent-up emotions. Preferably she would have gone alone, but that was manifestly impossible. The alternative was Nat. She suggested it to him one day, and he fell in with the idea eagerly.

"It's a hard climb, but I guess ye can do it," he said.

"I—I don't suppose you can see the ocean from there, can you?" she asked wistfully.

He laughed.

"I'm pretty poor on geography, but I do know the ocean's about a hundred miles from here," he answered.

"Oh, yes," she admitted, with a little laugh herself, "of course it it, but I didn't know but on a clear day——"

"There's a lake 'way off near the skyline that looks like the ocean," he said.

"Then we'll see that," she decided.

"If it's fair, we oughter see that," he agreed.

"And the next best thing to seeing the ocean is to see what looks like the ocean," she said.

"So?" he asked.

She grew confused, for her brain had instantly suggested an unexpected expansion of this idea; if one couldn't see 'Gene, wasn't the next best thing to see someone who looked like 'Gene? Certainly ever since 'Gene's departure Nat had been more welcome to her than he had ever been before, though at times he irritated her to a point where she found it difficult to control her temper. He was apt to be unpleasantly direct, unpleasantly matter-of-fact. Furthermore, she didn't like his attitude towards his brother. He refused to talk about him. His very silence was a slur upon 'Gene.

She turned away abruptly.

"I don't know as I'll go, after all," she announced.

"Any time you're ready," he said.

But as the weeks passed, the top of Eagle and the strip of blue on the horizon line which Nat had mentioned, called to her with increasing insistence. She must do something to break the strain of this waiting.

It was the sixth week after 'Gene left, and the week school ended, that she informed Nat she would go on the following Saturday. She wrote her mother simply that she would not be home until Sunday. She did not tell of the proposed trip because she knew the latter would worry unnecessarily about it. She reached this decision only after an hour or so of uncomfortable thought. It was not her usual way of doing things. Even though her argument were a fair one, it is doubtful if she would have pursued it at all had it not been for 'Gene's example. It was true that she had not at all approved of the latter's conduct, but now it not only served to justify her, but her own resulting act served in a way to justify his. Here was a subtle bit of sophism that might puzzle the philosophers, but once she had worked it out it no longer disturbed her at all. To have done the same thing she disapproved of in 'Gene placed 'Gene in a much better light in her eyes. Furthermore, she concealed her evasion from Nat. She knew the latter would think, of course, that she had consulted her parents about the adventure.

[To be Continued.]

RAILWAY STRIKE PROVED COSTLY

English Shipping Trades Were Out Five Millions By Northeastern Walkout.

London, Jan. 2.—The strike of the workers on the Northeastern Railway caused by the action of the company in reducing an engine driver after he had been convicted of drunkenness, and which lasted less than a week, cost the northern shipping trades over $5,000,000.

The trouble came at a time when there was an extraordinary rush of trade before the holidays, which was interrupted by an unusual and pressing demand for coal by Russia and other European powers, who were putting in stocks against the possibility of war. It was not only the shipping trades that lost heavily, however, for the miners and men in collateral trades lost nearly a week's work, as the company could not accept freight, while the railway men themselves were mulcted in fines which it will take them some weeks to pay.

This has left a wound and many of the men, dissatisfied with the action of their committee in signing the company's terms, wished a general strike ordered. Better counsels prevailed, however, the men who had gone on strike against the advice of the union officials, on this occasion listening to them. There is unrest among the men on most of the railways of the country. They complain that they are persecuted, that any man found to be active in trade unionism is unfairly treated by the companies, and on the least excuse is either gotten rid of or reduced.

The companies deny this, but the men believe it and many of the sectional strikes, such as that on the Northeastern, are caused more by the general dissatisfaction than by the special occurrence that takes the men out. The men on the Northeastern were not greatly concerned about the reduction of Driver Knox, but they had a general grievance against the company and took the first opportunity of venting it. It is the same with the coal miners. The men in Wales, who made the bitterest fight in the last big strike, are now complaining that the award made on the conclusion of the strike is not being fairly administered and threaten that unless their grievances are remedied they will declare another general strike. It is likely that they would were it not for the fact that their funds were depleted by the last struggle.

FAMOUS TEMPLE FOR SALE

Was Built by Soldier Who Tried to Found a New Religion.

London, Jan. 2.—The famous Jezreel's temple at Chatham has been offered for sale.

This building, which is a conspicuous landmark, was begun in 1882 by a British soldier named White, who, after an attack of sunstroke in India, proclaimed himself the prophet of a new religion and adopted the name of "James Hershon Jezreel."

An article of the new faith was that none of its disciples should visit a barber, and the Jezreelites rapidly became known in the locality and beyond it. "Jezreel" gathered hundreds of followers and organized a little colony of farms and workshops, out of which he made a fortune. He began the construction of the temple with the object of accommodating 5,000 of the faithful out of the 144,000 who were to be saved when the end of the world came.

He promised his followers that he would live forever, but he died before the tower was completed. It remains unfinished today despite the fact that over $200,000 was spent on it. The building remained unoccupied until 1906, when it was taken by an American named Mills, who adopted the title of "Prince Michael" and proclaimed himself the successor of "Jezreel." A little over three years ago "Prince Michael's" followers were evicted, having failed to pay the rent to the owner, a contractor, who had taken over the building on the death of "Jezreel."

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This was the experience of J. E. Parkhurst, a well-known grocery dealer in Jefferson. Follow his advice, use Dr. Hamilton's Pills for your stomach, kidneys and liver, and you'll enjoy long life and robust good health. All druggists and storekeepers sell Dr. Hamilton's Pills, 25 cents per box, 5 boxes for $1.00, or postpaid from the Catarrhozone Co., Buffalo, N. Y., and Kingston, Canada.

SUGGESTS NEW TUNNEL WINDSOR TO DETROIT

Important Plan Included in Celebration of Hundred Years of Peace.

Detroit, Mich., Jan. 1.—A Washington special says: "The creation of the international boulevards, parks and driveways, with a tunnel from Windsor to Detroit, is suggested in the year book, which has just been issued by the national committee selected to arrange the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of peace among the English-speaking peoples." In speaking of the suggestion that there be international co-operation to put through a plan of boulevard park and parkway, the book suggests that "there be erected at such local point as the Niagara frontier and Detroit frontier permanent monuments, such as water gates on either side of the Detroit River, the building of a tunnel from Windsor to Detroit, as part of an international extension, building of a bridge from Belle Isle to the mainland, erection of bridges as a part of the plan of boulevard extension now being carried out by the state of New York and the Province of Ontario at the Niagara frontier, and the erection of border monuments along the American-Canadian frontier of 3,840 miles."

Another suggestion of which cognizance is taken in the publication is that of a gigantic water fete, in which all the cities on the great lakes would participate.

SCHOOL REPORTS

S. S. No. 3, Lobo.

The following is the standing of the pupils of S. S. No. 3, Lobo, for the months of November and December, 1912:

Class I., Senior—Velda Muma, Jack Fletcher, Douglas Graham.

Class I., Junior—Raymond Zavitz, Gladys Carmichael, Hughie Carmichael, Mary Thrower (absent).

Part II.—Chester Brown, Kenneth Graham, Gordon Tuckey.

Class II., Senior—Howard Brown, Ellmore Barclay, Eddie Clare, Arthur Gladwell.

Class II., Junior—Ellis Cutler, Mary Shotwell.

Class III.—Anna Bycraft, Kenneth Crawford, Theodore Gray, Everett Hambly, Cora Tuckey, Bessie McIntyre.

Class IV.—Amy Nichols, Kathleen Crawford, Murray McInray, Mabel Brown, Laura Zavitz, Ila Clare, George Bycraft, Sadie Barclay.

Class V.—Maenard Gray, Wilfred Crawford, Pearson Brown (absent).

A. M. CAVERHILL, Teacher.

S. S. No. 13, Westminster.

Following is a report of the past term's work in S. S. No. 13, Westminster:

Class A.—Hazel Taylor, Veda Jenkins, Grace Hutchinson.

Class B.—Charlie Kirk, Katheline Rose, Mary Flowers, John Munro.

Class I.—Clarence Bradie.

Part II. Class—Gordon Kirk, Jack McPherson, Clarence Taylor, Nina Munro.

Class II.—Keith McPherson, Harry Rose, Melford Taylor.

Class III.—Roy Smith, Bessie Hutchinson, Ernest Laidlaw.

Class IV. — Violetta Hutchinson, Edith Brodie, Lawrence Kirk, Adam Flowers, Willie Holtby.

M. TURNER, Teacher.

A FLEETING GLORY

The Original British Dreadnought Is Now Out of Date.

London, Jan. 2. — How fleeting is the glory of the modern fighting ship is illustrated in the case of the British battleship Dreadnought, the building of which as a result of the report of the British naval attaches who accompanied Admiral Togo's fleet in the first naval battles in the Gulf of Pechili against the Pacific fleet of Russia, caused a revolution in battleship construction.

This once proud vessel is now considered so far out of date that she is being removed from the first battle squadron and assigned to the fourth battle squadron, which is based on Gibraltar. The Dreadnought has been in commission less than six years, and while not considered obsolete, is more completely outclassed by the latest ships than were the pre-Dreadnoughts distanced by her when she was first built.

Three weeks ago the battleship King George V. was commissioned. She has a broadside of no less than 14,000 pounds. This gives her a superiority of 106 per cent over the Dreadnought, which was only 28 per cent better than the last pre-Dreadnought. The new armored cruisers even are 50 per cent more powerful than the Dreadnought. No British armored ship is reckoned effective today that has been launched over 18 years.

At the battle of Trafalgar, the 27 British ships averaged 27 years from the late of launching. The Victory itself was 50 years old.

THE CRISIS IN SPAIN

All the Conservative Senators and Deputies Have Resigned.

[Canadian Press.]

Madrid, Jan. 2. — Practically all the Conservative senators and deputies have resigned their seats, following the lead of Senor Maura, their leader, who announced that he purposed to retire from public life. The resignations are attributed to vexation at the solution of the cabinet crisis in favor of the Liberals.

It is believed that all the Conservative members of provincial and municipal councils throughout the country also will resign.

The Epoca, the Conservative organ, declares the resignation of the members of Parliament were handed in because they were convinced that it was impossible for the Conservative party either to colaborate with the present Government or to assume power until the Liberal party radicaly modifies its political methods.

Premier Romanones told interviewers today that he greatly regretted Senor Maura's resignation and would do his utmost to induce him to reconsider his decision to retire from public life. In a letter printed in the Epoca explaining his action, Senor Maura complains that the crown did not consult him before settling the recent cabinet crisis, and says that the financial disorder brought about by the disastrous management of the Liberals, as well as the indulgence of the Government towards the Republicans, constitute a grave danger for the monarchy. The letter generally is having a most deplorable effect, amounting, as it does, to a direct censure of the crown, whose action in the recent crisis was perfectly constitutional.

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Most people dread physic. They think of castor oil, salts and cathartic pills. They shrink from the after-effects — so they postpone the dose until they get sick; then they do this liver and bowel cleansing in a heroic way—they have a bowel washday. That is all wrong. If you will take a teaspoonful of delicious Syrup of Figs tonight you will never realize you have taken anything until morning, when all the poisonous matter, sour bile and clogged-up waste will be moved on and out of your system, thoroughly but gently—no griping—no nausea—no weakness. Taking Syrup of Figs is a real pleasure. Don't think you are drugging yourself; it is composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatics, and constant use cannot cause injury.

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GRAND DUKE BANISHED

Czar Exiles Him From St. Petersburg for Marrying a Commoner.

[Canadian Press.]

London, Jan. 2. — A dispatch to the Daily News from St. Petersburg says the removal of Grand Duke Michael, brother of Emperor Nicholas, from the command of the Chevalier Guards Regiment, marks the imperial displeasure at his recent marriage to Mme. Sheremetievskaia. His banishment from the capital, the correspondent adds, doubtless is intended to prevent the grand duke's appearance at the forthcoming celebrations of the tercentenary of the Romanoff dynasty.

LITTLEFORD—BROWN

Pretty Wedding Was Solemnized at Bride's Home in Lobo.

The residence of Mr. Geo. Brown, Lobo Township, was the scene of a very pretty wedding recently, when his only daughter, Sadie, was married to Osborne Harry Littleford, of Toronto. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Carlton McCracken, rector of St. John's Church, Wyoming, under an arch of evergreens and white ribbons.

The bride, who was given away by her father, entered the parlor carrying a bouquet of Beauty roses, to the strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march played by Miss Avice Scott, of Birr. The groom's present to the bride was a beautiful signet ring. The bride was beautifully gowned and looked charming in a dress of ivory duchess satin with pearl trimmings. She wore a Juliet cap with orange blossoms, and a long bridal veil. The bridegroom's present was a beautiful pearl ring. Her travelling dress was of tan whipcord, the hat being of black silk beaver, with willow plume and mink fur.

A dainty luncheon was served, the table being tastily decorated with carnations and smilax. Guests were present from Geneva, Woodstock, Toronto, Stratford, and Ailsa Craig. In a few days Mr. and Mrs. Littleford will leave for Toronto, and shortly after for Cartier, in Northern Ontario.

ALVINSTON BALL

Large Number Present From All Over This District.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Alvinston, Jan. 1.—The New Year's ball held in Code's Hall proved to be the most successful and enjoyable affair of the season.

About 65 guests were present, including the following from out of town; Misses Florence and Grace Wilson, of Wardsville; Messrs. Prout, Crotty and Regan, of Bothwell; Jos. Reid, Thorold; Miss Nena L. Genge, Bryan, Ohio; Mrs. Gotshall, Bryan, Ohio; Miss Lillian Davis, Hunstville, Muskoka; Misses Merle and Grace Luckham, Warwick; Mr. R. B. Warner, Inwood; Jas. B. Smith, Montreal; Miss Violet Wanless, of Toronto; Miss Lulu Leitch, Detroit; Misses E. Lehrbass and Blanche Lloyd, of Inwood; Mr. and Mrs. Wm. E. Johnston, of Toronto; Miss Terese Reid, Strathroy; Messrs. H. Young and A. T. Pray, of Toronto; Miss Florence Duncan, Toronto; Miss Lylla Ketch and Miss Sadie McPhail, London; J. M. Wanless, Dalphin, Man.; Miss Laird, St. Thomas, and Tom Code, of Cobalt.

