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MOTHER DESERTS WAIF IN CITY HOSPITAL

Pledges British Aid Should Germans Menace France

LLOYD GEORGE GIVES WRITTEN WORD TO BRIAND

British Cabinet Expected To Soon Indorse Premier's Promise.

ECONOMY IS DEMANDED

Supreme Council Will Insist Upon Reduction of Berlin Government's Expenses.

Cannes, France, Jan. 10.—Notification of indorsement by the British cabinet of the written pledge binding Great Britain immediately to aid France to the full extent of her military and naval resources in case of aggression by Germany is expected from London tonight.

The pact, agreed upon by Premier Briand for France and Prime Minister Lloyd George for Great Britain, was telegraphed to the British capital last night. Reaching to this agreement, which was one of the main objects of Premier Briand at the present conference here of the Allied supreme council, has caused great satisfaction among the French delegation.

The council planned to recess today until 5 p.m., while a sub-committee engaged in the delicate task of framing an invitation to the forthcoming international financial and economic conference to a country which has already formally accepted.

French Wants Results.

This situation arose from the action of the Russian Soviet government, which, in its eagerness to be represented at the Genoa meeting sent a regular acceptance to the council's tentative query if an invitation would be accepted under certain conditions.

Meanwhile the French delegation is awaiting results of consultations in Paris regarding settlement of the German reparations question. The program agreed upon by the experts here provides for payment in 1922 of 720,000,000 gold marks, and at least an equal sum annually thereafter.

The supreme council is to discuss this matter with a German delegation, headed by Dr. Walter Rathenau, which is expected to arrive from Berlin tomorrow. After this is disposed of, the council will have remaining to consider only the question of the Angora agreement between France and the Turkish Nationalists.

Will Insist on Economy.

The council plans to impress upon the German delegates the fact that the Allies cannot longer tolerate disorder in Germany's finances. Germany will be asked immediately to reduce the number of public functionaries, increase railroad freight and passenger rates and pass laws preventing exodus of capital. Upon the assurances the German delegation is able to give of carrying out these reforms depends the final decision of the council as to whether to reinforce the guarantees to the Allies as authorized by the treaty of Versailles.

The French have proposed that the Allies appoint a commission to take charge of the German debt in case she defaults in the reparations payments. Mr. Lloyd George, however, prefers to give the Germans a chance to put their finances in order and balance their budget before adopting further measures of control.

FIND COCOANUTS FILLED WITH RUM

Minneapolis, Minn., Jan. 10.—Two hundred cocoanuts, which contained not their own natural milk, but a pint each of strong Jamaica rum, were seized by federal agents yesterday at a Minneapolis railroad station.

A cork plug coming out of one of the cocoanuts led to the discovery of the rum by an agent who was at the station. An eye of each cocoanut had been bored out, the nut filled, and a burnt cork stopper placed in the hole.

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Today—Fair.

Wednesday — Easterly winds, with snow or rain.

The weather has been fair and comparatively mild over the greater part of the Dominion, but a disturbance which is developing just west of the Lower Mississippi Valley is likely to move toward the Great Lakes.

Temperatures.

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

	High.	Low.
Victoria	46	40
Calgary	30	10
Winnipeg ..	34	14
Pt. Arthur..	30	10
P. Sound...	32	18
Toronto	41	25
Kingston ...	34	22
Ottawa	34	18
Montreal ...	25	22
Quebec	22	12
F. Point....	26	8
St. John....	34	16
Halifax	35	20

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 39; lowest, 27.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 32; lowest, 27.

Barometric Readings.

Monday—8 p.m., 28.90.

Today—8 a.m., 29.05.

URGE COURT FIGHT TO SAVE KUKLUX KLAN

ATLANTA, Ga., Jan. 10.—Two opposing factions of the Invisible Empire, Knights of the Ku Klux Klan, are today locked in a court fight for control of the weird order.

The one faction is headed by Imperial Wizard William J. Simmons, Imperial Kleagle Edward Young Clarke and Mrs. Elizabeth Tyler.

The other is made up of 170 members of the klan whom the Simmons-Young-Tyler group characterize as "rebels." They're headed by Harry B. Terrell, Lloyd B. Hooper, F. W. Atkin and A. J. Padon, Jun., former grand goblins.

Jan. 28 has been set as the date of the decisive battle in the superior court of Fulton County, Ga.

The "rebel" faction, in a suit, has demanded receivership of all properties, funds, documents and records of the klan.

Charges In Suit.

This faction charges:

That the klan is in a shaky financial condition due to $25,000 outstanding debts represented by bonds held by klan members.

That Clarke and Mrs. Tyler have turned the klan into an instrument for the dissemination and propagation of hatred and prejudice.

Imperial Wizard Simmons officially denies these charges.

He says:

"It is a desperate attempt on the part of disgruntled and discharged employees, joined by their small following, to gain control of the organization.

"The attack on Clarke is merely a reiteration of charges previously made which have been investigated and found to be unjust and untrue."

Judge John T. Pendleton has granted a temporary injunction restraining the klan from disposing of any of its property or disbursing money except for ordinary expenses, not including salaries.

This later was modified to allow payment of salaries to clerks, stenographers and office employees.

But salaries of officials cannot be paid.

MRS. ELIZABETH TYLER AND (ABOVE) EDWARD YOUNG CLARKE AND (BELOW) WILLIAM J. SIMMONS, LEADERS OF THE FACTION OF THE KU KLUX KLAN THAT IS BEING ATTACKED IN THE COURTS.

CLAIMS FEAR OF THIRD DEGREE MADE HIM KILL

Colored Prisoner On Parole Confesses to Shooting Two Detectives.

THOUGHT OF HOSPITAL

Drew Gun When Questioned About Murder He Was Innocent Of.

Philadelphia, Jan. 10.—Luther Boddy, colored, captured here yesterday by a magistrate of his own race, a patrolman and a constable, after he had led the police of three states a chase from New York across New Jersey, and into Pennsylvania, later signed a statement, local authorities said, confessing he had fired the shots that killed two New York detectives. Boddy was held for extradition to New York.

He was taken prisoner by Amos Scott, a colored magistrate, acting on information received from a colored clergyman, who had been told by a parishioner that a man answering the description of the fugitive was asleep in a lodging-house on Roadman street.

A statement which the local authorities said the prisoner signed follows in part: "I had been on parole in New York, and feeling the police would annoy me by picking me up on the street even though my parole had expired last week, I thought I would go to my parole officer and tell him I was going to try to get work.

"While walking along the street within a few feet of a station-house I was approached by two detectives. They grabbed me and started to question me in regard to the murder of a colored policeman. I had nothing to do with the murder, but I knew the two detectives planned to take me to the station-house and put me through the third degree.

"I was afraid they would beat me in an effort to force a confession or obtain information, and I had visions that I would have to go to a hospital. I don't know what made me do it, but it flashed through my mind to shoot and kill them. I drew a gun and shot both men and ran. I threw the revolver in an ash can as I ran, and made my way to Newark."

Boddy is then said to have explained that he came to Philadelphia to see friends.

Drowns in Effort To Save Skating Companion

[Special to The Advertiser.]

SARNIA, Jan. 10.—Maurice Laidlaw, well-known local war veteran, was drowned in the waters of Sarnia Bay early today in an attempt to rescue a companion who suddenly disappeared through an air hole in the ice.

Laidlaw, with three other companions, skated out to the edge of the ice on the St. Clair River, when suddenly one of the companions went through an air hole. Laidlaw immediately sped to the rescue, but before reaching his companion, he went through an air hole, and was drowned. Laidlaw's companion was later rescued, and Laidlaw's body recovered.

Owing to the mild weather and the drowning of Young Laidlaw, hundreds of skaters were today warned to keep off the soft ice.

POLICE HAVE NO CLUE TO ROBBERS

Local Officials Believe Laundrymen Robbed by Compatriots.

The police have nothing further to divulge regarding the $700 robbery Sunday night at the laundry of Sam Lee, 609 Richmond street. However, it is believed that the theft was the work of one or more Chinamen who were familiar with Sam's laundry, and knew where he kept his hard-earned cash. This idea is further strengthened by the fact that trunks and other places where money could have been hidden were entirely passed over by the robbers.

The $700 was owned by three of the laundrymen, $600 being removed from a box under a pile of rags, while two other caches containing $50 were also located and the cash taken.

FIND CLUE IN MURDER OF OTTAWA STUDENT

Montreal, Jan. 10.—The discovery of a bloodstained cap, lying in the snow in the bushes at Montreal North, is believed by detectives to furnish a clue to the murder of Raoul Delorme, the 24-year-old Ottawa student, whose dead body was found in a suburb of this city on Saturday morning with six bullet wounds in the head, which was wrapped around with napkins.

Changes His Mind, Decides To Accept Million-Dollar Legacy

Middleboro, Mass., Jan. 10.—Charles Garland, who fourteen months ago refused $1,000,000 from the estate of his father, the late James A. Garland of Boston, on the ground that it would be inconsistent with his views regarding property, yesterday confirmed a report that he had had a change of mind, and that he would accept the legacy.

Hamilton Garland, his younger brother, has also reconsidered his determination to reject the legacy, and will accept it, according to James Garland, the oldest of the three brothers.

Charles Garland and his wife are living on a farm in North Carver, seven miles from this place. When he was asked for a statement of the reason for his change in attitude, he said he still thought the property system against which he revolted a year ago was wrong, but he had come to the conclusion that he ought not to continue to refuse the money and allow it to lie idle. He believed it should be put into circulation.

In a statement made at the time of his rejection of the legacy, in November, 1920, Charles said: "I refuse to accept the money, because it is not mine. A system which starves thousands while hundreds are stuffed condemns itself. It is such a system that offers me a million dollars."

WILL HAVE NEW REVISION COURT

Messrs. Fetterley, Scandrett and Graham To Comprise Personnel.

London will have an entirely new court of revision this year.

On Monday morning, at the inaugural council meeting, the striking committee recommended that F. B. Fetterley, for the past 30 years valuator of The Huron & Erie Mortgage Company, be named to the court. Mayor Wilson has the naming of the second city member of the court, and he announced Tuesday morning that he had named T. W. Scandrett, barrister, as his appointee.

The third member of the court is the sheriff, and as London will have a new sheriff, Donald A. Graham, this will mean an entirely new body.

The 1921 court consisted of T. J. Murphy, Jared Vining and Sheriff Donald Cameron.

FIND PETRIFIED "MAN" IN COAL PIT

Parsons, Kan., Jan. 10.—The community of Welsh, Okla., a coal mining region just across the line, is excited over the finding of what is thought to be a petrified man. A piece of petrified substance closely resembling the body of a man was found in an old coal mine three miles east of Blue Jacket, a few days ago.

The "man" is about five feet in height, and complete except for feet and hands. There is a well-developed skull, and the body is symmetrical. The "body" was found in a coal formation, and near it were rocks with imprints which are thought to be tracks of a prehistoric animal.

The find probably will be sent to the Smithsonian Institution for a more critical examination. About six years ago a wing and leg bone of a prehistoric animal were taken from a nearby swamp. Experts declared these to be genuine relics of a prehistoric animal.

CANNOT TAKE BAGGAGE TO STATES ON SUNDAY

Washington, Jan. 10.—The supreme court yesterday dismissed a case brought by Thomas Snyder against the collector of customs at Buffalo, involving an order issued by the treasury department under which persons entering the United States from Canada after sunset on a day preceding Sunday or a legal holiday must leave their baggage and effects with the collector of customs for inspection on the day following such Sunday or holiday, unless arrangements are made to compensate customs agents for a special inspection. The court acted, for want of jurisdiction on the authorities cited in the proceedings.

The order in quesion is also before the court in a case brought by the International Railway Company, which owns the upper steel arch bridge at Niagara Falls and the Lewiston-Queenston bridge at Lewiston, operating electric car lines over both.

Snyder is a practicing physician at Niagara Falls who makes frequent professional calls across the border in an automobile carrying physicians' bags. Under the order which will stand, he could not bring his car or his instruments back with him on visits which he made in Canada on Sundays or legal holidays.

JUDGE GUNN DIES.

Ottawa, Jan. 10.—County Court Judge R. G. Gunn, who suffered a stroke two days ago, died here this morning.

NAME GRIFFITH PRESIDENT OF DAIL EIREANN

Treaty Supporters Elect Leader Unanimously On Collins' Motion.

DE VALERA WALKS OUT

Extreme Republicans Leave House When Speaker MacNeill Calls For Vote.

Dublin, Jan. 10.—Arthur Griffith was elected president of the Dail Eireann at today's session of that body.

Eamon de Valera and his followers walked out while the vote was being taken, in protest against the nomination of Griffith. Speaker MacNeill put the motion for Griffith's election and he was unanimously chosen.

Arthur Griffith, newly-elected president of the Dail Eireann, moved in the Dail the appointment of the following cabinet:

Minister of Finance—Michael Collins.
Foreign Affairs—George Gavan Duffy.
Home Affairs—Eamon J. Duggan.
Local Government—William T. Cosgrave.
Economic Affairs—Bryan O'Higgins.
Defence—Richard Mulcahy.

Named by Collins.

Griffith was placed in nomination by Michael Collins, shortly after the beginning of the session. As matters stood, said Collins, Ireland was without a leader. He again charged the opposition with obstructionist tactics, and declared its desire was to create the impression that Ireland was still unfriendly to England and to discredit the supporters of the treaty. The present course of the Dail, if persisted in, would give England an excuse for remaining in Ireland, he declared. He proceeded to tell the Dail that he had received a letter from the proprietor of the Cork Examiner, saying the management of that newspaper had been held up this morning at 2 o'clock and compelled to publish a proclamation. Collins said he called such methods "Black and Tan" methods" whoever employed them.

