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## SILVERWOOD ASSAILS CIVIC COMMISSION

### Teachers To Quit Should Wage Cut Be Enforced

#### JOINT PARLEY FRIDAY, MAY BRING CRISIS

School Trustees Admit More Paring Must Effect Salaries. INVITES COMPARISON Teacher Urges Interested Citizens To Contrast Salaries in City and Elsewhere.

Should the board of education after its joint session Friday next with the other civic spending bodies deem it imperative to effect a 10 per cent reduction of teachers' salaries, as apparently determined advocated by Mayor Cameron Wilson and several of the aldermen, the inevitable result will be that several vacancies will be automatically created in the city's teaching staff.

While the board of education to date, led by Trustee Edwin Smith, has been steadfast in its determination that salaries shall not be tampered with, Mayor Wilson, following the initial meeting of the civic commission Wednesday, urged all civic spending boards to send representatives to a joint meeting Monday in a last effort to reduce the educational estimates to such a degree as will substantially lower the city's tax rate.

What developments will transpire is problematical, but as Trustee Silverwood, chairman of the collegiate institute committee, has already pointed out, the trustees, to conform to any appreciable extent with the mayor's suggestion, must tackle the salary problem. In this manner only, he reasons, can any real lowering of the tax rate be effected by the board of education.

It becomes quite evident, however, that should the mayor's wishes be adhered to, such action will precipitate several immediate resignations which are bound to have a disquieting effect upon the teachers as a body. What the ultimate result would be is difficult to contemplate.

One of a number of teachers holding important teaching positions, whose names are withheld by The London Advertiser for obvious reasons, explained Thursday morning that "it actually made slight difference to him in the finish whether the board decided to institute the proposed reduction or not. I am satisfied personally that I will not be here more than a month after the trustees say that I am not worth what I am now receiving. While I am not anxious to leave London, there are positions I have been offered elsewhere that I can accept."

This teacher contended further that all citizens who are interested in the city's educational problems should study the salary situation carefully, not only locally, but in other cities.

"Let them consult the scale of wages elsewhere," he suggested, "and then they'll be able to note where London stands in comparison."

**Close Down C.P.R. SHOPS IN WEST**  
Calgary, March 23.—Between 800 and 900 employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway at Ogden shops have been notified that the shops will close tonight until April 3.

#### Officer Braves Death To Save Babe

MONTREAL, March 23.—Running into a burning residence above a drygoods store on Notre Dame street late last night, Constable Huleault seized a 2-year-old baby from its bed and carried it to the smoke-filled building in safety. The family had been driven out on to the street and were clustered together in a frightened group when the distracted mother suddenly remembered that her baby had been left in a room on the second floor. Without a second's hesitation the courageous officer dashed into the flaming house, emerging a few minutes later with the child in his arms.

#### LADY M. P. RAPS PARTY POLITICS

Miss McPhail Says Canada Needs To Learn Businesslike Government.

#### "CONVERTED CONVERT"

Claims She Came Over Carefully To Wood's Economic Group Idea.

Ottawa, March 23.—"We want to learn to conduct national business in a businesslike way. It will be novel," declared Miss Agnes MacPhail, M.P., in an address delivered last night to a meeting of local and national progressives.

Miss MacPhail claimed that under the old system of party, and cries raised by clever publicity agents, members were elected to the House of Commons that could just as well have been represented by a photo and a rubber stamp. She thought Ontario and Alberta were nearer to each other in their ideas than even the two other prairie provinces were in agreement with the third. Miss MacPhail said she was getting a little tired of people speaking as though the only farmers' movement was in the west.

Ontario was on the map, too, in that respect, and it should not be overlooked that the largest progressive representation of any province went from Ontario. Miss MacPhail thought that Ontario farmers perhaps went into politics too soon, and she said impressively that personally she was a "carefully converted convert to the economic group idea of Mr. Wood."

But Ontario also had a Mr. Wood, only he was called J. J. Morrison. He was the only man she had ever praised publicly, said the speaker, amid laughter. The fact that J. J. Morrison and H. W. Wood had both turned down premierships constituted them two of the most talked-of men.

#### VIOLATING GAME LAWS IS COSTLY

Nine cases were tried at Blenheim on Wednesday on information laid by Col. R. Emerson, game warden for Western Ontario, for violation of the Ontario game and fisheries act, in that they were using chicken wire netting, which is prohibited, and also operating without a license.

#### WILL CELEBRATE CANADIAN WEEK

Chicago, March 23.—The city council today designated the week of April 2 to 8 as a Canadian week to celebrate the one hundred and fourth anniversary of peace and uninterrupted social and business intercourse.

#### TRY ELEVENTH HOUR PLAN TO STOP STRIKE

Arbitration Committee in Coal Dispute Meet in Union League Club.

#### LABOR LEADER TALKS

Operators' Representatives Retain Secrecy On Wage Reduction Program.

BULLETIN. Washington, March 23.—Warning that the federal government would tolerate no use of violence to prevent coal production during the threatened coal strike, was issued today by Attorney General Daugherty.

New York, N. Y., March 23.—In an eleventh hour attempt to halt preparations for a nation-wide strike in the coal industry, the arbitration committee of anthracite miners and operators. With them will sit two non-voting neutrals, a chairman and a secretary. John L. Lewis, president of the International Organization of Mine Workers, will head the miners' delegation. The spokesmen for the operators will be S. D. Warner, of the Lehigh Coal and Navigation Company.

Upon today's conference will depend whether the 200,000 anthracite workers shall proceed with their 400,000 brethren in the bituminous fields, and prepare to drop their tools April 1, while their 19 wage demands are given consideration. The miners' representatives will enter today's conference with little expectation of reaching an agreement which will avert the strike.

"Of course we have hope," said Mr. Lewis.

"It would be possible for us to conclude an agreement within 40 minutes. Such a thing might happen. But I recall that similar wage arbitrations in previous years have taken from four weeks to several months.

"There is no reasonable doubt but that the general strike will be called April 1, as scheduled." Representatives of the operators refused to make any predictions as to the outcome of the conference. They continued to maintain strict secrecy concerning the program of wage reduction which they will offer as the basis for a new contract, as opposed to the wage demands of the miners.

#### APPEAL TO HARDING

Washington, March 22.—Fearing the effect of a general coal strike upon agriculture, by the crippling of transportation facilities, leaders of the House Agricultural bloc plan to appeal to President Harding to call at once a joint conference of miners and operators at the White House in an attempt to avert the strike called for April first.

#### UNIONISTS ABANDON HOPE

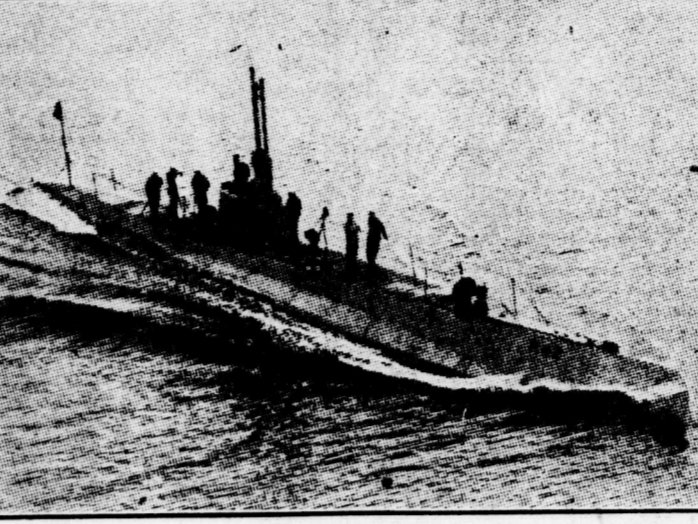
INDIANAPOLIS, March 22.—No hope was held out in union circles here today that the coal strike set for April first might be averted by government officials, who have not entirely abandoned their efforts to get a settlement, particularly in the soft coal fields, in advance of the day set for nation-wide suspension of work.

Even an unexpected division on the part of the operators of the central competitive field to meet the miners was said to be doubtful of stopping the strike which, it was pointed out, less a new wage contract had been made by union officials and approved by a referendum vote of the miners. With only ten days intervening until April first, the time was said to be too short for carrying out the union's program for reaching a settlement.

#### RAILROADERS ENTER ALLIANCE

ST. LOUIS, Mo., March 22.—More than 730,000 union railroad employees already have entered the alliance of railroad and mine workers, E. J. Turn to Page 13, Column 3.

#### Sinks In Mediterranean In Collision



SUBMARINE H-42.

LONDON, March 23.—The British submarine H-42 has been lost with all hands in the Mediterranean, says an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Gibraltar today. She collided with a destroyer during manoeuvres.

The British submarines of the H class were all built under the war emergency program, most of them in the years 1918-1919. They are of the single hull "Holland" type modified by the admiralty, 164½ to 171 feet long and 15½ feet beam.

They displace from 440 to 500 tons and are equipped with two sets of Diesel engines, giving a speed of 13 knots on the surface, and carrying four torpedo tubes.

Their ordinary complement is 22 men.

#### LABOR PARTY TO HEAR ALDERMEN

Will Invite Ashton and Watkinson To Explain Stand On Annex Vote.

#### TO MEET ON SUNDAY NEXT

Laborites Opposed to Policy Followed by Conferees in Council.

In an effort to throw further light upon the "annexed school tax issue," now only second in importance to Mayor Wilson's 10 per cent salary reduction, members of the executive board of the London Labor Party will meet in special session Sunday afternoon next.

Invitations to attend will be sent. It is explained, to Aldermen John Ashton and Fred Watkinson, two of labor's three representatives in the city council.

Since the regular meeting of the party Friday last not a little disturbance has been visible among the rank and file of the labor men. Ald. Watkinson was vigorously attacked at Friday's meeting because, it was said, he had seemingly drifted from his labor conferees.

Since Ald. John Ashton failed to support Ald. Ashplant at the city council Monday, when the latter introduced his motion to collect additional taxes from factories in the annexed districts, another storm of protest emanated from the Labor Temple.

While Ald. Ashton takes the attitude that any promises made to the people in the annexed districts in 1911 should be rigidly adhered to, members of the party appear reluctant to accept this policy at its destination. It has been decided, however, that both aldermen be allowed an opportunity to defend their position again.

#### PASSENGERS AND PLANE MISSING

Miami, Fla., March 23.—The flying boat Miss Miami, which left here at noon yesterday for Miami, was reported today not to have arrived at its destination. The craft, carried, besides its pilot, Robert Moore, five passengers, Mr. and Mrs. August Baite and Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence E. Smith of Kansas City, and a Mrs. Dixon of Memphis, Tenn.

#### J. B. McKILLOP, CROWN COUNSEL IN LONDON, DIES

Loses Heroic Battle For Life When Pneumonia Follows Paralysis.

#### LONDON DEPLORES LOSS

Officials and Public Point to Him as "Four Square" Man.

Crown Attorney James B. McKillop, K.C., one of the outstanding members of the Middlesex Bar, died at his residence, No. 8 Hayman Court at 4 o'clock Thursday morning.

His death had not been unexpected, as he had been waging a long fight for life for several days. Early last week he was stricken with paralysis and contracted pneumonia on Monday. Then he lapsed into unconsciousness, and only then did he cease the battle with death.

Mr. McKillop was first taken ill about three weeks ago. His condition at that time was serious, but he recovered sufficiently to resume his practice.

Although at that time his physician advised a long period of convalescence Mr. McKillop insisted that he was able to return to an active life. He was never content to rest, but aimed at accomplishing something each day whether it was on his own behalf or in the interests of others.

His fairness in court practice was one thing that won for him a place in the hearts of the court officials and attendants. He never asked for a decision in a case until he had personally investigated it and learned the circumstances. He was at all times willing to give the prisoner the benefit of any doubt that might arise.

His work as crown prosecutor was exemplary, and gave London and Middlesex courts unrivalled prestige throughout Canada.

Mr. McKillop was a four-square man, both in business and social circles. Fellow-members of the profession and the public in general held him in great esteem.

His word was as good as his bond, and in all his dealings kindness was his first thought.

#### Held 33rd Degree

Mr. McKillop was prominent in fraternal circles of London, being an indefatigable devotee to Masonry. In this regard he held the coveted 33rd degree, which is the highest rank obtainable in the Royal Arcanum.

In addition he was an officer in the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite, and an active member of London Chapter of the Rose Croix.

During the past decade Mr. McKillop attended every reunion of Scottish Rites in the Valley of London, and assisted in conferring degrees upon candidates. In fact many of his Masonic brothers recall him at attendance at the Scottish Rite reunion held in the Masonic Temple last February, when he was congratulated on all sides on his recovery from a previous serious illness.

The blue lodge of Masonry was a source of delight and instruction to Mr. McKillop, and at the time of his death he held the office of treasurer of Tuscan Lodge No. 195. He was also a past master of this lodge, and a member of the Royal Arcanum.

Mr. McKillop was ever ready to serve and accomplished much in the interests of the craft.

"He was well-known and held in high esteem in all Masonic circles outside the city, and his advice and counsel were always at the disposal of his brethren," said A. E. Cooper of this city, a fellow Scottish rite, who has been intimately acquainted with Mr. McKillop during the past 40 years, when informed of his death.

#### Bar Deplores Loss

Members of the legal profession in Ontario deplore the death of their outstanding colleague.

Speaking as a barrister who has associated with Mr. McKillop in this province, Mr. J. C. Elliott, K. C., and Richard Ivey appeared for the plaintiff and R. L. Brackin of Chatham, for the defence.

#### Defends Treaty!



MICHAEL COLLINS.

DUBLIN, March 23.—If the Irish Republican army convention is held Sunday it will be "contrary to the orders of the general headquarters" staff, declared Michael Collins today.

The Irish champion of the British treaty said nothing, however, indicating any further steps to try to prevent the meeting, which was recently forbidden by Arthur Griffith, president of the Dail Eireann.

#### FATHER SEEKING CHILDREN GONE

George A. Brewé Fails To Appear When Justice Calls Case.

#### THINKS SON WITH PARENT

E. T. Essery, Counsel For Mother, Believes Pair Will Soon Return.

George Albert Brewé, of London, asking for the custody of his children, Cora and John, at the spring assizes, failed to appear when the case was called by Chief Justice R. M. Meredith at the court house on Thursday morning.

It was believed that Mr. Brewé had decided not to wait for the action to come to trial, but had gone to Simcoe street school Friday morning and induced his son John, 12 years old, to accompany him instead of going back to the home of his mother at 322 Hill street.

Thursday night, Mrs. Brewé stated, that John had not come home to dinner last Friday, and that a neighbor had received a telephone message from her husband at noon stating that he had taken John to get some new shoes and clothes. He said he would meet his wife at the court house that afternoon with the boy, when he and his wife were to be examined for discovery by E. T. Essery, K.C., and P. H. Bartlett.

"I was quite worried about the matter," said Mrs. Brewé, "but I thought that my husband and John would put in an appearance. However, they did not come and I am hoping against hope that they will be in court tomorrow."

"My little girl Cora has been home sick and was not at school last Friday."

"My husband came last Wednesday afternoon to the house and went round to the back and got John's bicycle out of the shed. I did not say anything about it," as he had given the boy the wheel."

E. T. Essery, K. C., counsel for Mrs. Brewé, stated Thursday that his client had received a letter from her husband, postmarked Cincinnati, stating that the boy was with him.

Mr. Brewé in the letter did not say when he would return to London, but Mr. Essery ventured the Turn to Page 2, Column 6.

#### REFUSES TO BE JACK-IN-BOX IN CITY'S AFFAIRS

School Board Trustee Thinks New Civic Body Is Near Its End.

#### DISAGREES WITH VINING

Resents Action of Other Civic Bodies Against Board of Education.

Should the other civic spending bodies persist in their dictatorial attitude toward the board of education, the newly-created civic commission is destined to an early grave.

Such is the belief of Trustee A. E. Silverwood, chairman of No. 3 committee, Collegiate Institute, replying to a volley of criticism hurled at the trustees since they have declined to date to accede to Mayor Wilson's urgent request to reduce all salaries 10 per cent.

"We of the board of education have certain responsibilities," continued Trustee Silverwood, "and I can say right here that we do not intend to be a 'jack-in-the-box' ready to jump whenever somebody on the city council passes the word. Regarding salaries, these other bodies have not the right to dictate to us. We have the control of our situation until such time as we see fit to change."

Touching on the suggestion by Jared Vining, chairman of the public utilities commission, that "some boards take the bull by the horns and tell the provincial department of education that they are going to run their own affairs as they see fit," the head of the Collegiate Institute committee declared: "I do not know whether Commissioner Vining is speaking without knowing the real setting of conditions or not. It may be that he has studied the local educational problem as intimately as he has conditions in his own department."

"It does seem unfair to me, nevertheless, for a commission called with a view toward co-operation, to launch all its energy upon the board of education. If that is to be the attitude throughout I am afraid this new civic commission is not going to get far."

"I earnestly believe that the members of the board of education, past and present, have given the public affairs just as careful thought as Commissioner Vining or others on other civic boards. I still think that all the brains are not confined to the city council or the public utilities commission."

"We have been quite willing to co-operate. We gave evidence of that when we almost eliminated our 1922 building program. But if they are going to 'take us by the throat,' I for one say it is all off."

Questioned as to the suggestion that he resign and run for mayor against Dr. Wilson, should the latter deem it expedient to go to the people, Mr. Silverwood replied that he would rather stand aside for Trustee Edwin Smith, chairman of the board.

#### VENICE FLOODED BY TIDAL WAVE

London, March 23.—A Central News dispatch from Venice says that a tidal wave late last night inundated the city, the water rising to a depth of more than three feet in some of the public squares.

Venice, situated as it is virtually at sea level and threaded by canals, is subject to periodic inundation due to unusually high tides and spring freshets. The squares, such as St. Mark's, are under water at such times but the rise seldom exceeds a few inches.

#### Aids "Poor Women" To Win Divorce

LONDON, March 23.—Poor women of England are to be given increased facilities for using the divorce courts by new rules before the supreme court. Heretofore, a wife could not be admitted as a "poor person" in a matrimonial case if the combined income of herself and her husband exceeded \$20 a week, even if they were living apart.

Moreover, the wife could not bring action unless she deposited \$25 with the court. Under the proposed rules a "poor person" may obtain the benefits of the rulings if her own income is less than \$20 a week. If unable to deposit \$25 with the court, it will be possible for her to obtain an order for her husband to pay the amount.

## HOW BOLSHIEVISM FOSTERED PRESENT UNREST IN INDIA

Special to London Advertiser. LONDON, March 23.—The disturbances in India, which now have culminated in the sentencing of Gandhi to a six-year jail term, are manifestations of Bolshevism which have been smoldering steadily since the British first entered India in 1757.

Past disturbances have usually been localized in limited sections of India or participated in by limited groups of the population while the rest of the Hindustan peninsula remained quiet.

India's vast population—between 300,000,000 and 400,000,000—is split into a half dozen different racial groups and a score of widely varying religions.

SEPOY MUTINY. The only widespread revolution in recent times in which the majority of Indians took part and which really threatened the just rule of the British government in India was the Sepoy mutiny.

greased with pork fat, to Mohammedan troops. It is unlawful for a Mohammedan to taste pork.

The Sepoy mutiny was quelled in June, 1858.

These things have kept India in a continual turmoil. Many strikes took place in 1921—notably that of textile workers at Bombay and that of tram employees in Calcutta.

Armed uprisings and riots also have been frequent. The most important was the Moplah uprising in North India late in 1921. This resulted in six districts being placed under martial law.

Since the war the British government has made strong efforts to pacify the peninsula.

The Earl of Reading, former lord chief justice in England, was sent to India as viceroy. One of his first actions was to confer with Gandhi, nationalist leader.

But since the close of the war, several factors have been at work to cause dissatisfaction among the native population of all races and religions.

Chief among these are:

ONE: Economic distress which India shares with the rest of the world.

TWO: Allied occupation of Constantinople. This has intensified Mohammedan hatred of Great Britain, as Constantinople is considered a holy place.

THREE: Succession of a new amir in Afghanistan, with anti-British and pro-German tendencies.

FOUR: The non-co-operationist and passive resistance movement of Mohandas Karamchand Gandhi.

FIVE: Alleged spreading of bolshevist propaganda.

**CUT WESTERN TO \$200,000 GRANT**  
Premier Drury Can Promise No More On Building Request.  
HOPED FOR \$300,000  
Toronto University. It Is Rumored, Must Pare Estimates Also.

Special to London Advertiser.  
Toronto, Ont., March 23.—Western University of London, will not receive more than \$200,000 from the provincial government to assist it in its building program, according to information obtained from a reliable source today.  
This college had hoped to obtain \$300,000 which, with \$250,000 collected in London and Middlesex would have enabled it to proceed with its new arts and science building. But it is said that the minister of education, during the course of an interview held with Western Ontario members, stated that \$200,000 was the maximum which he could promise.  
This, of course, was to be in addition to the annual maintenance grant of \$200,000.  
Rumor around Queen's Park has it that the estimates at the University of Toronto will be similarly pared down.

**CHILD AID SECRETARY TO HAVE ADVISORY BOARD**

Constitution and Bylaws of Society Revised at Adjourned Meeting.  
At the adjourned annual meeting of the Children's Aid Society, which followed the regular monthly meeting of the board of managers, which was held in the Shelter Tuesday afternoon, revisions to the constitution and bylaws were confirmed.  
Under the revised constitution, no executive officer or chairman of a committee (with the exception of the honorary solicitors) shall hold the same office for more than three successive years.  
The objects of the society were enlarged to include the establishment of a permanent and personal service corps, so that individual attention may be given to children by interested men and women.  
An advisory committee was added to the standing committees. The duties of this committee shall be to advise the inspector on difficult problems arising in connection with the operation of the children's protection act.  
The report on revisions to the constitution and bylaws was presented by Mr. D. H. McDermid, and after discussion of each article the report was adopted on motion of Mr. McDermid, seconded by Mr. T. D. McCullough.  
No previous alterations had been made to the constitution since this organization of the society.  
In his report, the inspector cited a number of cases in which neglected children had been removed from evil surroundings. Eight had been made wards of the society. Thirty-six children received care in the Shelter and thirteen were placed out, leaving twenty-three children in the Shelter at the end of the month.  
The report of Mrs. K. E. Hardie, the convener of the Shelter committee, and the matron's report, showed that good conditions were prevailing at the Shelter, a number of improvements having been made during the month. Twenty-two children were given clinical examination and treatment during the month.  
The report of the foster home committee, of which Mrs. F. E. Leonard is convener, gave the detail of attention given to the cases of many wards of the society and applications approved by the committee.  
Mrs. H. White, Mrs. F. R. Harvie and the secretary, W. E. Kelly, were appointed the society's representatives to the Social Service Council.  
The meeting was well attended and great interest evinced in the work of the society.