At midnight a delicious lunch was served and dancing was continued till an early hour.

NAVIGATION OPENS

Steady Movement of Boats in the Detroit River.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Windsor, Jan. 1.—Navigation on the Detroit River for the season of 1913 was opened today by the sand steamer John M. McKerchey, which brought down a cargo of sand from points along the St. Clair River.

The McKerchey, after discharging her cargo at the company's dock in Delray, will proceed up the river for another load.

Three steamers which have unloaded grain cargoes in Buffalo, cleared from here Tuesday to lie up at other Lake Erie ports. The Scapa and Sylvania go to Ashtabula, and the John A. McGean to Cleveland.

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.

SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION BRIDGE AND TORONTO.

Arrive from the East—*3:52 a.m., 10:56 a.m., *11:12 a.m., *11.28 a.m., *6:30 p.m., *8:00 p.m., 10:45 p.m.

Arrive from the West—*12:14 a.m., 3:43 a.m., 8:50 a.m., *11:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., *4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.

Depart for the East—*12:19 a.m., *3:48 a.m., 7:20 a.m., 9:00 a.m., *12:05 p.m., 2:05 p.m., *4:25 p.m., *6:53 p.m.

Depart for the West—*3:57 a.m., 7:40 a.m., *11:18 a.m., *11:35 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 8:20 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.

Arrive—10:23 a.m., *4:00 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:05 p.m.

Depart—5:35 a.m., *11:43 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:05 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.

Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:39 p.m., 6:45 p.m., 11:25 p.m.

Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:26 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.

Arrive—10:00 a.m., 6:10 p.m.

Depart—8:20 a.m., 4:40 p.m.

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.

Arrive from the East—*11:42 a.m., 6:50 p.m., *8:15 p.m., *11:12 p.m.

Arrive from the West—*4:30 a.m., 11:20 a.m., *12:15 p.m., *6:45 p.m., 5:15 p.m.

Depart for the East—*4:38 a.m., 7:00 a.m., *12:25 p.m., *5:55 p.m.

Depart for the West—8:00 a.m., *11:50 a.m., 7:00 p.m., *8:23 p.m., *11:20 p.m.

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.

MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.

Arrive—7:04 a.m., 11:10 a.m., 4:55 p.m., 9:40 p.m.

Depart—7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 5:20 p.m., 10:11 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.

Arrive—8:45 a.m., *12:25, 1:50, 4:38, *9:50 p.m.

Depart—5:50, *7:10, 9:45 a.m., 2:30, *4:25, †7:00 p.m.

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Corsican	3 Jan.	4 Jan.
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Hesperian	31 Jan.	1 Feb.

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	From Boston.	Portland.
Sicilian	2 Jan.	
Ionian		9 Jan.
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Sub. 1	6	14	10	12	13	7	15	12	16	9	16	12	18	18	19	17	0	7	18	18	11	18	5	15
Sub. 2	18	16	13	9	19	8	9	13	10	9	18	10	16	22	18	10	3	17	16	17	7	3	1	11
Sub. 3	24	29	22	15	29	17	30	20	40	11	26	17	38	35	28	31	8	13	33	35	32	24	6	31
Sub. 4	20	30	21	13	23	16	20	18	20	9	19	17	27	25	21	27	2	17	29	26	24	6	4	23
Sub. 5	28	31	29	20	22	17	30	16	19	9	28	23	24	36	27	30	4	13	23	24	25	13	6	22
Sub. 6	42	45	34	21	23	28	36	29	29	14	34	22	32	41	29	37	3	19	36	32	38	16	10	32
Sub. 7	48	49	27	21	38	47	51	25	55	32	43	33	52	51	39	61	7	32	61	42	60	24	15	57
Sub. 8	19	25	18	13	20	29	29	18	31	15	19	13	28	25	18	44	5	9	29	27	33	12	7	31
Sub. 9	48	47	37	31	41	32	33	45	48	18	42	32	52	53	44	55	11	21	56	51	42	31	4	51
Sub. 10	56	60	48	43	32	15	31	59	42	13	50	31	52	71	49	38	5	23	48	45	41	20	4	42
Sub. 11	35	33	18	19	20	31	30	24	35	15	28	26	40	30	23	44	18	16	34	28	40	16	5	34
Sub. 12	34	41	25	24	20	32	41	36	48	16	32	25	50	43	28	59	23	9	42	41	53	27	6	44
Sub. 13	68	61	54	50	40	18	29	6	38	21	56	44	48	84	60	30	16	28	45	42	29	26	2	45
Sub. 14	69	66	52	44	22	23	34	60	38	17	49	34	52	80	56	45	12	23	43	40	51	29	5	34
Sub. 15	66	70	47	35	39	30	32	63	57	22	60	46	68	79	55	52	14	30	62	54	52	40	3	55
Sub. 16	57	59	40	26	34	30	46	40	46	26	47	27	53	66	47	52	15	24	39	44	45	26	7	48
Totals	638	676	495	396	435	380	496	484	572	256	567	412	650	759	561	632	146	301	614	566	583	331	90	575

WARD TWO.

Sub. 17	34	33	25	22	20	14	15	22	18	9	32	25	19	38	29	17	1	13	23	18	16	20	1	17
Sub. 18	31	30	25	24	23	27	19	28	28	14	35	23	39	37	29	23	4	12	28	33	20	17	8	33
Sub. 19	34	35	30	24	29	15	18	19	26	12	37	26	29	44	39	21	3	10	26	25	20	12	3	30
Sub. 20	50	51	53	31	36	14	22	26	36	24	55	27	50	56	51	30	3	19	37	43	31	14	6	39
Sub. 21	53	48	46	26	31	24	36	35	37	15	48	24	37	58	29	32	8	21	37	37	29	17	5	35
Sub. 22	53	46	45	31	31	23	33	35	33	17	41	26	42	60	58	34	4	21	46	44	31	25	1	36
Sub. 23	59	51	48	35	43	33	45	26	64	14	55	39	62	67	74	44	0	20	47	59	43	26	2	57
Sub. 24	46	37	36	22	30	22	26	28	40	17	30	26	48	44	45	38	5	13	43	45	30	18	2	36
Sub. 25	45	33	18	26	36	33	32	29	48	8	29	21	46	43	35	43	1	25	36	33	33	44	6	35
Sub. 26	29	34	20	18	19	29	36	15	29	5	23	21	35	28	28	38	2	9	28	28	31	44	0	22
Sub. 27	51	61	35	41	29	27	38	34	38	13	37	29	33	59	37	47	5	22	40	30	42	48	2	26
Sub. 28	27	37	16	16	26	29	42	24	37	7	25	19	35	29	12	52	3	10	35	35	44	52	3	24
Totals	512	496	397	316	353	290	362	321	434	155	447	306	475	563	466	419	39	195	426	430	370	337	39	390

WARD THREE.

Sub. 29	49	52	34	28	44	15	30	36	33	14	36	27	30	56	42	33	3	27	37	34	27	13	4	37
Sub. 30	39	40	28	23	34	12	16	33	18	13	33	26	25	39	33	19	2	19	27	23	22	11	1	23
Sub. 31	54	58	41	30	53	17	40	26	45	24	47	28	50	54	49	43	7	16	45	44	39	23	4	52
Sub. 32	44	46	30	24	27	27	43	27	53	28	33	31	45	47	36	59	6	21	27	45	50	13	5	50
Sub. 33	30	30	23	18	44	25	35	14	55	31	23	20	38	36	29	42	5	9	40	38	46	11	3	41
Sub. 34	59	64	41	25	40	35	47	37	46	29	39	36	53	58	50	64	3	30	52	45	48	27	18	47
Sub. 35	28	46	20	11	26	29	36	13	35	15	28	24	34	31	19	60	6	14	45	34	48	14	6	40
Sub. 36	26	32	19	12	38	24	46	13	44	12	18	13	39	31	21	67	1	13	43	46	79	18	3	42
Sub. 37	33	41	22	18	30	50	52	16	60	21	30	24	45	36	27	80	3	12	48	46	59	22	10	53
Sub. 38	32	41	19	16	32	29	46	17	38	15	26	17	38	35	30	56	3	16	42	36	43	10	14	37
Sub. 39	23	43	15	11	39	27	48	14	39	23	23	23	46	32	24	88	5	12	41	36	62	10	11	44
Sub. 40	36	46	27	16	15	23	33	21	27	13	31	19	28	42	25	48	4	11	34	26	42	14	8	30
Sub. 41	26	36	17	12	31	28	47	12	43	18	24	20	55	28	16	93	4	9	47	41	56	12	7	65
Sub. 42	35	43	28	19	40	28	37	18	52	14	31	21	47	32	28	89	8	15	51	50	54	11	7	61
Sub. 43	31	26	19	18	25	24	30	22	49	9	26	23	44	34	25	60	5	15	43	35	58	19	5	48
Sub. 44	35	41	29	19	43	39	35	20	67	20	36	28	50	42	32	74	3	17	44	41	64	17	10	50
Totals	580	686	412	300	561	432	621	344	708	299	494	380	667	633	486	975	73	256	666	620	797	245	116	720

WARD FOUR.

Sub. 45	66	59	53	39	64	14	33	38	41	12	70	28	62	70	68	32	2	24	41	59	25	9	1	44
Sub. 46	41	36	35	25	37	14	19	28	27	15	33	19	33	46	39	19	4	19	30	32	24	13	2	26
Sub. 47	75	65	53	38	53	23	26	45	42	28	66	38	44	92	71	43	5	22	47	48	33	13	5	50
Sub. 48	65	63	50	40	48	30	33	37	51	36	48	40	53	73	55	43	12	24	40	47	35	18	5	49
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WARD FIVE.

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Totals	82	83	52	56	183	77	172	39	282	54	84	63	193	90	76	235	23	36	190	215	218	52	15	206
Grand totals	2677	2796	2057	1605	2239	1683	2257	1727	2781	1158	2385	1677	2780	3070	2386	3012	382	1114	2664	2577	2641	1272	376	2665



ALD. G. E. ROSE,
Re-elected.

ELECTIONS AT TORONTO

Majority

Mayor—H. C. Hocken 18,475

Board of Control—Thos. Foster, 15,910; John O'Neill, 14,646; Thos. L. Church, 12,799; J. O. McCarthy, 12,690.

Aldermen—Ward One—Robbins, Hubbard, Walton. Ward Two—Wickett, Risk, Rowland. Ward Three—Rawlinson, Burgess, Bell. Ward Four—Wanless, Weston, McMurrich. Ward Five—Meredith, Dunn, May. Ward Six—Maybee, McBrien, Spence. Ward Seven—Anderson, Ryding.

Board of Education—Ward One—Hiltz. Ward Two—Shaw. Ward Three—Brown. Ward Four—Fairbairn. Ward Six—Conboy. Ward Seven—Hopkins.

ALL BYLAWS CARRIED.

	Majorities.
Waterworks Extension, $6,677,000	9,713
Addition to Filtration, $1,375,000	4,090
Storm Overflow Sewers, $954,000	8,175
Bloor Street Viaduct, $2,500,000	9,132
Garbage Disposal, $1,000,000	10,528
Sick Children's Hospital, $250,000	12,986
National Sanatorium, $200,000	11,199
Good Roads, $100,000	12,431

TERRIFIC GALES SWEEP VANCOUVER

Storm Harries Metropolis of British Columbia, Doing Immense Domage and Causing Death of One Person and Injuries to Many.

Vancouver, Jan. 2.—Sweeping over Vancouver and district Monday night and all day Tuesday, the stiffest gale that has been known in many years wrought havoc in all parts of the city and suburbs, causing many minor accidents and damage in the aggregate that will run into thousands. Power, light, telegraph and transportation wires are down in all directions. Big signs were swept from fastenings into the street, and many narrow escapes were reported. One woman was badly injured and was taken to the hospital. In the afternoon street car traffic was tied up on account of the main power line between Vancouver and Lake Buntzen being carried away. An auxiliary plant supplied the light.

Launches Stranded.

Several launches were blown ashore in English Bay, the pier was damaged by drifting logs, and the waves, lashed to fury, threatened damage to other wharves. The wall of the partly destroyed warehouse recently gutted fell in, and so dangerous has the structure become that all traffic was stopped. The Westminster bridge was blown into the creek, carrying live wires with it.

Outside points report wires down in all directions. The interurban lines were blocked by fallen trees. Windows in many buildings were blown in, so strong was the wind.

At one time yesterday one wire, that of the Canadian Pacific from Winnipeg, was the only means of communication with outside points. The gale vented its force along the coast, and as far south as Portland. In one place, near Bellingham, thirty poles were broken down. Scores of log booms were broken up, and there is great danger to vessels from drifters.

KILLED IN BALKAN.

Athens, Jan. 2.—A prominent Birmingham, Eng., man named Palmer Newbould, was killed while fighting with the Greeks, near Janina, recently. He was a member of the British Balkan committee.



ALD. E. H. JOHNSTON,
A shrewd lawyer and member of last year's council, who asked for more information on electrification, and was indorsed by the people.

JAMES R. KEENE DYING

Well-Known New York Financier in a Very Low Condition.

New York, Jan. 2.—It is stated that the condition of James R. Keene, the financier and horse breeder, has become so much worse that he has been removed from his apartments in an uptown hotel to a private hospital. Mr. Keene's health had not been good for over a year, and recently he was compelled to take to his bed. At the hospital today it was said that Mr. Keene was resting as comfortably as could be expected.

A CLOSE CALL

Two Near Death at Denfield When Revolver Accidentally Discharged.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Denfield, Jan. 2.—A remarkably close call from a fatal shooting accident occurred here, when as Mr. M. Matthews, of Ailsa Craig, was examining a revolver it accidentally discharged. The bullet grazed his fingers and tore a hole in the wall only a foot away from where W. R. McBlain, a friend of Matthews, was sitting.