The proposition to elect Griffith was opposed by John MacIntee, who said he questioned the wisdom of putting up, in Griffith, a man who was bound by his signature to the treaty to wreck the Irish republic. He declared no man who had signed the peace agreement should be president of the Dail. It was proposed to do gratuitously in carrying out the treaty what John Redmond was coerced into doing in 1914, added MacIntee.

Eamon de Valera asked Griffith whether he intended, if elected, to act as the executive of the republic. The Dail Eireann, he said, was representative of the republic. Peace was not established by the treaty, he declared, as the struggle for the republic would continue.

"This body," added de Valera, "has no right to give away its powers unless it is established as a republican government."

Burgess Opposes Griffith.

Charles Burgess, following de Valera, declared Griffith had broken the agreement not to sign a treaty until the completed document had been submitted to the Irish cabinet.

"No matter what undertaking Griffith gives now, I oppose his election," he added.

Answering the questions of the opposition, Griffith said that if elected he would use his position to give effect to the constitutional vote of the Dail to carry out the terms of the treaty.

Mr. de Valera continued to press for a definite answer to his question whether Griffith would act as the executive of the republic.

"The republic of Ireland," replied Griffith, "remains in being until the free state comes into being and there is an opportunity to put the question before the electors."

Griffith said the Dail had approved the treaty and that it must be carried into effect. Therefore, he added, "we must have a provisional government."

Miss Mary MacSwiney said Griffith had made it clear he intended to get Lloyd George to indorse the Dail as the provisional government.

Fear Army Attitude.

Anxiety was expressed in some circles overnight as to the attitude of the Irish Republican army. It was said that, although its leaders uphold the treaty, a large section of the rank and file, especially in the southwest, continue irreconcilably against it. This position is regarded as holding unpleasant possibilities.

Another fear is that some Republicans of a political bent are, notwithstanding the Dail vote, firmly set upon establishment of their own government at any cost, with the purpose of making a failure of the treaty. While these fears are expressed on all sides, it is difficult to estimate their worth, and they may have come to the surface merely because those entertaining them are more vocal than the hopeful element.

Labor Supports Treaty.

Encouragement for supporters of the treaty arrived last night with the announcement that organized labor in Ireland had resolved to throw its influence into the scale in behalf of the new government. This is expected to prove important, and the formal declaration is awaited with interest. The Irish newspapers continue their support of the new order of things. The political correspondent of the Freeman's Journal writes: "The wreckers of the treaty yesterday played their master stroke and failed." He declares the attempt to "turn de Valera's personality and prestige into a weapon to smash the Anglo-Irish pact by smart manoeuvre will be regarded through the land as disingenuous procedure.

Will Wed Queen Mary's Nephew

DOROTHY J. WESTENRA.

London, Jan. 10.—Engagements seem to be the rage at present in the royal family of England. The Earl of Eltham, eldest son of the Marquis of Cambridge, and nephew of Queen Mary, today announced his engagement to Miss Dorothy Isabel Westenra.

DENIES TALES OF SPANISH CRUELTY

Ambassador Declares Allegations of Atrocities Practiced On Britishers Untrue.

St. John, N. B., Jan. 10.—An Associated Press dispatch of recent date to the effect that the Spanish ambassador in London, Senor Don Merry Del Val, denied the charge that American and British members of the Foreign Legion had been marched into battle with their hands tied behind them was shown to the former members of this legion, Carlson, Burns and Donelly, now stranded in this city, and the men reiterate their former statements on the subject.

They cited the case of a man named Hiscock, who was taken from a calaboose, and who was sent to his death in this manner.

Nearly all the members of Hiscock's company are now living in London and will swear this, they say.

Peter Donelly, one of the men in St. John, personally knew this man.

Then there was a man named Wilson, who was strapped to a burro and taken in this maner to the front line. Reaching there his hands were untied and he was given a pick and shovel and ordered to go to work in full view of the enemy. He was shot and killed soon after. When the men reached London, while in Waterloo station Y. M. C. A., Wilson's mother arrived to seek her son. None of the men had the courage to tell her of his tragic death.

PLAN STRATFORD LABOR CONVENTION

Executive Members Return From Preliminary Meeting in Toronto.

The meeting of the executive of the Ontario section of the Canadian Labor party, which was held in Toronto on Saturday, proved very satisfactory. E. A. Pocock, one of the London delegates, said that representatives were present from all parts of the province. It was decided at the meeting that the general meeting would be held at Stratford, Feb. 24, but that the executive would meet the day previous to arrange for the program of work to be carried out at the general meeting.

It is quite possible that some discussion will take place on the hydro-electric question, when the delegates meet in Stratford, said the delegate from London.

The meeting at Stratford will be held for the adoption of the labor platform as laid down at the Winnipeg convention of last year, and for the election of officers for the Ontario section of the labor movement.

PRONOUNCE POISONED ELDERS OUT OF DANGER

Grand Rapids, Mich., Jan. 10.—Ten men, nine of them deacons and elders, poisoned on Sunday by wood stain served by mistake for sacramental wine during communion services of the Seventh Reformed Church here, are now pronounced out of danger.

The sacramental wine was kept in a closet under the choir loft. A jug of wood stain used in repairs also had been placed in the closet, and one of the elders accidentally put the stain in the communion cup.

EXHIBIT RABBITS AT QUEEN'S PARK

London Rabbit Breeders Provide Varied and Interesting Show.

A rabbit show, which provides many interesting angles on the fur trade, is in progress at Queen's Park, Tuesday and Wednesday. Among the exhibits are white Angoras, from which is procured the imitaion Angora wool; American blues, the skins of which are used to imitate sable; black Siberian, from which the cheaper grades of Hudson seal are manufactured, and a species of red rabbit, which is used for imitation red fox.

There are splendid specimens of Belgian hares and the common edible variety of rabbit.

Perhaps the most interesting part of the show is the guinea pigs. These are raised with very little difficulty, and are in such great demand that dealers can get from $1 to as high as $5 for them.

It is claimed the organism of the guinea pig is the nearest approach in the animal kingdom to the human being, and for this reason they are in great demand among surgeons, who use them for vivisection purposes.

They are used in bakeries to keep away mice and rats, as it is supposed that these vermin will not stay where there is a guinea pig.

During the war they were used in submarines to detect the presence of poisonous gases, as they are very sensitive to such.

PASTOR REFUSES CALL AT $20,000

Hamilton, Jan. 10.—Rev. P. W. Philpott, pastor of the Gospel Tabernacle, has refused a call to the Tremont Temple, Boston, which has offered him a salary of $20,000, or almost four times his present salary. He was also invited to become pastor of the Alliance Church, New York, where Rev. Dr. A. B. Simpson used to preach, the salary offered being twice his present salary. His congregation fear, however, that he has decided to accept a call to Chicago, where the salary offered is only $5,000. He will announce his decision tonight at the annual meeting of his congregation.

WILL BE ASKED TO GIVE TO PRINCESS GIFT FUND

Winnipeg, Jan. 10.—Members of the Women's Canadian Clubs from the Atlantic to the Pacific will be asked to contribute a gift fund for Princess Mary, whose betrothal was recently announced, it was decided last night at a meeting of the local club.

SIR WILLIAM MATTHEWS, NOTED ENGINEER, DIES

London, Jan. 10.—The death is announced of Sir William Matthews, consulting engineer for harbor and dock works. He was born on March 8, 1844.

Sir William was a member of a committee appointed by the admiralty in 1901 to inquire into the naval works at Gibraltar. He was also a member of the international technical commission on the Suez Canal in 1908.

The deaths are also reported of Sir James Jones, a philanthropist of Rochdale, and of Doctor Patrick Ardley Wright-Henderson, formerly of Wadham College, Oxford.

TELEPHONES FOR TAXI, LEAVES ON L. P. S. TRAIN

Nurses At St. Joseph's Confident Mother Love Will Compel Return.

RECEIVED NO MAIL

Unknown Woman Stated Her Home Was Near St. Thomas.

Deserted by her mother, whose whereabouts are unknown at the present time, a ten-weeks-old baby girl is being cared for at St. Joseph's Hospital, and unless a mother's love conquers selfishness, will be doomed to be reared as a nameless waif. This child was born at the hospital, and when a few weeks old the mother, who is entered on the books as Mrs. Wilson, departed suddenly one afternoon, shortly before the new year, and has not been seen since.

When she entered the hospital, this woman gave her name as Mrs. Wilson, and stated that she resided on Richmond street north. She later volunteered the information that her mother and sister resided in the vicinity of St. Thomas.

After the child was born, the faithless mother went out for seevral walks, stating that she visited her home, but did not take her baby with her, as the fires were out ni the house. She often spoke of her inability to meet her hospital bill, but members of the hospital staff assured Mrs. Wilsonn that she need not worry over this item if her finances prevented payment.

Telephoned for Taxi.

On the afternoon of her departuree, Mrs. Wilson, in the absence of a nurse, 'phoned for a taxicab, and prepared to leave the hospital. She explained to members of the subordinate staff that she had obtained permission to visit her mother and sister residing near St. Thomas.

When Mrs. Wilson did not return in the evening investigation revealed the fact that she had deliberately left the hospital without the knowledge of those in authority. An interview with the taxi driver brought forth the information that Mrs. Wilson was driven to the London and Port Stanley Railway station, informing him that she wished to make connections with a passenger train which left St. Thomas that afternoon.

No trace has been seen of Mrs. Wilson since that afternoon, and the little victim of a mother's perfidy is now being cared for at the hospital. The authorities at this institution hesitate to report the case to the police, feeling confident that mother love will assert itself and that the baby girl in the hospital cot will prove an irresistible force to bring the mother back in the near future.

Believe Name Fictitious.

It is believed that the name given by the woman is a fictitious one, and that she had laid her plans carefully in order to rid herself of the child. During her stay in hospital she received no mail, although the alleged Mrs. Wilson wrote several letters. It is said that if the child is not claimed within a few days' time it will be placed in an institution for orphans.

Schemes similar to that outlined have often been practiced in the larger centers, with the hospital authorities as the victims, but in the majority of cases the mothers have been apprehended by the police and punished, following convictions on charges of child desertion and attempting to defraud the hospital of amounts due for attention and treamtnt.

THOUSANDS ATTEND OLIVER FUNERAL

Toronto Witnesses Largest Fraternal Cortege in History.

Toronto, Jan. 10.—(Canadian Press.)—This city today witnessed probably the most imposing fraternal society funeral in its history, in the burial of Joseph Oliver, former mayor, and at the time of his death last Sunday grand sire of the Independent Order of Oddfellows of America.

Representative Oddfellows and Masons from many distant points in the United States and Canada joined the local fraternal bodies and the citizens generally in honoring the memory of the popular and most highly respected civic and fraternal man. The funeral was a public one, and the arrangements were largely in the hands of the Oddfellows, owing to the supreme position he held in that body at the time of his death.

The obsequies this afternoon, however, were attended by thousands of citizens of all creeds and walks of life. There was a continuous stream of people passing the body lying in state at Old St. Andrew's Church from 11:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. At that hour the casket was closed and the public service was held in the crowded edifice. Following the service the cortege proceeded to the Necropolis, where the interment took place. The procession was led by the Knights Templar and Patriarchs Militant as the guard of honor, with a long line of the rank and file of Oddfellowship and Masonry following, together with civic and provincial dignitaries.

The federal and provincial governments were officially represented.

WILL ABOLISH COMMITTEES.

St. Catharines, Jan. 10.—Merritton Town Council decided to abolish all civic committees and to transact all business in open council.

ATTENDANCE AT LONDON "TECH" BREAKS RECORD

Bonus System Adopted at Fall Term Proves Big Success.

HIGH STANDINGS SHOWN

Report of Results of Recent Examinations Is Submitted.

A bonus system adopted at the beginning of the fall term in the London Technical School has helped to make it the most successful term in the history of the school, with an attendance nearly double that of any previous term. The following is a report of the students' standing:

Technical Department.

Girls—Class 1, Margaret Crawford, Mary Crawford, M. Foster, M. Fowler, C. Armstrong; Class 2, A. Sadler, M. Willis; unclassified, F. Shosenberg.

Boys—Class 1, L. Bedford, C. Bryan, J. Dutton, C. Gunther, L. Hessel, A. McDougal, G. Northcott, V. Scott, H. White; Class 2, O. Adams, S. Gardiner, A. Goodman, G. Haslem, L. McIntyre, B. Montellier, G. Paynter, L. Reeves, G. Smith, L. Spence, D. Webber, R. Webster, G. Walch; Class 4, G. Baker, S. Weld; unclassified, G. Loveless.

Regular Classes.

Names in order of merit:

3M. Class—Class 2, P. Birch, J. Appleford, B. Knight (3 subjects); Class 3, A. Penn, M. Dunlop; Class 4, J. Kennedy, C. Kennedy; absent, F. Elsm, D. Dennis.

2M. Class—Girls—Class 1, I. Hunt, M. Timmis; Class 2, E. Creasy; Class 3, M. Graves, H. Rossiter.