**DISTRICT GROCERS INTEND TO UNITE**

Grocers of Western Ontario within a 60-mile radius of London are to meet in this city on April 8 to organize a Western Ontario Retail Grocers' Association.  
The meeting is being called by Gordon Drake, president of the local grocers' association.  
The grocers of the outside towns are anxious to join with the London association, said Ald. Drake. I believe that it will work to the benefit of the grocers, as those in the country will be able to produce much better, and I believe the grocers of London will be able to give to the consumer more cheaply than at present.  
Grocers of about twenty-five towns will be represented.

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**Finds "Wanderlust" Rare Disease 'Mongst City School Teachers**

The wanderlust rarely touches the souls of the feet of London's school teachers, judging from a statement made Wednesday to the new government commission by Chairman Smith, of the board of education.  
He was explaining why so many of London's teachers are drawing the maximum salary, which is reached by ten years' service to the city, if the proper certificates are held.  
At the end of last year, Mr. Smith stated, London schools harbored 22 teachers who had for over twenty years moulded the destiny of London's rising generation; 29 others had given from 15 to 19 years unbroken service, and 35 others over 10 years service. This meant that 136 teachers in London's public schools were entitled to a salary of \$1,500.  
At another point the chairman said that in 1910 the board had 129 teachers, so taken in conjunction with the later statement, it is to be taken that the board's staff has been marked only by additions to a total of 218 today and by very few desertions.

**Town Topics.**

**A THOUGHT FOR TODAY**

If any man trespass against his neighbor, then hear Thou in heaven, and do, and judge Thy servants, condemning the wicked and justifying the righteous.—1 Kings 8:31, 32.

It is far easier to feel kindly, to act kindly, toward those with whom we are seldom brought into contact, whose tempers and prejudices do not rub against our own, whose interests do not clash with ours, than to keep up an habitual, steady and self-sacrificing love toward those whose weaknesses and faults are always forcing themselves upon us and are irritating our own. A man may pass good muster as a philanthropist who makes but a poor master of his servants, or father to his children.—Frederick D. Maurice.

**TOMORROW'S DOINGS.**

FRIDAY—Regular Kiwanis luncheon at Tecumseh House, 12:15 o'clock.

**FOREST CITY LODGE, No. 249, of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, will hold a social evening Thursday, March 30, in the lodge rooms in the Imperial Bank Chambers.**

**THE REGULAR MEETING of the Ridout Street Epworth League took the form of a birthday party this week. After a short program, in which the following took part, Miss Clara Brighton, Merville Huriburt, Master Harold Barnes and Hilda Proctor, a dainty lunch was served.**

**THE KIL-CLUB, consisting of five Trail Ranger clubs, will have their weekly supper at the "Y" Thursday night. Instead of "gym" classes in the afternoon, the members will attend the lecture by Jack Miner in the Masonic Temple, after which they will proceed to the "Y" and have supper.**

**A VERY SUCCESSFUL** euchre drive was held in the G. W. V. A. club rooms Wednesday evening, March 22, when the members of the association entertained their friends. Both men's and ladies' prizes were given. The proceeds of the drive will be used to aid the families of the unemployed in the city.

**WILLIAM McDOUGALL** was charged in police court Thursday with using an outburst for slaughtering purposes. The charge was not proven and he was dismissed. Magistrate Graydon warned him that he must, however, clean up his premises, or there would be another charge laid against him.

**C. G. MacNEIL**, Dominion secretary-treasurer of the G. W. V. A., will visit London Monday, March 27, in the afternoon he will meet the members of the local command, and important business will be discussed. In the evening he will give an address in the G. W. V. A. Hall, and all the members of returned soldiers' societies in this city are being invited to attend.

**THE LONDON BRANCH of the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association expects to hold the most interesting meetings of the year next Tuesday afternoon and evening at the department of agriculture office here, when the members will be addressed by A. H. McLennan, B. S. A., vegetable specialist of Ontario. Harper Second of St. Catharines, another well-known authority on vegetables, will also speak.**

**BRITISH MAILS**

The next mail for Great Britain and Europe will close at the local postoffice at 10 p.m. Thursday, March 23, 1922, to be forwarded via S.S. Lone Star State, sailing from New York on March 25, 1922. This mail will consist of letters and registered matter only.

**WOULD RAISE AGE LIMIT IN COURT**

Montreal, March 23.—A recommendation has been made to the federal government for legislation to raise the ages of boys and girls dealt with by the juvenile court of Montreal from 16 to 18 years. Advisory committees, both Protestant and Catholic, who assist Judge Choquet in his work are convinced of the advisability of not sending boys and girls under 18 years before the criminal courts.

**ARRANGE 'BOYS' WEEK' IN LONDON**

Local Organizations Are Collaborating To Make Success of Event.

**IS AN INNOVATION**

Idea Is To Create More Interest in Youths and Develop Manhood.

Although London has, in the past, produced many outstanding successes the proposal on foot to devote a whole week in the life of the city to "Our Boys," is perhaps the largest undertaking of its kind yet attempted.

The objects, briefly, are to teach citizens how to bring to light the qualities of true manhood in the boy, which are ever present, and require only encouragement of the right kind to bring out.

To interest everyone in boys and the boys in themselves.

To reach the outside boy not covered by the various boys' clubs, etc.

It is intended to show them vocational guidance and to develop athletics and boy talent.

The following organizations are collaborating in an effort to make a success of "Boys' Week": Rotary, Advertising, Kiwanis, Lions, Knights of Columbus, I. O. E., Mothers' and Canadian Club.

The Ministerial Alliance is also taking an active part in the proposal.

Although the holding of a "Boys' Week" in any town in Canada is an innovation, a "Boys' Week" was first held in New York in 1920, with overwhelming success. Every day during that week, which started on May Day, was relegated to the boys. The opening day was marked by a parade, never before attempted in any like connection, in which 50,000 picked boys, representative of every conceivable boys' organization in New York, marched sixteen abreast over a route four miles long. There were white, yellow and colored, each and every one with a united object, reminding the father that the boy of today is the man of tomorrow.

This gigantic parade was followed by "Boys' Day in Churches," the main object being to bring the boys and the church together. This preceded "Boys' Day in Schools," "Boys' Day in Athletics," "Boys' Day in Industry," "Boys' Day at Home," "Boys' Day to Entertain," and "Boys' Day Out-of-doors."

Followed by Rules.

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**SEEK PROTECTION FOR BOULEVARDS OF CITY**

Members of Public Bodies Send Petition to Police Commissioner.

The police commission will consider at its next meeting a petition signed by members of the Rotary Club, the Chamber of Commerce, and many other societies, and by property owners, asking the police to protect London boulevards from those who are in the habit of cutting across the grounds. This is being done in an effort to keep London's grassy spots free from paths, and to encourage the efforts to beautify the city streets.

The petition reads as follows:—"To the Police Commissioners, City of London.

"Gentlemen—We, the undersigned property owners, respectfully beg to call your attention to the following: "Bylaw No. 5802, Section 13, and Sub-sections 2 and 3.

"1. No person shall dig up, remove or destroy the sod or grass of, or in any boulevard whether the same be fenced or not, and whether the same be inside or outside of the sidewalk.

"2. No person shall pass through or across the turf or sward of any such boulevard so as to make or wear, or help to make or wear, paths or tracks thereon.

"Many of our citizens are trying to beautify the streets by improving the boulevards, but a great number of people cut across the boulevards, especially at the street corners, and have made many places unsightly. It is most discouraging for people to have thoughtless persons destroy same. We urgently request that you will have the necessary protection given, and the path-makers and boulevard-destroyers prosecuted."

**YOUTH CHARGED WITH INSANITY**

Robert Raine, 20 years old, was brought to the county jail Friday night and charged with insanity. He will be examined immediately by authorities from the Ontario Hospital as to his mental condition.

Raine left the employ of a farmer, east of the city, two days ago and started to walk to Strathroy, where he has relatives. Thursday night he asked for shelter at the home of Tom Foster, a farmer living near the Byron Sanatorium, and during the night became quite violent.

Wednesday morning he became more excited, and military police from the Sanatorium were called and took Raine in charge, but not before the man had put up a stiff fight and broken some furniture in the Foster home.

County Constables R. D. Adair and Archie Graham were notified and brought Raine to the jail, where he appeared before Squire Chittick Thursday night.

You Need Not Have a Cold

If you will take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets when you feel the first symptoms of a cold coming on, you will find it a great relief.

**THINKS SCHEME WILL MEET SNAG**

"With all due respect to the Municipal Associations, I feel sure that the best method of working out a form of commission government is to have the mayors, clerks and engineers of the different municipalities meet and thrash out a scheme." This is the opinion of Ald. H. J. Childs, who pointed to the fact that London cannot get a scheme of commission government, because the Legislature at Toronto will not approve of various kinds of municipal government.

Mr. Childs thinks that if a scheme for commission government was worked out along the lines he suggests, the Legislature would not be slow to put its stamp of approval of it.

**JUDGE LECTURES, USING WIRELESS**

Thousands Hear Judge Keiden of Detroit On "Crime and the Court Problem."

**PITTSBURG BREAKS IN**

Listeners-In Hear Paul Whiteman and Famous Orchestra Following Detroit Address.

Judge Harry B. Keiden, Detroit, of the United States Supreme Court, was heard last night by thousands of persons in the United States and Canada who were fortunate enough to possess wireless telephone receiving sets. His subject was "Crime and the Court Problem."

He said that the most serious problem of the courts today had to do with the handling of boys between the ages of 16 and 21. It was a heart-rending thing, he declared, to have to listen to the pleas of mothers and fathers endeavoring to save their sons from a prison cell, never before attempted in any like connection, in which 50,000 picked boys, representative of every conceivable boys' organization in New York, marched sixteen abreast over a route four miles long. There were white, yellow and colored, each and every one with a united object, reminding the father that the boy of today is the man of tomorrow.

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**J. B. M'KILLIP DIES IN LONDON**

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city and learned to know his true character. T. H. Purdon, K.C., upon learning of his death, said: "It is a very great loss, not only to the city, but to Western Ontario. He was a man with the highest ideals in practice. His word could be accepted by any solicitor during the whole course of his practice. Mr. McKillop was honest, careful and painstaking in all his dealings. Among social circles he was very popular. I have known him personally for many years."

When the late crown attorney decided to enter the legal profession he was teaching school near Dutton, Elgin County. He came to London with D. H. Cunningham, and in 1870 entered the office of Warren Rock as a law student. Mr. Rock was at that time one of the best-known criminal lawyers in Western Ontario.

Mr. McKillop remained with Mr. Rock for five years, after which time he was called to the bar. A partnership with Charles Hutchinson, who was the crown attorney of Middlesex County, was then formed. By this means Mr. McKillop obtained valuable experience in the duties of a crown attorney, which served to fit him for the office later entrusted to him for so many years.

Following the death of Mr. Hutchinson, James Magee, K.C., was named crown attorney, with Mr. McKillop acting as his deputy. Later Mr. Magee was elevated to the bench, and it was then that Mr. McKillop was appointed crown attorney for the county, which office he held until death.

He was honored in the fall of 1921, when the attorney-general named him a king's counsel.

Mr. McKillop was an active member of the London Motor Club, and as president of this organization for many years, he assisted it in attaining its present high standard. He was also a director of the Canada Trust Company.

Mr. McKillop was married twice. In addition to his widow, he is survived by one daughter, Mrs. A. T. Bayley, wife of the manager of the Bank of Montreal at Canoe, Nova Scotia.

Before taking up the routine at the spring assizes, Thursday morning at the court house, tributes to the integrity and ability of Mr. McKillop were paid by Chief Justice R. M. Meredith, E. T. Essery, K.C., J. C. Elliott, K.C., and Ed. Floek.

"I have to say that the death of Mr. McKillop has brought to me a deep sorrow," stated the chief justice. "Indeed I have with all of you who knew him, and especially those who were near and dear to him, my deepest sympathy."

"Mr. McKillop was a capable lawyer, honest, fearless, a faithful public servant and a good man."

Funeral services of the late Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop will be conducted from the Masonic Temple Saturday at 2:30 p.m., and will be in charge of the Rev. J. Macdonald, No. 195, of which Mr. McKillop was pastor. Final arrangements of funeral details have not yet been made.

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TWO SHOWS DAILY  
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Admission by Ticket Free.



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Seats will be arranged for about 400 people, and tickets issued for each performance. These may now be had on Second Floor.

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make a pleasing appearance in your bedrooms, as well as add to your personal comfort. Housecleaning will not seem complete if you do not replace some of the thread-bare sheets and slips, and now is the best time to have them ready and make the transformation complete. We feel in a position to recommend the values here, because they are bought on the lowest market in years, with the definite assurance of the mills that prices quoted are below replacement costs.

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| <b>Like a Four-Leaf Clover</b><br>THE SEASON'S BIGGEST HIT.  | <b>UMBRELLAS</b><br>April showers will soon be here. Are you prepared with Umbrellas? An extra Umbrella for the office will save a lot of worry.<br>Children's School Umbrellas, coverings of union taffeta, handles for boys or girls. Price ..... \$1.25 each<br>General purpose Umbrellas, union taffeta covers, strong rib frames, good full size. Handles suitable for men and women. Prices ..... \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50 each<br>Silk and Wool Umbrellas, paragon frames on strong tube rods. Handles trimmed with silk cords and backelite rings on the women's, and sterling silver mounts on the men's. Prices ..... \$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 and \$5.00<br>Presentation Umbrellas—When a birthday comes or when a friend leaves our midst a most appropriate gift or remembrance is an umbrella. We carry a complete stock of suitable umbrellas the year round. Coverings of silk mixed taffeta, neatly cased, wide range of handles in amber and backelite rings, also silk cords on the women's and men's, and opera shapes with sterling mounts on the men's. Engraved free. Prices \$6.00, \$7.00, \$8.00, \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00 each<br>Pocket Umbrellas—Here is an umbrella that fulfills a long felt need, an umbrella that you can slip into your pocket instead of carrying it around on your arm or strapped to your suitcase, when folded only 13 inches long. See it demonstrated at Umbrella Department. |

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New styles and colors for every occasion. The French cut steel in wonderful designs are very pretty indeed; also the jet and metal combined with rings or medallions in almost every shade. Prices ranging from ..... 75c to \$5.50

The Suede and Patent Leather Girdles are very novel in appearance and very smart; worn with the sport coat or sweater, in white, white and black, red and black, also brown, tan, or black. Prices ..... \$1.50 to \$2.50

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Planked Steak for one. Bread and Butter, Pie and Pot of Tea, 80c.

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**SIGN PETITION TO HALT SPRINGBANK DAM PLANS**

West London Residents Fear "Snap Action" At City Hall.

Residents of West London are preparing a petition to send to the private bills committee of the legislature asking that the city's request for special legislation allowing the building of Springbank dam be thrown out.

"Though Mayor Wilson has stated that there is to be nothing placed in the estimates for the building of the dam this year, and that the dam will hardly be built, the West London people are skeptical.

The fact that the city is pressing its application for permission to build the dam, though it is not intended to go ahead with it this year, has put them on their guard. One resident stated he would not let the dam be built, and in five minutes would be ready to sign it.

"In the meantime, it is understood, a conference between some leading West London people and other citizens has been held with a view to formulating court action if any attempt is made to build the dam.

**FATHER SEEKING CHILDREN GONE**

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opinion that he would return to the city within the next three months, bringing the boy with him.

A post card, alleged to have been written by the boy, was also received by Mrs. Brew.

"Just because the letter was postmarked Cincinnati, does not mean that Brew and his son are there," remarked Mr. Essery. "However, I believe that they are in the United States and I also believe that they will return to the city. Brew won't stay away from the city forever. London is a pretty little city and there are many attractions here.

Combination of cement and cast-iron blocks has been used in some recent road building in France.

Milk of the Asiatic buffalo contains three and a half times as much butter fat as that of the cow.

**STOMACH TROUBLE**

In five minutes "Pape's Diapepsin" ends Indigestion Gases Acidity Sourness Flatulence Palpitation

Take "Pape's Diapepsin" now: in five minutes your stomach feels fine. Don't bother what upset your stomach, or which portion of the food did the damage. If your stomach is sour, gassy and upset, and what you just ate has fermented into stubborn lumps; head dizzy and aches; you belch gases and acids and eructate undigested food—just take a little Pape's Diapepsin, and in five minutes you wonder what became of the indigestion and distress. Millions of men and women today know that it is needless to have a bad stomach. A little Diapepsin occasionally keeps this delicate organ regulated, and they eat their favorite foods without fear. If your stomach doesn't take care of your liberal limit without rebellion; if your food is a damage instead of a help, remember the quick, surest, most harmless antacid, Pape's Diapepsin, which costs only a few cents for a large case at drug stores.

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Order your Spring and Easter suits now.

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## MUST DEVELOP LIFE OF CHILD

Rev. Bryce Reviews Legisla-  
tion Bearing On Bringing  
Up of Children.

ONTARIO SHOULD LEAD

Praises Work of Local Offi-  
cials at Froebel Society's  
Banquet.

"I covet for the Province of Ontario the very best we can give our children. I covet for Ontario the attitude which will allow any other province or country to get ahead of us in a sense of the value of our children and provision for them. I covet such conditions that we may have in this province the sweetest laughter in all the world, the laughter of little children."

The foregoing was the last word on Wednesday evening of the address on "The Child," delivered by Rev. Peter Bryce, chairman of the Mothers' Alliance, and director of child welfare of the Social Service Council of Ontario, at the annual banquet of the London Froebel Society, held in the Tecumseh Hotel.

During his address, the speaker dealt graphically with the progress in the last ten years in social service in the province, and the measures and methods which have had their birth in that time for the purpose of promoting child welfare.

"The scope of child welfare can hardly be defined," he stated. "It includes all activities for children, all influences that mold the lives of children."

First in the list of legislation having a direct bearing upon the lives of children, Mr. Bryce mentioned the workmen's compensation act, the speaker said, which was introduced in 1910, and which has since been amended.

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## London Brotherhoods Seek to Allay Russian Horrors



IN the interests of the starving children of Russia, the London Brotherhoods Federation is calling a mass meeting at St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, at 8 o'clock Thursday night.

The appeal is being issued this week, which is set aside as Russian Famine Week, for donations to the Save the Children Fund.

Two reels of Col. Hubert Mackie's pictures, taken in the famine area, will be shown in addition to other slides.

It was hoped that Col. Mackie would be able to address the meeting, but as he is speaking in Winnipeg Thursday night, this will be impossible.

However, at the suggestion of Col. Mackie, Canon Gould, M.D., of the Church of England Missionary Society, was secured. For years Mr. Gould was a missionary in the far east, and with the exception of Col. Mackie, can explain the slides better than anyone else.

The responsibility of calling the meeting was turned over to the Brotherhoods by the Ministerial Alliance.

All money donated to the fund will be used directly in helping the Russian children, none of it being allowed for expenses.

Other welfare measures and agencies discussed were the adolescent school attendance act, auxiliary classes, well baby and pre-natal clinics, school nurses and dentists, the juvenile court, mothers' allowances, supervised pupils, old-time orphanages, libraries, etc.

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## STARVING RUSSIAN CHILDREN

lowed to go to the support of the Red Armies. The money will be spent abroad in Canada and the food shipped to Russia. The Salvation Army is working in co-operation with the officers of the fund.

One dollar, the officers of the fund state, will feed a child in Russia for one month, and \$10 will feed ten children for that length of time. Five hundred dollars will provide a kitchen and will feed 100 children until harvest time. These kitchens can be named after the donor and assigned to certain areas of the famine lands, if thus desired.

All checks or money orders must be made payable to Sir George Burns, Canadian treasurer, the fund officers say.

Among the officers of the Canadian committee which has its headquarters in the Esplanade Building, Ottawa, are Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King, honorary president; Col. Herbert J. Mackie, president; Hon. W. S. Fielding, honorary treasurer; Sir George Burns, treasurer; and P. H. Morris, secretary.

Premier David Lloyd George and other Empire leaders heartily endorse the cause, asking all peoples to forget any prejudices they may hold, and think of the need for relief of the children.

The British Government recently appropriated \$5,000,000 to be used to provide food in the famine-stricken districts.

Speaking of conditions in Russia, Dr. Fridtjof Nansen, who has made investigations there, stated: "I am telling you what I have seen. When you enter the famine lands of Russia you enter a land of terrible silence. The very birds have shunned this country of hunger. It carries a greater sense of desolation than the Arctic ice fields."

Every time the clock ticks dozens of wasted skeletons that were once men, women and children are toppling over dead.

## DOCTOR CODY WILL OFFICIATE

The secretary of the board of education is in receipt of a communication from the Rev. Archdeacon Cody, Toronto, former minister of education, explaining that he will be in London, Friday, March 31, to officiate at the dedication of the new collegiate institute and the Victoria public school, South London.

As the archdeacon states that he will be compelled to leave for Toronto again at 7 p.m. the same day, the local educational authorities have been obliged to change their plans. Directly the ceremonies are concluded at the Victoria school, the party will proceed to the collegiate.

The evening program at the latter institution will be continued as scheduled despite the departure of the visitor and all ratepayers will be invited to attend the inspection of the premises.

The first onslaught came from the board of education, when one of the trustees asked if it was right that the railway should use the people's money to erect a dance hall at the port when the children of the city were being deprived of proper schools through lack of funds?

The second attack came on Wednesday. The civic commission was listening to a vivid pictorialization of the desolation and destruction of records which marks London's registry office. Emmanuel E. Essery was the word painter. He thought the city should be indicted for maintaining a nuisance.

"Had I been registrar as long as the present incumbent I would have either had damages out of the council or the mayor and some of the aldermen would have been in jail," he declared.

"We have been putting up with it, however, while other cities and other places of that kind have been built 30 or 40 miles away, instead of building decent buildings at home."

Mr. Essery concluded with a warning that an indictment against the city would follow a refusal to remedy conditions.

While Mayor Cameron Wilson has called a joint meeting of the various members of the civic commission for Friday to consider principally the educational estimates, Chairman Smith remains adamant in his declaration that it is impossible to get the teachers' salaries. "We have an agreement with them dating back to May 25, 1920," he explained.

Otherwise, Trustee Smith was somewhat optimistic concerning the impending gathering, and credited Mayor Wilson with apparent sincerity in his endeavor to lower the tax rate.