DYNAMITING GANG BEGIN THEIR TERMS

Former Ironworkers' Officials Placed in Federal Prison at Leavenworth.

Leavenworth, Kansas, Jan. 1.—As Frank M. Ryan, president of the Ironworkers' International Union, Olaf A. Tveitmoe, the Pacific coast labor leader, Herbert S. Hockin, John T. Butler, and the others stepped from the special train which brought them from Indianapolis, they were taken in charge by the prison authorities.

New Year's Day thus found the labor leaders beginning in the federal penitentiary here punishments for their conection with crimes for which the McNamara brothers, confessed dynamiters, are serving terms in the state prison at San Quentin, California.

The prisoners were taken by rail directly into the prison grounds.

Their first view of the interior was from the windows of the train.

Within an hou rafter arrival, each prisoner had been subjected to a haircut and garbed in the prison uniform.

On account of its being a holiday, the details of assigning the men to work was delayed until tomorrow. Most of the new prisoners are ironworkers, and it is understood the warden is to put them on the construction work.

G. T. R. MAN KILLED

Agent For Railway and His Son Killed at Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, Jan. 1.—Eugene W. Dahl, travelling freight agent of the Grand Trunk Railroad, and his young son were instantly killed when they were hit by a train on the Cincinnati, Lebanon and Northern Railroad tracks at Pleasant Ridge, a suburb, late today.

Mr. Diahl and his son were following Mrs. Dahl and her father, G. G. Carlson, of Chicago, along the tracks and were crossing a trestle when the train bore down upon them. Mrs. Dahl and her father barely managed to get off the trestle in time, but the husband and son were hit, and when picked up a moment later were found to have died instantly.

BORDEN'S PACT WITH UNIONISTS

London, Jan. 2.—The London Daily News of this morning professes to know the reason why Lord Lansdowne and Mr. Bonar Law threw the referendum on the fiscal question overboard and why they are now unable to release themselves from food taxes.

When Premier Borden, it says, visited England last year, Unionist leaders entered into a compact with him to uphold in this country a policy of imperial preference, of which food taxes were to form an essential element. This is a statement of a very serious character. In olden days such an arrangement would have been called high treason, and if that word has gone out of fashion the English people have not lost their love of liberty and their swift resentment of any encroachment upon it.

In our time there were many great illusions. Perhaps the greatest of them all was the prospect of imperial defence being worked by an all-England joint stock company with unlimited liability. That bellicose form of the great illusion had its financial and commercial forms in a joint imperial budget in which their colonial friends were to tell the British workmen what their food was to cost them and how much dearer foreign manufactures were to be. To this imperial treasury bench the Opposition told them no Indians or Irish were to be admitted. The old country might be degraded, but it was not mad yet.

SULTAN HAS YIELDED TO DEMANDS OF THE ALLIES

Prepared to Surrender All Territory in Europe With Exception of Adrianople and Country Between That Fortress and Constantinople.

London, Jan. 1. — After protracted diplomatic skirmishing the Turks finally capitulated to a majority of the demands of the Balkan allies at today's session of the peace conference in St. James' Palace. Through Rechad Pasha they agreed to cede practically the whole of the Ottoman Empire's European dominations except Adrianople and the territory between it and Constantinople to their victorious but traditionally despised neighbors.

The Terms.

The terms the Turkish delegates presented to the conference as a counter-proposal to the demands of the allies were:

1. The rectification of the Turco-Bulgarian frontier by making the boundary west of the line now occupied by the trops of the allies in the vilayet of Adrianople.

2. The question of the status of Adrianople to be settled by Turkey and Bulgaria direct.

3. The cession of the remainder of European Turkey, including Janina and Scutari, to the allies.

4. The Albanian and Cretan questions to be solved by the powers.

5. The Aegean Islands to remain Turkish.

The announcement of these terms was wrung from the Ottoman delegates with the greatest difficulty. They came only after Rechad Pasha had reiterated Turkey's desire to shift the responsibility for adjudicating all the vital questions to the great powers, and the representatives of the allies had registered their unchangeable objections to such a course and plainly had given the Turks to understand that the failure of the Ottoman delegates to embark upon serious negotiations would mean a resumption of hostilities in Southeastern Europe.

STARTS NEW ERA IN RAILROADING

The First Shipment of Manitoba Wheat by N. T. R. Reaches Port Colborne.

EN ROUTE FOR S. AFRICA

Demonstrations Held in Honor of Train at Various Points on the Journey.

Toronto, Jan. 2.—The first train over the National Transcontinental Railway arrived in Port Colborne on New Year's Day from Winnipeg with a consignment of Manitoba wheat from James Carruthers & Co. for the Maple Leaf Milling Company. The wheat was withdrawn immediately on the arrival of the train, and w.. be ground and shipped as flour in the same cars to South Africa via St. John, New Brunswick. The train, with its freight of flour, is billed to leave Port Colborne today en route for St. John.

The train consisted of twenty loads of wheat, and at various points along the line the inauguration of the service was made the occasion of impromptu celebrations. At Cochrane the board of trade formally welcomed the train, and at Cobalt a similar demonstration was held, the mayor presenting an address to Major Leonard and others. In its arrival at Port Colborne the new train was photographed before being unloaded.

Bedecked With Streamers.

The train travelled from Transcona, Winnipeg, Cochrane and thence south over the T. and N. O. Railway and Grand Trunk Railway to Port Colborne. All along the route large numbers turned out to see the freight cars well labelled with streamers telling of the contents of the cars, the fact that it was the first train over the Transcontinental, and its destination. The train left Superior Junction at 11 o'clock last Friday, and started east on the memorable trip. There were minor delays and incidents, but on the whole the train was moved smoothly over the new railway. The connections between the Transcontinental and the T. and N. O. were made only a few days ago to make the passage of this train possible.

In travelling over the section of the coast to coast railway the train was under the charge of the contractors of the two sections between Superior Junction and Cochrane. The general movements of the train over the new line were under the superintendence of D. H. Williams, representing the commission.

SNOW IN CASCADES.

Seattle, Wash., Jan., 2. — A heavy snowfall was reported in the Cascade Mountains last night, and the northern transcontinental railroads, which had just succeeded in opening their lines for the free movement of trains, began the struggle over again.

Prior to the coming of the fresh storm decided improvement in train movement was reported by all the roads.

Telephone and telegraph services are still badly crippled.



ALD. J. PERCY MOORE,
Re-elected.

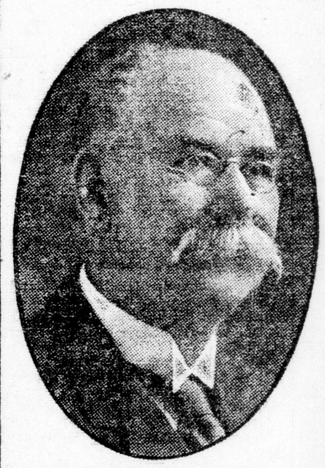
TORONTO VOTES 13 MILLIONS FOR EXPANSION OF THE CITY

All the Bylaws Were Carried By Tremendous Majorities.

Toronto, Jan. 2. — Although comparatively little interest was taken in the municipal election campaign, approximately 40,000 citizens turned out to record their votes for the several candidates yesterday, which was considerably above the average. The slogan "It is time for a change" used by several candidates appeared to have caught on with the electors, as no less than six members of last year's council went down to defeat—Controller Maguire, Aldermen Saunderson, McBride, Yeomans, Graham and Austin. Eight new faces will be seen in the new council, as Alderman Hilton did not seek re-election in ward one, and there was a vacancy in ward three at the end of the year.

As was generally expected, Mayor Hocken secured re-election by a substantial majority. He polled three votes for every one cast for his opponent, ex-Alderman Thomas Davies.

The most gratifying feature of the elections was that all the money bylaws, totalling over $13,000,000, were carried by tremendous majorities, which is a sure indication not only of prosperity, but that the electors desired to see the city expand.



MR. WILLIAM WYATT,
A former water commissioner, who was once again elected to the board.

LT. PETTYPIECE IS PERMITTED TO RETIRE

Announcement Is Made of Changes in the Western District.

The under-mentioned non-commissioned officers on transfer to the instructional cadre of this livision, are taken on the strength of the division from the dates set opposite their names:

No. 9614, Sergt.-Instructor H. A. Fraser, R. C. R., Sept. 2, 1912.

No. 4480, Sergt.-Instructor H. A. Carter, R. C. R., Dec. 1, 1912.

The following extracts from general orders are published for the information of all concerned:

First Hussars — Provisional Lieut. (supernumerary) W. G. H. Pettypiece is permitted to retire. Nov. 26, 1912.

Twenty-Seventh Lambton Regiment —Capt. L. E. Jones is permitted to resign his commission. Oct. 31, 1912.

Thirty-Second Bruce Regiment — Lieut. P. A. Malcolmson is permitted to resign his commission. Nov. 18, 1912.

No. 1 Company, C. A. S. C. — Lieut. W. A. H. Booth is permitted to resign his commission. Nov. 15, 1912.

Corps of School Cadet Instructors— To be lieutenant, John J. MacWilliam, gentleman. Nov. 20, 1912.

Confirmation of Rank — Lieut. B. C. Biggar, Seventh Regiment, having qualified himself for his appointment, is confirmed in his rank from June 5, 1912.

133 CLIMBERS KILLED

Geneva, Dec. 31.—The number of climbers killed in the Central European Alps, excluding the Pennine Range in Italy and the Pyrenees in France, was 133, of whom 74 lost their lives in the Bavarian and Tyrolese Alps and 39 in Switzerland. The insured number 574. As in former years, the majority of the victims were Germans, followed by Austrians, Swiss, French, Italians, in the order named, while under the heading of "other nationalities" there are a few English and American alpinists.

As probably there are as many Englishmen as Germans who make ascents in the Alps every year, only one explanation can be given of the difference in the mortality and mishaps. The German climber insists on saving the few pounds for the services of a guide in a difficult expedition, not entirely from the point of vew of economy, but also from pride. The German wants it to be known that he climbed a certain dangerous peak with a friend and found on the summit one or several English climbers accompanied by their guides and porters. He laughs over the prudence of the English climber, who, however, in many cases every year has lessened the German and Swiss death roll in the Alps by "lending" their guides to "foreigners" in danger.

ALL LOVE SAME GIRL; 3 YOUTHS END LIVES

Vienna Miss Tells of a Pact Threatened and Carried Out on Account of Her.

Vienna, Jan. 2.—A suicide pact which three youths carried out in a cafe here on Monday night has been explained by a young girl, who says that the youths were all ardently in love with her, and had threatened to commit suicide on her account.

The three young men were drinking tea in a secluded corner of the cafe when all suddenly fell from their chairs, dying. They had evidently placed poison in their beverage, and the result proved fatal in each case. A photograph of the trio was found in their possession addressed to the girl who told of their threat.



ALD. H. ASHPLANT,
Re-elected to the Council Board.

Kingsmills

Week-End Specials

Black Sateen Skirts

Made of best quality black sateens, several styles to choose from; 200 of these in all sizes. Week-End special .....98¢

LADIES' BLACK CASHMERE HOSE, seamless cashmere; a good wearing stocking, seamless, English make, fast black; all sizes, pair. 25¢

Ladies' Coats

Regular $12.00 and $15.00, to clear $9.38

Regular $18.00 to $25.00, to clear $15.63

Clearing Silk Sale

Still a good assortment in those 40-inch 75c fabric Silks. To clear at, yard.....35¢

Kingsmills

WEDDING BELLS

Vandusen—Calver.

A pretty holiday wedding took place on Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Mr. William Calver, 8 Maryboro Place, when his daughter, Miss Ellen Irene, was united in marriage to Mr. George Morley Vandusen, of this city. The happy couple were attended by Mr. W. C. Vandusen, brother of the groom, and Miss Alice B. Calver, the bride's sister. Rev. G. N. Hazen, pastor of Wellington Street Methodist Church, performed the ceremony, which was attended by a large number of friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Vandusen will reside on Carfrae Crescent.

Murdoch—German.

At the manse of King Street Presbyterian Church, 826 King street, the marriage was solemnized on New Year's Day of William T. Murdoch and Miss Bessie Annie German, both of Elora, Ont. Rev. W. R. McIntosh performed the ceremony, the young couple being unattended. After visiting friends in London and Toronto, Mr. and Mrs. Murdoch will settle in Elora.

Gordon—Armstrong.

In St. Andrew's Church, on New Year's night, the marriage was quietly solemnized at 7 o'clock of Miss Florence Isabelle, daughter of Mr. Edward Armstrong, of Toronto, and sister of Mrs. (Dr.) Wishart, this city, to Mr. L. Laird Gordon, a former member of the Royal Bank staff, London, and son of Captain Alfred Gordon, Montague, P. E. I. Rev. James Ross, D.D., performed the ceremony, the bride being attended at the altar by her brother-in-law, Dr. John Wishart.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon left at 8 o'clock for their home in Vancouver, B. C., travelling via Chicago and Seattle.

Fisher—Boath.

The marriage of John Daniel Fisher and Matilda Ezedma Boath took place on New Year's afternoon at the home of the bride's parents, 580 Central avenue, Rev. Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, performed the ceremony in the presence of a number of relatives and friends of the bridal couple. After a short wedding trip to Toronto and other places, Mr. and Mrs. Fisher will reside in London.

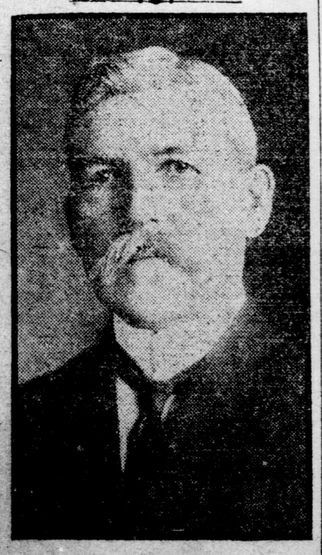
NO WATER TO FIGHT BIG WINNIPEG FIRE

Damage to Rolling Mill Plant Will Be $200,000.

[Canadian Press.]