Boys—Class 1, P. Dawson, A. Norton, K. Taylor, L. Harris, M. McGregor, H. Cameron; Class 2, R. Day, W. Toll, W. Showler, M. Calcott, W. Gray; Class 3, E. Atkins, K. Carrotheers, J. Farncomb, J. Feeley; Class 4, M. Leckie; unclassified, L. Thomas; absent, L. Howard, A. Dayton.

B. Class—Girls—Class 1, M. Batty, M. Santo, S. Blakie; Class 2, A. Nichol, B. Adam, G. Hudson, Class 3, E. Rowe, I. Beattie, M. Casselman; absent, V. Goodland, T. Shainline.

Boys—Class 1, R. Woolford, W. Fenton, W. Ralph, M. Kennedy, D. Fowler, W. Adler, H. Sugden, J. Cutler, G. Webb, F. Howe, G. Holmes, R. Palmer, G. Giles, F. Pearce; Class 2, C. Lane, E. Houlgate, A. Summers; Class 3, W. Tadgell, H. Hall, M. Laughton, C. Smith, A. Febrey; unclassified, E. McAllister, W. Casselman.

1M. Class—Girls—Class 1, F. Robson, V. Gleed, D. Stoddart, H. Griffith, H. Fraleigh, E. Smith; Class 2, L. Yorke; Class 3, J. Kerridge.

Boys—Class 1, C. Wilson, H. Johnson, R. Hessel, G. Gurd, E. Jarmain, O. Dumaresq, J. Crouse; Class 2, F. McEwen; Class 3, G. Hodgins, E. Kelly, W. Charlton, N. Routledge, L. Earle, A. McArthur, K. Nichols, K. Hodgins, A. Carey, K. McKay; Class 4, Morcom Taylor, Melvin Taylor; unclassified, H. Arbuckle, C. Talbot, H. Keays; absent, E. Saylor, H. Furse.

C Girls—Class 1, A. Walker, R. Johnstone, I. Janes, A. Jensen, M. Hall, V. Riddell, V. Berry, J. Adam; Class 2, V. Leathorne, M. Widdicombe; Class 3, D. Bedggood, H. Cleve, K. Baratta, E. Skuse, S. Line, J. Forrester; unclassified, E. Haldane, D. White, T. Sharpe, V. Holliday, E. Dearing, L. Smith, A. Skellett; absent, M. Neilson.

C1 Boys—Class 1, J. Kerman; Class 2, F. Short, C. Tinsley, W. Finlayson, S. Hale, L. Bowman, C. Eyre; Class 3, E. Bowyer, D. Balsden, H. Belcher, E. Harding, W. Cornelius, L. Clements, W. Hay, K. Dunlevy, C. Birch, T. Champness; unclassified, F. Menefee, G. Henderson, C. Harrison, F. Graham, H. Abbott, C. McKeough, W. Dickie, N. Watts; absent, R. Toll.

C2 Boys—Class 1, O. Trott, E. Boughner, E. Long, R. Toll, F. Palmer, H. Richardson, E. Long, J. Shipp, W. Paice, W. Payne; Class 2, S. Cohen, B. Element, D. Stott, F. Skeggs; Class 3, I. Stanley, W. Webster, W. Nichol, H. Pugsley, A. Upthegrove, C. Brock, A. Ramer; Class 4, M. Bardenstein; unclassified, H. Rawson; absent, C. Elliott, J. Laidlaw.

D Class, Girls—Class 1, M. Cutting; Class 2, R. Short, V. Simmons, E. Hunt, P. Morris, E. Bissett, P. Logan, J. Chapman; Class 3, A. Christenson, A. Wickerson, L. Wild, I. Moffatt; unclassified, I. Lewis, O. Carter, M. Roberts, I. Graham, V. Barnet, M. Hunter, M. Kilpatrick, A. Hessel, H. Gramloch, L. Clement, F. French, L. Crooks, A. Milne, M. Lawrence; absent, L. Flannigan.

D Class, Boys—Class 1, D. Green; Class 2, R. Pugh, M. Fink, L. Messeroll, R. Blay, W. Lappage; Class 3, H. Rowley, C. Lane, D. Galloway, A. Bayliffe, J. Waugh; unclassified, O. Wickersen, A. Hessel, J. Ray, F. Bennett, E. Donohue, N. Demray, B. Mennel, R. Mason, W. Healey, V. Morrison, K. Lanning, A. Baker, J. Brooke, C. Fitzpatrick, G. Campbell, J. Coltman.

Commercial Department.

Commercial 3A.—Class 1, C. Bradshaw, E. Johnston, G. Shepherd, E. Waugh, K. Collier, L. Colerick, M. Duke, D. Gardiner, M. Guest, H. Perry, M. Roberts, G. Pink; Class 2, M. Pollard; Class 3, I. Piper, M. Clays, O. Dobson; Unclassified, E. Shannon.

Commercial 2A.—Class 1, D. Gould, B. Jones, E. Boyce, K. Cox, M. Crumplin, E. George, Evelyn McKinley, G. Austin, M. Hill, E. Gardiner, M. Christie, E. Lockard, N. Anderson, I. Hazelwood, Edna McKinley, M. Forsyth, M. Howlett, P. Angus, E. Goddard; Class 2, V. Hammond, E. Hancock, S. Moore; Class 3, H. Johnston, V. Moss, W. Atkinson, E. Munro, M. Fox, E. Mottashed, L. Brett, E. Cameron, H. Ferguson; Unclassified, L. Harris.

Commercial 2B.—Class 1, E. Widdicombe, N. Rhodes, C. Silverman, S. Silverman, W. Reeve, J. Walker, D. Timbrell, I. Slater, E. Scott, B. Scell, E. Wardle, M. Wells; Class 2, L. Warshafsky, M. Ryan, A. Sproule, L. Scott, B. Rose, M. Webber, D. Peckham, D. Staley, M. Waldock, B. Shaw; Class 3, E. Timbrell, M. Trudell, I. Putherbough, M. Rush, F. Thomas, C. Trudell, D. Shute; Unclassified, M. Kates.

Commercial 2C.—Class 1, S. Rose, E. Dicknoether, W. Haylock, E. Owen, J. Shepherd, J. Mallock, H. Ferguson; Class 2, E. Johnston, E. Volker, L. Hawe, J. Tambling, C. Donnelly, D. Gibson, J. Slatter, J. Fitzpatrick, H. Barrett, G. Slatter, E. Clare, M. Arbuckle, C. Woodward, E. Gare; Class 3, G. White, A. Little, G. Ashton, G. Black, F. Paul, H. Liersch, E. Elson; Class 4, B. Schussler.

Commercial 1A.—Class 1, K. Ashton, V. Burgess, G. Burridge, M. Allport, R. Fox, F. Cole and G. Crockford (equal), D. Carlton, E. Cox, E. Burridge, H. Ellyatt, H. Gray, D. Emmett, R. Break, M. Carter, W. Crockford, D. Bowden, I. S. Cohen, D. Williams; Class 2, A. Duncan, H. Clemens, E. Calhoun, D. Bartlett, G. Belbeck; Class 3, M. Doyle, M. Atkinson, D. Dawson, P. Finney, V. Davis, F. Cossey, R. Ginsberg; Class 4, V. Baldwin; Not Classified, M. Davis, H. Dickson, W. Downing, V. Doyle, M. Ferguson, A. Duckworth.

Commercial 1B.—Class 1, V. Luck, B. Moore, D. Kerman, P. Lane, E. Hundertmark, B. Johnson, D. Merrett, E. Jackson, A. Miller, B. Lechinsky, O. Jervis, M. McRobert, K. Inwood, V. Harrison; Class 2, E. Hodgins, A. Janes, E. Hilton, M. Newans; Class 3, W. Hunt, E. Grimmett, L. Holmes, D. Mitchell, V. Mitchelltree, C. Galarneau, E. Lindsay, M. Hayes, F. Ironside, N. Johnson, C. Horton; Class 4, L. Henry; unclassified, E. Kibbler, M. Kerr, N. McCue, I. Lashbrook, A. Hall, T. Mantle, N. McLean, F. Langton.

Commercial 1C.—Class 1, E. Nchols, B. Ruben, M. Pearse, E. Slater, B. Slade, A. Sangster, E. Trott, I. Smart, E. Phillips, R. North, M. Radford, D. Vanstone, M. Robinson, M. Silverstein, G. Vanderheiden, G. Tilbury; Class 2, M. Pegler, F. Rogers; Class 3, E. Swaine, S. Sizel, B. Pope, H. Snow, E. Tucker, M. Renwick, P. Steeles, L. Thomas, F. Ralph, Q. Stone, M. Tinbrell, J. Phillmore, G. Sutherland, E. Smith; Class 4, G. Stewart; unclassified, D. Scott, D. Roy, M. Raymond, L. Chiera, E. Robson, D. Thies.

Commercial 1D.—Class 1, Elias Jenkins, Douglas Goodge, Ralph Scott, Walter Taylor, Chas. Fink, Albert Parsons, Jack Brooks, Chas. Wallis, Gordon Smith, Wm. Waggott, Wm. Spicer, Wilfred Sprague, Percy Skinner; Class 2, Lilian Venus, Louis Harding, Hector McKillop, Charles Sanham, Howard Merritt, Freeman McLeod; Class 3, Kenneth Petrie, Leota Whittaker, Gordon Lowe, Geo. Williamson, Hubert Dallimore, Geo. Goring, Grace West, Harmon Walters, Olive Wright, Jack McCord, Leonard Gidley, Vernon Lister, Vera White, Ben Salavensky; Class 4, Fred Graham, Kenneth Deacon, Ernie Rumble; unclassified, Helen Watson, Vera Wood, Wm. Burt, Estelle Yake, Doris Weston.

Y. M. C. A. OPENS ORATORY CLASS OF SENIOR BOYS

Lloyd Houlding Named Instructor of New Public Speaking Course.

FREE TO TUXIS GROUPS

As a complement to the work in public speaking being contemplated by the public schools, the Y. M. C. A. boys' division has organized a senior class of boys for training in public speaking. The class begins Tuesday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Y. M. C. A. building. The class is made up of 24 Tuxis boys from the 24 groups in the city. Each group is entitled to one representative.

Lloyd Houlding, B.A., will be the instructor. Mr. Houlding has had three years' tuition in public speaking under Professor Kirkpatrick of Toronto.

The study course will be that prepared by the Y. M. C. A. United Schools and will be given free to the Tuxis boys.

The Tuxis boys will consider a city-wide movement in debating. Already three Tuxis groups have taken the initial steps of arrangements, St. Paul's, "Etimus," First Methodist, "Swastikas," and St. Andrew's "Mic Macs."

"Debating and public speaking, with practice, develops a type of citizenship which will have self-confidence, knowledge of democratic government and ability to stand up on a platform and express the rights of the people with no uncertain tongue," stated Mr. Houlding, in speaking of the new class.

BATTERY REUNION HELD AT GUELPH

Londoners Attend 29th Unit Festivities.

The third reunion of 29th Battery was held in the Armories at Guelph Saturday evening. The members of the battery fought their battles over again. The time not taken up in speeches and toasts was used in reviewing incidents which the battery had participated in during their sojourn in the fighting areas of France. There were more than 135 present at the function.

Speeches were made by Jack Keast of Guelph, the retiring president of the battery, and William Levan of Toronto, the retiring secretary-treasurer, Rev. Capt. Buckland, and others. Songs were given by Capt. Crowe, W. Alcock, W. Hill, Lieut. Downey and W. Blackwell.

The officers elected for 1922 were: Capt. Anderson of Toronto, president; Jack Skelton of Guelph, secretary-treasurer. There was one member elected to represent the battery in the many cities where there are many members of the old battery residing. Those elected as representatives were: William Friend, London; L. Little, Windsor; A. Rose, Sarnia; William Levan, Toronto; G. Smith, Guelph.

The officers requested that any member of the battery who was not present at the banquet should inform the representative in his city.

Children's Aid Society Gets Many Gifts At Xmas Season

The Children's Aid Society are extremely grateful for the generous contributions of citizens of London during the Christmas season. Beside a great many gifts of material benefit the society acknowledges the following cash subscriptions:

Mount Brydges Baptist Sunday School, $10; North Caradoc Sunday School, $2.50; Mr. Leon Constable, St. Marys, $5; Miss E. A. Kennedy, $5; Erie Avenue Club, $5; Victoria Mothers' Club, $5; Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Moore, Walkerville, $5; a friend, $25; Ruth Chapter, No. 26, E. S., $10; Wortley Road Mothers' Club, $5; Forest City Chapter, No. B, E. S., $5; Victoria School, $5; Mr. J. E. Boomer, $5; a friend, $5; Miss White, $5; Miss S. Macklin, $1; Miss Kathleen Jeffery, $2; Adelaide Street Baptist Church $1; May Queen Rebekah Lodge, No. 5, I. O. O. F., $5; a friend, $5; "Ray," Lambeth, $1; Women's Institute, Ailsa Craig $8.25; St. John's Masonic Lodge, No. 209a, $10; Mr. A. N. Udy, $1; Union Masonic Lodge, No. 380, $15; Dr. Claude Brown, $10; Dr. C. Windsor, $5; Forest City Lodge, No. 38, I. O. O. F., $10; the Knights of Columbus, London Council, No. 1410, $20; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Robinson, $5; Mocha Temple, Mystic Shrine, $25; Irish Benevolent Society, $15; the Allied Bible Class, Lambeth, $25; King Solomon's Masonic Lodge, No. 378, $10; Richard Coeur de Lion, Preceptory, No. 4, Knights Templar $15; choir of Lambeth Methodist Church, $5; Mrs. Coles, $2; Ontario Commercial Travelers' Association, $50; Sir Adam Beck, $10; the London Lodge of Perfection and Sovereign Chapter Rose Croix, A. A. S. R., $20; Miss Helen B. Gibbons, $25; Tuscan Masonic Lodge, No. 195, $10; London West Council, No. 27, C. O. C. F., $2; Court Brighton, No. 6507, A. O. F., $5; Miss Tarrey, $5; Chorazin Lodge, No. 190, I. O. O. F., $5; Kilwinning Masonic Lodge, No. 64, $10; St. George's Masonic Lodge, No. 42, $10; Mr. G. E. Bingham (for relief), $5; Miss Kate Moore and Miss Emma Moore (for relief), $8; Miss McMechan, $10; St. George's R. A. Chapter, $5; Rev. W. M. Martin (for relief), $5.