HON. WILLIAM LYON MACKENZIE KING, premier of Canada, passed through London at 12:20 p.m. Thursday, transferring the body of his brother, the late Dr. King of Denver, Colorado, to his former home for burial.

## LONDON ASSURED BIG WATER SUPPLY

Manager Buchanan of Utilities Commission Says Diggers' Results Satisfactory.

Indications are that London is assured of a supply of pure water for years to come. Employees of the Ohio Well Digging Company, who have been engaged in this district since last summer in an extensive probe for an underground river, in this district, have been in consultation with the public utilities officials for the past day or so, and are preparing a full report of their activities to be presented to the public utilities commissioners at their next meeting.

While the city officials and the American experts are bound by their agreement not to make public the precise location of favorable wells, it is admitted that the sinking of two wells will be undertaken, one with as little delay as possible. In the meanwhile the drillers will also make further tests for possible sources of water supply.

Tests have been made, mostly in the vicinity of the river, in every section of the city and between the city and Springbank. Manager Buchanan, of the utilities commission, declared Thursday that "results had easily measured up to expectations."

He appears well pleased with the reports of the well diggers, and stresses the importance of an abundance of water being available in the city, thereby obviating the necessity of pumping water from either of the lakes at an enormous expense.

## VESSEL OBLIGED TO LET GO CARGO

Cherbourg, France, March 23.—The United States Shipping Board freight steamer West Caruth, aided by a pilot tug from Cherbourg, reached port here early this afternoon after having been in distress since last night off the northwest coast of France.

The vessel had to sacrifice part of her cargo of bamboo, which she was bringing from Dakar, French West Africa.

The West Caruth was reported to be sinking this morning seventeen miles east of Cherbourg, said a wireless appeal for help, picked up by the M. S. L. wireless stations at 6:12 o'clock. The message stated that the vessel was in a hopeless condition.

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## JOINT MEETING UPSETS PLANS

New City Commission Must Await Outcome of Friday Parley.

TO EXCLUDE PRESS

Friday Conference Is For Heart-to-Heart Talk, Say Sponsors.

The city's new commission will tackle the estimates again Thursday evening. It was the avowed intention of some of the commission members that when the sessions got under way, it would stay at the task until a tax rate basis had been reached.

However, this plan has been wrecked by the arrangement of a conference between the board of education and the finance committee of the council for Friday. Plans for the conference were arranged by Mayor Wilson and Chairman Smith on Thursday morning, and the mayor expressed a desire that the press shall not attend.

He said it was proposed to have a heart-to-heart talk on the whole situation. There were some of the members who thought that more heads would be made and a franker discussion result, if the press was not present.

Thursday's meeting of the commission will then be unable to make much progress. It can only go into the board of health and hospital estimates as all the others, except, of course, the board of education, are satisfactory.

The tax rate as it stands today is 36 1/2 mills, having been pulled down one-quarter of a mill by cutting about \$14,000 off the park's estimates. On the 1921 assessment, the expenditure on 36 1/2 mills would be about 44 mills, while the 1921 expenditure on the present assessment would mean 22 1/2 mills. The latter mill rate is the goal which must be reached to fulfill Mayor Wilson's demand for an expenditure not higher than 1921.

## CITY FISH MARKET TO REMAIN OPEN

The city fish market will not be closed, according to Chairman H. J. Childs, of the finance committee.

On Wednesday Ald. Childs, with Ald. Ashton, paid a visit to the market and examined the fish stall.

"If it were my own business I might make a few improvements," said Mr. Childs, "but on the whole it seemed to be satisfactory. I questioned a couple of customers who were patronizing the stall at the time and they stated that the quality of the fish was excellent and the prices were reasonable."

There has been an agitation to have the city stall closed, but the declaration of Ald. Childs shoves the question.

## LITTLE SYMPHONY TO PLAY IN CITY

On Monday last, when the plan opened in Brantford for the concert of "The Little Symphony" of New York, the house was "sold" in two hours.

"The Little Symphony" will be heard in London next Wednesday evening at the Patricia Theatre, and a capacity audience is expected.

## REFERS TO WILSON MOVE AS GRANDSTAND PLAY

Ald. Douglass Opposes Any "Blanket Cut" of Civic Employees' Pay.

"All camouflage," said Ald. L. Douglass in discussing the proposal for a salary reduction of all civic departments.

Ald. Douglass seriously questions the sincerity of Mayor Wilson's proposal for the following declaration that the move was "all camouflage" by the statement that "it is nothing more than grandstand play." Especially was this true of the alleged threat that the mayor would resign.

Dr. Douglass has a real doubt as to the meaning of the mayor's declaration. He wondered if the mayor was going to take the ten per cent off what the employees drew last year, or whether he was going to first deduct the bonus and then take the ten per cent off.

He instances the case of an employee who drew \$5,000 and \$500 bonus. If the mayor just intends to deduct the 10 per cent, it would be nothing more than leaving the salary where it has always been, since it would merely cut the bonus, the councillor remarked.

"I am absolutely opposed to any cut of the employees. Let them lay the salary list on the table and let the whole thing be gone over carefully, and I believe that it will be found that we can save considerable by eliminating the dead timber as by any other method. There are many employees whose salary cannot be cut," said the alderman.

## Claims School Board Work Under Water-Tight Methods

"The school board works under water-tight compartments, and I am not on the Technical School committee, and so know nothing about it. Reports are presented, but cannot be criticized, as one has not a necessary knowledge to do so."

The above statement made by Bryden Campbell of the board of education to the new city commission on Wednesday, is taken by city officials to mean that minority rule, which The Advertiser stated in an article on Wednesday, applied to city hall bodies, also applies to the board of education.

"From what Mr. Campbell said it would seem that the minority rule charge applies with even greater force to the board of education," said one official. "On the council, with but two committees, a majority of the council is in a position to have a knowledge of the details of all matters. The board is split into a greater number of committees, and therefore there is not a majority of the members of the board on any one committee."

"This charge is true of the Technical School committee, which contains, besides a minority of the board, a number of other citizens who act in an advisory capacity," he added.

## NEED TO COMBINE IN CITY PLANNING

Thomas Adams Explains Important Projects Carried Out in American Cities.

CLUBROOMS REQUIRED

Local Branch of Engineering Institute Will Make Drive for Members.

Various phases of city planning were touched upon by Thomas Adams of Ottawa at the meeting of the London branch of the Engineering Institute in the Chamber of Commerce Wednesday evening. Mr. Adams referred to the necessity of co-operation between engineer, architect and landscape artist in the laying out of a city, mentioning, for example, the manner in which the problem of a protected water supply is solved in the cities of New York and Boston, where immense parks prevent any encroachment upon river banks, and also provide splendid highways for motor transportation.

Mr. Adams, who is in address a convention of engineers at Canfield next June on the subject of town-planning development on this side of the water, opened up interesting vistas on the gigantic problems which are to be solved in connection with town planning in England and the United States.

During the business meeting which preceded Mr. Adams' address, the question of endeavoring to gain a larger active membership for the local branch of the Engineering Institute was considered, and E. V. Buchanan, appointed chairman of a committee to make efforts toward this end. It was decided that invitations be sent engineers who are not already members with a view to getting them interested in the work.

Two new members were appointed to the committee of the association in the persons of E. V. Buchanan and R. L. Olmstead.

Members expressed regret at the resignation of Geo. C. Wright, who filled the office of secretary-treasurer. E. J. Bridges was unanimously elected to the vacancy.

R. L. Olmstead was appointed chairman of an advertising committee to secure advertising matter for the Engineer's Journal. Mr. Olmstead selected the following for his committee: D. Soper and Col. Leonard of London; W. C. Miller, St. Thomas and J. A. Vance, Woodstock.

The question was brought up of the joint use of club rooms by the Engineers' Association and the London branch of the Ontario Association of Architects. E. V. Buchanan was appointed a committee to confer with the Architects' Association. A resolution was passed asking that a letter be sent the Ottawa branch of the Engineering Institute, returning thanks for a present made the local branch of two fine pictures, which were to be hung in the club rooms.

## MANUFACTURER TO OPEN NEW PLANT IN LONDON

Will Produce Furnaces — London Bridge Company Also Renting Local Premises.

The Chamber of Commerce announces the establishment of a new factory in the city for the manufacture of electric furnaces.

R. H. Cunningham & Company, industrial furnace engineers of Walkerville, Ontario, have decided to manufacture their Klee-Heel furnaces in this city and have secured temporary premises at 351 Gleebe street.

As there is a large demand for the type of furnace manufactured by Cunningham & Company, their output for some time is already disposed of and will provide work for many men.

Mr. Roy Cunningham is moving from the Border Cities to take charge of this plant and will bring his family here.

Arrangements are well advanced also for the establishment of the London Bridge Company in this city, premises are being rented temporarily and no time will be lost in getting ready for the work of fabricating steel. This plant will form a valuable addition to London's metal working industries, and may be an important factor in the securing of other metal working plants for this center.

## GIRLS TAKE PART IN TWO PAGEANTS

Prove Symbolical of Highest Objective of Local Friendly Societies.

## SHOW MISSION IDEALS

Members of Guides of St. Paul's and St. John the Evangelist Rendered Solos.

Picturesque, yet with a depth of meaning underlying all their charm, the two pageants, presented Wednesday evening, in Cronyn Hall, by the Girls' Friendly Societies of St. Paul's Cathedral and the church of St. John the Evangelist, were symbolical of the highest aims of the societies.

"The Shining Banner," presented by the girls of St. Paul's Cathedral, was typical of the broad policy of the society, which seeks to embrace girls of every walk in life, making them as one in an ideal life of faith and service. The various roles were taken by the following girls: Edith Yeates, as Christian Faith, in golden robes and with a cross in her hand; Elsie Atkinson, as the Girls' Friendly Society, in blue and silver draperies; Ila Chelwell, flag-bearer, and wearing the red, white and silver robes of The Motherland; Peggy Ellis, as Holy Motherhood; Peggy Lyne-Evans, in riding togs, as Adventure; Florence Bremner, as Purity, and also as V.A.D. in uniform; Thora Webb, in robes of grey and silver; Vera Mahler, as Love; Queenie Nigh, as Friendship; Olive Wright, as Bulliness, and Hilda Elliot, Dorothy Billington, Bertha Bryant, May Cook and Ethel Yeates in the roles of business and factory girls.

Prefacing "The Shining Banner," the girls of the church of St. John the Evangelist presented "A Friendly Vision," which gave in a smart fashion the ideals of mission service, which are before the society. In "The Friendly Vision," Kathleen Beard played the Pilgrim; Doris Johnston, nurse; Edith Gibberd, Lovely Girl, and Barbara Gibberd, the G.F.S. candidate; Helen Johnston, the Missionary, and seven smaller girls the seven missions fields of the church.

Rita Wilmut introduced the play with a short prelude, and during intermissions songs were given by the girl guides of both churches. Introducing the latter play, Helen Dickinson rendered the "Candidate's Song."

In conclusion Rev. A. L. G. Clarke of St. John's church, gave a short address on the work of the Girls' Friendly Societies.

## NOTED LECTURER TO VISIT LONDON

Victor M. Hahibaksh, B.A., Oxon, associate national secretary of the Y. M. C. A. in India, and renowned "Chautauqua" lecturer, will speak to the Y. M. C. A. members at their supper on Monday, March 27. Mr. Hahibaksh will arrive in the city on Friday, March 24. He will go directly to St. Thomas and return on Saturday evening.

His London engagements are: Sunday, March 26—11 a.m., St. Paul's Cathedral; 7 p.m., First Presbyterian Church.

Monday, March 27—12:30 p.m., Rotary Club; 6:30 p.m., Y. M. C. A. members' supper.

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## HUMANE SOCIETY FUND GROWS

Deep appreciation is felt by the London Humane Society for the following contributions received in the campaign for funds to provide a car in order that the humane work of the society may be carried on more effectively: Mrs. Corbin, \$10; Mr. Clark, \$25; Mr. Glass, \$1; Mrs. Gove, \$5; "Daunt Deever," \$5; Mrs. E. N. King, \$50; Mrs. Davidson, \$5; In Memoriam, \$75; "Mac" Perrin, \$25; Mrs. Charles, \$1; "Kim" McEneaney, \$10; Mrs. Bullen, \$5; Miss Hopkins, \$1; W. E. Robinson, \$25, and L. H. and M. A. Martyn, \$25.

## Women Buyers

Much advertising is directed to women, for statistics show that a large percentage of the goods bought each year are purchased by women, and advertising and merchandising men fully appreciate this fact—they appeal direct to the purchasers.

And most women are careful buyers. They compare prices and qualities, taking their time to decide. Most economical housewives, too, make a practice of studying the Want Ads and secure many attractive bargains in this way.

Attractively worded ads in the classified columns are sure to reach these prudent women. Direct your appeal to the women-folk, and you will find that the money you invest in classified advertising is money well spent. Telephone 3670.

## CRITICIZE PART TIME COURSES

Members of Board of Education Claim Plan Will Work Hardship.

MEANS GREATER EXPENSE

Children Between 14 and 16 Must Attend School 400 Hours a Year.

"What does the government intend doing to assist, and where are we going to get the necessary money?" This question from Trustee Mrs. John L. A. Hunt, and similar queries from other members of the board of education, in special session Wednesday afternoon, claimed the attention of Major Cowell, provincial attendance officer, who had addressed the trustees at considerable length upon the requirements of the adolescence attendance act.

During his remarks, Major Cowell stressed the point that the provincial authorities demand that, commencing Sept. 1 next, all children between the ages of 14 and 16 years, who have not then secured a matriculation standard or its recognized equivalent, must, although they may be granted working or home permits, attend school at least 400 hours a year.

H. B. Beal, principal of the London Technical and Art School, inquired as to the manner in which it was desired by the Toronto authorities that the pupils attend these classes.

Major Cowell pointed out that "Clause 9 of the adolescence act," which becomes effective in September, insists that urban centers of 5,000 or more population, shall provide part time courses of instruction. Therefore, he explained it shall be the duty of the trustees to provide the same in London. While the department will make suggestions it will not, he added, define the precise nature of the various courses.

Principal Beal was inclined to believe that the new requirements would create a hardship for the pupils who would be compelled to seek part time employment in order to be at school in the daytime, as the government refuses to accept evening class instruction as adequate.

The principal was of the opinion that most employers would be extremely reluctant to employ adolescents who would be enabled to work only at irregular periods.

In this stand he was upheld by Trustee Bryden Campbell, who was of the emphatic opinion that such enactment "would be nothing less than a hardship." He inquired further what the probable cost of these classes would be to the city.

Estimated Costs.

The provincial officer was unable, he replied, to state definitely without details of the local situation, but estimated three additional pupils for each community with a population of 10,000. Trustee Smith, chairman of the board, remarked that this item alone would be approximately \$7,000.

Trustee Campbell was anxious to know just what course was open for the board to pursue should any parent find it a financial impossibility to keep children at school, even during the summer months, especially in view of the possible development, as suggested by Principal Beal, that employers would refuse to hire children for irregular periods during the day.

"I want to say," asserted Trustee Campbell, "that the public will not blame the local board for this additional expense."

The Toronto inspector was of the opinion, however, that the ratepayers now recognized that money expended for education was an investment and not spent in charity.

Trustee Mrs. Hunt retorted to the effect that Major Cowell did not reside in London.

Supporting his contention the latter referred to Russia as an example of scant educational facilities.

Blames Department.

"Hardly a fair comparison," interjected Trustee Campbell. "In any event we in this city have been spending excessively in past

## RECOMMENDS 10 PER CENT CUT IN CITY WAGES

London's New Finance Commission Advises Civic Boards to Make Reduction.

WANT REGISTRY OFFICE

Parks Board Cut Estimates \$14,000, to Almost 1921 Level.

What the commission did: Recommended that all boards cut wages and salaries by at least 10 per cent of the total.

Got the parks board to reduce its estimates to almost the 1921 total.

Promised to consider recommending to the council the building of a new city registry office.

Asked board of education representatives to urge their board to reduce salaries where possible.

Received assurance of utilities board that salary reductions would be made where possible.

Gave considerable attention to the city's extensive program of secondary education.

Decided to meet again Thursday night to tackle estimates.

A drive on educational matters with just enough depression to relieve the monotony, marked the opening session of London's new finance commission on Wednesday afternoon.

Fads and Frills. The center of the whole attack was the technical school, its fads and frills.

ITCHING ECZEMA DRIED RIGHT UP WITH SULPHUR

Any breaking out of the skin, even itchy, itching eczema, can be quickly overcome by applying a little Mentho-Sulphur, says a noted skin specialist.

Because of its germ destroying properties, this sulphur preparation instantly brings ease from skin irritation, soothes and heals the eczema right up and leaves the skin clear and smooth.

It seldom fails to relieve the torment and disfigurement. Sufferers from skin trouble should get a little jar of Mentho-Sulphur from any good druggist and use it like a cold cream—Advt.

Colds Menace Health At the first sign take 2 BIONIN GRIPPE TABLETS

Relief quickly obtained. No need to stay home. No danger of catching fresh cold. The First Dose Gives Relief.

## Clark's Economy Stores

CASH AND CARRY London's Reliable Grocery Stores—Where You Get Goods of Guaranteed Quality.

**SPECIAL THIS WEEK**  
Dates, 2½ lbs. for ..... 25c

Cream of Wheat ..... 4 lbs. for 25c  
Cornmeal ..... 7 lbs. for 25c

**EAGLE BRAND SALMON**  
1-lb. Tins, each ..... 25c  
Per dozen, \$2.90.

Shredded Wheat Biscuits, 2 pkgs. ..... 25c  
Puffed Wheat, pkgs. ..... 15c  
White Swan Pancake Flour, pkgs. ..... 15c

**FOREST CITY BAKING POWDER**  
Special This Week Only.  
Glass Sealers containing 22 ounces of this high-grade Baking Powder, per jar ..... 35c

Pure Lard, per lb. ..... 25c  
3-lb. pails, each ..... 50c  
Clover Honey, 5-lb. pails, each ..... 85c

**FEATHERSTRIP COCOANUT**  
Fine quality Ceylon Cocount in long white threads, per lb. 25c; ½-lb., 16c.

Carnation Milk, large size, per tin ..... 15c  
Cornstarch ..... 2 pkgs. for 19c

**GRAPE FRUIT AND ORANGES**  
Extra fine large Grape Fruit ..... 3 for 25c  
Fine quality Oranges, per dozen ..... 42c

Finnan Haddie, thick fish, per lb. ..... 18c  
Oxo Cubes, per tin ..... 10c and 25c  
Gorton's Custard Powder, Spec. clal this week, 3 pkgs. ..... 25c

**PEARL TAPIOCA**  
Very choice quality ..... 3 lbs. for 25c

Laundry Soaps, Sunlight, P. & G., Gold or Surprise, 9 for 63c  
London Special Laundry Soap, 10 1-lb. bars for ..... 72c

**CLARK'S ECONOMY STORES**  
719 RICHMOND STREET. 574 ADELAIDE STREET.  
754 DUNDAS STREET. 169 ADELAIDE STREET.

## Red Agitators Are Busy in Lumber Camps.

MONTREAL, March 22.—Red agitators have been very active in Canadian lumber camps during the past winter, according to Rev. Thomas J. Jolin, financial secretary of the Shantymen's Christian Association of Canada and the United States, who is at present in Montreal.

Mr. Jolin believes that practically all the labor troubles in the cities of North America are planned and fostered during the winter in the lumber camps, which employ over two million men each year.

His organization, he declared, was doing much to cope with this menace, and the work of missionaries among lumbermen was meeting with great success.

and frills, and this was marked by a declaration that the people's money is being wasted. This charge was more or less agreed to by the two trustees present, Chairman Smith and B. N. Campbell.

As a preliminary the commission heard a delegation of the Bar Association and Chamber of Commerce, who urged the commission to recommend to the council the creation of a new city registry office.

The commission was plainly told that if a new structure was not provided, an indictment would be issued by some members of the Bar Association and the city's hand forced.

The only estimates considered were those of the parks board. These were cut nearly \$14,000 to almost the 1921 total.

School board members and utilities commission members left the meeting to attend meetings of their bodies and promised to do their utmost to have the wage reduction proposal carried out.

Mr. Vining committed his body to action in this regard, but was unable to say to what extent.

All Required Teachers. Chairman Smith of the board of education, was responsible for focusing early attention on the school board. He evidently wanted to get away quick and when the mayor explained that it was desirable to have all heads cut to the 1921 estimate, Mr. Smith stated that this could hardly be done by his board.

In support of this he pointed out that in September last 11 new rooms were opened and this year there would be 7 more. These all required teachers.

The mayor said that this might be overcome by the wage reduction. Mr. Smith pointed out that in 1910 there were 7,667 school pupils and 120 teachers, and this year 10,132 pupils and 218 teachers.

Ald. Childs remarked that the teachers had been doubled to accommodate 3,000 more pupils.

Mr. Smith explained that this was due to the department regulations. Entitled To Maximum.

As to salary increases, the chairman of the board explained that teachers serving the city for ten years were entitled to the maximum of \$1,600 and there are 136 of these.

Here Mr. Vining took the opportunity to conduct an attack to the policy in vogue at the technical school.

"There is money being wasted on the technical school. It's a disgrace to the city that such an institution should be maintained at the expense of the citizens to teach women to sew up dresses, make hats and learn motor mechanics, when

they are able to pay for such. Then we are told that there are between 1,400 and 1,600 pupils to the technical school, what one-half of them are women out to learn millinery or motor mechanics.

It's a disgrace. The principle is wrong. These people should pay the full cost and more, yet the cost charged do not come near the cost.

Chairman Smith said that he agreed with what Mr. Vining said has part. He was convinced that the city should carry the education of children up to a certain point and then let them pay the balance out of their own pockets.

Not Altogether Responsible. Mayor Wilson said that one of the wood carving instructors had been in to see him, and stated that not one of his pupils had endeavored to stop the learning to use in making a living.

Mr. Vining opined that all the women went there for was to learn to carve a nice tray that would cost them about one-tenth of what they would pay for it in a store, trim a hat, make a dress and then they would quit.

Trustee Campbell said that the trouble was that the school system was too socialized. He said that this board was not altogether responsible. He had studied matters out in the three months he has been on the board, and he found that many of the new things were foisted on the board by department regulations.

The call today is from people for social rather than from educational purposes.

Enumerated many of the fads, art, household science, music, manual training, school supplies, dentist, art supplies, and now he said we have a gentleman with us from the department, telling us how to conduct a police force under the adolescent act.