Winnipeg, Man., Jan. 2. — Damage estimated at over two hundred thousand dollars was done last night to the plant of the Manitoba rolling mills, manufacturers of bar iron at St. Boniface, by a fire which started in the blast boiler room, caused by the overheating of the chimney. The firemen, after a run of a mile and a half, found the water turned off, and it was ninety minutes after the alarm was turned in before a stream of any force could be turned on the buildings. The buildings were valued at $40,000 and the contents at $85,000.

The insurance all told totalled $65,000.



MR. W. W. GAMMAGE,
Who headed the polls for School Trustee.

FAMOUS DOCTOR ON CARREL'S WORK

French Surgeon Says Nobel Prize Winners' Experiments Aren't Novel.

CALLS HIM "IMPOSTER"

But Prof. Metchnikoff Says American's Researches Are of Great Value.

Paris, Jan. 1.—Dr. Doyen, the noted surgeon, who has been in the public eye particularly of late in regard to the proposal of Paris Singer, a wealthy American, to establish a research institute similar to that of the Rockefeller Institute in New York, sent a request to the Sun correspondent this week to come and see him. The correspondent went to the laboratory where Dr. Doyen delivered a bitter attack on Dr. Alexis Carrel, of the Rockefeller Institute, the winner of this year's Nobel prize for medicine. He accused Dr. Carrel of being an impostor in language which it is impossible to reproduce textually.

Carrel's Discoveries.

He said in part:

"It is not true that Dr. Carrel discovered human grafting. Furthermore, his experiments had no novel character, as similar things were discovered twenty-five years ago. Darwin, in the seventies, dealt with an embryo chicken's heart. Harvey, the discoverer of the circulation of the blood in 1628, made an analogous observation on the pretended survival of the organs.

"Dr. Carrel," said Dr. Doyen, "has been telling Americans that Napoleon's nails grew after his death. What we scientifically recognize as cellular vegetation Dr. Carrel affirms to be life. Life is an ensemble of the functions. No organ can live or secrete without the integrity of its nerves.

"Dr. Carrel," continued Dr. Doyen, "has not proved anything from a scientific point of view. When Lavoisier discovered oxygen everybody made oxygen. When Reverding discovered skin grafting and Ollier announced his bone grafting everybody could imitate. None of Dr. Carrel's grafted animals has survived a fortnight since he became known. I receive letters daily from people who are on the point of committing suicide offering blood from their heart for whatever purpose I wish. The other day when M. Delcasse's son broke his leg I received offers of legs from men who were out of work. Dr. Carrel has at least created a new employment. When my son was in New York he was never allowed to attend an operation by Dr. Carrel. He was simply able to assure himself that Dr. Carrel was a marvellous manager for scientific effect."

MILITARY OFFICERS WERE "AT HOME"

London Garrison Entertained Friends on New Year's Day.

The officers of the London garrison were "at home" to their friends at the armories yesterday and had numerous calelrs at their comfortable quarters.

Mayor Graham, a number of the members of the city council, Rev. Canon Tucker, Rev. R. W. Norwood, Rev. S. R. Heakes, Rev. Dean Davis, Col. A. M. Smith, Col. Hodgins, Col. MacDonnell, and a number of prominent citizens, called to pay their respects.

Major John Graham, quartermaster, was in charge of the arrangements, and everything possible was done to make the guests have an enjoyable time.

Lieut.-Col. A. A. Campbell, of the Seventh Regiment, Lieut.-Col. H. R. Abbott, of the First Hussars, and Major Leonard, of the Sixth Field Battery, welcomed the visitors.

The sergeants of the Royal Canadian Regiment entertained at their mess at Wolseley Barracks yesterday, a large number of visitors enjoying their hospitality. In the absence of Sergt.-Major Borland, Q. M. S. I. McKenney did the honors. As is always the case, the visitors were given a most enjoyable time.

ELECTED OFFICERS

Thomas Smibert Is New Head of Bryanston Masonic Lodge.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Bryanston, Jan. 2. — At the regular meeting of Middlesex Lodge, A., F. and A. M., the following officers were installed:

W. M.—Thomas Smibert.
I. P. M.—Wor. Bro. Geo. Kennedy.
S. W.—Hugh Fraser.
J. W.—George Hudson.
Secretary—Wor. Bro. Alex. Grant.
Treasurer—Wor. Bro. William Smibert.
Chaplain — Wor. Bro. Wm. Needham.
S. D.—Oscar Shoebottom.
J. D.—Wm. Deacon.
S. S.—George Miles.
J. S.—James McFalls.
I. G.—Arthur O'Neil.
Tyler—Wor. Bro. R .G. Fraser.
D. C.—Wor. Bro. W. A. Roberts.

The ceremony of installation was conducted in a most creditable manner by Wor. Bro. Oscar Roberts.

PARKHILL CONCERT

Splendid Program Given Cnder Auspices of Epworth League.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Parkhill, Jan. 2. — The Epworth League of the Methodist Church held a very successful social in the Methodist Church. It was largely attended. The program was one of the best ever given, and included numerous musical selections, consisting of piano duets by Jean Bartram and Louise Griffeth, and the Misses Eva and Grace Harvey, a piano solo by Coral Durr and Grace Harvey, vocal numbers by the male quintette and Miss Fernie Allen. Mr. J. E. Robinson sang a song in German, and Miss Gilbert gave several readings. Short speeches were given by those present. A dainty lunch was served by the members of the league at the close of the program.

A CHINESE DEFEAT

Three Hundred Wiped Out by Force of Tibetans.

[Canadian Press.]

Chenghtu, Province of Sze-Chuen, China, Jan. 2.—Three hundred Chinese soldiers were killed by a force of Tibetans, near Hsiang Cheng, on the borders of Tibet, during a night attack last night. It is reported that Chinese troops also lost six machine guns.

The official reason given for the defeat of the regular troops is that the soldiers refused to trust their commander's knowledge of the country and became insubordinate. During the confusion which ensued, the Tibetans seized the opportunity of attacking the column, which was totally defeated.



ALD. W. G. COLES,
Who sacrificed himself so that the Federal Square bylaw might not be defeated.

CHINESE ARE WARY OF THE REPUBLIC

Prof. Stewart Declares Educated Men Prediet Its Early Downfall.

Manila, Dec. 31.—That the people in North China in particular are suspicious of the new Government and have little faith in the officials at its head is the belief of Prof. John L. Stewart, of the Insular Bureau of Educatlcn, who has just returned from a trip to China. He says that educated men with whom he talked in Canton, Shanghai and other large centres, declared that the republic could not last more than a year or two at most.

According to Prof. Stewart the shopkeepers even hide their goods, expecting pillage and looting at any time. The spirit of unrest is noticeable among many of the people, for they cannot comprehend the meaning of a republic, thinking that it is a man and not a body politic that has overthrown the Manchu throne.

"One of the most interesting features," said Prof. Stewart, "was the fact that when the implements of the opium victims were confiscated by the Government authorities they would immediately place the pipes, opium tins and all the paraphernalia of that dread habit along the walls for other people to see.

"I am rather inclined to believe that such a practice could be followed here to advantage, so that an example may be set to the persons addicted to this habit.

"We were in Pekin on the morning of the republic's anniversary and saw much public spirited demonstration. We found that the railroad service from Chingwangtao to Pekin was in first-class condition, the cars being equipped with many American inventions. We also visited the Great Wall of Nankao Pass, one of the most famous passes in China, which contains the road leading to Mongolia. All caravan trains come over this route.

"Regarding agriculture, I can only say that at this time of the year they are raising a considerable amount of persimmons in China, and I tell you some of them are as big as our largest peaches. Health conditions are also getting better in Pekin, at least that was what we found."

ENRICH LANGUAGE

How Famous Names Are Used as English Nouns and Verbs.

London, Jan. 1.—The growth and change which are inseparable from all living language cannot fail to interest the student, and a special interest attaches to the incorporation of the names of well known men. Thus Wellington has come to mean a sort of boot; Brougham, a carriage, and Gladstone, appropriately enough, a traveller's bag, as that great man advocated the "bag and baggage" policy which seems likely at length to be adopted.

Other names have been turned into verbs as well as nouns. For instance, the murderer Burke's name is perpetuated in the works, to burke, burked, burking and burkism, while in quite recent times Capt. Boycott's experiences resulted in the language being enriched by the phrases to boycott, boycotter, boycotting, etc.

The most notable case was probably that of the great and good man, the Rev. T. Bowdler, D. D., who by publishing a "family" edition of Shakespeare in 1881 added the words "bowdlerize" and "bowdlerism" to our language.

NEW YORK'S DEATH RATE.

New York, Jan. 2.—The lowest death rate in the history of the city is recorded in the annual report of the health department, madep ublic today. With 73,008 deaths for the year, the rate per thousand went down to 14.11 as against 15.13 in 1911, 15.98 in 1910, and 16 in 1909. The greatest decrease was in infant mortality, there being 5,000 fewer deaths of children under a year old than last year, establishing another record for the city. There were more marriages than usual, but the birth rate was the lowest since 1906.



MR. FRANK WHITE,
A New Face on the Council Board.



MR. JOHN C. GUNN,
Chairman of the Board of Education, who was re-elected.

DESPERATE BATTLE WITH TIMBER WOLVES

Two Trappers Found Exhausted With Dead Animals All Around Them.

[Canadian Press.]

Quebec, Jan. 2.—News has just been received here of a desperate fight between two trappers and seven timber wolves.

Honore Auger, formerly of Montreal, and now employed in lumbering in Beauce, went out with a companion named Rodier to look after some traps which they had set. They separated when they had gone some distance and suddenly Auger, who had a shotgun, was attracted by cries for help from his friend. He hastened to his assistance and saw him defending himself frantically against seven wolves. Auger succeeded in shooting four of the animals and then had to defend himself and his friend, who was exhausted, with a hunting knife. He succeeded, after a desperate struggle, in killing the other three wolves, but immediately fell exhausted beside his friend, where companions from the lumber camp found them some time later with the dead wolves all around them.

RAP AT PRESIDENT WAS PLAYFULNESS

McGill Professor Explains Remarks Made in Address at Capital.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Montreal, Jan. 2. — A special to the Gazette from Washington says:

An incident that threatened to provoke bad feeling between Canada and the United States has been straightened out by a gracious apology made by Prof. John MacNaughton, of McGill University, Montreal. In an address delivered in Washington, Prof. MacNaughton publicly derided former President Roosevelt and President Taft. He said in part:

"There is as much of our classics in Theodore Roosevelt as in a Gothic gargoyle, and, judging from the attitude of President Taft in the Panama Canal affair, Mr. Taft owes a great deal more to David Harum and his simple rustic cunning in horse trades than he does either to Homer or the Hebrew scribes."

The title of Prof. MacNaughton's address was "What Is the Matter With Scholarship in America?"

Inasmuch as the criticism was made almost under the eaves of the White House, considerable resentment was caused until Prof. MacNaughton issued the following statement:

"I am exceedingly sorry, and beg to apologize for what I now recognize to be a culpable, though not ill-intentioned, levity of expression in my reference to the President of the United States. I was not speaking as a politician. I am no politician, and have never taken any active part whatever in politics. I was speaking as a student of the classics, and bewailing the fact that our classical studies exercise so little influence on this continent, whether in the States or in Canada, which two countries seem to form an indissoluble unity so far as education is concerned.

"For instance, though both of them are university men, I cannot see that classical teachings have contributed much to the making of Mr. Roosevelt, or even to the making of Mr. Taft, whose attitude in the Panama Canal affair was incidentally characterized by me, with a clumsy playfulness, in the sense of nearly all the American newspapers I have read on the subject."

FRAME---HALL

Pretty New Year's Wedding at Bride's Home in Ridgetown.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ridgetown, Jan. 1.—A pretty wedding took place this afternoon at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hall, Ebenezer street, at 4 o'clock, when their eldest daughter, Miss Nina Colville, became the bride of Mr. Ernest Albert Wilson Frame, of the Royal Bank, Saskatoon. To the strains of Mendelssohn's Wedding March, played by her sister, Miss Kathleen Hall, the bride, leaning on the arm of her father, took her place in the parlor, where she was joined by Mr. Frame. Rev. A. Shore, rector of the Church of the Advent, performed the ceremony. The bride was unattended, and looked charming dressed in duchess satin, with bridal veil, and carrying a beautiful bouquet of roses and lily of the valley. Her going-away suit was of brown, with white moleskin hat.

Previous to the marriage ceremony, Mrs. D. Marr and Miss Newman sang "O, Perfect Love," and at the signing of the register Mrs. Marr rendered "O Promise Me."

The house was prettily decorated for the occasion by Mr. A. Long. The parlor was draped with clipped white tissue and palms, and the breakfast room with tissue hanging baskets tipped with green smilax hanging from the ceiling. A handsome bouquet, tied with white ribbon, graced the electric chandelier, and everything was neat and dainty.

Among those present from out of town were: Mr. and Mrs. Jackson and Mrs. Frame, of Glenallan, Ont., and Miss Kate Waters, of Oshawa.

The young couple left via the M. C. R. for their future home at Saskatoon.

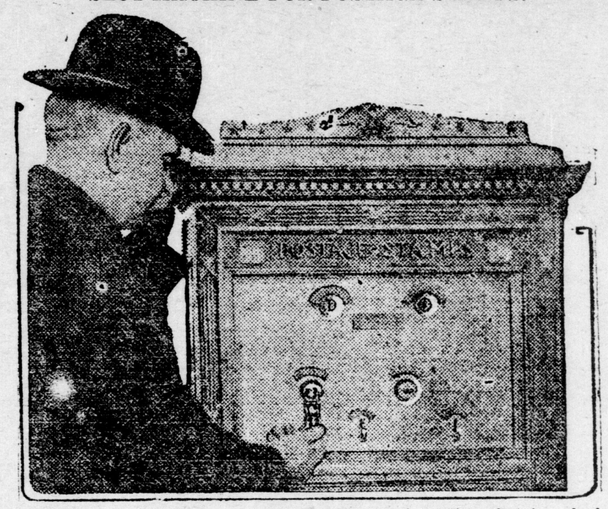
MURDER AND SUICIDE.