Sisters of St. Joseph Thank Londoners For Generous Aid

Deep appreciation is felt by the Sisters of St. Joseph in charge of the local House of Providence and Orphanage for the generous manner in which citizens of London and district responded to the need for charity during the Christmas season.

Many gifts of material benefit were made to the sisters as well as the following cash subscriptions: Knights of Columbus, $75; Irish Benevolent Society, $70; Monsignor Aylward, $50; Col. W. G. Coles, $50; St. Vincent De Paul Society, Chatham, $25; St. Vincent De Paul Society, Stratford, $25; Altar Society, Stratford, $25; Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, $20; St. Vincent De Paul Society, St. Michael's parish, $20; Senator Coffey Chapter, $25; Catholic Women's League, Stratford, $25; Altar Society, Sarnia, $25; Catholic Order of Foresters (per Mrs. Lewis), $20; Catholic Women's League, St. Thomas, $10; Catholic Women's League, Bornish, $10; Catholic Women's League, Raleigh, $5; Mothers' Unit, St. Joseph's School, $10; E. C. Killingsworth, $100; Rev. J. Stanley, $15; Monsignor McKeon, $15; Mrs. S. White, $30; T. J. Murphy, $10; F. Clifford, Sarnia, $20; J. Kirwin, Grand Rapids, $20; Finney & Shannon, $20; Michael Heenan, $15; Sir Adam Beck, $10; G. Trudell, $10; Rev. Fr. Tobin, $10; Rev. Fr. Hanlon, $20; Rev. Fr. O'Donnell, $10; Rev. Fr. Tierney, $15; Rev. Fr. Forristal, $10; R. H. Dignan, $15; M. O'Sullivan, $10; S. Walsh, $5; Mrs. Darcey, $10; Mrs. Thos. Coffey, $5; Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Burns, $5; Mrs. Kelly, $2; P. Quigley, $5; Mrs. McGoey, $10; Mrs. L. McCarthy, $10; Miss M. Loughlin, $5; J. McKeon, Windsor, $5; Mrs. W. H. Smith, $3; Michael Hurley, $5; Rev. Fr. McRae, $5; Dr. E. Williams, $5; Miss Cook, St. Thomas, $10; a Friend, $20; Richard Mulkern, $10; W. and E. Cushing, $10; J. A. Brownlee, $10, two bags of sugar; Frank O'Shea, Alaska, $20; Mary Lee, $5; John Flaherty, $5, two bags of potatoes; Denis Toohey, Lucan, $5; Mrs. E. Dormedy, Duluth, $25; Rev. E. Goetz, $20; Montreal friends, $20; M. D. Mugan, St. Louis, $25; Dr. and Mrs. Poisson, $25; Mrs. McMillan, Seaforth, $5; Mrs. W. Windsor, $10; Dr. and Mrs. Claude Brown, $10; Rev. Fr. Brisson, $15; Rev. Fr. Corcoran, $5; Rev. Fr. Valentine, $10; Rev. Fr. Hussey, $10; Rev. Fr. Brennan, $5; Mrs. Jos. Durkin, $2; W. S. Lashbrook, $10; a Friend, Beechwood, $5; C. L. Griffin, $2; K. Griffin, $2; Miss Heffernan, $3; Wm. O'Connor, $2; Mr. Green, $2; Mrs. Clapper, $5; Mrs. Walsh, $1; Mr. Toomey, Detroit, $5; Mr. T. McLaughlin, $2; Mr. Stegell, $2; Mrs. Shickluna, $2; M. O'Brien, Mt. Carmel, $20; Mr. J. Lewis, $5; Rev. G. Blonde, $2; Mrs. Alsop, $3; Mrs. Smith, $5; Miss Smith, $3.

A "balanced diet" may sound confusing to many people

The facts, as explained here, are simple.

The secret of a "balanced diet" is to have food containing all the elements needed for proper nutrition. These elements are protein, to nourish the tissues; starch and sugar to furnish energy; fat to supply heat; and mineral salts to provide the material necessary for building nerves, brain, and tooth and bone structure.

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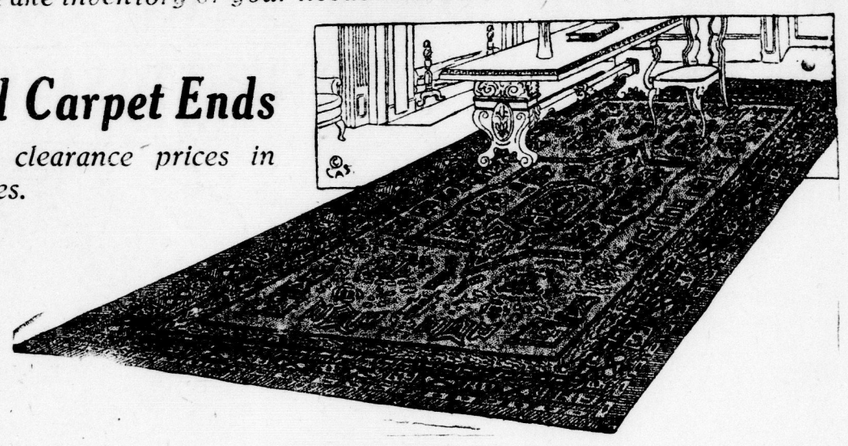
January Sales

Tomorrow Home-furnishings, Rugs, Curtains and Draperies.

Eager buyers, each morning, await the starting signal which sounds with the opening of a new sale at this store. Each one a very special offering, presenting a most substantial saving in accordance with our policy to begin our 1922 business year with all new stocks. Take inventory of your needs and watch from day to day the sale announcements in this space.

Clearing of Floor Rugs and Carpet Ends

Brussels, Wiltons and Rag Rugs in January clearance prices in some cases are but a fraction of former values.



Two things we wish to emphasize about the special lines listed here—PRICE AND QUALITY. These are odd lines of rugs at greatly reduced prices:

Brussels Rugs, size 9x9 ft., January sale price, Wednesday, **$27.50 and $30.00**; size 9x10 ft. 6 ins., January sale price, **$32.50 and $35.00**; 9x12 feet, January sale price **$32.50, $35.00, $37.50**

These Wilton Rugs are excellent quality, the quantity is limited: Three only 9x9 ft., January sale price, **$35.00**; one only, 9x10 ft. 6 ins., blue, January sale, **$42.50**; one only, 9x12 ft., sale price **$50.00**

THESE RAG RUGS AT A FRACTION OF THEIR REAL VALUE. They are slightly soiled where they have been folded: Three only 9x12 ft., sale price **$9.35**; one only 9x10 ft. 6 ins., sale price, **$7.95**; one only, 6x9 ft., sale price..... **$6.35**

27 only Carpet Ends, size 27x54 ins., good quality stair remnants. January sale Wednesday **$2.49**

Carpet Department, Third Floor.

JUST RECEIVED

Another shipment of good quality English Flannelettes, in plain white and colored stripes. Many of our customers have been waiting for this shipment, and we are pleased to be able to report its arrival.

"Spero" Stripe Flannelette, 32 inches wide ..... **35c yard**
Better quality, yard wide ..... **50c yard**
A Fine Twill-Finished Flannelette, in white, one of our popular lines, 28 inches wide ..... **35c yard**
Plain White Flannelette, 31 inches wide ..... **35c yard**
Horrockses' Flannelettes of quality, a nice range of these in stripes, 34 inches wide ..... **45c yard**
36 inches wide ..... **55c yard**
Plain White Flannelette, soft finish, for nightwear, children's things, etc, 35 inches wide ..... **25c yard**

January Clearance Sale of Curtains Nets, Chintz, Silkoline and Colored Madras (See Dundas St. Window)

Unusual savings is the feature of this sale. Whether you require curtains or draperies for the immediate or not until housecleaning time, you cannot afford to miss the opportunity to purchase these goods at such reductions. No obsolete goods in this sale; all are modern fabrics that you can use in the most up-to-date home. Read our list carefully—then be here early Wednesday morning.

COLORED SCOTCH MADRAS
Sale Price, 88c Yard

Eight pieces Colored Scotch Madras on black warp, all popular colors, in the 36-inch width; there is two tone blue, rose and green, blue and brown, also rich shade of dark green, in the 45-inch there are self colors of blue, green or gold. This is a big reduction on our regular price, and our customers will do well to purchase these even for later use. Clearance sale price ..... **88c yard**

WASHABLE CHINTZ, HALF PRICE AND LESS, 39c YARD.

425 yards, decorative chintz, 31 to 36 inches wide, in light and dark grounds, many colored grounds in this lot and color combinations of rose and blue, brown and green, blue and grey, rose and grey, rose and green, mulberry and blue, blue and tan, terra cotta and green, also brown and blue, all washable colors. Clearance sale price ..... **39c yard**

COLORED MADRAS. SALE PRICE 68c YARD.

Seven pieces Colored Madras, self colors, 36 inches wide, in very artistic designs, in colors of blue, green or gold. Secure your needs tomorrow for your living-room or dining-room draperies. Clearance sale price ..... **68c yard**

FILET AND BUNGALOW CURTAIN NETS, HALF PRICE AND LESS. SALE PRICE, 29c YARD.

Extra savings on good Filet Nets and Bungalow Nets, in both 36 inches and 45 inches wide, in both block, stripe and floral designs, and both ivory and ecru shades; beautiful qualities at this low price, making a very inexpensive pair of curtains ..... **29c yard**

FINE IRISH POINT CURTAINS. SALE PRICE $5.95 PAIR.

Over 70 pairs of Fine Irish Point Curtains at this very unusual price in a variety of good designs, made of good quality net that assures you of service, and well made, 40 inches by 2½ yards long. These should be sold quickly at this price. Clearance sale price ..... **$5.95 pair**

MARQUISETTE AND SCRIM CURTAINS ABOUT HALF PRICE, $2.48 PAIR.

85 pairs Good Quality Marquisette and Scrim Curtains, some trimmed with lace and insertion, some insertion only and some lace-edged only with hemstitched hem, all styles to suit all rooms, in ivory mostly, a few ecru. This is about half price and means good money saved. Clearance sale price ..... **$2.48 pair**

PRINTED SILKOLINES ABOUT HALF PRICE, 26c YARD.

435 yards Fine-Quality Silkolines and a few pieces of washable chintz, for comforter coverings, cushions, bedroom draperies and covers, all 36 inches wide, in mostly light grounds, a few dark grounds, in color combinations of rose, blue, yellow, brown and green. Clearance sale price ..... **26c yard**

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MAY EMPLOY RICHTER TO CONCLUDE REVISION

There is some talk around the city hall that J. G. Richter may be re-employed to continue his revision of the city assessment, which work he did not conclude, London West and a few other sections remaining to be gone over. Mr. Richter's re-employment is, however, considered doubtful, as it is said that a number of the members of the council are opposed to the high salary that was paid him, $300 a month, when he spent but half a day on the assessment work.

However, others say that in fairness to Mr. Richter, it should be pointed out that he gave a good deal of time to the division of county and city taxes, and also worked for a considerable time on the preparation of the city pension scheme.

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WESTERN TO HAVE SUNDAY SERVICES

University Invites Public To Attend.

A committee, representing the students and staffs of the three faculties and affiliated colleges of Western University, has arranged a new departure in Sunday afternoon sermons to be held on six Sundays scattered at intervals through January, February, March and April. Distinguished speakers will conduct the services, which will be held in down-town churches of various denominations generously loaned by the Ministerial Alliance for this purpose. Reserved seats will be obtainable by university students and staff on application to the various class presidents, and it is requested that tickets for these seats be presented at the door in order that a rough estimate may be made of university attendance.

Although this is distinctly a university enterprise, the public will be very welcome. No admission tickets will be required from them.

The following is the schedule as far as it has been arranged up to the present: Talbot Street Baptist, Rev. T. S. Roy, B.A., B.D., of London, soon of Brockton, Mass., "Life's Alternatives"; St. Paul's Cathedral, Provost Seager of Trinity College, Toronto, title to be announced later; First Methodist Church, Rev. Dr. J. W. Graham, D.D., LL.D., of Victoria College, Toronto, title to be announced later.

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ARRANGE CLASS FOR STATIONARY ENGINEERS

In response to numerous requests from men in charge of steam plants in the city, who desire to qualify for the government examination for stationary engineers, a class to prepare for these examinations will start in the Technical School on Tuesday evening of this week, and will be held each Tuesday and Thursday evening till the spring government examinations for stationary engineers.

QUEBEC POPULATION INCREASES.

OTTAWA, Jan. 9.—The population of the Province of Quebec, as a result of the 1921 census, is 2,349,067, as against 2,005,776 in 1911. The increase is 343,291, or 17.11 per cent.