Many of these things he said were saddled on the board. They are really not a part of the educational system.

Run Their Own Schools. Mr. Vining expressed his opinion that some board in the province did not take the bull by the horns and tell the department of education that they were going to run their schools as they saw fit. He contended that the cities would be much better without the grants that foist such expenditure on the cities.

Mr. Campbell said that what was needed was a man on the department at Toronto who had some knowledge of costs.

Mr. Vining said that Toronto was not concerned with costs.

Mr. Campbell admitted that he knew little about the Technical School, he was not on that committee.

Later Mayor Wilson remarked on the Buenos Aires capital expenditure of the board, and suggested that a saving might be made by building additions to the present schools in the east end.

Mr. Campbell said the only saving in overhead that would result would be in the principal's salary.

Operate at Reduction. On the question of salary reduction, Mr. Vining said that his board was willing to deal with the matter as favorably as it could to assist in the laudable effort of reducing the tax rate. He said that the water and electric departments would this year operate at a reduction of about 10 per cent below 1921, which in turn was 10 per cent below 1920.

He thought the commission would be able to reduce the salaries of the waterworks department and the electric department did not make much difference. However he called the attention of the commission to the fact that since 1914 the heads of departments had their salaries increased 20 per cent, while their work had doubled.

Mayor Wilson said that while reduction of salaries would not make a cut in the tax rate it would mean a 10 per cent cut in the consumers' charges.

Mr. Vining said that the cut would be mostly in supplies.

Mr. Campbell suggested that the commission avoid suggesting the amount of the salary cut. He pointed out that most of the teachers were on contract, and any cut in this regard would have to come from the teachers.

Mayor Wilson said that Superintendent Heard of the hospital informed him that he had made a cut of \$4,000 in his salary list.

Mayor Wilson read a long table of figures as to the number of school teachers and their salary increases, which he said, averaged 100 per cent, but which in some schools had been increased as much as 300 per cent.

Eliminate New Bandstand. The parks estimates were cut by the elimination of \$7,000 for a new bandstand in Victoria Park, the dropping of \$5,000 for one of the two new roads at Springbank Park and the dropping of another \$1,400 item.

An appropriation for \$5,000 for a new west road at Springbank was left in.

T. W. McFarland told the commission that the parks of London cost 55 cents per capita, the cheapest of any city of any size in Canada, and he gave a number of costs to support his contention. Hamilton was the nearest with 71 cents.

Messrs. J. J. Foote, Manning, McDermaid and Gordon Ingram, representing the chamber of commerce, and Messrs. E. T. Essery, Jarvis and F. Moore, representing the Middlesex Bar Association, appeared before the commission in regard to the new registry office for the city.

Records Being Destroyed. The contention of the various speakers was that the records were being destroyed. The present structure is unfit and insanitary, while the city possessed the best registrar in Mr. Dignan in the province, said one speaker, and "in the Dominion," said Mr. Essery.

It was pointed out that the building has been condemned, and that if the bar association members destroyed the city could be indicted and forced to act. Mr. Vining said that he was satisfied that if the city did not act an indictment would result.

Mr. Essery suggested that if some members of the commission were placed in the registry office for 30 days it would do them good.

Mr. Vining said that it would cost between \$40,000 and \$50,000 for a new structure. The present site might bring \$1,200. He suggested that debentures be issued for 40 or 50 years, and the fees from the office would take care of the sinking fund and interest charges.

The commission will consider the matter at a later date.

## GIVES AWARD TO TRUCK COMPANY

Chief Justice Meredith Finds Milwaukee Concern Entitled to Possession of Motor.

WAS SOLD TO COUNTY

Former Agent Bought Vehicle For \$6,000 Shortly Before Assigning.

The claim of the Sterling Motor Truck Company of Milwaukee, Wis., as preferred creditors by virtue of a lien note on one of their motor trucks sold to W. H. Gibbons, former agent of the company, was allowed by Chief Justice Meredith at the spring assizes Wednesday afternoon.

Part of Estate. The claim advanced by J. M. McEvoy, K.C., on behalf of F. W. Raymond, trustee, that the truck in question was a part of the estate of Mr. Gibbons was not allowed, and the trustee will have to pay the costs of the case, according to the judgment.

Evidence brought out showed that Gibbons had sold a five-ton truck to the County of Middlesex in March, 1920, and had sold them two more in the spring of 1921, allowing the county \$6,000 on the first truck, which was to be turned in.

The Sterling people shipped the two trucks on sight draft, which Mr. Gibbons was unable to negotiate. He wired the company to this effect, and their agent, M. Anderson, came from Milwaukee and put the deal through.

Mr. Anderson in the box stated that on his arrival here he paid the freight on the trucks and had them released from the customs. The county preferred that the checks in payment be made out to Mr. Gibbons, as his name appeared on their books. This was done, and Mr. Gibbons turned over the checks to him after endorsing them.

Resolved Truck For \$6,000. Anderson stated that he resold the five-ton truck to Gibbons for \$6,000, taking a lien note on it on May 23, 1921. Gibbons had stated that he had an immediate prospect for the truck. His company was interested in the truck to the extent of \$4,000, as the other \$2,000 involved was commission to Gibbons.

Gibbons assigned to Mr. Raymond shortly after the deal was completed.

In giving judgment the court stated that it was a simple case. After tracing the transaction through from beginning to end, the chief justice declared that in law the truck belonged to the plaintiff, and that, the company was entitled to possession of it, unless the assignee wanted to pay \$4,000 for it.

E. W. M. Flock appeared for the plaintiff.

**FINGAL WOMAN PASSES**

Mrs. Mary Elliott Dies Monday in Victoria Hospital.

The death took place Monday at Victoria Hospital after a lengthy illness of Mrs. Mary Elliott, widow of William Elliott.

Mrs. Elliott, who was 53 years old, is survived by three sons, Herbert J. Elliott of London, Harvey and Charles Elliott of Saskatoon, and Miss Edith Elliott of St. Thomas.

Mrs. Elliott had spent practically all her life at Fingal, and was an active member of the Methodist Church there.

The funeral will be held from A. L. Oatman's funeral home Thursday at 11 a.m. The services will be conducted at the Fingal Methodist Church. Interment will be made at Fingal Cemetery.

**HARRISTON**

HARRISTON, March 21.—News of the death of a former resident of this town was received here today from Georgetown, where Helen Cowan, relict of the late Dr. Samuel Cowan, had passed away at the age of 87 years. The remains are being brought here Wednesday morning via G. T. R. for interment in Harriston cemetery.

The Harriston Casket Co. are preparing a shipment of caskets for delivery to Glasgow, Scotland, which are expected to leave on the journey this week. This enterprising firm contemplate the enlarging of the present staff and extending their lines of manufacture.

The bylaw for loan the Dye Intermediate \$15,000 with interest at 6 per cent, was carried almost unanimously by the citizens of Ferguson on Monday. This is the same firm of which representatives were here trying to make arrangements for the Davis factory. It is also reported locally that the cement concern and the machinery concern of which representatives were here trying to arrange to locate here, are locating in Palmerston and Stratford.

At the last meeting of council, upon the presentation of the required petition of property owners, it was decided to commence the oiling of the Main street, and Mayor Fawcett is arranging for the securing of the required machinery.

The McCall Oil Co. are enlarging their plant here at the G. T. R. with the erection of another large storage tank. This concern has increased its business from a one man's job to the employing of three men and the putting on of a large delivery auto truck. Mr. A. J. Kennedy is the travelling representative for the local branch.

**CHEAPSIDE**

CHEAPSIDE, March 21.—Chauncey Evans spent the week-end in Hamilton.

Charlie Lamb has rented the old Lindsay farm for three years. Fred Stewart left on Friday last for his home in the West, after spending a few months with his parents here.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Britton, Mrs. McEwan and daughter spent Sunday in Hamilton.

## SIDE LIGHTS AT OTTAWA

By JOHN J. McLELLAN, Advertiser Staff Correspondent.

HOUSE OF COMMONS, Ottawa, March 22.—Another possibility for the deputy speaker who is now being strongly advocated is G. N. Gordon of Peterboro West, who has been in the house for but a comparatively short time.

He was elected in a by-election in 1920.

It is thought that the position has been offered to W. D. Euler of Waterloo, but the latter, it is said, has been unable to make up his mind on the matter, and this has engendered impatience on the part of his backers.

Whoever is chosen for the office must be chosen in the near future.

While the speaker presides throughout the debate on the speech from the throne, he is generally not required to sit in his important post during the debates immediately subsequent to the end of the debate on the speech from the throne.

T. G. NORRIS, a Progressive from Carleton Place, British Columbia, stressed today the immigration of Asiatics in Canada. This question apparently looms large on the Pacific Coast. A few days ago W. A. Neill of Comox-Alberni gave considerable time to it.

Japanese and Chinese labor on the coast line has, it would seem, according to the claims of the two members, created a situation of unemployment problem in the west.

When the government takes in hand the immigration policy, from what has been gathered so far, there will be three questions with which it will have to deal, namely: First, settlers in Canada who take up agriculture, has been retarded by the Progressive men who have experience in farming, and who will stay on the land once there; second, the administration will be required to consider the admittance of Jews in more or less unlimited numbers; third, grave consideration will also be required on the admittance of Asiatics.

THE speech today of H. Putnam of Colchester, Nova Scotia, stood out. This member and Joseph Emile D'Anjou bore the brunt of the government effort in the afternoon.

Colchester's member is a man with grey hair and quiet manner. He wasted no words, speaking in a plain manner and presenting his arguments with suavity and grace. His success in the election in Colchester was the cause of defeat of F. B. McCord, former minister of public works.

During the speech, Putnam showed with rather telling effect that campaign literature could be quoted by both sides.

His opponent in the election had been fit to declare that because he was a cabinet minister should return him to power. It was an insult to the intelligence of the population of that place.

D'Anjou spoke in his native tongue, French. He was very brief and terse. Possibly the potentialities of expression in a French vocabulary assisted him in being brief, for he spoke but fifteen minutes, his speech being considerably shorter than his generous name, which is in full Stanislas Emmanuel Joseph Emile D'Anjou.

His constituency is Rimouski.

W. HETHER the Progressive party feels well disposed toward the resolution now in the order paper, placed by the minister of marine and fisheries has not been determined, according to the Progressives themselves.

The resolution resolves that it is expedient to pay to the commissioners, to be called hereinafter the corporation, sums not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars, to enable the corporation to carry on such terminal facilities as are necessary to properly equip the port of Quebec.

It is the wish no doubt of the Tories that the Progressives should differ wholly on the question from the administration. But the case for the resolution has not been presented to them.

It is the opinion of most of the Ontario Progressives that the question is a great deal below that of the approaching estimates. Tonight the views of some ten members of the Progressive party were to the effect that the conjectures of the Tories were unfounded.

They, the Progressives that is, are looking forward to the approaching tabling of the estimates when the house moves into supply which will, from present indications, take place tomorrow.

Nothing can deter the dwindling, struggling, force of the debate such as it was this afternoon from spending itself within it, it is thought safe to say, a day.

FEW of the cabinet ministers of the government have spoken until the present juncture. Nothing can be said specifically regarding the policies of the new government until the ministers are heard on the floor of the house. Sir Lomer Gouin alone has said anything, and he did so only, as he explained, because of the attacks to which he had been subjected.

Many of the distressing problems of the land are immediate. They occupy the attention of the ministers almost entirely.

Today throughout the afternoon the front benches reserved for ministers were almost entirely occupied. One of the most constant in attendance has been the minister of justice and the postmaster-general, W. C. Kennedy, minister of railways, has been present but little.

Hon. James Murdock has just returned from the West to find himself confronting a problem requiring considerable attention.

The Hon. Ernest Lapointe has been more or less regularly present. But for the rest they, when in their seats, are being continually called out, and the remainder of the time they have been occupied with their departmental matters.

Of the house, it may look forward to future hearings from the ministers when they deal specifically

## HOPES TO AVERT SALARY CUTS

Sir Robert Falconer Expects to Maintain Financial Standard.

PROFESSORS ARE UNEASY

Hon. R. H. Grant Declares Continuance of Bonus Depends On Toronto.

TORONTO, March 22.—Rumors of possible salary cuts among the professors of the University of Toronto are causing uneasiness on the part of the university instructors.

Hon. R. H. Grant, minister of education, is quoted by an evening paper as saying that the continuance of the 25 per cent increase in salaries granted during the war would depend upon the university itself.

The grants to the university, he said, were given more or less in bulk and the institution could apportion them to the various purposes required. If sufficient money was forthcoming, he said, the university authorities could continue to pay the bonus. The educational estimates have not yet been passed, however.

Sir Robert Falconer, president of the University of Toronto, said he had heard nothing of a proposed cut in the salaries. He would regard such a step as highly deplorable, he said, as the scale now in force at the University of Toronto was only on a level with that of McGill University and was rather less than that at the University of Michigan.

If the university were given no more government assistance this year than last, Sir Robert said, it would still be able to maintain its present salaries, though this would be a matter of some difficulty. Progressives, men who have experience in farming, and who will stay on the land once there; second, the administration will be required to consider the admittance of Jews in more or less unlimited numbers; third, grave consideration will also be required on the admittance of Asiatics.

It is said the university's building program was laid before the cabinet council yesterday, but there has been no discussion on it yet.

The average salary of the principal professors in the university is \$5,000, but the greater number of salaries range from \$2,500 to something over \$4,000.

**FIND DROMORE MAN DEAD**

Neighbors Discover Sudden Death of James Bookes.

Special to London Advertiser. DURHAM, March 22.—The death of James Bookes came with startling suddenness to his friends and neighbors in Egrement Township yesterday. He had been in Dromore village the evening before and walked home. Yesterday three neighbors went to visit him in the afternoon and found him lying dead in bed.

Mr. Bookes was unmarried, was a mason by trade, and has, or had, a brother John, of whom no word has been heard for years. An uncle, Stephen Bookes, died some years ago and was buried in Amos Church Cemetery. The deceased was a member of the Canadian Order of Foresters.

**STEAL \$170 FROM WINDSOR OFFICE**

WINDSOR, March 21.—Yeggs "cracked" a safe in the office of the Hewitt Storage Battery Service, 221 Sandwich street west, during the night, making a clean getaway with between \$140 and \$170 in cash. Forcing a rear door, they collected tools, including an acetylene blow torch from the garage, and then set to work to open the safe. The robbery was not discovered until employees reached the plant this morning. It was evident that the robbery, employees said, was carried out shortly after midnight. The rear door was wide open. Nothing but the safe in the office was in disorder. The yeggs did not even take the trouble to replace the torch or any other of the tools which they had removed from the garage.

With their problems and present the case for the things that they will determine regarding railways, tariff, soldiers' re-establishment, and the other questions that arise from time to time.

When the estimates are tabled the minister of finance, W. S. Fielding, will have a case to present. He obviously will be the next cabinet minister to be heard from, and an eloquent effort from the veteran confere of Sir Wilfrid Laurier may be expected.

**Corns?**  
—just say  
**Blue-jay**  
to your druggist  
Stops Pain Instantly

The simplest way to end a corn is Blue-jay. A touch stops the pain instantly. Then the corn loosens and comes out. Made in two forms—a colorless, clear liquid (one drop does it) and in extra thin plasters. Use whichever form you prefer, plasters or the liquid—the action is the same. Safe, gentle. Made in a world-famed laboratory. Sold by all druggists.

Free: Write Bauer & Black, Toronto, Dept. 214 for valuable book, "Correct Care of the Feet."

**What Doctors do for their own sore throats**

"I want to congratulate you, Doctor, on the great success I hear you are having with your throat cases. I myself have attacks of inflamed throat every winter, can't seem to get rid of them. Wish you would take a look at mine and tell me what to do."

"I guess, Doctor, I will have to introduce you to Formamint—a real good throat antiseptic with which you will keep the soft tissues in an almost constant antiseptic bath, because you will find Formamint pleasant and convenient enough to use frequently. I find that the average patient will readily dissolve Formamint in his mouth every hour or so, and you know how hard it is to get them to use gargles or sprays consistently, even two or three times a day, especially children."

"Formamint tablets certainly relieve sore throats and are head-offing a lot of tonsillitis for me, but I am even more interested in their prophylactic power,

SUBMIT REPORT ON  
FARM CONDITIONSCold Nights and Hot Sun During  
Day Hard on Wheat in Water-  
loo County.

## ICE STORMS IN HALTON

Elgin Farmers Not Making Maple  
Syrup on Account of Value  
of Wood.The Ontario department of agricul-  
ture submits the following report of  
farm conditions in the province:

Waterloo says—"These cold nights  
and the hot sun during the day, to-  
gether with the strong winds, are  
very hard on both wheat and clover,  
especially wheat. As far as can be  
judged at present, wheat that went  
into the winter with a good top is still  
alive. However, the fields which  
were a little weak look as if they  
were fairly well gone."

Brant states that the warm weather  
of the last few days started the fall  
wheat to green, and that it does not  
seem to be as much injured as was  
expected.

Halton describes fall wheat in that  
county as looking badly bleached.

Victoria is of opinion that the week  
past was severe on the fall wheat,  
as the covering is all gone.

Hastings regards the early clearing  
off of snow as leaving the fall wheat  
and young clover fields in a precari-  
ous condition.

Waterloo says that many farmers  
are buying feeds rather than selling.  
A carload of oats recently brought in  
by the North Dumfries Farmers' Club  
sold at a bushel laid down in Galt.

Considerable baled hay is being  
shipped out of Middlesex at \$19 to \$20  
a ton. Loose hay is selling in Victo-  
ria at from \$20 to \$24 a ton, and as  
high as \$50 in Peterboro and Kenora.

A carload of potatoes was recently  
shipped out of Peterboro at 70c a bag.  
Halton says: "The ice storm did  
considerable damage throughout the  
county to orchards, especially old  
trees. In some places both shade and  
fruit trees are badly broken. Many  
of the farmers are pruning the nec-  
essary orchards, and many new  
orchards will be planted this year.  
Spruce gall is very prevalent on  
larches and shade trees and is causing  
much alarm."

Peterboro says—"It looked as if  
the sap would be running and farm-  
ers were getting busy in the bush  
when the cold weather came along  
and stopped this work temporarily.  
There has been more wood, fence  
posts, railway ties and telephone  
poles got out this winter than for  
a great many years. This has been  
the only source of revenue of some  
farmers."

Elgin says that many who pre-  
viously made maple sugar are not  
doing so this year, owing to the  
value of wood. New syrup is selling  
at \$2 a gallon.

From \$8 to \$8.75 a cord is being  
paid for good firewood and pulpwood  
in the Port Arthur district.

Middlesex says—"Many farmers  
are holding steers to finish on grass.  
A few carloads of western steers are  
being laid down for \$5.50 a cwt., and  
are being readily bought by feeders."

Port Arthur says that live stock  
have wintered pretty well in the  
north, although some farmers say  
that clover hay does not seem to  
have the same feeding value as  
usual.

Elgin reports that live stock have  
wintered well, and that a consid-  
erable number of cattle will be ready  
for May. The supply of horses in  
the county exceeds the demand.

"At the Perth County Holstein  
Breeders' sale, held during the first  
week, cattle averaged practically \$100  
less than at sales conducted by same  
organization six months previous."

Durham says—"Purebred Short-  
horns average \$119 at a recent sale.  
Good grade cows are selling at auc-  
tion sales at up to \$90."

Peterboro is of opinion that more  
hogs will be raised this season and  
more calves and lambs.

Hastings claims that one farmer in  
that county recently sold 800 Leg-  
horn chickens at an average price of  
\$1.50 each.

Hastings says that farmers are offer-  
ing \$30 a month for experienced  
men, and \$200 for the year, and adds  
that a number of the city have been  
placed on farms during the week.

Dufferin puts the wages at from  
\$25 to \$35 a month.

**RUMANIAN FOUND DEAD.**  
ST. CATHARINES, March 22.—  
Nikola Eftody, a Rumanian living on  
the outskirts of Thorold, was found  
dead by Dr. Millan this morning when  
he answered a sick call to the man's  
house. It is believed that death was  
due to poisoned liquor. Recently re-  
ports have been of illness caused by  
"doped" liquor in the Thorold dis-  
trict. Coroner Herod has ordered an  
inquest.

**HALIFAX EXPLOSION  
WRECKED HER NERVES**

The reader will, no doubt, remember  
when a few years ago there was a col-  
lision in the Halifax, N. S., harbor, and  
one of the munition ships was blown  
up, causing great loss of life and laying  
a large portion of the city in ruins, and  
causing a great deal of suffering and  
distress among the inhabitants.

Mrs. Winfield Dill, now of Windsor,  
N. S., was living in Halifax at that time  
and went through this trying experi-  
ence and the shock wrecked her nerves.  
She writes as follows: "I was living in  
Halifax at the time of the explosion, and  
it wrecked my nerves, so that I  
could not do my housework. I would  
take such nervous spells I would be  
under the doctor's care."

I saw Milburn's Heart and Nerve  
Pills advertised, so I took two boxes,  
and they helped me so much I took six  
more, and now I am completely re-  
lieved. I can recommend them to any-  
one suffering from heart and nerve  
trouble."

**MILBURN'S  
HEART AND NERVE PILLS**

As the best remedy to tone up the entire  
nervous system and strengthen the  
weakened organs, Milburn's Heart and  
Nerve Pills are the original heart and  
nerve food, having been on the market  
for the past 27 years. Price, 50c a box,  
at all dealers, or mailed direct on receipt  
of price by The T. T. Milburn Company,  
Limited, Toronto, Ont.—Advt.

WORLD NEWS  
ADVERTISING SERVICE  
CUT SHORT

BERLIN, March 22.—German prod-  
ucts and manufactured articles of  
every description are to be seen at  
the Leipzig Fair, which opened to-  
day. They testify to German indus-  
try and ingenuity.

Perhaps the best example of this  
ingenuity is a transformed gas mask.  
Its various parts have helped to  
make a musical-box, two gram-  
ophone-microphones, and a pair of  
gloves.

A hundred thousand tickets for the  
fair have been applied for and hun-  
dreds of foreign buyers have arrived.  
The Bolshevik government has a  
special bureau.

LONDON, March 22.—Eggs are  
more plentiful here than at any time  
since the war. At the country market  
English "new-laid" prices last  
week averaged 2s. 5d. per dozen for  
the best quality wholesale, so that  
six cents per egg should be about  
the price charged to consumers. Eggs  
at 3s. 6d. and 3s. 9d. per dozen are  
unreasonably dear.