New York, Jan. 2.—Henry Edy, a retired Wall street broker, shot and killed his wife today and then took his own life at his country home at Great South Bay, Bellport, Long Island.

A Splendid Bulletin Service

The Advertiser had the election crowds last evening. The people have learned from years of fair dealing that win or lose The Advertiser will give the results as they are and not what any person or persons would like them to be. As a consequence Dundas street, in front of The Advertiser office, was crowded by 6:30 o'clock, and an hour later the street cars had difficulty making their way through the jam. The splendid messenger service brought all the returns in before ten o'clock, and the figures were shown on the windows as soon as received. The Advertiser is again being congratulated by citizens upon its splendid bulletin service.

SLOT-MACHINE FOR POSTAGE STAMPS.



The postmaster-general is trying out a new invention that is calculated to save the public a lot of trouble in buying postage stamps.

The machine shown in this picture has been placed in the lobby of the postoffice building at Washington. You put a penny in the slot, pull the little lever, and out comes a one-cent stamp. Or put in two pennies and get a two-cent stamp. There is a letter box below, where the mail may be deposited.

If the machine proves to be practical, it may be installed generally.

ENGLISH SUFFRAGETTES TRY PRAYER AS VOTE-GETTER

[Special to The Advertiser.]

London, England, Jan. 2. — After endeavoring unsuccessfully to forcibly obtain votes for women by all kinds of violence and destructive tactics, certain sections of the Women's suffragist Association have decided to try regular and persistent prayer. Commencing with today, hundreds of London suffragettes will spend an hour in silent prayer in Westminster Abbey, while their sisters in other English towns will do likewise in their respective places of worship.

FOUR BROTHERS GO THROUGH ICE

[Canadian Press.]

Utica, N. Y., Jan. 2.—New Year's Day brought death to four sons of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Kahler, of Creighan. Ray, Roy, Francis and Daniel, ranging in age from 7 to 16 years, were coasting near their home. They went down a hill and on to thin ice along the edge of Beaver River. The ice broke, and all four went into the stream. Two bodies have been recovered.

CAN'T GET ROCKEFELLER

Subpoena Servers May Have To Force Entrance to House.

[Canadian Press.]

New York, Jan. 2.—Baffled in their attempts to serve William Rockefeller with a subpoena requiring him to testify before the Pujo committee investigating the so-called money trust, forty deputy sergeants-at-arms of the House of Representatives and private detectives awaited today word from Washington that they might enter Mr. Rockefeller's Fifth avenue mansion by force if necessary, and serve him there.

The heavy guard, which has surrounded the oil millionaire's home from the streets and housetop during the past few days, was not diminished during the night. Every possible exit was under guard this morning. Chas. F. Riddell, sergeant-at-arms of the House, in charge of the squad of process servers, said he felt sure that Mr. Rockefeller was within. Mr. Riddell said that he expected "something important to happen today" as the result of the visit to Washington by Jerry South, chief clerk of the House, who left here last night. It was understood that Mr. South would confer today with members of the Pujo committee, and ask them to consider the advisability of issuing an attachment for Mr. Rockefeller's apprehension.

FAUSDEN---HORWOOD

London Lady Wedded to Gentleman of Moose Jaw, Alta.

Mr. Frank Fausden, of Moose Jaw, and Julia Ann Horwood, of this city, were united in marriage Wednesday afternoon, at the residence of the bride's brother-in-law, Mr. John Smith, Central avenue. Rev. C. M. Carew, associate pastor of Jarvis street Baptist Church, Toronto, officiated. Mr. and Mrs. Fausden left in the evening for a short wedding tour to western points. They will reside at Moose Jaw.

AYLMER ELECTIONS

Keen Contest Is Expected for the Council on Monday Next.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Aylmer, Jan. 2.—A keen fight is expected both in Aylmer and in Malahide. In Malahide the contestants for reeve are Sidney McDermand and ex-Reeve Michael McKnight. For deputy reeve the fight is between Wm. Reeson and Eugene B. Hill. Those in the field for councillors are Frank Bineo, Solon Chambers, Wm. Hare and A. R. Caverly.

In Aylmer, Mayor H. H. Wright and Reeve McKenny were elected by acclamation. The fight for the council is being waged between J. H. Strachan, F. D. King, F. L. Wagner, George Harp, and J. A. Gillett, former councillors, and Henry Little, J. W. Harris and J. W. Cline, new men.

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DR. R. W. SHAW,
A new face on the Board of Education.

BULGARS SEND DRUGS TO GARRISON

Sofia, Bulgaria, Jan. 2.—A wagonload of drugs, sent by the Turkish army medical authorities, was delivered to the garrison of Adrianople yesterday under the surveillance of the Bulgarians at the special request of Nazim Pasha, commander-in-chief of the Ottoman army.

No food or other supplies were passed into the besieged fortress.

BRYANSTON

Bryanston, Jan. 2.—A most enjoyable dance was held at "Maple Ave" farm, the home of Miss Ada and Mr. Milton Hudson.

Mr. George Watson, Silas Perkins and Clifford Ready have organized a stock company and will open a butcher shop in Bryanston.

Rev. Mr. Herbert has organized a teachers' training class in connection with the Sunday school. The first meeting of the class will be held on Thursday evening.

Mr. Austin Needham, of Sask., is visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mr. Jack Eddy and Miss Eddy, of Southgate, visited recently in Bryanston.

Master Grant McGregor, of Detroit, is spending his holidays with his grandfather, Mr. Alex. Grant.



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COFFEE SUIT SETTLED

The United States and Brazil Have Reached an Agreement.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, Jan. 2. — The United States and Brazil have practically reached an agreement for a satisfactory settlement of the suit filed by Attorney General Wickersham against the so-called "coffee trust," or Brazilian valorization scheme.

The agreement, if ultimately signed, provides for the sale of the 920,000 bags of valorized coffee stored in New York. This coffee was the centre of the attorney-general's attack, and if it is released the demands of the department of justice will have been satisfied. The coffee, according to the agreement, it is understood, will be placed on the market gradually, and all of it disposed of by next May.

The valorization committee, which controls the whole valorization scheme, meets in London today, and it is expected that the committee, acting under orders of the Brazilian Government, will take measures to put the agreement into effect.

Because of the satisfactory nature of the negotiations Attorney-General Wickersham has not pressed the coffee suit in the courts. For many weeks the department of justice has held up the filing of a brief pending the outcome of the negotiations. As soon as the valorized coffee held in New York has been sold the attorney-general will dismiss the suit.

FIRE AT WAPELLA

Business Section of Saskatchewan Town Damaged by Blaze.

[Canadian Press.]

Wapella, Sask., Jan. 2.—The business section of this town suffered heavy damage from an early morning fire today. The buildings include the Queen's Hotel, in the rear of which the fire started, J. A. McDonald's drug store, R. Adams' tailor shop. The loss will be probably $50,000.

POLICE CHIEF DEAD.

Elizabeth, N. J., Jan. 2. — George Tenney, president of the International Association of Police Chiefs, and for 20 years chief of police of this city, died here last night after a long illness.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

HAY, OATS AND HOGS

Offerings Were Small on the Market Today.

There were no offerings of vegetables or dairy produce on the market today. What sales that were made consisted of hay, oats and dressed hogs.

Some fifteen loads of hay were sold at prices ranging from $13 to $14.50 a ton, with the average selling price about $14. Oats were considerably easier, the price ranging from $1 to $1.08 per cwt. The majority of the sales were made at $1.03 and $1.05 per cwt.

Dressed hogs were not as plentiful as usual, and for that reason the demand was rather brisk. The prices were from $11.25 to $11.50 per cwt.

The prices:

Grain, Per Cwt.			
New wheat, per cwt.	$1 58	to	$1 58
New oats, per cwt.	1 00	to	1 08
Barley, per cwt.	1 20	to	1 20
Buckwheat, per cwt.	1 25	to	1 25
Grain, Per Bushel.			
New wheat, per bu.	95	to	95
New oats, per bu.	34	to	36½
Vegetables.			
Lettuce, per doz.	40	to	40
Potatoes, per bag	1 00	to	1 10
Celery, per doz.	20	to	50
Parsnips, per bu.	40	to	50
Turnips, per bu.	30	to	30
Beets, per bu.	40	to	40
Onions, per bu.	75	to	80
Cabbage, per doz.	30	to	40
Carrots, per bu.	30	to	35
Radishes, per doz.	20	to	20
Parsley, per doz.	40	to	40
Water cress, per doz.	40	to	40
Fruits.			
Apples, per bu.	30	to	50
Apples, per bbl.	1 00	to	1 50
Cranberries, per quart	15	to	15
Hay and Straw.			
Hay, per ton	13 00	to	14 50
Straw, per ton	9 00	to	9 50
Dairy Produce.			
Butter, dairy, wholesale	28	to	29
Butter, fancy, retail, lb.	30	to	32
Butter, store lots, lb.	25	to	25
Butter, creamery, lb.	29	to	30
Butter, crocks, lb.	27	to	28
Eggs, dairy hall price	38	to	42
Eggs, fresh-laid, doz.	35	to	38
Eggs, crate, wholesale	33	to	34
Eggs, cold storage, doz.	31	to	32
Honey, strained, 10 lbs.	1 20	to	1 20
Honey, sections, doz.	2 20	to	2 40
Poultry, Dressed.			
Chickens, per pair	1 25	to	1 60
Chickens, lb. wholesale	15	to	16
Chickens, lb. retail	16	to	17
Old fowl, per lb.	11	to	12
Ducks, per lb.	14	to	15
Ducks, per pair	1 35	to	1 75
Geese, lb. wholesale	15	to	16
Geese, per lb.	16	to	17
Turkeys, per lb.	24	to	25
Poultry, Alive.			
Chickens, per lb.	13	to	14
Ducks, per lb.	11	to	12
Geese, per lb.	13	to	14
Turkeys, per lb.	18	to	19
Old fowl, per lb.	8	to	9
Butchers' Meats.			
This year's lamb, lb.	12	to	12
Dressed hogs, choice	11 25	to	11 50
Select hogs, cwt.	7 90	to	7 90
Veal, per cwt.	10 00	to	12 00
Beef cows, cwt.	7 00	to	8 00
Bee[f], young, cwt.	9 00	to	9 50
Mu[tto]n, per cwt.	8 00	to	10 00
Hea[vy] hogs, cwt.	7 50	to	8 50
St[...]er cwt.	2 00	to	2 00
Live Stock.			
Milc[h co]ws, etc.	50 00	to	70 00
Fat s[...]s, cwt.	5 50	to	6 00
Small [pi]gs, pair	6 00	to	9 00
Hides, Wool, etc.			
Cow hides, No. 1	11½	to	11½
Cow hides, No. 2	10½	to	10½
Cow hides, No. 3	9½	to	9½
Wool, unwashed, lb.	12	to	13
Wool, washed, lb.	19	to	20

LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 8,000; market steady to shade lower; beeves, $5 30 to $0 50; Texas steers, $4 75 to $5 70; western steers, $5 75 to $7 60; stockers and feeders, $4 25 to $7 60; cows and heifers, $2 85 to $7 60; calves, $6 50 to $10 25. Hogs—Receipts, 29,000; market slow, 5c lower; light, $7 20 to $7 50; mixed, $7 20 to $7 52½; heavy, $7 20 to $7 55; roughs, $7 20 to $7 30; pigs, $5 75 to $7 50; bulk of sale at $7 40 to $7 50. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; market slow, at Wednesday's close; natives, $4 35 to $5 50; westerns, $4 40 to $5 50; yearlings, $6 10 to $7 75; lambs, natives, $6 30 to $8 80; westerns, $6 40 to $8 80.

TORONTO, Jan. 2.—Prices at the Union stockyards had not changed this morning from those of Tuesday. There was only a fair class of cattle offering. The receipts were 420 cattle, 59 calves, 808 hogs, 310 sheep. C. McCurdy bought 32 cars of butcher cattle, weighing from 900 to 950 lbs, at 5½c to 6½c. At the city cattle market the receipts were nil. Quotations: Export catle, choice, cwt, $ 6to $6 25; do, medium, $5 to $5 50; do, bulls, $4 to $4 75; butcher cattle, choice, $6 to $6 50; do, medium, $5 to $5 25; do, common, $4 to $5; butcher cows, choice, $6 25 to $6 75; do, medium, $5 to $6; do, canners, $4 to $4 75; butcher bulls, $4 to $4 50; feeding steers, $5 to $5 25; stockers, choice, $5 to $5 50; do, light, $4 50 to $5; milkers, choice, each, $40 to $85; springers, each, $40 to $60; calves, $7 to $9. Sheep—Ewes, cwt, $3 to $3 50; lambs, $6 60 to $7 60. Hogs—Fed and watered, cwt, $8; f. o. b., $7 65.

EAST BUFFALO, Jan. 2.—Cattle—Receipts, 100 head; active and steady. Veals—Receipts, 125; slow, 50c lower, at $4 to $12. Hogs—Receipts, 4,500 head; active and steady; heavy and mixed, $7 75 to $7 80; Yorkers, $7 80 to $8 90; pigs, $7 90 to $8; roughs, $6 90 to $7; stags, $5 50 to $6 50; dairies, $7 60 to $7 80. Sheep and lambs—Receipts, 4,000; slow; lambs and yearlings 25c lower; lambs, $5 to $9; yearlings, $4 50 to $7 75; wethers, $5 25 to $5 75; ewes, $3 to $5; sheep, mixed, $4 to $5 25.

PRODUCE.