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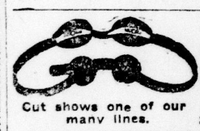

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SEEK SOLUTION OF LABOR PROBLEMS

German Economists Strive To Avoid "Red Revolt" by Unemployed.

BERLIN, Jan. 10.—The unemployed throughout Germany are demanding a division of work with the regularly employed and a larger allowance from the municipalities and the labor unions.

They have become so insistent, and demonstrations and clashes between the employed and the jobless so frequent that representatives of the central government, the labor organizations, and the municipalities are trying to find a method of dealing with the situation.

Political agitators have taken advantage of the situation to urge a "red revolt" against employers. This attitude of the radicals has caused sharp dissension even among the ranks of labor.

Labor circles charge that many of the "unemployed" are not members of labor unions, are not really out of work, and if they were would seek to avoid work. They attempt to compel workmen who have jobs to quit in favor of the unemployed.

The government is planning the establishment of employment bureau throughout the country, while the municipalities and the labor councils are canvassing the industries in the hope that jobs may be found for all.

The German Housewives' League is trying to aid unemployed married men by placing their wives in positions to earn a little money "when not engaged in housework."

Low earning power of workmen and high prices has popularized the movement responsibility of supporting the family.

Of the American casualties due to gas in the last war, only 1½ per cent were fatal.

Nervous Breakdown

The extreme depression and discouragement which comes over one at times is the most alarming symptom of nervous exhaustion.

This letter is a message of hope to all who find themselves in this unfortunate condition.

Mrs. Geo. T. Tingley, Albert, N.B., writes:—

"For years I was in a very nervous, run-down condition, was much depressed in spirits and suffered a great deal at times. The least noise would irritate me and at times I felt as though I certainly would go crazy. I consulted different doctors to no effect.

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MAYOR FAVORS $500 REDUCTION IN OWN SALARY

Chief Magistrate Raven of St. Thomas Delivers Inaugural Address.

WOULD CUT TAX RATE

Suggests Drive For New Industries and Aid For Unemployed.

ST. THOMAS, Jan. 9.—In his address delivered at the inaugural meeting of the city council Monday morning, Mayor Charles E. Raven made a recommendation that $500 be cut from the mayor's salary, which last year totalled $1,250, including $250 from the hydro commission.

The speech was meaty with suggestions for civic reform. He touched upon all the more important questions which he believed were calling for solution. Among them were the advisability of cutting down the tax rate, proposals for a change in the system of civic government, revision of the voters' list and assessment roll; advancing the dates of the civic election; a suggested campaign for new industries; efforts to relieve the unemployment situation; and the completion of the plan for the erection of the Memorial Hospital.

Following the formal swearing in to office of the mayor and the eleven aldermen, the chairmen of the standing committees and the members of the committees were re-elected, the recommedations of the caucus meeting held last week being accepted almost in their entirety.

The chairmen and committee members for 1922 are as follows:

No. 1, the finance committee—Ald. W. A. McIntyre, chairman; Aldermen Curtis, Stokes, Penhale, Middleton, Lemon, Meehan, Butler and Boehmer.

No. 2, board of works committee—Ald. (Dr.) J. D. Curtis, chairman; Aldermen Stokes, Butler, Penhale and Jagoe.

No. 3, fire hall and street lighting committee—Ald. Wm. Stokes, chairman; Aldermen Meehan, Boehmer, Penhale and Butler.

No. 4, parks and city hall committee—Ald. M. H. Penhale, chairman; Aldermen Middleton, Butler, McIntyre and Boehmer.

No. 5, street railway committee—Ald. Robert Middleton, chairman; Aldermen Meehan, Penhale, Burge and Jagoe.

No. 6, gas committee—Ald. F. A. Lemon, chairman; Aldermen Curtis, McIntyre, Jagoe and Burger.

Industrial committee—Ald. C. S. Butler, chairman, and all other members of No. 1 committee.

Reception committeee—Ald. Patrick Meehan, chairman, and all the other members of the city council.

Memorial Hospital committee—Ald. Dr. J. D. Curtis, chairman; Aldermen Lemon, Meehan, Butler, McIntyre, Burger Jagoe and ex-Mayor E. A. Horton.

Building committee—Ald. E. O. Boehmer, chairman; Aldermen Butler, Curtis, Middleton and Penhale.

The committee meetings will be held on the following nights each month: Council meeting the first Tuesday after the first Monday in each month; No. 4 committee on Monday evening; No. 3 on Tuesday evening; No. 6 on Wednesday evening; No. 2 on Thursday evening, and No. 5 on Friday evening in the week before the council meeting, and No. 1 committee on the Monday evening of the week of the council meeeting.

The Other Appointments.

The board of health personnel for 1922 will consist as follows: Dr. Alex. Turner, Inspector J. A. Taylor and J. T. Webster, ex-Ald. G. E. Hill being the 1921 member who retires this year.

Two names were suggested by Ald. Penhale for ex-Ald. Hill's position, Mr. Webster and ex-Mayor F. L. Brinkman. Mr. Webster was the choice of Ald. Curtis, who submitted the resolution for the appointment of the board.

The poundkeepers reappointed for 1922 are: Edward Climo and Chas. Bevis.

The fenceviewers reappointed are: John Merry, Lewman Dake and A. R. McDonald.

Mrs. George H. Small was appointed representative for the city council to the Public Library board for three years, taking the place of D. W. Newcombe, who retires this year.

That the new council is determined to carry out the pre-election promises of Mayor Raven and several other members to bring about revisions in the assessment system was indicated in the resolution, submitted by Ald. Curtis and Middleton and passed unanimously: "That the entire council be a committee to inquire into the assessment revision."

A resolution was also passed unanimously, on motion of Ald. Curtis and Lemon, "that the city solicitor be requested to send questionnaires to all cities in Ontario and all other cities deemed advisable, relative to the assessment systems in vogue."

The following were appointed members of the court of revision: Ex-Ald. Richard Sanders, who was a member last year; ex-Mayor Sperrin Chant and Ald. William Stokes.

In part Mayor Raven spoke as follows:

"It has been apparent to the council of the last year and, no doubt to many of the citizens, that our municipal government is out of date in some respects at least and that some changes should be made that would be a vast improvement on the present methods. With this in mind, the council of 1921 appointed a committee to look into the city manager plan of civic government and also a plan that would bring about the amalgamation of all our revenue bearing departments, namely: Our public utilities into a joint commission.

"I would recommend that the committee be reappointed by this council and requested to bring in a report at an early date.

Voters' List Revision.

"During the past week, we have all been confronted with the very unsatisfactory conditions of the voters' list and that strong measures must be pursued to have errors rectified and the list brought up-to-date in every particular. The voters' list, as you know, is compiled from the assessment roll of the year previous, and I can see no reason that, as our assessment is complete by the end of Sepetember, why the voters' list could not be compiled from the current year's assessment and brought up-to-date. I would suggest that this matter be passed on to the finance committee for an early report, and if special legislation is required to bring about this change, that prompt action be taken by the council.

"Another question should be considered very seriously, and that is advancing the date for the holding of the municipal elections. I need not say anything further to you in this regard. The reasons are quite apparent to all. Only I would suggest that immediate action will need to be taken to get the necessary legislation if you want this matter remedied for the next election.

Slash to Tax Rate.

"Every effort should be made this year to reduce the tax rate. Great caution must be exercised in our expenditures. I am quiet sure that our assessment in a general way has reached its height and our endeavors must now be directed towards a reduction of expenditures. From now on we must make our disbursements fit the civic pocket, keeping in mind of course, that all necessary repairs and new work required must not be neglected.

"I would advise that the chairman of the various committees get to work at once on their estimates, together with city treasurer, in order that a preliminary draft may be brought before the finance committee, in two or three weeks.

"One of the most difficult tasks that lies before us is to restore the confidence of the ratepayers in the assessment department. I doubt if any one questions, but that the council will do all in its power to bring in a proposition that will be absolutely fair to every ratepayer. Several plans have been suggested. Undoubtedly there are commendable points in them all, but it remains for you to adopt the system that is best adapted to the requirements of St. Thomas. I would recommend that No. 1 committee be given the matter to handle before this meeting adjourns. Prompt action is necessary that the department will not be delayed in completing this year's assessment."

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Auer Makes Real Masters of Music

Leopold Auer (Center) and some of his famous pupils. Left, top to bottom— Kathleen Parlow, Mischa Elman, Jascha Heifetz; right—Thelma Given, Efrem Zimbalist, Ruth Ray.

BY RUTH ABELING.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—"As a boy they gave me a little drum, and I beat it—R-r-rum! R-r-rum! R-r-r-rum!"

In the high-ceilinged, softly-lighted reception-room of his home, Leopold Auer, marvel man of the musical world, beat imaginery drumsticks on an invisible drum.

"They saw I had a sense of rhythm," said Auer, "so my father took me to a teacher."

That was the beginning of the career of Leopold Auer, 40 years solo violinist of the Russian court, who has to his credit the training of a notable list of artists: Ruth Ray, Thelma Given, Kathleen Parlow, Toscha Seidel, Mischa Elman, Efrem Zimbalist, Jascha Heifetz, and others.

Making Artists.

The making of an artist?

The elderly violinist—he can't be more than five feet tall, is grey-haired and wears his 76 years with a subtle charm—merely thrusts out his hands, palms up, and lifts his shoulders slightly.

"Only the public knows," says Auer. "No specialist can tell whether any particular person will be an artist. Specialists analyze the music. They say the musician is perfect, there is no flaw. The public hears and—" with an outward gesture.

"That one is no artist! Why? You don't know. I don't know. The public itself doesn't know. No one knows because the qualities, physical, mental, spiritual and technical, are combined in such a way that they cannot be discovered separately.

"There are many technically perfect musicians who can never become artists."

Auer fled from home when the Bolsheviki gained control of Russia.

Airplane Hunts From Sky For Missing State Commissioner

FORT WILLIAM, Jan. 9.—(By Canadian Press.)—Eyes are turned skyward here in anticipation of the arrival of the Minnesota airplane ordered from Duluth by Governor J. O. Preuse to scour the Trunder Bay reefs and barren islands for James Mahar, state commissioner at Grand Portage, missing thirteen days, who ventured on a mid-winter motorboat cruise through the ice-floes.

With steam up, the ice-breaking tug Strathmore awaits the airplane's signal to proceed to the rescue if the pilot finds trace of the 25-foot launch or its occupant.

From Minnesota ports ice-breakers have already started north, and within 24 hours Mahar's fate should be definitely known.

If the airplane and tugs fail to find him in that time it is believed only two chances for life remain—that Mahar, cut off by floes, turned his craft towards Isle Royale, where he may now be in refuge, or he abandoned the open boat and made his way across the ice to the mainland.

Even if he reaches shore, his chances for escape are believed to be slim, as the country is infested with timber wolves, the big grey man-eating variety, more numerous hereabouts than ever before.

His mission accomplished and the authorities stirred to the plight of his father, Donald Mahar, 15-year-old son of Commissioner Mahar, resolutely refused to stay longer at the twin ports and turned about on his tracks to walk the 47 miles back to his home at Grand Portage.

Through the deep snow the little fellow trudged, waving farewell to his uncle, who had accompanied him to the city limits.

It was not until the evening papers first announced the news of his heroism at his first attempt to find his father by motorboat which resulted in the "kid" trapper and his three companions running foul of a shoal and narrowly escaping death, of his wild ride on horseback to inform his mother, and of his 47-mile walk to Port Arthur to enlist the help of his uncle, that public sympathy was aroused

Within an hour after his departure afoot a fast sleigh put out to overtake the lad and boost him along on the journey home. It found him dauntlessly plowing along in the snow, swinging a club he had cut for protection.

WELCOME GALT'S FAIR COUNCILLOR

Alderman Margaret A. Secord Sets Precedent For Her City.

[Special to London Advertiser.]

GALT, Jan. 9.—With the majority of the 1922 council new men, it was decided to change the method of appointing the nominating committee to strike the standing committees of the council at the inaugural meeting this morning, taking the matter out of the mayor's hands and naming a committee with a representative from each of the five wards, two of whom were members last year.

The meeting was a short one, and Galt's first woman councillor, Margaret A. Secord, received a warm welcome from her colleagues. She made an appropriate speech.

Mayor S. E. Charlton, in his inaugural address, laid emphasis upon the responsibility of members of the council. While he pointed to the necessity of providing work for the city's unemployed, he urged that it be seen that the money was spent wisely.

The standing committees of the council for 1922 are: Finance, W. S. McKay, chairman; J. E. Gardiner, A. W. Hilborn; board of works, J. E. Gardiner, chairman; Mrs. Secord, W. Burnet, Leon Shupe and J. A. Head.

Market, fire and light, A. E. Willard, chairman; A. Forbes, A. M. Gray, A. W. Hilborn. Cemetery, Alex. Forbes, chairman; Mrs. Secord and A. W. Hilborn. Industrial, J. A. Head, chairman; A. E. Willard, A. M. Gray, Leon Shupe. Reception, Leon Shupe, chairman; Mrs. Secord, W. Burnet, W. S. McKay. Railway, W. S. McKay, chairman; J. A. Head, A. Forbes and A. M. Gray.

About 175 species of holly grow in all parts of the world.

SOUTH AFRICAN STRIKE IMMINENT

LONDON, Jan. 9.—Canadian Press Cable.)—Outward indications of public recognition of the seriousness of the general strike menace is now apparent throughout the Union of South Africa, says a Reuter cable from Johannesburg. Heavy coal trains now pass Johannesburg en route for the coast, where shipping concerns are anxiously replenishing their reserves. Even cattle cars are being used to haul coal.