Best quality country butter is sold  
for 1s. 10d. per pound wholesale on  
the average, and in many shops can  
be obtained for 2s. per pound. Good  
imported butter can be bought in  
London for 1s. 4d. per pound.

PARIS, March 22.—Only a plain  
wooden cross inscribed "Henri De-  
sire," his Christian name, and a box-  
wood border will in future mark the  
grave of Landry, who was executed  
for the murder of ten women and  
the son of one of them, in a cem-  
etry at Versailles, where his body  
was taken after he had been guillot-  
ined.

After the execution his children  
claimed the body, as French law per-  
mits, and decided to remove it from  
an ignominious corner, where it lay,  
but on getting an estimate of the  
cost of exhumation and reburial  
elsewhere they decided to leave Lan-  
dry's remains where they are.

They have received permission to  
plant a boxwood border and erect  
a cross, but only on condition that  
nothing more than Christian names  
appear thereon.

COPENHAGEN, March 22.—Ac-  
cording to the newspaper Politiken,  
the Scandinavian Peace Association  
yesterday handed the Danish govern-  
ment and Parliament an application  
to introduce an international  
language.

This application, which is also sent  
to the governments and parliaments  
of 80 countries, proposes that Eng-  
lish, which is spoken by 180,000,000  
people and is the administrative  
language for 500,000,000, should be  
adopted.

PARIS, March 22.—On the rugged  
coast of Brittany, where the Atlantic  
rollers break in impressive splendor  
during a western gale, is a rock at  
St. Guenole, Penmarch, which is  
pointed out as the place from which  
the prefect of Finistère, with all his  
family, was swept in 1879 by a great  
wave.

Yesterday M. Hureau, an engineer,  
took a friend to the same rock and  
was telling him the story of the fatal  
wave when a big roller, breaking on  
the base of the cliff, shot up into the  
air and washed over the place where  
they were standing. M. Hureau was  
carried out to sea and his body has  
not yet been recovered.

His friend clung to an edge of  
rock till the wave passed.

BRUSSELS, March 22.—Forty  
prosecutions for keeping illicit stills  
have come before Brussels magis-  
trates. The accused had refined  
wood alcohol or methylated spirits,  
adding flavors to make this crude al-  
cohol resemble fine liquors.

The result of imbibing these mix-  
tures was to produce delirium trem-  
ens and alcoholic poisoning. The  
majority of the accused were sen-  
tenced to one year's imprisonment, a  
fine of \$2,000, and the payment of  
the excise duty on the alcohol dis-  
tilled.

Last year 829 illicit stills were dis-  
covered in Belgium. They are the  
result of the prohibition laws that  
prevent alcohol from being drunk in  
public places. Stills have been dis-  
covered in country schools and all  
kinds of improbable places. In spite  
of the penalties the number increases  
daily, causing great loss to the re-  
venue and risk to the health of the  
people who drink the beverages thus  
produced.

**PARKHILL**

PARKHILL, March 21.—Property  
is changing hands rapidly in town,  
and moving is the order of the day.  
Mrs. Robert Smith has purchased the  
home of Mrs. Mary Horner and will  
move to town May 1.

Henry Wickert has purchased the  
home of the late Edward Schram and  
is moving next week.

Arthur R. has purchased Mr.  
Wickert's home and will take pos-  
session as soon as convenient.

N. F. Newton, barrister, has pur-  
chased the house on corner of Ann  
and Broadway streets occupied by  
Mr. Cooper, principal of high school,  
and owned by W. W. Logan.

The funeral of William Young, who  
died on Friday, March 17, was held on  
Monday at Parkhill Cemetery. Mr.  
Young was an old and much re-  
spected resident of McGillivray, and  
moved to this town a few years ago.  
He has been suffering for a long time,  
and death came as a great relief to  
him. Mrs. Young predeceased him in  
December last. Two sons and two  
daughters survive him, John and  
Herman of McGillivray, and Mrs.  
Ethel Smithers and Mrs. Percy  
Nichol, of this town.

A regular epidemic of flu is  
spreading over this district and many  
are laid aside. Several cases of  
pneumonia following flu are reported.  
Miss Mabel Williams, of Moose  
Jaw, formerly of Parkhill, is re-  
newing acquaintances in town. She has  
spent several years in the West, and  
will return in about two weeks.

"Yerba mate," or Paraguay tea, is  
made from the leaves of a shrub be-  
longing to the holly family.  
Aerated waters were made as  
early as 1767 in imitation of mineral  
waters.

FAMOUS SURGEON  
TO VISIT CANADADr. Lorenz, Noted Viennese Physi-  
cian Has Busy Time in  
Detroit.

## TREATS 100 CHILDREN

Doctor Is 68 Years Old, But Has  
the Vitality of a Young  
Man.

WINDSOR, March 21.—When Dr.  
Lorenz, famous Viennese surgeon  
comes back to America in the au-  
tumn, he will visit various cities in  
Canada, before again returning to  
Austria, he declared, last night, when  
interviewed in his apartment in the  
Statler Hotel, at Detroit.

Here Before War.  
It will not be his first visit to the  
Dominion, he stated, pointing out  
that he was here before the war,  
visiting Ottawa, Toronto and Mont-  
real. At the present time, Dr.  
Lorenz is in Detroit to alleviate,  
where possible, the sufferings of  
children crippled through infantile  
paralysis, disease and accident.

The noted surgeon occupies the  
same suite of rooms in the hotel  
as did Margot Asquith on her visit  
to the city across the river. Shortly  
after 6 o'clock last night, he rushed  
in from a hard day's work in the  
hospitals and an afternoon of con-  
sultations in a prominent doctor's  
office. He had performed no op-  
erations, but during the day examined  
many children—more than 100  
little crippled tots brought to him  
by parents, staunch in their faith  
that the world-famous surgeon would  
be able to effect a cure of their de-  
formities.

Despite a day passed in hard  
labor, the doctor showed absolutely  
no signs of fatigue. A distinguished  
looking old gentleman, 68 years of  
age, his is a remarkable personality.  
More than six feet in height he has  
the appearance of an ambassador  
and the vitality of a man many years  
his junior. This fact has been at-  
tributed by New York journalists to  
an operation which the doctor had  
some years ago to one of his glands.  
When asked whether such was the  
case he smiled and simply remarked:  
"Maybe."

Cannot Be Fatigued.  
The fact remains that Dr. Lorenz  
is young at 68. No amount of work  
seems to tire him. He refuses to be  
fatigued. Speaking faultless Eng-  
lish with a rapidity which keeps  
one busy following him, and still  
there is only the slightest trace of  
an accent—more German, possibly,  
than Austrian.

The doctor is very reticent about  
discussing the war; and when he  
does it is only to request that the  
"dead" be allowed to bury its  
dead. He hopes for a reconcili-  
ation among the peoples of the earth  
and especially between his own  
country and those who were his  
country's enemies during the great  
war.

EMBRO

Special to London Advertiser.  
EMBRO, March 21.—Extra good  
maple syrup was sold in the village  
last week for \$2.50 a gallon.

At the holiday missionary meeting  
held at Mrs. J. C. McCorquodale's last  
week, Mrs. Lane and Mrs. J. C. Mc-  
Corquodale gave papers on their  
study book, entitled "A Planting of  
the Faith." Some time was spent in  
sewing. The collection amounted to  
\$2.35. After the meeting the hostess  
served a very dainty lunch.

The Y. P. S. of the Methodist  
Church held an oyster supper at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. R. Berdane one  
night last week, after supper the  
evening was spent in playing games  
and music.

On March 23 the Y. P. S. of the  
Methodist Church intend having a  
debate, "Resolved that high school  
education is necessary to every  
farmer."

**BURGESSVILLE**

Special to London Advertiser.  
BURGESSVILLE, March 20.—Mrs.  
Jackson Cohen, of Norwich, spent  
Wednesday with her sister, Miss Cor-  
bin.

Mrs. Lucinda Smith celebrated her  
82nd birthday on Monday, March 20.  
Her many friends wished her many  
happy returns of her birthday.

Mrs. Sarah Hastings and son, Wal-  
ter, of Newark, have been the guests  
of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John  
H. Hughes.

Mrs. Oswald Wallace is spending  
a couple of weeks in Toronto.

Mrs. William Morgan is seriously  
ill at the time of writing.

Mrs. Albert Moore spent Friday in  
Newrich with her daughter, Mrs. H.  
Vicar.

Mrs. Ed. Kelly, of Oxford Center,  
has been the guest of her mother,  
Mrs. John Hughes.

**CLANDEBOYE**

Special to London Advertiser.  
CLANDEBOYE, March 21.—A perfect  
day for O. Flannery's sale, March 14,  
on his farm on concession 1, McGill-  
livray, brought out a record crowd.  
Bidding was lively, making easier  
work for Auctioneer Harry Stanley  
of Lucan, who was in charge. The  
cattle and horses being in fairly good  
condition, sold well, while the hens  
brought over a dollar each. The im-  
plements also sold for satisfactory  
prices.

A large party of friends gathered  
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Brooks,  
Clandeboye, on the evening of March  
13 to celebrate their "linen" wedding  
anniversary. A very pleasant time  
was spent by everyone present.

**MRS. JOAN HOLMES DIES.**  
WOODSTOCK, March 21.—Fol-  
lowing a lingering illness, the death  
took place this morning of Joan Ross,  
relict of James Holmes, this city. Mr.  
Holmes predeceased his wife a few  
months ago, and surviving are four  
sons and four daughters, James of  
St. Paul, John of Seattle, Fred and  
Will at home, Miss Mary at home,  
Mrs. B. Lee, Woodstock; Mrs. Gibbs,  
Toronto, and Mrs. Arthur Gibbs of  
St. Catharines.

## STANDARD DRUG STORES

Present An Extraordinary Drug and Drug Sundry

## THREE-DAY SALE

TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

March 23rd, 24th and 25th

For this three-day sale we have endeavored to combine the most  
popular and most seasonable commodities usually found in  
modern drug stores and offer them to you at prices which are  
seldom duplicated anywhere. We repeatedly have been com-  
plimented to this effect, and we have repeatedly checked adver-  
tisements from other cities and have proven that it is true. We  
have had this reputation for several years. That we are en-  
deavoring to merit it is amply demonstrated by these bargains for

Standard  
Toilet Paper

8-oz. rolls.  
Standard in weight,  
standard in quality.  
Regular 15c a roll.  
Today, Friday and  
Saturday,  
6 Rolls for 49c

## TODAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Dutch Drops (Genuine), 2 pkgs. 17c Sani-Flush, 2 tins 49c Snowflake Ammonia, 2 pkgs. 15c

**Lyman's  
Water Glass**  
1-lb. tin.  
The finest Water Glass  
we can buy. The finest  
egg preserver we know  
of.  
Today, Friday and  
Saturday,  
2 Tins for 29c

**Mail Orders  
Include Sufficient for  
Mailing Charges**

**Bulldog  
Chloride of Lime**  
An excellent disinfect-  
ant for housecleaning  
time.  
1/2-lb. size 8c  
1-lb. size 14c  
Today, Friday and  
Saturday.

**A Big FREE Deal in  
Vogue Royale  
Toilet Creams**  
"You may pay more, but we  
do not believe you will get  
better quality."  
Pay us the regular price for a  
jar of Day Cream (vanish-  
ing) and we will give you a  
50c jar of Night Cream  
(cold) free of charge, or both  
Today, Friday and Saturday,  
for 50c

**Kreo Koff**  
For weak lungs and bronchial  
trouble.  
Small size 45c  
Large size 89c  
Today, Friday and Saturday.

**ZONOX  
Family Remedies**  
"A remedy for each ailment"  
Analgesic Balm 35c  
Bronchial Lozenges 15c  
Baby's Own Cough Syrup 25c  
Corn Remedy 25c  
Headache Wafers 25c  
Neuralgia Pills 25c  
Regulators (for the bowels) 25c  
Eye Water 35c  
Dyspepsia Tablets 45c  
Catarrh Balm 45c  
Healing Ointment 25c  
Eczema Ointment 45c, 89c  
Blood Purifier 89c  
Beef, Iron and Wine \$1.00  
Preparation of Cod Liver Oil  
(tasteless) 89c  
Compound Syrup of Hypo-  
phosphates 89c  
Celery Nerve Tonic 89c  
Today, Friday and Saturday.

**Colorite  
Hat Dyes**  
16 Different Colors:  
Natural Cardinal Red Dull Black  
Sage Green Cadet Blue  
Jet Black Violet  
Burnt Straw Cerise  
Lavender Yellow  
Navy Blue Old Rose  
Grey Victory Blue  
N. B.—For henna shade, mix  
equal parts of cardinal red  
and brown.  
Today, Friday and Saturday,  
Per Bottle, 25c

**ZONOX  
Anti-Acid  
Tooth Paste**  
Prevents acid mouth.  
Whitens the teeth.  
Regular 50c 39c  
Today, Friday and Saturday.

**Vinolia,  
Boric Acid  
and  
Cold Cream  
Soap**  
3 cakes, 50c  
**Nature's  
Remedy  
Tablets,**  
Reg. 25c, 16c  
Reg. 50c, 31c  
Reg. \$1, 61c  
**Williams'  
Talcums  
(4 odors)**  
Reg. 25c,  
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## Mr. Raymond's Position.

NOTHING was gained by the Opposition at Ottawa when it sought to show that W. G. RAYMOND of Brantford, had no part or place on the Liberal side of the House, because he did not approve of agricultural implements. The charge of inconsistency was not even well lodged. Mr. RAYMOND stated his beliefs during the campaign, he stated them through the columns of the press, and he is simply standing by them in the period following his incorporation by the voters of Brantford.

It will never be successfully charged that the Liberal party as it sits in the House at the moment is a party of free traders. The whole bent and force of the last MEIGHEN campaign was to prove that such was the case. There never was a campaign waged in the Dominion in which a political party made such desperate efforts to discredit the policy of its opponents as that put forth by the MEIGHEN followers to tag the whole Liberal organization as free traders. All through Western Ontario we witnessed a campaign where it was told and whispered that the factories would be closed were the Liberals successful, because they were going to Ottawa to hack the tariff to pieces and flood the country with European and American goods. Nor have we forgotten the fact that the bill-boards and fences of our cities were blazoned with the likeness of an American eagle ready and set to swoop down upon Canada the minute the Liberals were returned to power. Regardless of fact, and regardless of the statements of Liberal candidates in Western Ontario, the campaign was waged against them continuously and relentlessly.

Mr. RAYMOND's attitude that there are farmers in the country, and that there are manufacturers in the country, and they should meet on the common ground of a common understanding is right, and thoroughly democratic.

Further, having regard to the present financial condition of the Dominion, with the minister of finance looking to every possible source for revenue, and knowing the needs of the government for cash to meet running expenses—which is not being done—it is out of the question to ask for measures looking to curtailing the revenue of the government unless it be under the most exceptional circumstances, and unless there be attached some advantage of equal or greater benefit than the concession asked or granted.

Hon. W. S. FORD is not a high tariff man. He is of the school of tariff for revenue, and in the conditions as he found them when coming into power he will have ample opportunity to try out all the best that his training in that school of politics has been able to do for him.

Trying to prove that Mr. RAYMOND of Brantford is out of step and out of place in the Liberal ranks because he will not wipe out the tariff on agricultural machinery is simply carrying to the House the style of argument and propaganda that was so thoroughly discredited and repudiated by the people of the Dominion on December 6.

## Surely Not!

THE WOODSTOCK Sentinel-Review is turning over a question that it can't settle. Referring to that "party" at the Ontario Legislature last season, it continues this way:—

"But the incident suggests another matter. There is the problem of the woman lobbyist and the woman canvasser for votes. Will the law regard the acceptance by a man of a bribe from a pretty girl in return for a vote as in the nature of bribe or corrupt act? It may be a matter for serious consideration. The fate of nations and even of empires have been influenced in the past by the fascinations of women. Are modern democracies better prepared to stand the test?"

Now who can tell? The Woodstock paper presents a question that it dare not answer. Can it be that we shall yet come to the age where the standard of voting shall be that one smack equals one vote?

## Ending War.

SOME INGENIOUS expert is figuring out now that war will be a thing of the past, with the development of wireless control of heat, energy and movement. The enemy will be able to send enough heat to cause an ammunition dump to blow up, and a few good fires would end any war.

Such is the reasoning, and such the folly.

No doubt men in the stone ages thought war would be a thing of the past when some tribe made a better mallet than the others, one that would kill opponents off with a single blow where formerly two or three had been necessary.

Then, too, the Indians figured that war would be over when they discovered how to put a piece of flint on the end of an arrow in order to make it more deadly than plain wood. And when the old muzzle loader was shoved at the head of the Indian who had formerly battled with a bow and arrow and a

tomahawk, war was over as far as he was concerned, until some person came along and traded him a rifle for a bundle of furs. Then he could go out and riddle the owner of the muzzle loader while the latter was ramming in the charge.

Machine guns, air bombs, submarines, poisonous gas—all these things make war more hellish, more inhuman, but they do not stop war.

Nor is it likely that any invention that can be brought out will stop war, because it will be too awful to engage in. War is a state of mind, and humans, when they get in that state of mind, will fight, in spite of all the wireless, and poison gas that all the scientists of the world can hatch out.

## Listowel's Idea.

LISTOWEL has brought his board of trade down out of the attic, and after dusting off the moth balls, announces that an effort will be made to locate some industries in the town.

It will be interesting to know how a town like Listowel will fare in seeking to bring industries to its borders.

For a good many years one of the first things to be urged would be that the place is small, and it is hard on that account to keep the help there. The younger generation seems to prefer the city life, and also a place where, if they are thrown out of one shop, they can catch on in another, and so on.

Well, the cities have had their fling as labor centres, and it can hardly be claimed they have made a 100 per cent success of it. There are plenty of men working in factories in cities who will claim their expenses are too great, and that they are not making ends meet.

So it would seem that if Listowel is out to bid for factories it will have to answer this question: Is it a good place to live, and are there homes for the people? It is a fact that more and more preference is shown for the place that can satisfy the manufacturer that his employees are going to find there a desirable place to live and bring up their families.

The trend has been toward the cities for some years, and the tide has been running pretty strong. It will be interesting to see if, with reasonable effort, the towns now have any better success than they had in the past.

## The Letter Writers.

A CASE THAT came into the court here a few days ago serves to remind the community that the anonymous letter writer is still at large. It was charged that a resident of the town of Parkhill wrote a number of damaging letters to other people in the same place concerning a citizen of the place.

The person who writes anonymous letters must have a queer and a diseased mind. The ADVERTISER only a few days ago made reference to troubles of its own about receiving certain items for publication from some people who are even worse than the anonymous letter writer. We have instances where an individual, in order to make sure that his communication would appear in the paper, sent along news, knowing it to be incorrect, and signed the name of the correspondent of this paper in that district.

Fortunately the people concerned in the case were most reasonable, and understood how the trick had been played. Otherwise the paper concerned in the publication would be placed in a very embarrassing position.

The trouble, of course, is in locating the guilty party. In a thickly settled community, unless there is a good plot or reason on which to work, the bringing of the guilty to justice is not an easy matter. The anonymous letter writer has seized the dirtiest and meanest weapon with which he can fight.

## LITTLE 'TISERS

SIR LOMER GOUIN, in his speech in the Commons, said in brief that he did not rule the government, and that he did not want to.

Wraggle Island, as a result of STEPHANSON's trip, adds 110,000 square miles of Arctic region to Canada. Wonder who's going to get the Senate appointment from that district?

Some careful bootleggers are shipping booze now and marking it as "Explosive." And he it remembered that a good deal of the blowing up used to take place after the jag reached home at night.

Just as the building season gets here the experts start in to furnish us with reasons why she is not going to be as good as she looked three months ago. Any good expert can furnish from seven to nine different reasons every day.

If the present coal strike in United States can be viewed in the light of and from the experience of others that have preceded it, it will be poor business, with not one redeeming feature big enough to be put in the balances against all the harm that it will cause.

Peterborough has just finished figuring out the tax rate for the year, and finds that it will be able to get through on 36 mills, against 36.30 last year. In some departments there are increases, but against these there are decreases in others, and on the whole there is a decrease of .30 mills.

The Guelph Mercury thinks that the best thing BULLOCK, the Carolina negro who has been freed at

# 25 YEARS AGO TODAY

Here We Have Items of Local and District Interest  
As Recorded in The Advertiser of 1897.

THURSDAY, MARCH 23, 1897.

Weather—Fair and cold.

The Glencoe High School Literary Society held an interesting meeting Friday afternoon, when a delightful program was rendered. Two excellent addresses were delivered by Rev. R. W. Ross, M.A., and Rev. George Elliott. Rev. Mr. Ross presented the school with three handsome pictures.

The third quarterly meeting of the Strathroy Young People's Union in the Frank Street Church tonight. Mr. Robert Foster of the Baptist Young People's Union will give a paper on "The Essential Qualifications for a Young Christian Worker," and an address on the subject, "What May Young People's Societies Do for Missions?" will be given by Rev. Jasper Wilson, M.A.

The program for last evening at the Collegiate Institute was: instrumental, Miss M. Lindsay; reading, Miss Cook; selection, orchestra; debate on Stockton's story, "The Tiger or the Lady," affirmative, Misses Gibbons and Hill; negative, Misses Plannagan and Thompson; referees, Messrs. Robertson and Howard and Miss M. McIntyre; selection, orchestra; instrumental, Miss Ida Woods; trio, Messrs. Boller, Kelly and Sadler; duet, Misses Zavitz and George.

A very pleasant social hour was spent in the lecture room of the Adelaide Street Baptist Church by the Y. P. S. C. E. last evening. Solos were rendered by Miss E. Harrison and Miss Johnson. Miss K. McKerricher gave an excellent reading and Mr. C. Watson gave an instrumental.

The first grand concert under the auspices of the Imperial Male Quartet will be held in the Auditorium on

Hamilton, can do is to disappear and keep out of the spotlight. Exactly what he did when he dropped out of sight in Norlina and landed in Canada. Haven't yet heard that he went around the country ringing door bells and telling people who he was.

The British film censors have decided to cut out the long and harrowing death scenes. Good for them! Some producers seem to gloat over these death scenes, and play up and enlarge upon all the details. There is the mother seized with a pain—husband rushes for air—doctor shakes head in a hopeless sort of way—more sob music from the orchestra, and a few more wipes in the eye from the movie folk. By all means let the movie folks die faster.

The proposal which is being brought before the Ontario Legislature by Mr. BACKUS of Kent, providing for free school books for public, separate and industrial schools of the province, is coming in for a good share of criticism. It is contended, and with very good reason, that there is no urgent need calling for further government expense along this line. The more that the government goes into the more it has to pay for. Our education costs for school books are not so heavy now that there is a call for further relief in the way of government assistance.