CHICAGO BOARD OF TRADE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 2.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	91¾	92	91½	91½
July	89⅛	89⅝	89	89⅛
Corn—				
May	48¼	48½	38¼	48⅜
Sept	50	50¼	50	50⅛
Oats—				
May	32¾	32⅞	32¾	32⅞
July	32⅞	33	32⅞	33
Pork—				
Jan.	17 42	17 47	17 42	17 42
May	17 95	17 97	17 90	17 95
Lard—				
Jan.	9 55	9 57	9 52	8 52
Short Ribs—				
Jan.	9 55	9 57	9 52	9 52

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

WINNIPEG, Jan. 2. — Wheat — May 86½c.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 2. — Wheat — May 86c.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 2—Close.—Wheat—Spot steady; No. 1 Manitoba, 7s 8d; No. 2, 7s 6d; No. 3, 7s 3d; futures firm; March, 7s 4⅞d; May, 7s 2¾d; July, 7s 2⅝d. Corn—Spot quiet; American mixed, old, via Galveston, 5s 8d; futures steady; January, 5s 1½d; February, 4s 8⅝d. Flour—Winter patents, 29s 6d. Hops (in London)—Pacific coast, £4 15s to £6. Hams—Short cut, 14 to 16 lbs, 68s 6d. Bacon—Cumberland cut, 26 to 30 lbs, 60s; short ribs, 16 to 24 lbs, 64s 6d; clear bellies, 14 to 16 lbs, 63s 6d; long clear middles, light, 28 to 34 lbs, 66s 6d; do, heavy, 35 to 40 lbs, 66s 6d; short clear backs, 16 to 20 lbs, 59s. Lard—Prime western, in tierces, 51s; American refined, in pails, 51s 6d. Cheese—Canadian finest white, new, 62s 6d; do, colored, new, 63s 6d. Tallow—Prime city, 31s 6d. Turpentine spirits—31s 9d. Rosin—Common, 15s 4½d. Petroleum—Refined, 9⅜d. Linseed oil—28s 3d.

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COTTON

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

NEW YYORK, Jan. 2. — Cotton — May 12.80.

Morning Sales: Spanish River, 263 at 68 to 69; Maple Leaf, preferred, 30 at 97½ to 97¾; Canners, 125 at 84¼; Steel of Canada, 120 at 27¼ to 27½; Toronto Railway, 10 at 138¾; F. N. Burt, preferred, 30 at 104½; Rogers, preferred, 12 at 113; Toronto Paper, 35 at 69½ to 70; Brazilian, 760 at 93⅞ to 94; Bell Telephone, 76 at 171⅞ to 172; Locomotive, preferred, 18 at 92 to 93; Cement, 15 at 27¾; Pacific Burt, preferred, 3 at 88½; Dominion Bank, 20 at 229½; Bank of Hamilton, 5 at 208; Bank of Commerce, 30 at 221; Canada Permanent, 6 at 192⅝; Colonial Loan, 30 at 80; Rio, bonds, $4,000 at 99⅝; Coniagas, 25 at 8.25; Nipissing, 25 at 9.00; miscellaneous, 27 shares.

Montreal Stock Exchange.

MONTREAL, Jan. 2.—Morning Sales: Bell Telephone, 685 at 172 to 173; C. P. R., 250 at 259¼ to 262; Toronto Railway, 15 at 139 to 1240; Twin City, 110 at 103¾; Ottawa L. and P., 11 at 173 to 175; C. P. R., rights, 120 at 19; Montreal Power, 175 at 233 to 233½; Detroit United, 133 at 77 to 78⅞; R. and O., 150 at 118 to 118¾; Sherwin-Shawinigan, 100 at 144 to 145; Sherwin-Williams, 30 at 59½ to 60; Steel of Canada, 50 at 27½; Dominion Textile, 50 at 82¼; Canada Cotton, 365 at 35½ to 36; Tucukuetts, 140 at 59½ to 60; Canada Cement, 280 at 27 to 27½; Scotia, 85 at 85; Penmans, 190 at 56; Converters, 100 at 47½; Canada Car, 30 at 82 to 83; Spanish River, 410 at 69½ to 69¼; Steel Corporation, 12 at 58 to 59; Packers, common, 30 at 145 to 146; Ogilvie, 20 at 122; Scotia, preferred, 18 at 128; Cement, preferred, 87 at 82 to 92¼; Canada Cotton, preferred, 12 at 78 to 78½; Spanish River, preferred, 150 at 97 to 97¼; Dominion Coal, preferred, 25 at 112½; Tooke Bros., 90 at 90. Banks—Montreal, 7 at 245; Royal, 48 at 223; Nova Scotia, 10 at 264¾. Bonds—Canada Cement, $4,000 at 100; Dominion Iron, $3,000 at 95; Bell Telephone, $2,000 at 100½; Ogilvie, $2,000 at 109; Quebec Railway, $1,000 at 58¾. Mines—Crown Reserve, 252 at 2.45 to 3.47.

COBALT STOCKS.

[Edward Cronyn & Co., members of the Toronto Stock Exchange, report the following quotations on the mining market this morning.]

TORONTO, Jan. 2.—Beaver, 43 to 44; Chambers-Ferland, 23¾ to 25; Coniagas, 8.10 to 8.20; City of Cobalt, 38½ to 39¼; Cobalt Lake, 48 to 49; La Rose, 2.90 to 3.00; McKinley-Darragh, 1.94 to 1.96; Nipissing, 8.75 to 9.00; Peterson Lake, 22½; Temiskaming, 37½ to 38½; Dome Extension, 7 to 7½; Dome Mines, 19.50 to 20.50; Hollinger, 15.50 to 15.75; Jupiter, 35½ to 36½; Preston East Dome, 3¼ to 3¾; Swastika, 9½ to 10½; Vipond, 18 to 18½.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to H. C. Becher.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 2.

	Open.	High.	Low.	2pm.
Amal. Copper	79¼	80¼	79⅛	80⅛
Amer. Beet Sugar	50	50½	49	49⅝
Amer. Locomotive	43⅛	43⅛	43	43
American Foundry	55	55½	55	55⅜
American Refining	73½	74½	73¼	74¼
Amer. Cotton Oil	57	57⅛	57	57¼
Atchison, com.	105¾	106⅛	105¾	106
Anaconda Copper	41	41⅜	40⅞	41⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	105½			
Brooklyn Transit	92⅜	92⅜	91⅞	92⅛
Canadian Pacific	260¼	263¾	259¾	263¼
Chesapeake & Ohio	79¼	80	79¼	79⅝
Consolidated Gas	140½	141	140½	141
Col. Fuel & Iron	34			
Erie, com.	32⅛	32⅜	32⅛	32⅜
Gt. Northern, pfd.	131⅝	131⅝	131	131⅛
Illinois Central	127			
Inter-Metropolitan	64¼	64½	64⅛	64⅛
Kansas & Texas	27⅞	28	27⅞	28
Lehigh Valley	167¾	167⅝	167¾	168⅛
Louisville & Nash.	141½	141⅝	141½	141⅝
Missouri Pacific	41⅞	42	41¼	41⅜
New York Central	109½			
Northern Pacific	122	122⅜	121⅞	122⅜
National Lead	56¼			
Pennsylvania	122⅛	122¾	122⅛	122¾
People's Gas	115			
Reading	167⅞	168⅞	167⅞	168⅝
Republic Steel	26¼	26⅜	26¼	26⅜
Southern Railway	28¼			
Southern Pacific	106⅜	107	105½	105⅞
St. Paul	113½	113½	113	113⅝
Union Pacific	161	161¾	160⅝	161⅝
U. S. Rubber	63¼	64¾	63¼	64¾
U. S. Steel	68½	69⅛	68⅜	69
U. S. Steel, pfd.	110	110½	110	110½
Western nUion Tel.	75			

Bank of England.

LONIDON, Jan. 2.—The weekly statement of the Bank of England shows the following changes: Total reserve increased £1,044,000; circulation increased £72,000; bullion increased £971,920; other securities increased £12,848,000; other deposits increased £13,896,000; public deposits increased £1,729,000; notes reserve increased £1,155,000; Government securities increased £1,801,000. The proportion of the bank's reserve to liability this week is 30.65 per cent; last week it was 37.85 per cent.

Berlin Exchange.

BERLIN, Jan. 2.—The bourse was strong today on the easier monetary outlook and better peace prospects. Exchange on London, 20 marks 46 pfennigs for checks; money, 6 per cent; private rate of discount, 4⅞ per cent.

Wall Street, Noon.

NEW YOK, Jan. 2.—Wall street began the New Year cheerfully today, and there was a varied demand for stocks. Business in the first hour amounted to 110,000 shares, which approximated the total transactions of some recent days. Sentiment was influenced by the andvances of Americans in the London market and by confident assertions of trade authorities as to immediate prospects. After prices had risen 1 to 2½ points, bear selling of Southern Pacific stopped the advance. The market yielded but little and became dull. Money rates continued moderately firm, call loans opening at 6 per cent. Bonds were steady.

Paris Exchange.

PARIS, Jan. 2.—Prices were steady and higher on the bourse today. Three per cent rentes, 89 francs 50 centimes for the account; Exchange on London, 25 francs 18½ centimes for checks; private rate of discount, 4 per cent.

London Stock Exchange.

LONDON, Jan. 2.—Stocks closed today as follows: Consols, for money, 75 7-16; do, for account, 75 11-16; Amalgamated Copper, 82; Atchison, 109¼; Baltimore and Ohio, 108¼; Canadian Pacific, 249⅝; Chesapeake and Ohio, 81¾; Chicago Great Western, 171; Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul, 161⅝; Denver and Rio Grande, 21¼; Erie, 33⅜; do, first preferred, 51¼; Grand Trunk, 30¼; Illinois Central, 131; Louisville and Nashville, 145½; Missouri, Kansas and Texas, 27⅞; New York Central, 112; Norfolk and Western, 116; Ontario and Western, 32¾; Pennsylvania, 62⅞; Reading, 86½; Southern Railway, 29½; Southern Pacific, 109½; Union Pacific, 166½; United States Steel, 71; Wabash, 4¼. Bar silver, 21⅛d per ounce. Discount rates—Three months' bills, 4 9-16 to 4⅝ per cent.

London Exchange.

LONDON, Jan. 1.—Money was plentiful today, owing to the release of year-end balances and dividend payments. Discount rates were easy. The stock market started the new year with a burst of strength. The execution of local and continental buying orders, owing to cheaper money and the progress of thepeace negotiations, sent prices higher in all directions. Copper and Diamond shares, Canadian Pacific and Paris favorites were prominent leaders, while home rails were helped by good traffic returns. Consols were in better demand, despite the prospects of large colonial loans in the near future. American securities opened firm, and during the forenoon the list advanced from ¼ to 2¼ points, under the lead of Canadian Pacific. Later New York bid up the market and prices continued to improve until the closing, which was firm. Southern Pacific was offered in the last hour and closed easy.

Liabilities sometimes may be liabilities?—Life.

The coin collection of the British Museum numbers 350,000 pieces.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, Jan. 2.—Morning prices today:

	Ask.	Bid.
Brazilian T., L. and P.	93⅞	93¾
B. C. Packers A.	..	142
B. C. Packers, com.	..	145
Bell Telephone Co.	175	..
Burt, F. N., com.	103	..
Burt, F. N., pfd.	105	104
Canada Bread, com.	30	29½
Canada Cement, com.	..	27¾
Canada Cement, pfd.	93¼	..
Canada General Electric	..	113½
Canada Machinery, com.	64½	64
Canada Locomotive, com.	..	60
Canada Locomotive, pfd.	93	..
Canadian Pacific Railway	261¾	261¼
Canadian Salt	..	112½
City Dairy, com.	52	50
City Dairy, pfd.	100½	..
Consumers' Gas	183	188½
Crow's Nest	80	..
Detroit United	79	78
Dominion Canners, com.	85	84½
Dominion Canners, pfd.	..	101
Dominion I. and S., pfd.	102½	..
Dominion Steel Corp.	..	58¼
Dominion Telegraph	102	98
Duluth-Superior	..	70½
Electric Dev., pfd.	..	85
Illinois, pfd.	..	88¾
Lake of Woods, com.	..	134
Lake of Woods, pfd.	..	120
Lake Superior Corp.	30	28
Mackay, com.	84	83½
Mackay, pfd.	..	66½
Maple Leaf, com.	62	61
Maple Leaf, pfd.	98	..
Mexican L. and P.	..	81
Mexico Tramway	113	..
Monterey, pfd.	73½	..
Monarch, pfd.	94	93½
N. S. Steel	88	..
Ogilvie	..	124
Pacific Burt, com.	..	40
Pacific Burt, pfd.	..	88
Penman's com.	55½	55
Penmans, pfd.	..	87
Porto Rico Railway	..	68
R. and O. Navigation	..	118
Rogers, com.	175	..
Rogers, pfd.	115	..
Russell, M. C., com.	95	..
Russell, M. C., pfd.	97	..
Sawyer-Massey, com.	48½	..
Sawyer-Massey, pfd.	100	96
St. L. and C. Navigation	111½	..
Shredded Wheat, com.	80¾	..
Shredded Wheat, pfd.	..	92¾
Spanish River, com.	69½	69
Spanish River, pfd.	..	97
Steel of Canada, com.	27¾	27
Steel of Canada, pfd.	..	90½
Tooke Bros., com.	..	50
Tooke Bros., pfd.	..	89
Toronto Paper	71	69¾
Toronto Railway	..	138
Tucketts, pfd.	..	59
Twin City, com.	106	..
Winnipeg Railway	..	217
Coniagas	..	8.10
Crown Reserve	3.55	..
La Rose	..	2.75
Nipissing Mines	9.00	8.75
Trethewey	.31	.30
Bank of Commerce	221	220
Dominion Bank	237½	..
Bank of Hamilton	..	205
Imperial Bank	228¾	..
Merchants' Bank	..	191
Metropolitan Bank	200	..
Molsons Bank	..	202
Bank of Montreal	..	246½
Bank of Nova Scotia	263	..
Royal Bank	223	..
Standard Bank	228	226
Bank of Toronto	..	209
Union Bank	150	..
Canada Landed	159	155
Canada Permanent	192⅝	..
Central Canada	..	187½
Colonial Investment	..	80
Dominion Savings	..	77
Great West Permanent	130½	..
Hamilton Provident	..	132½
Huron and Erie	..	200
Huron and Erie, 20 p. c. pd.	..	195
Landed Banking	..	137½
London and Canadian	117	116
National Trust	..	212½
Ontario Loan	..	161½
Ontario Loan, 20 p. c. paid	..	151½
Toronto General Trusts	..	190
Toronto Mortgage	..	132½
Toronto Savings	..	200
Union Trusts	180	178
Canada Bread bonds	93	..
Canada Loco. bonds	98¾	..
C. N. R. W. R. bonds	..	90
Dominion Canners bonds	104	..
Electric Dev. bonds	92	..
Keewatin bonds	100½	..
Laurentide bonds	..	108
Mexican L. and P. bonds	90	..
Penmans bonds	..	91
Porto Rico Ry. bonds	..	92
Rio Janeiro, 1st mort.	..	95⅝
Sao Paulo bonds	100	..
Spanish River bonds	97	96¼
Steel Co. of Canada bonds	..	99½

C. N. R. HAD MUCH TO DO WITH BOOM

Big Company Helped Sandwich and Would Help London Also.