A steady stream of police is moving towards Johannesburg to insure order there, while in Johannesburg itself the march of fully armed police is an hourly spectacle.

The situation is naturally regarded seriously in government circles at Pretoria. The Nationalist miners would gladly upset the present government if possible, but there is no threat against the constitution or of any revolutionary intent. Nevertheless the government is taking measures to guard against the possibility of a blaze which might be caused by a spark despite the efforts of the men's leaders to keep things in hand.

BIBLE SOCIETY GETS $105.75.

DELAWARE, Jan. 9. — The contributions to the Delaware branch of the Bible Society for 1921 amounted to $105.75, which is a good increase over the previous year.

WORLD LEADERS INDULGE IN GOLF

CANNES, Jan. 9.—One of the most notable diplomatic golf contests in the history of the game was played on the Cannes Golf Club links this afternoon. The players were the prime ministers of Great Britain, Lloyd George, Premier Bonomi of Italy and Lord Ryndell, on the one side, and Premier Briand, Andrew Bonar Law and Sir Edward Grigg on the other. It was the first appearance of both Premier Briand and Premier Bonomi on any course, and in addition to a large gallery, composed chiefly of members of the various delegations to the allied supreme council meeting here, a flock of moving-picture and other photographers surrounded the group.

Premier Briand teed off, while the crowd cheered and the cameras clicked. The question of reparations, the economic situation and European affairs generally were discussed between holes. When the tenth hole had been reached the golfers remembered they had called a supreme council meeting for 5 o'clock, and had to abandon the game and hurry to the yacht club, where the sessions are held.

Honors were even when the players quit, and everyone agreed that Premiers Briand and Bonomi had displayed much skill for beginners.

DIES OF WHOOPING COUGH.

MITCHELL, Jan. 9.—The 4-months' old son of Mr. and Mrs. John Karn, who had been afflicted with whooping cough, died on Sunday while in convulsions.

Greta Abray, daughter of Station Agent Abray and Mrs. Abray, fell on the ice in the public school yard and fractured her skull. Dr. Hall was the attending physician, and the injured girl is getting along nicely.

Kill 200 Deer in Weeding Out Process Started At Public Park.

CHATHAM, Jan. 9.—Over 200 deer have been slaughtered in a weeding-out process which has just been concluded at Government Park. The venison thus obtained has been sold by the government at 10 cents per pound to local butchers, who in turn resell it to the public at prices ranging from 15 to 35 cents per pound. The average profit made by butchers on the venison is stated to be nearly 150 per cent.

Inquiries instituted here have elicited the information that the herd of deer is very numerous, nearly 2,000 head roaming about in the park.

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ALLAN UNAWARE OF CONDITION OF BANK CUSTOMER

Merchants Bank President Admits Lack of Knowledge To Court.

BALLANTYNE ILL IN BED

Case Involving Alleged Theft of $600,000 Adjourned Till Friday.

MONTREAL, Jan. 9.—(By Canadian Press.)—That Sir Montagu Allan, president of the Merchants Bank of Canada, was unaware of the exact condition of the current account of Thornton, Davidson & Co. prior to the failure of that stock-broking firm in 1920, was one of the statements made in court here today by Sir Montagu when called as a witness in the preliminary proceedings in the charges made against Colin Ogilvie Cameron, who is charged with the theft of $600,000 while partner of the Thornton-Davidson firm.

This concern, it is said, owed the Merchants Bank upward of $3,600,000 at the time of the 1920 bankruptcy.

Sir Montagu further stated that he was unaware that the concern had a large overdraft with his bank.

Later Senator Lorne C. Webster, a director of the Merchants Bank, said he had no knowledge of an overdraft to the Thornton-Davidson firm.

Hon. C. C. Ballantyne, former minister of marine in the Meighen government, was also called as a witness in the inquiry, but Hon. W. J. Shaughnessy, who appeared as counsel for the directors of the Merchants Bank, stated that Mr. Ballantyne was ill in bed, and could not appear.

40 Witnesses Subpoenaed.

Names prominent in business and financial circles were called through the corridors of the courthouse today, and while not all of the 40 witnesses subpoenaed in the case appeared, there was an imposing array of well-known persons present.

Some of the witnesses denied debit balances shown in their names in the books of Thornton, Davidson & Co. after the bankruptcy.

Another witness told of a financial report prepared previous to the failure in which it was shown that the firm's capital had been seriously impaired, and that all the partners were indebted as to the capital account.

A mass of books and papers were brought into court in charge of William Gordon Finlayson, trustee of the insolvent firm, and it was indicated that other witnesses are to be called on to produce bank books and statements concerning bank transactions of the firm.

From these and from others not yet examined it is probable that the hearing will go forward into next week. The case was adjourned this afternoon until next Friday.

Webster Testifies.

Examined by Mr. Alexander at the session today, Senator Webster declared that he had been a director of the Merchants Bank since 1919. He had not known prior to July 1, 1920, the date on which the firm's failure was announced that Thornton, Davidson & Company was practically bankrupt and insolvent and could not meet its obligations.

Mr. Alexander: "Did you have personal knowledge, or broadly, as a director of the Merchants Bank, did you know that Thornton, Davidson & Company had a large debt balance with your bank?" Senator Webster: "No."

The probe was then directed upon entries in the books of Thornton, Davidson & Company, with a view to showing that falsification had occurred in the books.

William Gordon Finlayson, the trustee of Thornton, Davidson & Company since the failure, under examination of Mr. Alexander, enumerated certain accounts, in which falsification is alleged to exist.

The first account examined by the court was that of Alfred Bowser. The books, said Mr. Finlayson, showed that Mr. Bowser was indebted to the firm by $64,379.59. Mr. Bowser had denied in an affidavit that he had authorized purchases to this extent on his account.

LISTOWEL NURSE INJURED.

LISTOWEL, Ont., Jan. 9.—Miss Clara Mason, nurse in training at the Memorial Hospital here, fractured the small bone in her ankle. She was coming out of her boarding-house with Miss McDonough, nurse graduate, when she stepped on the sidewalk and fell.

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ARMS PARLEY WILL NOT LIMIT WARFARE IN SKY

Believes Problem Should Be Debated by Powers At Future Date.

CONFERENCE END NEARS

Shantung Question Still in Deadlock, But Optimism Prevails.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 9.—Only details of technical phraseology remain to be worked out before the treaty of limitation of armament is ready for signature by the plenipotentiaries of the five great powers.

Passing today on its last question of policy, the armament committee of the Washington conference decided against any present attempt to limit or regulate aerial warfare, and voted to refer the problem to a continuing commission for future study.

Then each of the five delegations, meeting separately, began an examination of the tentative treaty draft prepared by the sub-committee of experts. The delegation heads are to come together late tomorrow to compare opinions, and it is expected that the complete text will be ready for publication to the world at a plenary session of the conference on Thursday or Friday.

Questions of definition, particularly with reference to the status of the merchant vessels in war-time, are understood to be the chief concern of the delegates in their efforts to agree on a wording acceptable to everyone.

Some features of the merchant ship problem already have been cleared away, however, and there is no indication that a prolonged discussion will result.

See Early Solution.

With the armament end of the conference apparently approaching final disposition, the delegates are preparing to press the Far Eastern questions also to an early solution.

The Shantung question is in deadlock, but fresh hope of settlement was aroused tonight when it became apparent that the negotiations on that subject were turning into new channels.

The other remaining elements of discord in the far east are not generally considered of a character to lead to extended debate.

Some delegates took so optimistic a view of the outlook that they were predicting a plenary session for Saturday or Monday to announce completion of the far eastern treaty.

Arthur J. Balfour, head of the British delegation, made definite plans to sail for home on Tuesday or next week, and his colleagues declared it was entirely likely that he would sign the far eastern agreement before his departure.

Delay Study of Text.

On the other hand, it became apparent tonight that the study of the naval treaty text by individual delegations was promising to consume more time than originally had been allotted for it.

The first plan was for a meeting of the delegation heads at 10 a.m. tomorrow, to be followed an hour later by a session of the full naval committee for discussion of the text.

Late today, however, after the delegates had been working over questions of phraseology for several hours, it was decided to suspend plans for tomorrow's committee meeting and to hold the meeting of delegates late tomorrow afternoon.

Mrs. Stillman Wires She Is Ready For Fight of 'Gold Vs. Courage.'

MONTREAL, Jan. 9.—Mrs. Ann U. Stillman has sent the following telegram to her husband, James A. Stillman of New York, from La Tuque, Que. This is the first time she has personally communicated with him since the beginning of the divorce proceedings:

"Today, standing in the snow of Canada, I know what you tried to do to me, and from the north I hurl my gauntlet at your feet. Gold against courage, James. I am ready for you."

Star System Wins at Ticket Booth

Gloria Swanson in "Don't Tell Everything."

One of Wallace Reid's latest photographs in "Don't Tell Everything."

BY JAMES W. DEAN.

New York, Jan. 9.—This is to let you in on a little secret. Jack Holt, a star in his own right, works as an extra in "Don't Tell Everything." He rides in the polo scenes.

Now the reason this is mentioned is that Holt really rides well. He worked as an extra because he likes to ride. You can spot him in the film, although he never appears in a close-up.

No matter how much commentators on the movies may rave about the story being the thing in the photoplay, the star system is the thing at the box office.

Gloria Swanson and Elliott Dexter co-star with Reid in "Don't Tell Everything." Those three names will draw more people to a box office than the title of the greatest story ever written, whatever one that may happen to be.

WELLE BROTHERS SCORE AT GRAND

Welle Brothers are the one big feature of the Grand program for the first half of this week, this pair of clever pole and ladder balancers, offering a performance that for sheer thrill and daring, is seldom equaled on the stage. The audience applauded them generously, but breathed a good deal easier after the act was completed.

Of two other vaudeville acts, McDonald and Mack excel from a musical standpoint, and have a fair line of comedy. A moderate degree of novelty and one or two good songs enable Delmar and Mangles to put over some humor that is not exactly new, through the medium of an act that on the whole is pleasing.

The Harold Lloyd comedy film, "I Do," is lively and entertaining throughout, and at times made the audience laugh unrestrainedly.

Another Elaine Hammerstein feature film is offered, "The Girl From Nowhere."

Unless you are excessively prejudiced against photoplays which deal with crooks and judges, society snobs and girls who either marry against their parents' wishes or else are forced into loveless marriages to satisfy social ambitions of their parents, there is every chance of your liking "The Girl From Nowhere."

The snowstorm scene with the big touring car plowing through the drifts to be at last overturned in a snow-filled ditch is interesting, and a touch of real romance envelops the cheerful fire in the Ryder log cabin in the wood, where the heroine takes refuge and poses as the owner's wife to allay the suspicions of the lodge-keeper and a typical moving-picture reporter.

The ending seems a bit abrupt. Despite his amateurish interest in the reformation of criminals one would have liked to see the poor old grandfather enter the picture again to bless the ultimate happiness of the heroine.

"HOUSE OF GLASS" WINS BIG HOUSE

The Wm. A. Grew Players presented the "House of Glass" to a packed house in the Majestic Theatre Monday night, which a change in the heating system had made warm and comfortable.

Virginia Mann as Margaret Case, a young girl convicted of theft, whose identity is later emerged in that of Mrs. Harvey Lake, wife of a "big" railroad man, proves herself a great emotional actress.

Twice her role necessitates a swoon, always a difficult part to play, but she handles it in the most realistic manner possible. She has the ability to express deep emotion merely by facial expression.

Duncan Penwarden as a lawyer, with a sense of humor, was splendid, striking a note of balance between tragedy and comedy, and moving the audience to laughter after they had just been moved to tears.

He proved his versatility as an actor by holding his audience breathless with anticipation, while he makes a telephone call which means life and death to the heroine.

Ricky Selchrist, as a crook, fighting for a chance to go "straight," shows exceptional dramatic ability, and Robert Hyman, who takes the part of Harvey Lake, a good man but stubborn, interpreted his role with marked skill.

The supporting cast was all that could be desired, particularly the butler, who had a happy knack of mixing cockstails, and Wallace Ray, as Carroll, a police officer, with an extremely well-developed sense of duty.

"House of Glass" is a play well worthy of public support, striking a happy medium between comedy and tragedy, with just enough of both to satisfy the most fastidious theatre-goer.

HAMILTON MAYOR IS OPTIMISTIC

HAMILTON, Jan. 9.—The city council held its inaugural meeting Monday morning, and a large number of citizens witnessed the ceremony, among them several ex-mayors of this city. Rev. W. P. Robertson, rector of St. Thomas' Church, conducted the devotional exercises. Mayor Coppley gave a lengthy address in which he spoke of trade conditions generally and of their effect upon Hamilton's great steel industries. He expressed the belief that the worst of the depression was past, and said that with the spring would come a new era of prosperity. He asked the council to co-operate with him in making every effort to conduct the civic administration with economy and efficiency.

HEAD STUFFED BY CATARRH? USE A HEALING CREAM

If your nostrils are clogged, your throat distressed, or your head is stuffed by nasty catarrh or a cold, apply a little pure, antiseptic, germ destroying cream into your nostrils. It penetrates through every air passage, soothing inflamed, swollen membranes and you get instant relief.