AMBROSE SMALL disappeared from Toronto a year or so ago, and apparently everything was done then to find out where he went. Nothing happened, although thousands of dollars were spent for his purpose. Now comes a banker who remembers quite well seeing him the day he disappeared; likewise, a barber, who shaved him the same day, and remembers that he was wearing a watch. Then, too, there is another man who has had the police department busy shovelling over a dump where he is sure the man is buried. Evidently these Torontoesque minds improve with age.

The Kitchener Record pays its respects to TOMMY CHURCH of Toronto as follows: "But a new intellectual giant is among the newcomers. He is none less than TOMMY CHURCH, seven times mayor of Toronto. Tommy has already made a three-hour speech, a diverting conglomeration of all the hydro and public ownership effusions of the last ten years. The Quebec members observed him curiously and are still wondering. TOMMY was the most self-possessed man in the house. With one foot on a convenient chair and a dainty silk handkerchief draped gracefully a full six inches from his pocket and the most intriguing air of complete assurance, he told the government what Canada needs. It took two hours of one day and one hour of another to do it, and the government was properly impressed."

## TO THE EDITOR

BIBLICAL WARNINGS.

Editor Advertiser: Sir,—Would you please oblige me by giving space for the following in your paper:

In an article entitled, "The Harp of God," on the religious page of your Saturday edition, someone was trying to prove from the word of God that the dead are unconscious, and that it seems strange that men

COMMON SENSE WAYS TO KEEP WELL

## War On Drugs Should Begin At Home

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.

HE present hubbub over the drug traffic brings to mind the fact that a great many of us are drug addicts.

I do not mean a large number are taking morphine or cocaine, morphine or like drugs, but the most of us have a habit which calls for a stimulant at more or less regular intervals.

"Headache powders," liver pills and alcoholic beverages—some people still drink the last—are stimulants of the sort which do not affect one immediately but gradually dull the nerves.

The drug, while affording temporary relief, may mask the true source of the pain and, in acute emergencies, prevent the physician from rendering an accurate diagnosis.

A drug is, as a rule, a crutch to help the sufferer over a difficult situation; when used otherwise, it becomes a weapon turned against the user.

Monday evening next, when the following artists will appear: Mr. Jim Fax, the well-known humorist of Toronto; Miss Eva N. Roblyn, soprano; Mr. W. A. Bleuthner, piano soloist; Mr. T. E. Robson, baritone; Miss Stella Risdon, cello soloist; Mr. Roselle Pococke, violin soloist; Y. Mr. A. D. Holman, drum soloist; Y. Mr. C. A. Orchestra.

The annual meeting of the Christian Police Association will be held in the Y. M. C. A. today. Mr. W. M. Spencer is president of the association and Police Constable J. H. Monaghan is secretary.

The annual "At Home" under the auspices of the Young Ladies' Mission Circle connected with Adelaide Street Baptist Church was held on Tuesday evening. Mrs. G. F. Robertson occupied the chair and gave a very interesting address on the work of the society during the last year. Miss E. Harrison followed with a solo; Mrs. James Angus then read the secretary's annual report, and Miss L. Maynard gave the financial statement. During intermission, tea was served by the ladies, which was followed with addresses by Messrs. Clark and C. W. and A. Woodburn. Mrs. Craig, a returned missionary from India, then gave an account of the work in that far-away field.

## MANITOBA'S CASE

From the Regina Leader: The fall of the Norris Government in Manitoba had been expected for many days. When it came, no one was surprised. The surprising thing is that the government was able to hold out as long as it did. After the last provincial elections the Liberals found themselves in a minority in the Legislature. The division of their opponents into three fairly homogeneous groups, enabled the leader of the government to secure support first from one bloc and then from another, as occasion demanded. A situation was bound to arise, sooner or later, when the opponents of the government would find it possible to unite and vote solidly against the administration. When that situation arose the defeat of the government was inevitable—and it arose the night before last. Only three members of the Opposition supported the government on a direct vote of censure, the vote carried, and the government passed down and out.

A general election in Manitoba at an early date is now looked for. The organized farmers appear to be confident that when it takes place they will sweep into power. Undoubtedly they will considerably strengthen their position in the Legislature; quite possibly they will have a clear majority and will be called on to form the next government. Whether the organized farmers are as successful as they seem confident of being is not so important as that out of the next provincial elections shall emerge a majority party in the Legislature. The record of the present Manitoba Legislature, split into four groups, without any group having sufficient strength to put through its program without borrowing reinforcements from other groups, will not be remembered by the province with any great pride.

The same condition of affairs in any other province would have worked out equally poorly. A government cannot carry out the wishes of the people unless it has the constant and dependable support of a majority on the floor of the Legislature. It does not matter whether the government is Liberal or Conservative or United Farmer or Labor or anything else. It must be in a position to carry through its program unassisted by the Opposition, or it will be compelled to pursue a policy of vacillation or of compromise, with the spectre of inevitable ultimate defeat constantly before its eyes. That is not good for any province or any country.

## MADE GET-AWAY.

The stationmaster, hearing a crash on the platform, ran out of his room just in time to see the express disappearing around the curve and a disheveled young man sprawled amid several overturned milk cans and the contents of his traveling bag.

"Was he trying to catch the train?" asked the stationmaster of a small boy who stood by admiring the scene. "He did catch it," said the boy, happily, "but it got away again."

## ONE WHO CONSTANTLY RESORTS TO DRUGS WILL FIND THAT THE SYSTEM IS LOSING ITS RESPONSIVENESS AND IT REQUIRES A CONSTANTLY LARGER DOSE.

Many ordinarily harmless remedies when taken habitually will lose their effectiveness. Laxative drugs, for instance, may be taken in large quantities until the bowels refuse to operate and the time will come when they are without effect.

Many "headache powders" contain powerful heart depressants, coal tar products and acetanilid.

These drugs were first thought to be harmless, but many cases of death from overdoses and from heart depression have proved them otherwise.

For a nervous headache, rest and sleep in a darkened room are sufficient without aid of drugs.

Persons with "attacks of nerves" and sleeplessness often resort to opiates and sleeping powders. Though in some stages of disease, sleep induced by narcotics is necessary to life, the sufferer from insomnia who resorts to self-drugging is indulging in a dangerous practice.

## LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY

TODAY'S word is CONCOMITANT. It's pronounced—kon-kom-i-tant, with accent on the second syllable. It means—That which accompanies, an associate, a companion, that which goes along with.

It comes from Latin—"con," with, and "comitari," to accompany. Companion word—concomitance. It's used like this—"Sneezing and a feeling of lassitude are usually concomitants of a cold."

## Our Own Country.

Question—Canada has the greatest gold mine in America. What and where is it?

Answer—Canada has the greatest and richest gold mine in America—the Hollinger—in Northern Ontario, the value of gold and silver produced in 1921 being over \$10,000,000.

Question—What was Canada's mineral production in 1921?

Answer—Canada's mineral production in 1921 reached a grand total of \$173,327,580, viz., metallics, \$52,580,002; non-metallic, \$89,405,256; structural materials and clay products, \$30,342,322.

## Pale and Sallow

A Condition That Always Comes With Watery Blood.

Women's work is never done. She starts with the housework as soon as she rises in the morning and is generally busy up to the time she retires at night. The work must be done whether she is feeling well or not. It's sometimes a monotonous grind for the healthy, normal individual, but it becomes almost intolerable at times if the daily routine must be gone through with when the body cries out with pain, when stooping produces dizzy spells and nervous headaches are frequent. A large proportion of the suffering among women is due to poor, watery blood. Once the blood loses its quality the nerves begin to protest, for the nerves are nourished entirely by the blood. In this condition a reliable blood tonic is the best treatment, as is shown by the experience of Mrs. N. D. Morrison, St. Esprit, N. S., who says: "I was in an extremely nervous and run down condition. I had headaches, my circulation was poor, and my complexion pale and sallow. I would become breathless at the least exertion and was able to do but little of my household work. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and soon found they were helping me, and after continuing their use for a time I felt as well as ever. Since that time I take the pills occasionally and always find benefit."

You can get these pills through any dealer in medicine or by mail at 50 cents a box or six boxes for \$2.50 from the Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.—Advt.

with reasoning faculties should ever reach the conclusion that the all-wise Creator would eternally torment any of His creatures.

I just want to hold up a few solemn warnings from the Word of God to the readers.

In the 16th chapter of Luke, from the 15th verse to the end, we have an account from the mouth of the Lord Jesus Christ Himself of the death of two men. The first, a certain rich man, the second, a beggar named Lazarus. The facts given about the rich man prove conclusively that the dead are conscious. You will notice in the 22nd verse (the same as people today), and the next thing we read is, in hell he lifted up his eyes, being in torments and he cried for a drop of water to cool his tongue, for he was tormented in the flame.

In Revelation xii, verses 10 and 11, we read of those who will yet be tormented with fire and brimstone, and the smoke of their torment will ascend up forever and ever. Also Revelations xx, verse 10, speaks of the same place, and verse 15 says, whosoever was not found written in the book of life was cast into the lake of fire. Revelations xxi, verse 8, reads thus, But the fearful and unbelieving, and the abominable and murderers and whoremongers and sorcerers and idolaters and all liars shall have their part in the lake which burneth with fire and brimstone, which is the second death.

Now in the face of such scriptures how would any person who believes the Bible to be the Word of God, say that the dead are unconscious?

May this be a warning to the readers of this paper to flee from the wrath to come. God's Word says because there is wrath because we live. He takes away with a stroke, he believes on the Son hath everlasting life, but he that believeth not the Son shall not see life, but the wrath of God abideth on him.

Why did the Lord Jesus Christ die on the cruel cross of Calvary? The answer is to deliver us from the wrath to come. I Thess. i, 10. Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved.—Acts xvi, 31.

Thanking you for publishing, "A SINNER SAVED BY GRACE."

C. P. R. OR G. T. R.?

Editor, Advertiser: Will you please state which is the older road in Canada, the Grand Trunk or the C. P. R.?

READER.

Answer—The building of the G. T. R. was started in 1851, and the line from Sarnia to Quebec was completed in 1856. Actual work on the C. P. R. was started in 1881, last rail Nov. 7, 1885, and the line opened June 28, 1886.

## READ YOUR CHARACTER

[By Digby Phillips.]

NO. 169—PUNCTUALITY.

Do you just naturally awake at the appointed hour in the morning? Is it the exception rather than the rule for you to be late at an appointment or to forget one?

If so, you've got the bump of punctuality. Rub your fingers over your forehead and see if the skull development about an inch above the outer edge of your eyebrows is not good.

A "bump" you must understand, as the character scientist regards it, need not be so prominent as the bump that swells when you slip on the ice and hit your head. It is of no particular shape. It is merely the sort of conformation of the skull at a given spot which allows plenty of room to the portion of the brain beneath it. In all cases where these bumps are permitted to be visible by the eye, really, than with the fingers, more quickly and conveniently also.

But the bump of punctuality denotes other things than the ability to arise at an appointed hour in the morning without the help of an alarm clock, and the instinctive keeping of appointments. It means a generally good sense of time. For instance, if your skull shows a slight depression at this spot, you'll know the reason why your partners at a dance always prefer to "sit it out." It's because your sense of rhythm is not perfect. And you know the reason why you have your limitations as a musician.

For a perfect sense of rhythm is necessary to any real musical accomplishment. More than this, you'll know the reason why, for instance, you could not become an expert telegrapher, an occupation in which the ability to judge accurately the relative durations of dots and dashes.

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## TO THE EDITOR

BIBLICAL WARNINGS.

Editor Advertiser: Sir,—Would you please oblige me by giving space for the following in your paper:

In an article entitled, "The Harp of God," on the religious page of your Saturday edition, someone was trying to prove from the word of God that the dead are unconscious, and that it seems strange that men

COMMON SENSE WAYS TO KEEP WELL

## War On Drugs Should Begin At Home

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.

HE present hubbub over the drug traffic brings to mind the fact that a great many of us are drug addicts.

I do not mean a large number are taking morphine or cocaine, morphine or like drugs, but the most of us have a habit which calls for a stimulant at more or less regular intervals.

"Headache powders," liver pills and alcoholic beverages—some people still drink the last—are stimulants of the sort which do not affect one immediately but gradually dull the nerves.

The drug, while affording temporary relief, may mask the true source of the pain and, in acute emergencies, prevent the physician from rendering an accurate diagnosis.

A drug is, as a rule, a crutch to help the sufferer over a difficult situation; when used otherwise, it becomes a weapon turned against the user.

# LEARN A WORD EVERY DAY

TODAY'S word is CONCOMITANT. It's pronounced—kon-kom-i-tant, with accent on the second syllable. It means—That which accompanies, an associate, a companion, that which goes along with.

It comes from Latin—"con," with, and "comitari," to accompany. Companion word—concomitance. It's used like this—"Sneezing and a feeling of lassitude are usually concomitants of a cold."

## Our Own Country.

Question—Canada has the greatest gold mine in America. What and where is it?

Answer—Canada has the greatest and richest gold mine in America—the Hollinger—in Northern Ontario, the value of gold and silver produced in 1921 being over \$10,000,000.

Question—What was Canada's mineral production in 1921?

Answer—Canada's mineral production in 1921 reached a grand total of \$173,327,580, viz., metallics, \$52,580,002; non-metallic, \$89,405,256; structural materials and clay products, \$30,342,322.

## Pale and Sallow

A Condition That Always Comes With Watery Blood.

Women's work is never done. She starts with the housework as soon as she rises in the morning and is generally busy up to the time she retires at night. The work must be done whether she is feeling well or not. It's sometimes a monotonous grind for the healthy, normal individual, but it becomes almost intolerable at times if the daily routine must be gone through with when the body cries out with pain, when stooping produces dizzy spells and nervous headaches are frequent. A large proportion of the suffering among women is due to poor, watery blood. Once the blood loses its quality the nerves begin to protest, for the nerves are nourished entirely by the blood. In this condition a reliable blood tonic is the best treatment, as is shown by the experience of Mrs. N. D. Morrison, St. Esprit, N. S., who says: "I was in an extremely nervous and run down condition. I had headaches, my circulation was poor, and my complexion pale and sallow. I would become breathless at the least exertion and was able to do but little of my household work. I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and soon found they were helping me, and after continuing their use for a time I felt as well as ever. Since that time I take the pills occasionally and always find benefit."

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## MORATORIUM IN PART ALLOWED

Delay in Reparation Payments Conditionally Granted to Germany.

### MUST BALANCE BUDGET

Teutonic Republic to Raise 60,000,000,000 Marks in New Taxes.

PARIS, March 22.—A partial moratorium has been given Germany for her reparation payments in 1922, according to a decision of the reparations commission made public here today. The plan carries with it a specific obligation on the part of Germany to raise sixty billion marks, in additional taxes; to float an internal loan to balance her budget; to stop the exportation of capital and make the Reichsbank independent; radically to reduce expenses; to submit to a system of supervision through obligatory consultations with a commission on guarantees, and either to float an international loan, or to make a levy on capital to raise a substantial sum for reparations.

The moratorium is conditional on the fulfillment of the conditions of the commission by May 31, which may be revoked later if Germany does not continue to comply with them. The commission calls for the execution of the Cannes agreement providing for the payment of 750,000,000 gold marks, and of 1,450,000,000 marks in goods during 1922. As Germany has paid about 282,000,000 gold marks in ten payments there remains a balance of 468,000,000 marks due.

**Monthly Payments.**  
The balance is payable, 18,000,000,000 marks on April 15; 50,000,000 marks monthly from May to October 15, inclusive, and 60,000,000 marks each November and December 15. The goods reparations are payable 550,000,000 marks to France and 500,000,000 to the other Allies as far as they place orders.

The British will receive 26 per cent of the import tax on German goods and other similar funds credited against the merchandise account, but if Germany fails to deliver the goods ordered she must pay the balance in cash.

Merchandise delivered to the armies of occupation is to be credited only to army costs. All deferred payments on army cost reparations are to bear 5 per cent interest.

The reparations commission delivered its terms to the German representatives in Paris early this morning after an all-night session, which ended at 1 o'clock this morning. There were two letters given the Germans,

## Kiwanians Raise Fund To Aid Russian Babes.

ST. THOMAS, March 22.—The objective of the fund established by the Kiwanis Club of this city for the relief of hungry children in the famine-stricken Volga region of Russia, was more than reached Wednesday, when donations reached a total of \$521.25.

Members of the Kiwanis Club, who had already contributed \$215 towards the fund, gave an additional \$306 on Wednesday, thereby making the total more than \$20 in excess of the objective. The money will be sent to Sir George Burns, the treasurer of the fund at Ottawa, and will be used to equip a kitchen capable of feeding 100 kiddies until harvest time.

signed by the four delegates, the first of eight hundred words, outlining the payments required, and the second, of 1,700 words, answering the German chancellor's letter of Jan. 28.

### Claim Reforms Inadequate.

The commission takes up the German chancellor's proposed reforms at the start, and insists they are far from adequate. It remarks that the budget receipts exceed the \$2,000,000,000 paper marks expenses by 16,500,000,000 marks, which was partially necessary to balance other deficits, so that there is a total deficit in the reparations budget of 183,250,000,000 marks, which the present moratorium reduces by 45,000,000,000 marks, but that this is based on 45 paper marks to the gold mark, while the actual exchange is 70 to 1.

The commission holds that the German budget, including reparations payments, should be balanced as far as possible through taxation, but that an internal loan or a levy on capital must wipe out any deficit. The text of the decision is divided into six parts—budget; loans or levy; exportation of capital; the Reichsbank; compilation of statistics; and the final paragraph obligating Germany to accept conditions which are to be made later.

The budget reforms, the commission says, must be effected immediately the program is known, as the final compromise must be put into effect before April 30. It also says taxation must be increased to raise the fifty billion marks additional during the fiscal year—forty billion of the amount during 1922.

### ELIMINATE HEMS.

The hems, which ordinarily appear on either side of insertion and give fine clothing, particularly baby dresses, a rather weighty appearance, can be dispensed with if a line of machine hemstitching is put where the insertion is to be and then is cut along the center.

## DECIDE COUNTY ROAD MILEAGE

Elgin Councillors Pass Report of Highways Committee Unanimously.

### AVOID EXPECTED STRIFE

Dutton Reeve Waives Opposition On Satisfactory Explanation Being Given.

ST. THOMAS, March 22.—Approximately 48 miles of roads well distributed throughout the county of Elgin, were designated county roads at a special meeting of the county council Tuesday afternoon. The roads will replace those which formerly formed a part of the county system but which were taken over as a part of the provincial highway scheme.

The threatened bitter fight which was expected to take place between the representatives of the rural districts and the members from the villages and towns over the report of the special good roads committee, which was appointed last January to investigate the relation of village roads to the county system when those roads formed connecting links did not take place.

### Adopted Unanimously.

The report was adopted unanimously when the only opposition, raised by Reeve Dutton of Dutton, was successfully met. The committee recommended that if the county grants to villages are continued that the provincial government be memorialized to grant permission to the villages to use the money for maintenance of roads, as well as for construction work, to which use the money is restricted at the present time.

This recommendation raised some objection from Reeve Dutton, but it was highly commended by Reeve D. Jackson of Port Stanley.

### Grants To Villages.

The committee also suggested that the county system of roads be not extended into villages, but that the county should grant each village a sum of money for the construction of village streets, which form connecting links between county roads, to the amount of the estimated cost of the work if it had been done by the county.

This will mean that if the village requires a street wider than the county roads or desire curbing and pavement it will be forced to bear the extra cost itself.

The Stalter Gully bridge question was not brought up for discussion. The council will hold another session Wednesday morning.

### St. Thomas Topics

**ONE MONTH IN JAIL** is the penalty George Lundy of Oswego, N. Y., must pay for trespassing on the M. C. R. railway. Lundy was arrested one week ago, when he was found by Captain Kast, of the M. C. R., riding on a silk special. He was held one week while his records were investigated, but nothing was found to brand him a criminal. He pleaded guilty when he was arraigned before Magistrate Maxwell.

**ONLY \$13.25 REMAINS** to be collected before the fund established by the Kiwanis Club of this city reaches its objective of \$500. When the total is reached a kitchen will be equipped in famine-stricken Russia to feed hungry children. The objective will be reached by Wednesday night, it is expected.

**JACK MINER OF KINGSVILLE**, known far and wide as the friend of all wild birds, lectured in the Methodist Church of this city, Tuesday night. His subject was "How to Tame Wild Geese." Moving pictures depicted how well the birds were treated when they visited his farm.

**THREE TIMES** in the past two months the poultry houses on the farm of Russell Paddon, just north of this city, were raided, and after the last raid no bird of his once prize flock were left. Eight weeks ago Paddon's farm was first visited, and about one-third of his pure-bred chickens were stolen. One month later several more birds disappeared, but the finish came during the past week when all that remained were carried away. Mr. Paddon's loss will amount to more than \$200.

**OWING TO THE ILLNESS** of his counsel, C. St. Clair Leland, Leland Stover, charged with robbing Lindsay's garage in Aylmer, Jan. 10, will not be given a hearing for another week. He was to have appeared before Judge Duncan Ross in the county court today, but the case was adjourned. Bail of \$500 was renewed.

**POLICE IN EVERY CITY** and town within a radius of several hundred miles have been warned by Chief of Police Arnold of this city to watch for goods stolen from Heard's tailor shop of this city on Tuesday morning. It is believed by the police that some attempt will be made to dispose of the cloth through second hand dealers.

**JOHN GOODWIN**, a former well-known resident of this city, died at his home in Niagara Falls, Wednesday morning. He is survived by his wife and one daughter.

**WILFRED ERNEST MATTHEWS**, only son of Mrs. William Matthews, fifth concession of Yarmouth, died Wednesday morning at 8:20, of pneumonia, aged 3 years. The child took seriously ill last Wednesday. The funeral will be held Friday at 2 o'clock to St. Thomas Cemetery.

**JOHN LOTT**, 89 years of age, one of the oldest residents of this city died at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Walter Hunter, 39 Wilson avenue, Wednesday morning, following a long illness.