That the C. N. R. influence had much to do with the location of the $20,000 steel plant at Sandwich wa sstated by a prominent real estate man in London today.

The dealer has had much to do with real estate in Sandwich and stated that the C. N. R. had purchased fifty acres of land in the immediate vicinity of the property secured by the steel corporation.

"The C. N. R. influence had a great deal to do with bringing the steel plant to Sandwich," he said, "and they would do London good in an industrial way. I understand that their officials practically decided where the steel plant was to be located. They are great factors in the industrial field at present."

FOREMAN OF JURY GETS DEATH NOTICE

Told He Will Be Murdered for Having Convicted Dynamite Gang.

[Canadian Press.]

Newcastle, Ind., Jan. 2—Frank Dare of New Lisbon, foreman of the jury in the federal court at Indianapolis, that convicted the thirty-eight defendants in the dynamite conspiracy trial, has received an anonymous communication threatening his life. The letter was not signed and was mailed from Chicago. It read as follows: "Frank Dare, New Lisbon, Ind..

"Sir—This is to inform you that you will be planted under the sod within the next three months."

Mr. Dare placed the letter in the hands of H. H. Evans, prosecuting attorney, and the matter will be brought before the federal authorities today.

KILLED BY FUMES.

Portland, Me., Jan. 2.—Lieut. Herbert Eldridge, of the Portland fire department, died today as the result of inhaling nitric acid fumes, while fighting a fire in a drug store yesterday. Deputy Chief Wm. H. Steele died last night, and four other firemen were made very ill by the poisonous fumes

GIFT FROM STRATHCONA.

Edmonton, Alta., Jan. 2. — Lord Strathcona has forwarded a check for $25,000 to the Strathcona Hospital here.

OFFICIAL ELECTION RETURNS

City Clerk Baker and staff were exceedingly busy Wednesday evening preparing statistics of the election. His official figures for the water commissioners and the various bylaws were given out this morning.

The federai square, the Dennis loan, the grant to the consumptive sanatorium, the board of control, the two-year term for aldermen, and the bylaw to place the waterworks under the control of the council, carried by safe majorities.

The Greene-Swift Comptny were denied a franchise for steam heating, and the bylaws to loan money to the Findlay Porcelain Company and the C.-N.-W. Shoe Company did not receive the requisite number of votes to pass.

The official count is as follows.

ALDERMEN ELECTED.

	Ward 1.	2.	3.	4.	5. Total
J. G. Richter	759	563	638	1025	90—3,075
G. E. Rose	640	419	980	751	235—3,025
B. W. Bennett	676	496	686	855	83—2,796
S. F. Glass	572	434	704	789	282—2,781
J. P. Moore	650	475	667	795	193—2,780
H. Ashplant	638	512	580	865	82—2,677
J. F. White	575	390	720	774	206—2,665
J. H. Saunders	614	426	666	768	190—2,664
E. J. L. Stein	583	370	797	673	218—2,641
W. Spittal	566	430	621	756	215—2,588
W. E. Robinson	561	486	486	817	76—2,426
E. H. Johnston	567	447	494	795	84—2,387
NOT ELECTED.					
James Donnelly	496	362	621	606	172—2,257
W. G. Coles	435	353	555	717	183—2,243
R. F. Blandford	495	397	412	701	52—2,057
W. Gerry	539	321	344	539	39—1,782
F. B. Mitchell	412	306	380	516	63—1,677
Neil Cooper	380	290	412	504	77—1,663
U. A. Buchner	396	316	300	532	56—1,600
J. A. Tancock	331	337	245	307	52—1,272
W. Hayman	256	155	294	394	54—1,153
Harry Ryan	301	195	256	326	36—1,114
Harry Wallace	90	39	126	116	15— 386
E. H. Russell	146	39	73	101	23— 382

BOARD OF EDUCATION.

Elected.			
W. W. Gammage	3,150	J. D. Jacobs	786
W. T. Strong	2,833	John McLean	777
J. M. Gunn	2,667	W. J. Hill	377
Dr. R. W. Shaw	2,201	Thomas Edwards	323
F. H. Greenlees	1,151	R. S. Holmes	297
Not Elected.		J. F. Spry	263
C. H. Merryfield	913	G. S. Bedford	217
M. F. Irwin	854	G. L. Spicer	151

WATER COMMISSIONERS.

	Ward 1.	2.	3.	4.	5. Total
Dr. H. A. Stevenson	973	800	1195	1342	238—4,548
William Wyatt	507	431	541	766	89—2,334
NOT ELECTED.					
W. D. I. Wright	383	308	380	501	95—1,667
A. R. Calcott	386	147	215	295	52—1,095

BOARD OF CONTROL.

For	966	696	913	1202	185—3,962
Against	283	256	373	355	81—1,348

Majority For—2,614.

TWO YEARS' TERM FOR ALDERMEN.

For	671	465	610	825	124—2,695
Against	406	317	461	461	99—1,744

Majority For—951.

FEDERAL SQUARE.

For	415	307	617	687	256—2,282
Against	492	381	332	595	45—1,845

Majority For—437.

SANATORIUM GRANT.

For	576	459	568	793	226—2,622
Against	317	219	349	479	55—1,419

Majority For—1,203.

DENNIS BYLAW.

For	646	480	729	906	274—3,035
Against	251	226	229	356	29—1,091

Majority For—1,944.

FINDLAY PORCELAIN COMPANY.

For	567	412	619	781	253—2,632
Against	337	273	298	497	36—1,461

Majority For—1,171.

GREENE-SWIFT HEATING FANCHISE.

For	410	344	367	558	144—1,793
Against	490	337	556	662	157—2,302

Majority Against—509.

C.-N.-W. SHOE COMPANY.

For	554	428	628	785	252—2,647
Against	337	257	293	472	42—1,401

Majority For—1,246.

ABOLITION OF WATERWORKS BOARD.

For	454	368	454	533	167—2,709
Against	394	318	393	565	126—1,796

Majority For—913.

LONDON MEN WON AT INGERSOLL SHOW

Several Fine Cups Come to This City For Prize Birds.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ingersoll, Jan. 2.—At the poultry show today, cup winners were announced as follows: Brahmas, John Cameron, Brantford; Langshans, B. S. Harris, Aylmer; Barred Rocks, W. Walters, Woodstock; White Rocks, Stevenson Bros., Woodstock; Golden Wyandottes, B. S. Harris, Aylmer; White Wyandottes, G. H. Ficht, Woodstock; Rhode Island Reds, James L. Vance & Sons, Ingersoll; Buff Orpingtons, Thompson Bros., Port Dover; Black Orpington, Thompson Bros., Port Dover; White Orpington, Thompson Bros., Port Dover; White Leghorns, S. C., Lindsay & McLean, London; Brown Leghorns, S. C., Rev. J. G. Taylor, Chatham; Buff Leghorns, S. C., Elgin Rowell, Woodstock; Brown Leghorn, R. C., Robert Pond, Woodstock; Minorcas, S. C., Geo. Young, London; Blue Andalusians, T. H. King, Appin; display pen, B. S. Harris, Aylmer; Hamburgs, S. S. Carter, Constance; Pit Game, Stevenson Bros., Woodstock.

Personal Mention

Mrs. Eli Day, of Granthurst, is visiting with her brother, James Corsaut, of 816 King street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Greenaway, of Detroit, are spending the New Year with Mrs. E. Greenaway, King street.

Mr. Jeffrey Hennigar, of Hamilton, returned today, after spending the holidays with his mother here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. S. Cotter are spending the New Year's week visiting with friends in Petrolea, prior to their return to Regina.

Miss E. M. Maddaugh, of Toronto, has returned home after spending the holidays at the home of her friend, Mrs. Hugh M. Wilkins, 16 Edward street.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas P. Stenton, who visited recently with relatives here, have returned to their home in Leamington, accompanied by Miss Lillian Mowat.

Mrs. J. Levitt entertained a number of her friends to an enjoyable progressive enchre party at her home, 390 Ridout street, last evening. The successful winners of the prizes were: Miss Lewis and Mr. Jas. Jackson, and Miss Edwards and Mr. Ball.

Mr. and Mrs. George Glenney, of Regina, Sask., are visiting in this city, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George French, 578 English street.

Mr. Griffith Colebrook, of Detroit, spent New Year's Day in London.

Mr. E. Atkins, of Vancouver, a student of McGill University, Montreal, visited at the home of Mr. Wm. J. Johnston, 602 Princess avenue, for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bennett, 6 Pearl street, entertained in honor of their guests, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Doring and daughter Margaret, of Niagara Falls.

Shiloh 25¢
The family remedy for Coughs and Colds.
"Shiloh costs so little and does so much!"

LOCAL ITEMS

School Reopens Monday.

The city schools will all reopen on Monday. There will be no afternoon kindergartens and all children wishing to attend must come in the morning.

Death of Mrs. Hurst.

Information has been received here of the death at 184 Sixth street, Detroit, of Mrs. Robert L. Hurst, a former resident of this city. Mrs. Hurst was formerly Ivy Mary Hoag, daughter of Robert and Emma Hoag, of this city. Mr. Hoag was at one time a well-known employee of the Hyman tannery. The funeral was held in Detroit on Tuesday.

Abbiet—Williams.

The wedding took place in the Horton Street Baptist Church yesterday afternoon of Miss Isabella Williams and Mr. Peat Abbiet, both of this city. The ceremony was performed by Rev. H. H. Bingham in the presence of a number of guests. The bride was attended by Miss Edna Moxley and the groomsman was Mr. A. Scott. Following the ceremony the bridal party adjourned to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Butler, where a wedding supper was served. Mr. and Mrs. Abbiet will reside at the corner of Chester and High streets.

Armstrong—Gordon.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at St. Andrew's Church at 7 o'clock Wednesday evening, when the pastor, Rev. Dr. Ross, united in marriage Miss Florence Isabelle, daughter of Mr. Edward Armstrong, Toronto, and sister of Mrs. (Dr.) Wishart, London, to Mr. L. Laird Gordon, formerly of the staff of the Royal Bank, London, and son of Captain Alfred Gordon, Montagne, Prince Edward Island. The bride was given away by Dr. John Wishart. The happy couple left on the Chicago express for their future home in Vancouver, B. C.

PAUL KEITH WRITES WAS NOT IN LONDON

Pseudo Theatrical Magnate Is Working Game All Along the Line.

The young gentleman, who has been posing in this city as Mr. A. Paul Keith, New York, one of the best-known theatrical men in that city, seems to have played this game in other places, and London is not the only city where he had visions of building theatres and engaging in other enterprises.

The Advertiser today received a letter from the real A. Paul Keith, and he denies emphatically that he has been in London negotiating for theatres. He calls attention to the fact that the gentleman who uses his name has been active elsewhere. Mr. Keith says:

"Editor, London Advertiser, London, Ont.:

"Dear Sir,—I have just read in your issue of Dec. 26, that I had been in London negotiating for a theatre site. This is entirely untrue in every particular. I have heard, however, from different parts of Canada and also New York State that a young man representing himself as A. Paul Keith has been endeavoring to acquire theatrical property, not, however, to develop the same, but has been using my name in an endeavor to borrow money for his own use. I had the police in Watertown, New York, on his track, but he departed before they could apprehend him. I wish you would kindly deny the article, and state that I have no intention of building in London, as I am already interested through business association with Mr. Duffield and Mr. Pringle, citizens of your city. Thanking you, I remain, sincerely,

"A. PAUL KEITH."

Word has been received here also that the pseudo Mr. Keith has been operating in Ottawa.

A BOARD OF CONTROL

Continued From Page One.

question. It is certain that next year the citizens will vote for four members of the board of control.

People Want It.

Some of the citizens were of the opinion that the council might hold up the inauguration of the board of control, but this will not happen. Although there is nothing in the municipal act compelling the council to initiate this form of civic government, the aldermen will not delay it in face of the tremendous force of public opinion on the question.

It is quite probable, however, that the recommendations of the special committee named last year to inquire into the matter will not be acted upon. It was decided that the first four aldermen elected should form the board of control, with the next four aldermen holding their positions for two years, and the last four retiring at the end of 1913.

No Machinery.

In order to enforce this, it would be necessary to go to the Legislature for authority, as the municipal act does not provide any machinery for meeting such a situation. In discussing the matter with a number of aldermen, the opinion prevailed that Ald. Richter's suggestion, that the electors in January next vote on aspirants for the board of control, was the correct method. This would give the voters an opportunity of selecting four men definitely in the field for this purpose. The maximum salary for members of the board of control for cities of this size is $400.

The Mayor's Opinion.

"It is probable that the council will conduct the business this year as in the past," declared Mayor Graham. "We recommended that the first four aldermen elected should form the board for this year, and determined that the other aldermen should retire, but this seems rather difficult to successfully carry out, so it is likely that next January the electors will vote directly for candidates for the board of control.

More Aldermen.

"From present indications, the number of aldermen will have to be increased from 8 to 10. The municipal act provides that the representation in the council, in addition to the board of control, shall be two from each ward. The addition of the suburbs makes five wards, and on that basis we should have ten members. That does not mean that we will return to the ward system of election, but the representation shall be on that basis."

Ald. Moore, City Clerk Baker and others at the city hall expressed the same opinion. A canvass of the aldermen showed that every member was in favor of a board of control, and no opposition would be made when the bylaw passes at the first meeting of the council.