How good it feels. Your nostrils are open. Your head is clear. No more hawking, snuffling, dryness or struggling for breath. Get a small bottle of Ely's Cream Balm from any druggist. Colds and catarrh yield like magic. Don't stay stuffed up. Relief is sure. —Advt.

DENIES NEWBERRY DEFENSE IS TRUE

Mississippi Senator Asks His Colleagues "If There Is a Man Who Believes It."

WASHINGTON, Jan. 9.—Standing at his place in the senate and speaking publicly for the first time in his own defence, Senator Truman H. Newberry of Michigan declared today that, with God as his witness, he was not to this hour conscious of a single act—unlawful, dishonorable or corrupt—in his senatorial campaign against Henry Ford in 1918.

For exactly half an hour Senator Newberry, with the eyes of his colleagues upon him, read a prepared speech without interruption. And when he had concluded for half an hour more he was subjected to a cross-examination at the hands of Senator Walsh of Montana, a Democratic member of the committee which in a majority report held he was entitled to his seat.

How Senator Newberry came through the trying ordeal was viewed for the most part through partisan eyes.

There appeared to be no doubt that his Republican friends were jubilant. They rushed towards him as he edged his way from the crowded chamber, offering congratulations. Many Democrats later asserted that Senator Williams of Mississippi had about expressed their views when he characterized the Michigan senator's defence as "full of evasion."

Friends of the senator claimed tonight that his speech made a "fine impression," and that two or three Republicans, classed as doubtful, were ready to vote to seat him. The vote may be taken Wednesday.

There was a dramatic turn when Senator Williams, swinging on his heel and facing half a dozen of his colleagues, asked if they believed the Newberry statement filed with the senate, in which Mr. Newberry said he had no knowledge of contributions and expenditures beyond the figure named "is there a man within sound of my voice who believes it?" Senator Williams asked "It is a horrible thing to accuse a gentleman of perjury. Do you believe it? You know it is entirely false."

MAY NOT SERVE 40-YEAR TERM

TORONTO, Jan. 9.—Steve Zowislux of Parry Sound will probably not serve his sentence of 40 years for a minor offence, that of smashing a number of shop windows, committed with the object of being taken into custody and getting shelter for the winter.

As a result of inquiries made by Hon. W. E. Raney, he has communicated with the minister of justice at Ottawa, pointing out that the sentence was an absurd one, and suggesting a reduction to one of normal length.

The attorney-general is not allowing the matter to rest there, and some attention will probably be given to Magistrate Moore, who imposed the extraordinary punishment.

RED DEATH SIGN SEEN IN ONTARIO

PORT ARTHUR, Ont., Jan. 9.—The "death sign" of the Russian Bolshevik, the hammer and sickle, calculated to throw terror into the hearts of persons on whose premises it appears, was found painted on the walls of the interior of the Bank of Hamilton Building, the Imperial Bank Building and on the doorway of the office of the Finnish Vice-Consul this morning. Several private houses, it is said, have also been marked.

The symbol is painted in a rough design in deep scarlet paint. The police are investigating.

WHITE STAR RATES FOR ATLANTIC VOYAGE CUT

MONTREAL, Jan. 9.—Another reduction in rates between this continent and Europe was announced today by the White Star Line and Robert Reford Company officials. The reduction affects the second class only, cutting down the fare to Hamburg and Bremen by $5, making the Hamburg rate $125.

SET DATE FOR ARBUCKLE TR

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 9.—Th... ond manslaughter trial of Roscoe... (Fatty) Arbuckle, charged with hav... caused the death of Miss Virgi... Rappe, motion picture actress, will ... gin Wednesday, as the result of ... ady's proceedings in the superior cou...

LICENSE INSPECTOR AT GUELPH RESIGNS POS...

GUELPH, Jan. 9.—James O'Bri... who for the past ten years has h... office of license inspector in South We... lington, has handed in his resignati... to the provincial license departme... and will give up his duties at the e... of February, owing to ill-health.

WINS HEROISM MEDAL.

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 9.—... the inauguration of the new coun... today, the Royal Humane Socie... medal was presented to Phyllis Perr... who in August last rescued two co... panions from the upper Niagara Riv...

Do you drink "SALADA" OR JUST TEA?

There's a distinct difference in favor of "Salada"

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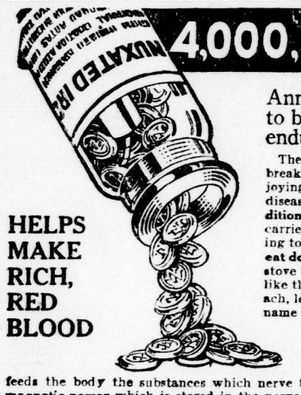

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NUXATED IRON ENRICHES THE BLOOD-GIVES YOU NEW STRENGTH AND ENERGY

A WOMAN'S RHEUMATIC LAMENESS

Relieved by Hood's Sarsaparilla.

I have taken Hood's Sarsaparilla and it has done me so much good in relieving my lameness I am very thankful to you for it. I can walk well now and go almost everywhere. Before taking this medicine I was confined to the house for a year and a half. It strengthened my limbs.

I advise my friends that are lame from rheumatism to take it.

My husband and son have also taken Hood's Sarsaparilla, and it has given all of us a good appetite.—Mrs. Mary A. Wall, 21 Florence street, Rockland, Me.

If you need a laxative or cathartic take Hood's Pills.—Advt.

Great 10-Day January Sale of Unusual Importance

Wednesday Morning

Important not only because of the very exceptional pricing, but because the goods are of such desirable styles, dependable quality, and good assortment. SUITS CLEAN-UP—The price alone is sufficiently low to sell every suit here. Add to this the advantage of good styles, which are far enough in advance to be good for early spring wear, and you will better appreciate the splendid values.

20 only, Misses' All-Wool Serge Dresses, navy blue only, sizes 16 to 20, beautifully embroidered, in silk finish, with silk cord girdle. Regular $18.00 and $20.00 dresses **$9.95**

One rack of Women's Serge Dresses, trimmed in embroidery and beads; all high-class dresses, in coat style and straight-line garments; colors of navy blue, dark brown, taupe and black; regular price up to $35.00. Sizes 16 to 40. Clearing at **$16.95**

Children's Serge Dresses, size 4 to 14 years, all-wool Botany serge, silk embroidered; regular $7.50 value, only **$4.95**

Special clearing sale of odd Fur Pieces, consisting of Stoles and Muffs. Some pieces match, others odd, only in black, Siberian dog, wolf, natural and black, red fox, marmot, near-seal, pieced Persian lamb, and black sable. Regular price up to $30.00. To clear at only, each **$12.50**

24 only, Women's Serge Suit Coats, silk lined, made with plain and convertible collars, string belts, splendidly tailored and trimmed in military braid; regular prices $38.00 and $40.00. Navy blue, black and dark brown. Clearing at only **$25.00**

Sale of Women's Winter Coats, in fine all-wool imported velour cloths, half lined, belted, and loose-back styles; trimmed with braid and fine silk stitching; colors of brown, navy blue, taupe, sand and black. Regular price $25.00, $30.00 and $35.00 coats, at only **$18.50**

One rack of Women's Walking Skirts, all-wool, two-inch stripes, colors of brown and green, sand, green, navy and fawn, purple and black, copen blue and sand. Special clearing price **$3.95**

37 Women's and Misses' Suits, high-class, tailor-made garments, in broadcloths, tricotine, gabardine and men's wear serge, silk lined coats, with plain and convertible collars; some are beautifully embroidered, others plain tailored; colors of navy blue, dark brown, sand and black; regular $50.00, $55.00 and $60.00 suits at only **$37.50**

Great Values In LINENS and COTTONS

5 pieces Union Crash Toweling, red border. January sale 19c

Heavy Union Crash Toweling, colored borders, exceptionally good cloth 29c

Pure Linen Crash Toweling, red border, per yard 25c

17-inch Pure Linen Toweling, heavy round thread, colored border 35c

10 dozen Colored Bath Towels, to clear, each, 17½c

10 dozen Colored Bath Towels, to clear, each, 37½c

25 dozen White and Colored Bath Towels, some slightly soiled, each 50c

Huck Towels, splendid quality, bordered and hemmed, size 18x34. Each 25c

Huck Towels, speecial quality, bordered and hemed, sizes 20x38. Each ..... 35c, or $3.95 dozen

Huck Towels, extra quality, hemmed, size 22x40. Each ..... 45c, or $4.95 dozen

Fancy White Bath Towels, colored borders of pink, blue and gold. Each 75c

White Bath Towels, woven figures, colored border, super-quality. Each $1.00

54-inch Bleached Table Damask, fine even thread. Per yard 69c

Half-Bleached Table Damask, good quality. Per yard 98c

Full-Bleached Damask, 70-inch. January sale, per yard $1.50

5 only sets Table Linen—Cloth 70x70, and 1 dozen 22-inch Napkins, pure linen. Set $10.95

Table Linen Sets—One Cloth 8x10, and 1 dozen Napkins, handsome designs, 60% linen; $25.00, for $19.00

Table Linen Sets, 8x10 Cloth, round designs, 1 dozen Napkins, pure linen. Regular $30.00, for $25.00

72x72 Pure Linen Table Cloths, special qualities $4.95, $6.50, $8.50, $10.00

72x90 All-Linen Table Cloths ..... $7.50, $8.50, $10.00 and $12.50

Hemmed Pillowslips, sizes 40, 42, 44. Per pair, 48c

Hemstitched Pillowslips, extra quality. Per pair, 90c

Hemmed Sheets, size 70x90, heavy cloth, $1.75 each, for $1.39

Cotton and Sheeting Section.

20 pieces Unbleached Cotton, strong and durable.. ..... 10 yards for $1.00

10 pieces Unbleached Cotton, 34 inches, 7 yards $1.00

Extra Heavy Cotton, 36 inches, wonderful value. Per yard 25c

40-Inch Grey Cotton, extra quality 20c

10 pieces Bleached Cotton ..... 7 yards for $1.00

Special importation of English White Cotton, round heavy thread, per yard 20c, 25c, 30c

36-Inch White Longcloth, very special, per yard.... ..... 25c, 29c, 39c

Pillow Cotton Ends, worth up 65c. January sale price, yard 39c

Ends of Bleached Sheeting, lengths 1½ yards to 5 yards. Worth up to 89c. To clear 50c

Bleached Sheeting, 8-4. Regular 89c and $1. January sale 60c

9-4 Bleached Sheeting. January sale price, per yard 50c, 69c, 75c

Heavy Scotch Sheeting, full bleach, 72 inches, extra quality. Regular $1.50, for $1.00. Reg. $1.98 for $1.25

9-4 Heavy Scotch Sheeting, full bleach, super quality, $1.98 for $1.25; $2.25 for $1.45

Four pieces 72-Inch heavy Unbleached Sheeting, per yard 50c

10 pieces White Saxony Flannelette. January sale price, yard 18c

White Saxony Flannelette, 34-inch. Extra special 25c

27-inch Striped Flannelette, per yard 15c

10 pieces, 34 and 35 inches, Heavy Striped Flannelette. Extra special, yard 25c

White Crochet Quilts, none better, $1.98, $2.75, $3.98

10 Dozen Women's FLEECE-LINED UNDERWEAR

In white and grey, vests and drawers to match, sizes 36 and 38. January sale price, per garment.

95c

Wonderful Values in Dress Goods Department

200 yards Black Duchess Satin, good heavy quality, best dye, will not cut or crush, full 36 inches wide. Regular $3.00. January sale price, per yard, $2.19

Taffeta Silk, soft chiffon finish, yard wide, in shades of green, grey, saud and black. Regular $2.00 and $2.25. To clear at $1.50

Serges, all wool, fine weave and good weight, for dresses or skirts, 56 inches wide, in shades of navy, brown, prune, burgundy. Regular $2.50. January sale price $1.75

One table of Serges, shepherd checks and plaids, in all wool and union, 40 and 44 inches wide, a good range of shades. To clear at, per yard 75c

Check Suitings, a nice heavy quality for ladies' suits or separate skirts, in green and black, blue and black, burgundy and black, purple and black, 52 inches wide. To clear, per yard $1.98

Winter Coatings, in silvertones, velours and heather tweeds, good all-wool quality, 56 and 60 inches wide. Regular $3.98, $4.50, $5.00. January clearance, per yard $2.98

Clearing Sale of Odd and Broken Lines of Women's Corsets

One table of high bust reducing corsets for stout women, made of strong English coutil, soft top, graduated clasp, wide elastic at bottom back, embroidery trimmed, six hose supports. Size 29 to 35. Regular $5.00, for $3.50

One table medium bust corset, for average figure, material is good quality domestic coutil, reinforced fronts, well boned throughout, graduated clasp, four hose supports, size 21 to 30. Regular $4.00. January sale price $2.50

One table of corsets, odd lines, in low and medium busts, small sizes only 20 to 23. Regular $2.50, for $1.68

Women's Handkerchiefs—20 dozen pure Irish linen handkerchiefs, with hemstitched edge. Regular 45c. January sale price ..... 29c each, or 4 for $1.00

59c---Women's Silk Hose---59c

Here's an opportunity to buy silk hose at a ridiculously low price. Just 25 dozen in the lot. Silk ankle and mercerized lisle top Shades of cordovan, smoke, navy, grey and white and morocco. Sizes 8½ to 10. Worth 85c. January sale price ..... 59c, 3 pairs for $1.65

98c--Women's Cashmere Hose--98c

English Cashmere Hose, pure wool Botany yarn, in black, brown, beaver and tan. Sizes 8½ to 10. Very special, per pair 98c

Children's Sweater Coats 89c

Here's a little lot of Children's Pure Wool Sweater Coats, in white only. Sizes 6, 8, 10 years. A wonderful bargain 89c

LONDON—— **R. J. YOUNG & CO.** ——LONDON EAST

WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

PAID EVERY HONOR TO FAMINE HELPERS

Chinese Gave Returning Missionaries Grand Send-Off.