Mr. Lott was born in Leamington, but moved here from Walkerville, where he resided for some time, five years ago. He is survived by five daughters, Mrs. E. Wigie, Kingsville; Mrs. G. Ford, Harrow; Mrs. E. MacHardy, Leamington; Mrs. G. Harris, Aylmer; and Mrs. W. Hunter, city, and one son, who resides at Aylmer. The body will be forwarded to

## GIVES BLOOD TO SAVE CHILD'S LIFE

TORONTO, March 22.—In an effort to save the life of Jean, one of her triplets, Mrs. McCarter of this city, gave a transfusion of blood at the Hospital for Sick Children last night. In spite of this heroic effort of the mother it is feared that the grim reaper will win the battle for the life of the little one.

The triplets were taken ill with pneumonia some time ago, and at first hopes were held out for their recovery. Today it is reported that Jean, despite the operation, is very low, and the end is not far off. Jackie, too, is not doing well, and the doctors have little hope of saving his life.

Billy, however, is well on the way to recovery, and has been taken from the hospital.

As a result of last night's operation, Mrs. McCarter is very weak, but is reported to be doing nicely.

## RURAL TELEPHONE ISSUES DISCUSSED

Problems of Independent Companies in Essex and Kent Heard at Chatham.

### FIFTY DELEGATES ATTEND

Commissioner Will Hold Meeting in St. Thomas on Thursday and London Friday.

### Special to London Advertiser.

CHATHAM, March 21.—An important meeting of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board was held in the chamber of commerce rooms this morning with Commissioner Dagg of Toronto presiding. The commissioner was welcomed to the city by Manager London of the chamber of commerce, after which the business of the session was dealt with.

Fifty delegates from 27 private and independent telephone companies operating in Essex and Kent counties were present at the morning and afternoon sessions. They discussed various phases of the telephone trade with the commissioner, who joined in the discussion at intervals, pointing out changes in methods, etc.

M. C. McClelland, district superintendent of the Bell Telephone Company, gave a short talk on "Traffic Conditions and Long Distance Services." A. C. Lons, district equipment foreman of the Bell Company, spoke on "Telephones and Inside Equipment," and T. H. Ashley, of Hamilton, special agent of the Bell Telephone Company, gave an interesting paper on "Conductors."

J. L. Richmond, of London, district superintendent of the Bell Telephone Company, was present at the meeting.

The commissioner holds a meeting in St. Thomas tomorrow, and will be in London on Friday.

## WOULD PROHIBIT KILLING RACCOONS FOR FIVE YEARS

Fish and Game Associations Seek Many Amendments to Present Laws.

### TORONTO, March 22.—The fish and game committee of the Ontario Legislature organized this morning, and was presented with a long list of recommendations from various hunters and from fish and game protective associations of the province.

One asks for a three-year close season for heaver in Parry Sound, and another for a five-year close season for raccoons all over the province. There are several changes asked for in connection with duck hunting. One is that no blinds nor decoys be placed more than 200 yards from shore. Another wants the limit a hunter can kill in a season fixed at 150 ducks, and another recommendation would fix the limit at 100. The present maximum allowed is 200.

A resolution coming from Walkerville would make the law against hunting on Sunday more effective by making it illegal to carry a shotgun or other weapons of the hunt on Sunday.

There are several minor changes in regard to the deer hunting, a number asking for slight changes in the dates of the open season.

The Birch Lake Club of Algoma opposed granting fishing licenses for inland lakes; the Ontario Sportsmen's Game and Fish Protective Association protests against licenses for the use of seines and dipnets in bays and at the mouths of rivers. The recommendations will be considered at further meetings of the committee.

## CRIPPLE PASSES BOY SCOUT TESTS

Special to London Advertiser.

BRANTFORD, March 21.—Crippled from the waist down, 13-year-old Mervyn Jackson has passed his tests as a full-fledged tenderfoot boy scout. On Saturday he proceeded to Cock-shutt bush, where the 11th Brant troop, boy scouts, were holding their proficiency tests. A little friend, Earl Pearce, assisted young Jackson onto his boy scout wagon and drew him over the miles of country road to the troop rendezvous.

Kingsville Thursday morning via P. M. R. Interment will be made at Arner on Friday.

**JAMES EDWARD ROSE**, a resident of this city for nearly 50 years, died at his home, 59 St. Catherine street, early Wednesday morning. Mr. Rose, who had been ill for some time, took a turn for the worse a few days ago. He was born in Port Huron, but moved to this city when he was 17 years of age. Besides his widow, he is survived by six sons, William, Harry and George, Walkerville; Robert, Portland, Mich.; Edward, city, and Joseph, at home; two sisters, Harriet and Helen, and two brothers, William and Joseph.

The funeral, which will be private, will take place at 1 o'clock Friday afternoon. Interment in Aylmer Cemetery.

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May 5, June 2, June 30 ..... Montcalm	June 7, July 5 ..... Minnedosa
May 12 ..... Minnedosa	MONTREAL—SOUTHAMPTON
May 19, June 17, July 14 ..... Tunisian	GLASGOW
May 26, June 23 ..... Corsican	July 3 ..... Scotian

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## Winter Comes

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No one in the office was pretending to do any work. As in the street, all were in groups eagerly talking. The clerks' room resounded with excited discussion. Everybody wanted to talk to somebody. He went into Mr. Fortune's room. Mr. Fortune and Twynning and Harold were gathered round a map cut from a newspaper, all talking, even young Harold giving his views and being attentively listened to. They looked up and greeted cordially. Everybody was cordial and communicative to everybody. "Come along in, Sabre," he joined them and he found their conversation extraordinarily reassuring, like the woman who had sufficiently provided with three tins of fruit, knew a tremendous lot about it and a pot of jam and a bag of flour. They had evidently been reading military articles for days past. They all showed what was going to be done, illustrating it on the map. And the map itself was extraordinarily reassuring; as Twynning showed—his fingers covering the whole of the belligerent countries—while the Germans were delivering all their power down here, in Belgium, the Russians simply nipped in here and would be threatening Berlin before those fools knew where they were!

He thought, "By Jove, yes." "And granted," said Mr. Fortune—"Mr. Fortune was granting propositions right and left with an amiability of all keeping with his normal stubbornness." "And granted that Germany can put into the field the enormous numbers you mention, Twynning, what use are they to her? None. No use whatever. I was talking last night to Sir James Bouldier. His son has been foreign correspondent to one of the London papers for years. He's attended the army manoeuvres in Germany, France, Austria—everywhere. He knows modern military conditions through and through, as you may say. Well, he says—and it's obvious when you think of it—that Germany can't possibly use her enormous masses. No room for them. Only the merest fraction can ever get into action. Where they're coming in is like crowding into the neck of a bottle. Two-thirds of them uselessly jammed up behind. A mere handful can hold them up."

Harold put in, "Yes, and those terrible fortresses, sir." "Precisely. Precisely. Liege, Namur, Antwerp—absolutely impregnable, all the military correspondents say so. Impregnable. Well, then, there you are. It's like sending a thousand men to fight in a sack. Look here—" He went vigorously to the window. Sabre went to the window; Sabre went to the window, profoundly impressed. With them, German army down this way from the cathedral. Choked. Blocked. Immovable mob. How many do you suppose could hold them up? Thirty, twenty, a dozen. Hold them up and throw them into hopeless and utter disorder. Pah! Simple, isn't it? I

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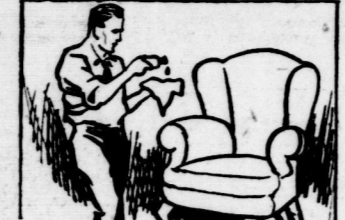
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a bit of a fuss? Well, I thought I'd just see again so as to get out of paying that higher premium. "Oh, that. What nonsense it was. What did he say?" "Said I had a murmur or some rot. I say, if you're going back now, don't wait dinner for me tonight. I'll get something here. The Evening Times is bringing out a special edition at nine o'clock. I'd like to wait for it."

She assented. "Yes, bring home the paper."

He went into the office. The afternoon post had brought letters to his desk. He turned them over without interest, then caught up one—from Nona.

Marko, this frightful war! I have thanked God on my knees for you that last week you prevented me. If I had done it with this! Tony has rejoined the Guards, he was in the Reserve of Officers. And you see that whatever has been, and is, dear, he's my man to stand by in this. Marko, it would have been too awful if I couldn't, and I thank God for you, again and again and again.

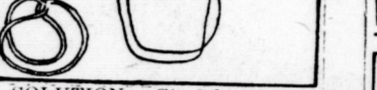
Twynning appeared. "Hullo, old man, heard the latest? I say, you look as if you're ready to take on the whole world."

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

## PARLOR FUN FOR EVERYONE

MATERIALS: String with ends tied; scissors.

PROBLEM: To cut string in two and rejoin pieces without knotting.



SOLUTION: Stretch string between hands, twist it once and put both ends into left hand. Draw right hand quickly along the doubled string until it covers spot where the strings cross. Conceal the joint with right thumb and forefinger. Hold string the same way a short length away with the right hand and ask an onlooker to cut between your hands. Reveal four ends, showing the string is cut in two. Put all four ends into the mouth and remove with your tongue the little cut off loop. Absence of this will not be noticed when the string is taken out as one.

ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS

(By Olive Roberts Barton.)



"It's very queer," said Nancy, getting down on her knees to look.

ALTHOUGH Nancy and Nick tramped over the entire side of the Electric Mountain, hunting for the invisible brook, not a sign of it could they see. At last they grew very tired.

"Oh, let's give it up and go back to the path," said Nancy. "I'd like to find the Elderdawn Mountain and lie down and take a sleep."

Suddenly who should appear beside them but Kip, their little Brownie friend, who had found their goloshes for them.

"Oh, Kippie, I'm so glad to see you," said the little girl. "I'm so tired, and I think we're lost or something. And we've had a lot of trouble."

"I suspected as much," nodded Kip. "and that's why I'm here. By this time, if all had gone well, you'd have been over Elderdawn Mountain and half way over Chocolate Mountain. Hey! Watch out there! Don't sit down. If you do you'll touch some of the electric flowers and get shocked. Then you will never get to the end of your journey. That's the idea. To tire you both out so you'll sit down and stay down."

"Whose idea is it?" asked Nick, drowsily.

"Whose idea is anything? Who has been trying everything in his power to keep you from taking the record to the Princess Therna? Why, Twelve Toes, the sorcerer, of course."

"But we heard a brook," Nancy started to tell him. "and we—" "Yes, I know you heard a brook," Kip interrupted. "And there isn't any brook on this mountain any more than there is a cow in the moon. That's why I'm here."

"When I got your goloshes from the Sorcerer's cave I lost a suspend-er button and went back to get it."

"And what do you think that old sorcerer was doing? Pouring water from one kettle into another and back again, right in front of his telephone. And the electric wires on this mountain caught the sound—there's a telephone up in every tree that you can't see—and it sounded exactly like a mountain brook to you. Old Twelve Toes is probably listening to what I'm telling you this very minute. Won't he be mad!"

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## Cut Overhead To Better Pictures



LINA LE LONG, FRENCH CHILD SCREEN IDOL, CONSIDERED ONE OF THE MOST BEAUTIFUL OF MOVIE CHILDREN.

BY JAMES W. DEAN.

NEW YORK, March 22.—Production of motion pictures is now on a better basis than it has been in the last 12 months. Several big companies have consolidated. Another consolidation is near. It involves two of the biggest companies in the business.

This has resulted in saving great amounts of money consumed in overhead expense. Those savings are now going into production. Pictures are costing more to make than formerly. More attention is being given to detail and casts. Former stars are playing in supporting roles.

All of this is reflected in the newer pictures. Photoplays of today are better technically and artistically than they have ever been before.

Charlie Ray, as has been noted before, is to make only two pictures a year under his new contract with United Artists. His first step toward the production of his next picture, the production of Joseph DeGrasse as director. A director is what Ray needs to make better pictures.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN  
RHUBARB DISHES

HERE are many delicious ways to prepare rhubarb for the table. Use it often in the early spring, but try to vary the way of serving it to prevent monotony.

If you serve stewed rhubarb for breakfast, do not serve a cereal. A rhubarb dessert is specially good after a fish dinner.

These seven rhubarb rules are simple and economical. Try 'em!

Stewed Rhubarb. Wash and peel rhubarb. Cut in inch lengths. Put in a colander and pour boiling water through it. Drain and put in stew pan with a very little water. Cook until tender when pierced with a silver fork.

Put one cup of granulated sugar for every two cups of stewed rhubarb in a bowl and pour the boiling rhubarb over the sugar. Stir with fork until sugar is dissolved. Serve cold for breakfast.

Baked Rhubarb Pudding. Two cups stewed and sweetened rhubarb, 1 cup bread crumbs, 2 tablespoons butter, 1 egg.

Add butter and well beaten egg to rhubarb. Mix well. Put a layer of bread crumbs in a well buttered baking dish. Add rhubarb. Cover with remaining crumbs, dot with bits of butter and bake 45 minutes in a moderate oven.

Cover the dish with buttered paper for the first 20 minutes of baking to prevent the top from becoming too brown.

Rhubarb Marshmallow Pudding. Two cups diced rhubarb, 1 cup chopped dates, 1 cup bread crumbs, 1 tablespoon butter, ½ cup sugar, marshmallows.

Put rhubarb in colander and pour boiling water through it. Drain and add dates. Put in stew pan with just enough water to prevent burning. Cook 10 minutes and remove from the fire. Add sugar, bread crumbs and butter.

If the rhubarb is too dry add enough water to absorb the crumbs. Turn into a buttered pudding dish. Cover with marshmallows cut in quarters. Bake in a slow oven until the marshmallows begin to melt. Then increase the heat and brown quickly. Serve warm.

Rhubarb Meringue Pie. Two and one-half cups finely cut rhubarb, 2 eggs, 1 cup sugar, 1 teaspoon butter, 1 tablespoon flour, 3 tablespoons water, 1-8 teaspoon salt.

Pour boiling water over rhubarb and let stand five minutes. Drain. Mix and sift flour and sugar and stir into rhubarb. Beat yolks of eggs till thick and lemon colored with water. Beat in salt. Add butter. Turn into a pie dish lined with unbaked pie crust and bake in a moderate oven.

When the crust is baked and the rhubarb tender remove from oven and cover with meringue made with the white of the eggs beaten till stiff and dry with four tablespoons of sugar. Brown in a hot oven.

Rhubarb Tapioca. One-half cup pearl tapioca, 2 cups diced rhubarb, 1 cup sugar, ½ teaspoon salt.

Soak tapioca over night in cold water to cover. Drain. Put in double boiler with one cup boiling water and wash. Cook and put to soak in two cups cold water. Soak an hour. Cook in the same water till tender. Skim out prunes and add diced rhubarb. Cook till tender, but not mushy. Remove stems from prunes.

Rhubarb Jelly. One cup prunes, 2 cups rhubarb, 1 cup sugar, 1-8 teaspoon salt, 1 orange, 1 tablespoon granulated gelatine, ¼ cup cold water.

Wash prunes and put to soak in two cups cold water. Soak an hour. Cook in the same water till tender. Skim out prunes and add diced rhubarb. Cook till tender, but not mushy. Remove stems from prunes. Add juice and grated rind of orange. Soak gelatine in cold water 15 minutes. Stir into hot rhubarb mixture. Add stoned and chopped prunes and turn into a mold to chill.

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## POLLY AND PAUL AND PARIS

### CHAPTER LIII.—TO TELL OR NOT?

By Zoe Beckley.

It was still early when Paul, lonely and heavy of heart, reached the Rue d'Antin. The concierge was taking the air before closing the doors for the night. Reluctant to have her see him dejected, Paul tried to be jocular.

"And how's my wife been behaving in my absence? I left her in your charge, you know, Mme. Dubois."

"Like an angel!" came her quick reply. "In bed every night before 10, monsieur. My daughter, Jeanne, was not more exemplary than madame—and I am strict with Jeanne."

She rattled on almost eagerly. "Sometimes Mme. Dawson was with her friend Mlle. Brady—and an amiable young lady she is—but always she was early indoors, every night."

"What?" said Paul, queerly. "Every single night?"

"Mais, oui, monsieur, that is what I said." She suddenly began hunting for something in her little room. "I ought to know. Do I not see everything through my little window here? But—monsieur is jesting."

"Yes," said Paul. "Good night, madame."

"Bon soir, monsieur, bon soir." Paul climbed two flights of stairs before he remembered the elevator. Then he kept on, smiling grimly. That good Mme. Dubois, friend of Polly and kindly soul that she was, had to be for her, made him sick at heart. Or—was it Violet who had told him falsely? Well—Polly would tell him when she came home.

He dreared going in. The place would be like a tomb, or worse yet, a veritable nightmare.

The door was flung open from inside—and Polly was in his arms!

"I told Mme. Dubois not to tell you!"

"Tell me what?" Paul's voice was eager.

"—that I was home, goose! The minute I got the telegram (forwarded by mail, dear, imagine!) I flew back. I wanted to surprise you. Paul darling—you don't look well. Are you tired, boy? Didn't the work go right?"

"Aren't—aren't you glad to see me?"

"What a question, my girl," and his lips silenced hers wordlessly.

She had prepared a little feast—some cold meat from the charcuterie round the corner, a salad of her own making, strawberries on their own green leaves, and tiny almond cakes.

"But—but dear, there's something the matter? Is anything worrying you?" Polly came round the table and put a finger under his chin.

"Ump-ump!" he shook his head. "Not a thing. Tell me about yourself."

"But I have. I've been talking a streak. I wrote you about the studio party we went to at the Crassards?"

"M—yes, but you didn't tell very much. I've never been to a studio party—tell me everything about it. Was it a late affair—seeing the dawn and all that sort of thing?"

"Paul—where were you tonight, just now, before you came in?"

(To Be Continued.)

REV. E. J. STOBO DIES.  
TORONTO, March 22.—Following an illness extending over five years, Rev. Dr. Edward J. Stobo, died this morning at his home here. Born in Kilmarnock, Scotland, 55 years ago, deceased came to Canada when he was six years of age. He entered the University of Toronto and later McMaster, where he secured the degrees of Doctor of Arts and Doctor of Sacred Theology.

However, the story as a whole is a step forward, and shows interesting advance in Muriel Hine's powers of artistic creation.

There are bits of very charming descriptions of rural England and of Southern France, and one's very unconsciousness of the machinery is the greatest tribute to the easy, graceful style.

There are decided weaknesses in the character development—Tourquill is not altogether convincing, and the author does not let his actions speak for him. She is constantly explaining him for the reader. This is true to an even greater extent of the minor characters.

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## FEAR ORIENTAL INFLUX PERILS CANADIAN WEAL

British Columbia Members See Grave Danger in Immigration From Far East.

### SUGGESTS INCOME TAX

East York Conservative Fears Many Aliens Escape Levy in Larger Cities.

OTTAWA, March 22.—The house heard something this afternoon of the perils of Oriental immigration.

A British Columbia Progressive had the floor—T. G. McBride of Cariboo. Mr. McBride held that Oriental immigration was costing Canada millions of dollars. East was East, and West was West, and white and yellow would never associate.

Japanese births in British Columbia in 1910 numbered 20; in 1920 they numbered 657. Vancouver paid \$60,000 last year to educate Orientals. "We think about Orientals now," Mr. McBride exclaimed, "what you will be thinking about them in 25 years."

Mr. McBride urged further that the land settlement scheme for returned soldiers should be investigated by commission, and the settlers given a revaluation of their land and equipment.

Debate on the address dragged along the whole afternoon with and scheduled for tomorrow night.

### Asks Rail Divorce.

Harold Putnam, Liberal, who, in the general election defeated Hon. F. R. McCreedy in Colchester County, Nova Scotia, emphasized what other Maritime Province members have emphasized before—that the Intercolonial Railway should be divorced from the National Railways, and its headquarters re-established at Moncton. "We can't run an excursion train for a few miles," protested Mr. Putnam, "without appealing to Toronto for permission."

Richard Hanson, Conservative from York-Sunbury, broke in with a query. "What do you want?" he questioned. "Do you want to return to the halcyon days of H. R. Emmerson, when the I. C. R. was a political machine?"

"I don't want that," Mr. Putnam retorted. "But as between the days of Emmerson and the stifling of trade and ambition which obtains today, give us back the days of Emmerson."

Continuing the debate on the address in the House of Commons this afternoon, John Evans, Progressive, Saskatoon, said the tariff, as it stood today, was not the greatest economic evil militating against the workers of the land. But it was the basis and foundation upon which the structure of special privileges was built.

**No Dividing Line.** There was no dividing line between either of the old parties, and prior to the advent of the Progressives there was no opportunity for the people to express their wishes for democracy. Today Progressives stood as the only party representing true democracy. If the Laurier-Felding tariff was made safe for another four years the Progressives following the next general election would return to Parliament in much greater numbers.

Mr. Evans criticized the conditions under which returned soldiers were settled upon the land. These conditions were unfair to the men who had fought for the liberty of Canada. He said soldiers returning from the front, walking off their farms in despair.

J. H. Harris (Conservative, East York) expressed the opinion that a great essential had been overlooked in Canada's immigration policy. It was not enough for an immigrant to have a clean bill-of-health; he should also have a clear conception of British ideals and institutions, and be prepared to conform to them. A large number of Europeans, who would not be content to go on the land, were anxious to come to Canada. In some instances immigrants crowded into cities and lived in such a way that they practically escaped municipal taxes. It would be a good idea to institute an income tax commensurate with the municipal tax paid by the Canadian workmen for imposition on this class of immigrant.

### Lauds Estimate Cut.

J. E. S. E. d'Anjou (Liberal, Richmond) was glad to see that the government had reinstated the French language in its former place in the house, by having a French Canadian second the address. With the change in ministry, Canada had returned to a system of constitutional government. The reduction in the militia estimates which had been forecast was pleasant news, as was the statement in the speech from the throne which indicated that the present government was giving more attention to agriculture than had its predecessor. There was need for further agricultural information in the country.

Harold Putnam (Liberal, Colchester) contended that the old parties and their effects, but the benefits of the party system far outweighed its defects. Each party conceived it to be its duty to point out its own good deeds, and the misdeeds of the other party to the public. If the fire of debate sometimes carried members too far the public would render judgment. The guiding spirit of the house must be based on the principle of the greatest good to the greatest number.

### Discards Old Label.

The courageous and brilliant campaign waged by the prime minister was the most important factor in the Liberal victory. The country has discarded the old and ill-fitting garment labelled "National Liberal and Conservative party," but people throughout the country were saying that Mr. Meighen would make a splendid leader for the opposition. The indictment, founded on fact, against the late government, was so strong that the people ousted it. The commonsense of the people prevailed. The railway muddle was tragedy so

## World Storm Center Rests On Sabbath



PREMIER LLOYD GEORGE AND DAUGHTER.