Bylaws Defeated.

Two of the industrial loan bylaws did not receive the necessary vote to carry them. According to the act, they must receive two-thirds of the total vote cast.

Although both the C.-N.-W. Shoe Company and the Findlay Porcelain Company did receive a big majority the vote falls somewhat short of the necessary two-thirds. As in the case with the exemption bylaws passed two years ago, the Legislature will be asked to validate the bylaws in any event. As this was done then without much objection, there is no reason that it should not be repeated at this time.

The Federal Square.

A majority vote only is required to pass the federal square bylaw. Some were of the opinion that a two-thirds vote was necessary to carry this bylaw, but such is not the case.

The water commission will not be abolished until the end of the fiscal year, Nov. 30. This was stipulated in the motion introducing the suggestion. According to information received at the city hall, the waterworks will be handled by the electrical department until the board of control is elected, when that body will take charge of it.

Changing the Water Board.

The consent of the Legislature will have to be obtained before the waterworks are placed under the control of the city council. This department is operated under a special act of the Legislature, and it will have to be amended or repealed before the change can be adopted. It is said that objection will be made to this. Hon. Adam Beck is strongly opposed to such a course of action, and it is certain that he will interpose objections.

The Greene-Swift franchise bylaw, to give the company the right to use the streets in certain sections for steam heating, was voted down by a fair majority.

THE DOMINION BANK
SIR EDMUND OSLER, M.P., PRESIDENT. W. D. MATTHEWS, VICE-PRESIDENT.
C. A. BOGERT, General Manager.
Capital paid up $4,900,000. Reserve Fund $5,900,000. Total Assets $73,000,000.
$1 Gives You A Bank Book
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LONDON BRANCH: E. C. BOWKER, Manager.
East End (Rectory Street)

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It has been truly said that "the avenue leading to hell is paved with good intentions." So the sure road to poverty is by putting off the
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until a more convenient season. Arouse ye. Realize your present opportunity. Begin now by depositing One Dollar or as much more as you can with us and see it grow by the addition of
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interest, compounded half-yearly.
Accounts opened in the name of husband and wife.
The Peoples Loan and Savings Corporation
428 RICHMOND STREET, LONDON, ONT. 99u-w

REGRETS DEFEAT OF THE LOAN BY-LAWS

Commissioner Henderson Says the City Did Not Stand to Lose a Cent.

Mr. J. Grant Henderson, commissioner of industries, regrets exceedingly the action of the citizens in voting down the bylaws to loan money to the Findlay Porcelain Company and the C. N. W. Shoe Company.

He made the following statement to The Advertiser today:

"I regret exceedingly that the citizens of London saw fit to defeat the industrial bylaws with the exception of one, which was placed before them. It is particularly regretted that this should be done at this time, when their passing means so much to London's industrial life. Time, money and energy have been spent in letting the manufacturers throughout Canada and the United States know that London is a live industrial centre, and the very first bylaws put up carrying wtih them small loans well protected were defeated. The city did not stand in either of these cases to loose one solitary cent. Through the defeat of these bylaws we state to the country at large that we are not anxious for new industries, or industrial expansion. That the citizens at large are too indifferent to the welfare of the city to turn out and vote on these questions.

"If London expects to go ahead and take its place with other industrial centres, it has got to throw off the deadly inertia of the majority which is paralyzing the energies and activities of a live and far-seeing minority that recognize the fact that if we contemplate entering the race with other municipalities to attract the industries which contemplate establishing, that we must be prepared to make concession.s The action that this negative vote will have upon the prospects in the hands of the industrial committee ca nonly be guessed at, but I fear it will be a great deterrent to many of them.

"The industrial commissioner should certainly be backed by the united efforts of the city and citizens at large if the city expects industries. What we must have is unity, loyalty, concentrated effort and a great awakening from our self-satisfied position. By the vote of the people the city of London has lost two industries, to which, had the bylaws passed, inside of two years they would have pointed with pride as among the leading industries in the industrial section.

"Observe the attitude of Toronto in regard to the bylawsp laced before its citizens, wherein, the city voted $13,000,000 as against the paltry policy of London in refusing to loan $45,000 to assist in the establishment of two excellent industries.

"J. GRANT HENDERSON."

BOTHWELL.

Bothwell, Jan. 2.—Miss Norene Regan has returned after visiting relatives in Detroit.

Miss Rosie Ross is visiting friends in Chatham.

Joe Carter, of La Sallette, was here recently.

Mrs. R. Parker and grand-daughter, Veronica Joice, visited relatives in Detroit recently.

John Blythe, of Toronto, is visiting friends here.

John McNeil visited relatives in London recently.

Mrs. Harry Golding is visiting in Appin.

Mr. and Mrs. James Regan and family are visiting relatives in Thamesford.

Miss May Prout spent several days with friends in Wyoming recently.

Roy Flood is visiting in Toledo.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Richard, of Chatham, visited relatives here recently.

HARRISTON.

Harrison, Jan. 2.—The remains of Alexander Butler arrived here from Hamilton on Monday night, and were interred in Harriston Cemetery on Tuesday afternoon. Deceased, who was 80 years of age, had lived in this vicinity many years, and was well known. Mr. Walter Butler, of Harriston, is a son.

The sneak thief who invaded the apartments of Mrs. Dulmage at the Queen's Hotel and made a clean-up of several hundred dollars' work of jewelry, has so far escaped detection.

The opening of the Northern League in Harriston is scheduled for Jan. 10, when the Broncho Busters meet last year's champions from Mount Forest.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Moncrieff and daughter are here on a visit to the former's parents, after several months' residence in the West.

The council for 1913 was elected by acclamation, as follows: Mayor, Anson Spotton; reeve, R. F. Dale; councillors, Wm. Davey, Robert Reid, R. J. Barton, J. M. McKay, James Bailey, sen., and J. A. Gray.

The town electric light plant, which was promised would be in operation by Nov. 15, is not yet running. There are few signs of it being in operation for some time yet. John Holmes, who operates the present system, has consented to continue the light service for an unstated period, so the report that the town would be in total darkness after Jan. 1 is without foundation.

BURNED TO DEATH.

New London, Conn., Jan. 2.—John H. Cronsberry was burned to death, and Maria Searls and Elizabeth Sutherland were so badly burned that they will die in a fire at the city alms house early this morning. Forty-three others, inmates, were rescued with difficulty.

The fire started from an overheated furnace. The monetary loss was small.

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LONDON AND DISTRICT

St. Mark's Church, in East London, held a successful Sunday School entertainment on New Year's Eve, and it was well attended. The program consisted of recitations by Johnny Quinnell, Annie Moss, Ruth Dunstan, B. Clarke and S. Rutledge; a dialogue by Miss Dunstan and W. G. Morrison. A sketch of the twelve months of the year by twelve girls was well performed. Mr. H. C. Light, the pastor, gave an address. A presentation of a handsome fountain pen was made to Mr. R. Christian. The usual treat was given to the children ot the close.

St. Luke's Entertainment.

The pupils of the Sunday school of St. Luke's Church, Broughdale, held their annual entertainment and Christmas tree on Tuesday evening in the school room of the church. The large audience present thoroughly enjoyed the program rendered by the scholars. Among the gifts on the tree was a beautiful picture for Archdeacon Richardson from the members of his Bible class. Mr. F. C. Ryott acted as chairman. After the conclusion of the entertainment a watch night service was held in the church, which was conducted by the rector, Archdeacon Richardson. The subject of his address was "The Hour Is Come."

A Quiet Holiday.

New Year's Day was a quiet but pleasant holiday. The weather was warm, more like April than January, making it very pleasant out of doors. This attracted many to the streets, while many hundreds took the opportunity of making calls on their friends. In spite of the warmth of the municipal campaign, the voting was slow, and in the day time there were few external evidences of the fact that a keen struggle was taking place.

Christmas Waits.

The Sisters of St. Joseph, in charge of the House of Providence, are in receipt of a check, conveying $25.37 to be applied toward the many wants of the aged poor. This money is a generous portion of the proceeds from the old-time custom, "Christmas Waits." Many thanks are due Mrs. (Dr.) Kingsmill and the other ladies and gentlemen who sacrificed their time and talents in thus securing help for the needy.

McLeod—Weston.

A quiet wedding took place at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs. Nathaniel Weston, 437 Ontario street, on Tuesday, Dec. 31, 1912, at 5 o'clock, when her daughter, Ellen Mary, was united in marriage to Mr. Donald J. McLeod, of this city. Rev. G. N. Hazen performed the ceremony. They were unattended. The newly-married couple left at 6:55 for Toronto and points east, and on their return will reside at 473 Ontario street.

Fisher—Boath.

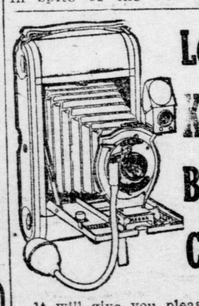
A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday, Jan. 1, at 3:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. W. C. Boath, 580 Central avenue, when her daughter, Evedna Matilda, was united in marriage to John D. Fisher by the Rev. Dr. Ross, of St. Andrew's Church. The bride was given away by her brother, Orville. Only the immediate relatives of both families were present. The many beautiful presents bespoke the high esteem in which the young couple were held. After the Ceremony the guests partook of a dainty wedding breakfast, served in buffet style. The decorations were white and pale green. The happy couple left on the 5:55 p.m. C. P. R. train for Hamilton, Toronto, and intermediate points. The Forest City Club, of which the groom is president, gave the couple a right royal send-off. The wedding march was played by the bride's brother, Mr. S. Boath, of St. Thomas.



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Terribly Sudden Demise of Mr. and Mrs. Tott n at Toronto.

Mr. Joseph Totton, of 702 Waterloo street, has been called to Toronto to attend the double funeral there this afternoon of his father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Totton, of 625 Broadview avenue, whose deaths occurred under unusually pathetic circumstances.

Mrs. Totton had been in good health up until Sunday night, and retired at her usual hour. Her demise occurred suddenly between 3 and 4 o'clock in the morning.

Her husband, who came to Toronto from Belfast, Ireland, where he had engaged in the linen business, sixteen years ago, and who had since lived retired, was also in fair health, but the shock proved so severe that he never rallied, and his death resulted only 43 hours after that of his wife. Mrs. Totton was 66 years of age, and her husband was two years her senior. Mr. Totton was a native of Portadown, County Armagh, Ireland. He had never made his home in this city, but had visited with his son here.

ALMOST LOST SIGHT BY BURNING FUSE

Mr. E. Dawson Suffered Dangerous Accident Tuesday Night.

Mr. E. Dawson, 563 Dufferin avenue, an operator at the hydro-electric station, Horton street, had his eyes so badly burned on Tuesday evening by the explosion of a fuse that for a time it was feared that the sight would be destroyed. However, he is improving, and it is thought that the sight will be preserved.

Dawson was engaged in his duties when a fuse blew out, the flames hitting him in the eyes. He was removed at once and Dr. Clarke summoned. The lids were scorched, and it was thought that the sight was permanently affected.

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The First Presbyterian Church was crowded last night by a music-loving audience, who were treated to one of the finest concerts of the season by the First Methodist Church choir.

Mr. Albert D. Jordan, the solo organist, was unusually efficient, and was compelled to respond to three encores. Numbers particularly pleasing were: "Tocatta," in F Major (Widor); encore number, "Turkish Patrol" (Beethoven); serenade by Schubert, which is played on two keyboards; encore numbers, "Humoresque" (Dvorak), "Badinage" (Victor Herbert).

Miss Beatrice Hunt sang the solo in "Father, to Thee We Pray," in pleasing voice, and won applause from the audience.

Mr. Robert Habbeshaw, tenor, sang the tenor solo in "Sanctus" in a very artistic manner.

The full choir of the First Methodist Church rendered four numbers. The members showed careful training, their attack, shading and enunciation being superb. They excelled in Mr. Jordan's "Christmas Carol," the bass section being especially good, and would have done credit to a professional organization.

The double quartette, composed of Misses Hunt, Kidner, Mountjoy, Layman, Messrs. Habbeshaw, Chapman, Greenslade and Soper, sang the quartette in "Who Is Like Unto Thee" very sweetly, and with artistic harmony.

The following was the program:

Part I.

Fantasia, in F Minor .....Mozart
"Who Is Like Unto Thee" .. Sullivan
The Choir.
(a) Andante Cantable ..... Widor
(b) Tocatta, in F Major ..... Widor
"Father to Thee We Pray" .....
..... Bach Gounod
The Choir—Solo, Miss B. Hunt.
"Christmas" ..... Dethier

Part II.

Tone Poem—"Finlandia" .... Sibelius
Sanctus—"Nesse Solemnelle" .Gounod
The Choir—Solo, Mr. Habbeshaw.
Melodie in E ..... Rachmaninoff
"Serenade" ..... Schubert
"Christmas Carol" ..... A. D. Jordan
Overture in A Major—"Carnival" ...
..... Dvorak
"Hallelujah" ("Messiah") .... Handel
God Save the King
The Choir.

After the concert, the ladies of the First Presbyterian Church banquetted the combined choirs, at which speeches were made by Messrs. G. McCormick, A. D. Jordan, Crawford, Jarvis, Vivian Reeve and Dr. David Arnott. Mrs. Geo. M. Reid replied for the ladies. Rev. Mr. Inkster was chairman.

At some future date the combined choirs will give a grand concert. The pleasant gathering broke up after singing "Should Auld Acquaintance Be Forgot" and "God Save the King."

AILSA CRAIG.

Ailsa Craig, Jan. 2.—Mr. Frank Brownlee and wife, of Unity, Sask., are visiting Mr. Brownlee's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Brownlee.

Owing to the very mild weather the curlers are very much disappointed at not being able to allow the out-of-town visitors the opportunity of enjoying an evening's skating before they leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Crawford, of Detroit, who have been spending the holidays with Mrs. Wm. O'Leary, have returned.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Abbott and family have returned after visiting Mrs. Abbott's mother in Chicago.

Mr. Neil MacDonald, who has visited recently with his mother, has returned to his position in Chicago.

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