PREMIER DAVID LLOYD GEORGE spends a quiet Sabbath hour with his daughter Megan at Chequers Court in the hill that precedes another political storm, with enemies in India, Africa and at home arrayed against him.

far as the Maritimes were concerned. The fathers of confederation had asked them to come in and sacrifice their New England markets in order to make a united Canada. They came in, but now the rates on the Intercolonial Railroad were ruining Maritime trade and driving young men and women across the line. It was never intended that this government road, should pay commercially, but when freight rate hearings were now conducted the road was looked at from a purely business basis.

Hon. F. B. McCurdy, late minister of public works, pleaded the Meighen government in his election campaign to divorce the Intercolonial Railroad from the National Railways system if the government had been returned. The headquarters must be moved back to Moncton and men who knew local conditions appointed to handle the road.

**Now Breeds Hatred.** If the Intercolonial was managed from Moncton, supplies would be purchased in the Maritime Provinces. Under present conditions, the Maritime Provinces were only permitted to supply a certain amount of coal to the Canadian National Railways, and this privilege had been obtained after much bickering. They could not run an excursion train for a few miles without appealing to Toronto for permission. Present situation was breeding hatred against Ontario among certain classes in the Maritime Provinces.

The former minister of customs in the Meighen government (Hon. J. B. M. Baxter) had said he was prepared to stand behind all the proposals in the bill which he had issued previous to the last election. Mr. Putnam asked if he was prepared to support a circular issued by Hon. F. B. McCurdy, former minister of public works, reading "Vote for McCurdy and I. C. R. headquarters at Moncton."

G. McBride (Progressive, Cariboo) devoted some time to a discussion of the problem of orientals. It was costing the country millions of dollars and the effect it would have on civilization could not be ignored. Orientals would not assimilate and the white and yellow races would never associate. They should not be brought together.

**Bares Yellow Peril.** He declared that in 1910 only 20 Japanese were born in British Columbia, but in 1920 the number had grown to 675. In 1910, 17 Japanese were born in British Columbia to every 1,000 white births. In 1920 the figures were 69 Japanese to 1,000 whites.

A school inspector reported that oriental attendance at schools with white boys and girls must be stopped. Orientals were receiving their education at the expense of the British Columbia taxpayers. In Vancouver it cost \$60,000 to educate orientals last year. The influx of Japanese and Chinese tended to lower the moral and laboring standards of the communities. It was a situation which must be ended at once. Canada must become a country of homes, but this could not be attained while oriental labor was competing with white labor. "We think about orientals now what you will think about them in 25 years," Mr. McBride added.

### Wants Commission.

It was up to the government to appoint a commission to investigate returned soldiers' land settlement and to bring in recommendations under which they would be given a revaluation of their lands and equipment. Soldiers should not be called up before pension boards every few months in order to see if their pensions could not be lowered. There should be a fixed minimum pension. Soldiers suffering from tuberculosis should not be separated from their wives and families. Cottage sanatoria should be established and light occupation provided for the men. The present state of affairs must be remedied immediately.

Mr. McBride did not understand why the time of the house had been taken up with post-mortems on the recent election campaign, or by reading extracts from newspapers. The house must get away from the political game.

A board of managers, composed of expert railwaymen and wholly non-political in character, should be appointed to manage the National Railways. If such a board had been ap-

## CROCKETT'S BILL PASSES AFTER HOUSE DIVIDES

Measure Provides That One Municipality Aid Another With Utilities.

### REJECT STEVENSON'S BILL

London Member's Proposal Declined Because of Late Presentation.

TORONTO, March 22.—The first division in the Legislature this session was called this afternoon. It was on the second reading of the bill introduced by W. A. Crockett (Wentworth South) which provides that on the order of the provincial health officer a municipality must construct works necessary to provide another municipality with such services as water and sewer. The second reading passed 55 to 26, the bill getting the solid support of the members on the government side of the house, as well as Wellington Hay, C. Mageau, W. J. Braze, Thomas Marshall, among the Liberals, and Charles McCrea, A. M. Rankin, W. F. Nickle and J. Joynt among the Conservatives.

The remaining Liberals in the house at the time, including Major Tolmie, and the remaining Conservatives, including Hon. Howard Ferguson, opposed the bill, as did the Independents.

The chief objection to the bill is that it gives drastic powers to force a large city to supply services, such as water and sewer to smaller towns or villages that may grow up at its border. The bill provides that if the two municipalities are unable to agree on what rate of the cost each shall bear the railway and municipal board of the province shall adjudicate.

### To Aid Public Health.

The supporters of the measure took the position that it was in the interests of public health that such services should be extended in many instances where the smaller municipalities were not in a position to build separate systems.

Hon. Walter Rolfe explained that there were ten instances in the province where the forcing of large centers to supply smaller adjoining municipalities would overcome more or less dangerous situations. He agreed that the bill was drastic, but thought this could be remedied in committee.

J. A. Pinard (Ottawa East) introduced two bills to amend the separate school act. One would permit election of trustees at large instead of by wards where such a practice would save expense. The other provides that where parents die and their child had been attending separate school the taxes from the estate should continue to go to the separate school board for the extent of what the guardian of the child might wish. Mr. Pinard claimed the same provision obtained in regard to public schools. A bill before the house by Dr. H. A. Stevenson (Labor, London) to amend the municipal act in order to regulate the installation of gasoline filling stations, and another introduced by H. P. Hill (Ottawa, West) to amend the assessment act were rejected on the ground that the time for the presentation of private bills had expired.

**Demands Full Information.** M. MacBride (Ottawa West) asked when the return which he asked for in connection with the administration of justice in Brantford would be submitted, and was informed by the attorney-general that he hoped to have a statement ready tomorrow, but that it was difficult to make the reply as inclusive as the member for Brantford indicated. This brought G. Halcrow (Hamilton East) to his feet, demanding that all the information should be made available, as when he was on the government side of the house he had heard statements made against Mr. MacBride, and that member should be given every opportunity to get full information. The assertions, Mr. Halcrow said, were made in private conversation and therefore he could not repeat them, but "let any member of the other side ask me what those statements were, and I will tell them and tell them under oath," he concluded.

**KILLS WIFE WHO OBJECTED TO HIS MAKING LIQUOR**

Wasil Caprara, Hamilton, Shoots Spouse, Then Commits Suicide.

HAMILTON, March 22.—Under the influence of liquor and enraged at his wife, who protested against his manufacture of liquor in a still at his home, Wasil Caprara, a Bulgarian, aged 49, shot and killed Mrs. Mary Caprara, aged 49, his wife, this afternoon. After threatening the life of his 23-year-old son, John Caprara, who escaped, the murdered placed the rifle to his chest and ended his life.

Mrs. Caprara was shot through the temple and died instantly. Caprara suffered horrible injuries when he discharged the .40-calibre hunting rifle which he held close to his chest.

Caprara had been sober for one week, his son said, but early this afternoon he came home in a stupor, the result of bootleg whiskey. Mrs. Caprara began to discuss the liquor question, and the still was once again referred to. After a heated discussion Caprara rushed upstairs, seized his rifle, which he used for deer hunting, and came down and opened fire on his wife, who had made no attempt to leave the home.

Jugoslavia is making plans for an extensive scheme of railroad electrification.

**Spring Medicine Hood's Sarsaparilla Purifies the Blood**

## Will Prosecute Users of Auto Spotlights.

BRANTFORD, March 22.—"Auto spotlights are going to be mighty unpopular around these parts," commented a police official today. He observed that about a score of summonses have been issued against local motorists during the past few days or so for alleged infractions of the motor vehicles act.

The spotlight nuisance is one of the offences to be curbed, he said.

## BLENHHEIM CITIZEN PASSES

Mrs. Sarah Webb, Aged 77 Years, Dies at Home of Mrs. Young.

Special to London Advertiser. BLENHHEIM, March 22.—Another elderly citizen of Blenheim passed away Tuesday in the person of Mrs. Sarah Webb, aged 77 years, at the home of Mrs. Mary Young. Deceased had been ill for some time. She was formerly a resident of Up-the-Lake in Raleigh Township, and had not been a resident here long. The funeral services will be conducted by Rev. J. C. McCracken, rector of the Anglican Church here, and will be held in Christ Church, Raleigh.

The local Masonic Lodge rooms were the scene of a very pleasant affair last night, when over 20 of the brethren of Victory Lodge of Chatham paid a fraternal visit, putting on the third degree work in fine style. After the ceremony a social time was spent, at which refreshments were served.

## S. G. BURNHAM PASSES.

Special to London Advertiser.

SOMBRA, March 22.—The burial of S. G. Burnham in the Burnham Cemetery on the banks of the St. Clair River on Sunday marked the passing of a highly esteemed pioneer, who with his father had lived many years on the Burnham homestead. He had lived to see the washings of the St. Clair eat away the banks to such an extent that during his lifetime three rows of apple trees were a prey to the ever-encroaching waters. His father died a few years ago.

It is reported that the sixteenth side road of Sombra will be completed with concrete from Chatham Township to the Lambton line. This will make a complete concrete road from the east branch of the River Sydenham at McCoy's Corner to the Lambton line.

## ELGIN PIONEER DIES

Deaths of Alfred Norton and S. Bradshaw Occur.

Special to London Advertiser. AYLMER, March 22.—One of the pioneers of Malahide, Alfred Norton, died at his home in Orwell on Tuesday evening. Mr. Norton was in his 88th year, and for 60 years had resided in Orwell. He was a saddler and harnessmaker, and was held in highest esteem by his host of friends. He is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Lewis McKenney of Malahide and Miss Ollie at home.

S. Bradshaw who, for a number of years lived on the Ward farm, Talbot street west, died in St. Thomas on Tuesday, after a short illness. Besides his widow, he is survived by two sons, George of Detroit, Ezra of Cleveland, one daughter, Mrs. C. R. Lemon, Detroit, and two brothers, Percival of Washington, and William of North Dakota. The funeral will be held from his residence in St. Thomas on Thursday. Interment will be made in the St. Thomas Cemetery.

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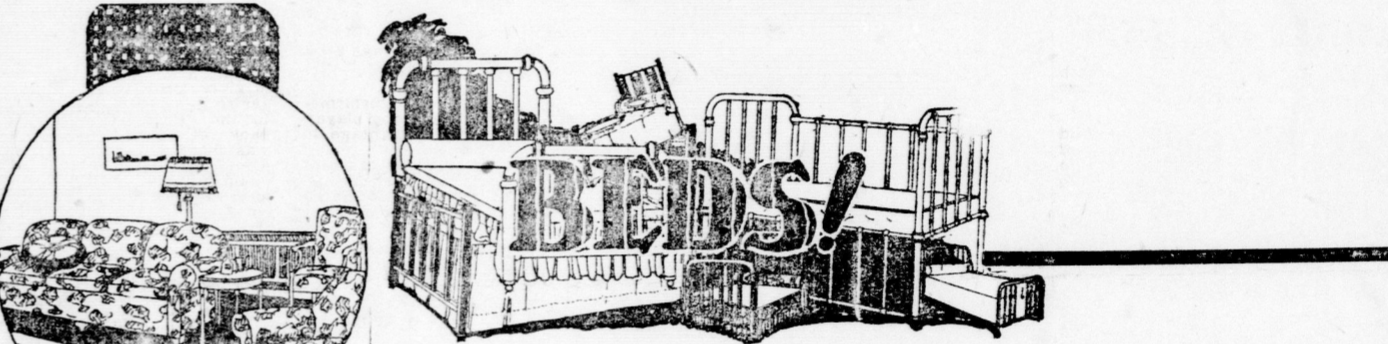


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**WOMEN'S COUNCIL ELECTS OFFICERS**

Kitchener Branch of National Organization Urges Better Housing Conditions.

**APPOINTS COMMITTEE**

Reports Received That Many Families Are Forced to Live in Congested Quarters.

*Special to London Advertiser.*  
KITCHENER, March 22. — The local branch of the National Council of Women held its annual meeting here today, one of the principal motions carried being to start a movement for better housing facilities in Kitchener.

It was pointed out that many families are living in congested quarters who would gladly better their condition if proper housing accommodation could be secured. A committee was appointed to devise ways and means of ameliorating the situation.

The following officers were elected for the year: President, Mrs. S. G. Tweed; first vice-president, Mrs. G. R. McLennan; second vice-president, Mrs. R. D. Lang; third vice-president, Mrs. W. J. Motz; fourth vice-president, Mrs. G. Wegman; recording secretary, Miss Olive Snyder; corresponding secretary, Mrs. G. W. Snider; treasurer, Mrs. F. S. Routley. Conveners: Public health (Kitchener), Miss M. Meyer; public health (Waterloo), Mrs. F. Haight; education (Kitchener), Mrs. A. L. Brethaupt; education (Waterloo), Mrs. D. A. McKerracher; laws, Mrs. W. P. Clement; citizenship, Mrs. (Dr.) Noecker; films and objectionable literature, Mrs. A. R. Kaufman.

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## LABOR COUNCIL DISCUSSES GAS

Aldermanic Deputation Explains Proposed New System to Trades Delegates.

**WOULD COST \$120,000**

**St. Thomas Municipal Plant May Have Vertical Retort Installed.**

*Special to London Advertiser.*

ST. THOMAS, March 22. — Before a largely-attended meeting of the trades and labor council, Wednesday night, a deputation from the gas committee of the city council, composed of Chairman Ald. Lemon and Ald. C. McIntyre, accompanied by R. Christie, of the municipal gas works, explained why the committee believes a vertical retort system of making gas, installed at a cost of \$120,000, is absolutely necessary for the continued efficient operation of the plant.

Ald. Lemon, as the chief speaker, explained fully all the advantages that such a system would have over the present system of making gas. He gave figures to show that the production of gas could be greatly increased from the amount of coal used at the present time if a vertical system were in use.

The profits of the plant could be so increased, he said, the principal and interest necessary to instal the new system would be cleared in 20 years besides leaving a sufficient surplus to reduce immediately the present price of gas 23 cents. Besides this he thought that the quality of gas served would be greatly improved.

**Would Not Be Burden.**  
He explained carefully that the \$125,000 necessary to instal the vertical retorts would not be a burden on the shoulders of the ratepayers, but that it would be carried entirely by the gas consumers, who in the meantime would be benefited by cheaper gas.

Mr. Lemon read statistics from other cities to refute the claim made by many that electricity was gradually decreasing the demand for gas and that in time little gas would be consumed. He did not think that such would be the case, claiming that the greatly-increased consumption of gas in Toronto, the home of hydro, during the past few years would tend to disprove it.

Mr. Lemon was called upon to answer many questions, as everyone in the hall seemed deeply interested in the question. The members of the council seemed equally divided in their opinions of the advisability of the project. While a very few opposed it, some desired to lay it over a while, and others desired more information, a good many came out decisively in favor of the scheme.

The meeting was almost unanimous in the opinion that the question should be sent to the people rather than to the railway board for settlement. Ald. Lemon was asked why the committee did not wish to send it to the people.

**Users Should Decide.**  
The chairman replied that personally he did not care whether it went to the people or to the railway board. He felt, however, that because the gas consumers would be required to pay for it they should be the only ones to decide whether it should be done. He pointed out that a good many ratepayers were not gas users and therefore cheaper gas meant nothing to them. He also said that a good many gas users who do not own property would not have anything to say in the matter.

In answer to a question he stated that the gas plant had never cost the city a cent of money, and that the gas users had paid for the present plant in its entirety.

Ald. McIntyre spoke briefly. He warned his auditors that if a retort system was not installed considerable money would be required to put the present plant into shape this year. He emphasized the statement made by Ald. Lemon that the committee was not trying to keep the issue from the people. He felt, however, that gas users should be the ones to decide the issue.

**Would Cost \$40,000.**  
Manager Christie informed the meeting that it would cost nearly \$40,000 to put the present plant into shape, even if the retorts were not installed. The plant would then still be obsolete. He read extracts to prove that electricity was not superceding the use of gas for domestic purposes. He stated that the present plant had never cost the city a cent and had contributed \$58,000 to the general funds of the city which should never have done. He strongly recommended the retort system.

Much discussion followed between the members as to the relative value of electricity and gas for domestic purposes. Mr. Sanderson, chairman of the hydro commission, who arrived late, spoke briefly in defence of hydro.

President W. P. Patterson of the trades and labor council assured the deputation that the matter would be considered at the council's next regular meeting. He told them, however, that he spoke for the council as a whole when he said that the labor men wanted the matter sent to the people.

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## THE WEEK IN THE WORLD

**HOW PRIME MINISTERS RESIGN.**

*Exclusive Advertiser Review.*

*Special to London Advertiser.*  
LONDON, March 22. — "A man becomes prime minister," writes Sir William Anson, in his standard book on the British constitution, "by the king's hand and accepting the commission to form a ministry."

Great though the political consequences be, the act by which a man ceases to be a prime minister is almost equally simple. He resigns, either in fact only appointed by the king on his advice, and vacate their offices with him.

The prime minister therefore informs his colleagues of his decision to resign before actually doing so. In this respect resignation differs from dissolution. The king dissolves Parliament on the advice of the prime minister, but in that case both he and his colleagues remain in office.

When a prime minister resigns he, as a rule, advises his majesty whom he should send for to succeed him, usually the leader of the strongest party in Parliament.

The king does so, and if necessary will ask one minister after another until he finds one willing to form a ministry.

The new prime minister generally advises his majesty to dissolve Parliament soon after taking office, but there is never a dissolution while the post of prime minister and the other great office of state are vacant.

As soon as possible after resignation the prime minister must cease to reside at 10 Downing street, or at any other place, and must not be seen by the public, or at any of his private meetings or cabinet councils of his ministers, but King George I. found it difficult to preside over discussions in a language which he only

## ACQUITS SARNIAN ON O. T. A. CHARGE

Magistrate Gorman Finds Frank Matthews Not Guilty of Having Liquor in Illegal Place.

## BROTHER JOHN HELD

Great Increase Reported in Applications for Building Permits.

*Special to London Advertiser.*  
SARNIA, March 22. — The liquor charges against the brothers Frank and John Matthews, which have aroused considerable interest, took a step forward today, when Police Magistrate Henry Gorman brought in a decision after a week's deliberation, acquitting Frank of the charge of having liquor in other than a private dwelling, contrary to the O. T. A. The magistrate stated there was no precedent for the case on the statute books.

Frank had been twice previously convicted under the act, this rendering any future place of abode other than a private place for the purpose of the act. His brother's large stock of liquor, confiscated by the police, was proved to be legally held by him. Evidence showed that Frank was residing with his brother, at the week-ends at least, and his acquittal was gained on the ground that the prosecution could prove no ownership, charge or control of the liquor in the house.

Chief Lannin, who is the complainant in the case, would not agree to withdraw the charge against John Matthews, who owns the house on Shamrock street, and this will be heard next week.

At the annual meeting of the Sarnia Chamber of Commerce Building Company held last night there was considerable discussion of the company's financial affairs, which, on the whole, were reported satisfactory.

Approval was given for the sale of another block of stock. The authorized capital of the company is \$50,000, but so far only \$22,000 in stock has been disposed of. The decision to sell a further block was taken with the idea of reducing the mortgage on the Chamber of Commerce Building, and to save interest on same. Not more than \$500 worth of stock will be sold to any one person. In 1920 and 1921 14 per cent was paid in dividends, divided equally between the two years.

A joint stock-selling committee, composed of W. A. Couss, Robert Kerr, W. E. Beresford, P. Baton and Dr. W. E. Colter, was formed to dispose of further stock.

The increase in building operations in this city continues by leaps and bounds. During the entire month of February only 14 permits were issued, while to date this month 53 applications for permits have been made, totaling an estimated value of \$48,000, and including a number of new houses.

## HOUSE TO DEBATE DAYLIGHT SAVING

OTTAWA, March 22. — (By Canadian Press). — Daylight saving is apparently to be the bone of contention in the present session of Parliament. Fred Kay, Liberal for Mississquoi, has given notice of a resolution that, in the opinion of this house it is desirable that legislation be introduced during the present session to prohibit the adoption of daylight saving time in any part of Canada.

## SOVIET BANKERS TO PAY HIGH RATE

GENEVA, March 22. — The new state bank of Soviet Russia has sent circulars to the Swiss banks offering short-term bonds bearing interest at the rate of 36 per cent for foreign currencies, particularly Swiss gold notes, United States dollars and British pounds.

## URGE BROAD UNION BASIS

Returned Soldiers Vote Confidence in G. W. V. A. Executives.

PETERBORO, March 22. — A meeting of returned soldiers not in membership with the local branch of the G. W. V. A. was held here last evening, when a vote of want of confidence in the provincial and national organization known as the G. W. V. A. was passed.

A committee was appointed to request the G. W. V. A. executive to call an open meeting of returned soldiers with a view to reorganizing the veterans into one strong body.

E. P. McGroarty presided, and the meeting was well attended by members and ex-members of the local branch of the G. W. V. A.

REPORT ICEBERGS DRIFT FAR SOUTH  
BOSTON, March 22. — Icebergs have drifted farther south this year than they had last year at this date, and are nearer the path of transatlantic travel. Hydrographic office reports today showed that bergs had been sighted 300 miles southeast of Cape Race, and 800 miles east of Boston. They are within 50 miles of the westbound transatlantic shipping lane.

BRINGS SCOTCH WHISKEY.  
HALIFAX, March 22. — The Donahoe Line steamship Cassandra, which arrived today from Glasgow, brought 2,500 packages of whiskey, 500 cases being for Ontario Vendors' Commission.

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## TORONTO STRIKES LOWER TAX RATE

TORONTO, March 22. — Toronto's tax rate for 1922 will be 32.35 mills. This is practically two-thirds of a mill lower than last year, when the rate was 33 mills. The 32.35 rate will raise \$15,631,830.27 for general purposes. The school rate is 10.75 mills on three-quarters of a mill higher than the school rate last year, leaving 21.60 mills for general purposes, or 1.40 mills less than was levied last year.

## HOLD ITALIAN FOR DESERTING WIFE

Arthur H. Palmer, provincial police officer, Wednesday, on instructions from Toronto, went to Denfield and arrested an Italian known as Angelo Ludovici, said to be wanted at Sudbury to face a charge of deserting his wife.

Ludovici was brought to London, and on appearing before Squire Chitwick was remanded to jail to await the arrival of officers from Sudbury.

## MERCHANTS BANK CEASES TO EXIST

MONTREAL, March 22. — The Merchants Bank exists no more — not even in name — for today the main office at 205 St. James street, and all the branches adopted the name "Bank of Montreal." All correspondence and business forms, letterheads, in fact, everything that once bore the old name, have been changed to the name of the absorbing bank.

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