"When my husband and I came away from our city of Wei Hwhei Fu in Honan the magistrates and the influential people paid us every possible honor. They draped us with silk scarfs, carried us in chairs, had bands and firecrackers. And all this demonstration was owing to the fact that through us, two missionaries returning home on furlough, they wanted to pay tribute to what the Christian world has done through missionaries in providing famine relief, in lessening the suffering from the most far-reaching famine that China has known in thirty or forty years."

The speaker was a charming and interesting visitor in the city this week, Mrs. A. W. Lochead, formerly Miss Jean McLachlan of Guelph, who, with her husband, Rev. A. W. Lochead, is a guest in the home of the sister of the latter, Mrs. F. W. Hughes, Queen's avenue. Mr. Lochead, who has been a missionary in China for seventeen years, is a son of the late Rev. John S. Lochead, who previous to his death was associated with the congregation of New St. James' Presbyterian Church.

The story from China that is foremost in the minds of both Mr. and Mrs. Lochead at present is that of the devastating famine, the relief that came through the successful spring crops just two weeks before they left, and the effect on the people and on missionary activities in Honan and adjoining provinces of the efforts put forth by the missionaries to aid the sufferers.

Regular Work Stands Back.

"From the autumn of 1920 to June, 1921," said Mrs. Lochead in a little chat with the women's department of The Advertiser, "practically all regular missionary work was at a standstill, with the exception of the schools, and that which imperatively required to go on, in order that all attention might be devoted to famine relief.

"Our city, on the north side of the Yellow River, was on the southern extremity of the famine area, and all supplies for the district were allocated from there, my husband having charge of this work, the women helping all they could.

"Large sums of money for relief were only sent where there were missionaries, to co-operate with the Chinese officials; hence the appreciation on the part of the Chinese of what the missionaries meant to them in such a critical time.

"The relief work and the part the missionaries played made a very profound impression on the influential people who worked with us, and could not fail to have a good effect on the people in general, in the way of opening up their hearts to Christian influence.

"Stories tragic and pathetic were continually coming in to us of the ravages of the famine. A reliable investigator in the north of the county north of us brought back samples of the only food of the people, flour made from ground wheat straw and ground peanut shells.

"The relief sent out took the form of millet, grain-like bird seed, which is the staple food of the people, oats from Manchuria, No. 4 grade, very coarse flour from an American mill not far away, and sorghum, a coarse grain. The oats the people were obliged to bruise in a mortar or boil whole, and they preferred the sorghum either to this or the coarse flour.

Honan Just Wakening.

"There is reason for great rejoicing that the terrible famine is practically over. There was some local crop failure in the spring, and the summer floods destroyed the crop in some areas, but, in general, both spring and fall crops have been a success, and work can go on again under normal conditions, with a better outlook, doubtless owing to the bonds of sympathy established for Christianity through famine relief."

Unlike the coast provinces, Honan has not yet felt the "educational urge" resulting from contact with the outside world and the going away of numbers of students to be educated in other countries. "Honan is primitive and backward compared with these," stated Mrs. Lochead; "nevertheless it has been surprising the advancement that has been made in the past few years. While there is much wealth in the province, poverty is very widespread, with the result that until recently practically none of the young men have gone away to be educated. They have been a stay-at-home people. Now, however, schools are increasing in number, there are a few native pastors, and China's awakening is beginning to manifest itself in a broader outlook."

Wednesday evening Mrs. Lochead addresses the regular meeting of the Women's Missionary Society of the First Presbyterian Church in the church hall.

SISTER MARY'S KITCHEN

Buckwheat Cakes and Sausage For Winter Breakfasts

THERE'S nothing quite like real, honest-to-goodness buckwheat cakes and sausage for the winter morning meal. If this makes too heavy a breakfast, try it for luncheon some day when the man of the house is at home.

The old-fashioned buckwheat cake made with yeast is not difficult to digest or prepare. The modern housewife seems to regard yeast as a great mystery, but in fact it's one of the simplest of ingredients and insures success.

Buckwheat Cakes.

One cake yeast, ¼ cup warm water, 1 quart water, buckwheat flour, 1 scant teaspoon salt, 1 teaspoon soda.

Soften yeast cake in lukewarm water. Add to quart of water also lukewarm. Stir till dissolved and add salt and enough buckwheat flour to make a stiff batter.

Cover and put in a warm place over night. The crock in which this sponge is "set" must be of good size for the sponge rises during the night.

When about ready to bake the cakes dissolve the soda in hot water and beat into thesponge. Let stand 15 minutes and bake on a hot, well-greased griddle.

The soda sweetens the cakes and makes them very light. As buckwheat flour differs in its purity it is impossible to give the exact amount necessary for the sponge. This batter may be kept from day to day and really improves with age.

The second night do not add yeast. Add two or three cups of water, salt and buckwheat and put in a warm place to rise. In the morning add the soda, just as the first morning. Keep the left-over batter in a cool place during the day.

Pork Sausage.

Put the sausage in the frying-pan and add enough hot water to half cover. Cover closely and cook until the water is all cooked away.

When the sausage begins to sizzle prick the skin with a fork. Turn and prick the other side. Cook brown on both sides.

Sausage must be well cooked and if cooked entirely by frying is apt to be hard and dry. The small amount of water cooks the meat through and keeps it moist.

Cake sausage is browned first on both sides, a little water is then added and the sausage cooked slowly, tightly covered until water is cooked away.

Buckwheat cakes may be made without yeast, but they are not as good.

Buckwheat Griddle Cakes.

Two cups buttermilk, about 1½ cups buckwheat flour, 1 teaspoon soda, ½ teaspoon salt.

Mix flour and salt. Dissolve soda in buttermilk and add to flour. Beat well. The secret of the success of these cakes is in the beating. Bake on a hot, well-greased griddle.

Baking Powder Buckwheat Cakes.

One cup buckwheat flour, 1 tablespoon sugar, ½ teaspoon salt, 2 teaspoons baking powder, ¼ cup milk, 1¼ cups cold water.

Mix and sift flour, sugar, salt and baking powder. Add milk and water and stir well. Bake at once.

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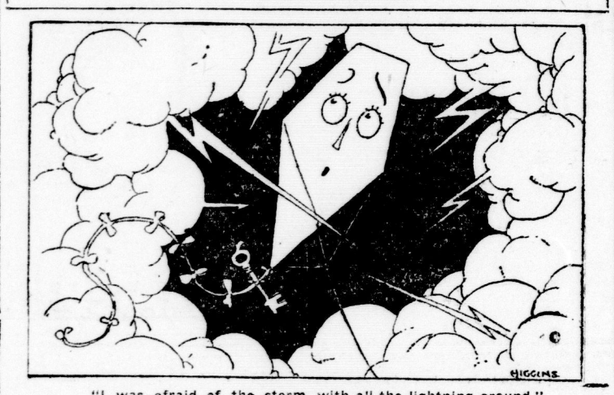
ADVENTURES OF THE TWINS.

WHAT THE KITE SAID

[By Olive Roberts Barton.]



"I was afraid of the storm with all the lightning around."

EVERYTHING was quiet for a few minutes.

The first kite had insisted that he was the most important on account of having helped to build a big bridge, and the second kite had claimed the same honor because, as he said, he had discovered electricity.

Then the Fairy Queen said quietly: "You are both as foolish as you can be. You might just as well say that one of Columbus' ships discovered America.

"Instead of being glad that you were of some use to the world you are spoiling it all by your vanity. Now run along, both of you, for neither of you deserve one bit of credit.

"It was the men who thought of using you, who were the great ones. And they never thought of biting off one another's noses.

"Shame on you both! I shall not punish you this time, but if I hear of any more trouble in my far-off palace, I shall have Buskins send you back to a toy store on the earth and take a little of the importance out of you."

The important kites shivered and hung their heads.

"All right, your majesty," said the first kite, "I'll be good. And I may as well confess that I didn't want to make that trip across the river. I was afraid that I'd fall into the water. I wouldn't have gone at all, only the wind caught me and I had to go."

"And I," said the second kite, following his companion's example, "will have to tell you that I was afraid of the storm with all the lightning around, and didn't want to go up into the clouds at all with the key tied on me. The wind did that, too."

"Honest confession is good for everybody," smiled the Fairy Queen. "I'm proud of you both now."

[To Be Continued.]

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Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

SENDS WISHES, HINT AND MITE.

Dear Cynthia Grey and Boxites,—Hitherto I have been outside looking in, today I will come in long enough to wish the queen of the Mail-Box and all her subjects a Very Happy and Prosperous New Year. I have forgotten the member who asked for remedy for rust on stove. I have found tallow put on when the stove is warm, a very good thing to use on the body part. Please find inclosed a little gift for S. C. H. SWEET MARIE.

Thank you, Sweet Marie, for bringing so much help with you on your first visit. Household hints always find a welcome corner in our Mail-Box, also hospital mites, especially such generous ones as yours.

NURSING SISTER'S GREETING.

Dear Miss Grey,—I am coming for help. Will you please send me the bonnet pattern someone of the Boxites sent in? I forget her penname. Please forward the inclosed letter to Make Believe. I wish the Mail-Box readers a happy New Year, and I hope this 1922 will be a better one for me. I inclose stamps for the bonnet pattern. If anyone has any small ribbon pieces, I would be pleased to receive them, and will pay postage on the parcel.

NURSING SISTER.

The bonnet pattern has been sent out, but if it is sent in, I will be pleased to forward it to you, Nursing Sister. Thank you for the good wishes for 1922, and we all wish you better luck in the new year, as you apparently have had some misfortunes in the past.

WANTS DIALOGUES.

Dear Miss Grey,—It is nearly a year since I wrote to the page.

Again I am coming for help. I wonder if any reader has any small plays or dialogues that would be suitable for a Sunday school class of seven or eight young people? If so, would like to receive them as soon as possible.

Would also like some crochet patterns for yoiks or edgings.

Wishing every body a Happy New Year, I am one of THE HUSTLERS.

P.S.—Inclosed find dime for the kiddies.

If any plays or dialogues are sent in for you I will be only too pleased to forward them. Many thanks for remembering our hospital fund, Hustler.

FARMER'S SON WISHES SONGS.

Dear Miss Grey,—As this is my first letter to your cozy corner I won't write much. I'd like to ask you or some of the readers for these songs "Go Feather Your Nest," "Let the Rest of the World Go By," "Never Take No For An Anwser." I will leave my address with Miss Grey in case anybody would wish to have it. I will sign myself what I am FARMER'S SON.

Welcome to our Mail-Box, Farmer's Son. I sincerely hope that some one will send you the songs you are asking for. If you send a stamped, self-addressed envelope, repeating your request, I will be pleased to give you the address you asked for.

SIXTY YEARS AGO.

Dear Miss Grey,—In a recent number of The Advertiser I notice an inquiry by a boy of fourteen years for any songs or recitations suitable, and remembering my longing for such when I was about that age, and the difficulty in the bush more than 60 years ago of getting reading matter, I willingly send a few I have recited or sung that might be interesting to older heads, and a few others that were sung in the evenings after logging bees or raisings, by all kinds of singers and reciters, and always in the best of good humor, unless where there was too much whiskey.

It is in cultivating the memory by learning that a ready mind may be acquired, and there is no danger of overstocking, notwithstanding, the often-repeated assertion when defects occur, that it was overstudy did it.

the trouble is not overstudy, for the more you pack into the head the more it will hold.

The first recitation I send I learned under very peculiar circumstances. A book magazine had come for my sister from Scotland, who was married and lived some miles away. I looked over this volume before breakfast and read this poem, and resolved to learn it. When I came in at noon, I learned that the book had been sent to my sister and I never saw it afterwards.

About three months afterward, while plowing among stumps with a yolk of oxen, a line of some poem came to mind and this was it:

"It takes far more than simply brawn or muscle to o'ercome,"

And this line kept rolling through my mind as I was jerked from side to side as I plowed among the numerous stumps and roots, a word fitting here and there, line by line, until I got the recitation as I give it. DONALD STRATCHCLYDE.

Owing to lack of space it is impossible for me to publish the recitation inclosed, but I will be pleased to send it to any one wishing it. Any others you have will be quite welcome in the Mail-Box, as there is always a great demand for good readings and recitations. It is fascinating and inspiring to younger people to read such reminiscences as yours and adds value to our corner to have stories about the pioneer days. We will be pleased to hear from you again, Donald, but please give us your name and address.

TIP IS HOME AGAIN.

Dear Miss Grey and Readers:

It certainly is lovely to be home again, although I spent my Christmas in the hospital. I felt happy as I was able to walk that day. It seemed too good to be true, but the following Wednesday I was comfortably bundled in a car and brought home.

I certainly enjoyed the letters in the Mail-box. My hubby used to send them to me. I also received several letters and cards from some of the Boxites which I appreciated very much. I don't believe there is anything just as good as a letter to a sick person away from home.

I also received a lovely letter from Miss Grey, which made me feel better all at once. I hope the Mail-box will be a great success this year and the family will stick together to help in all the good works that are done through the Mail-box. I wish one and all a very happy New Year. TIP.

We are delighted to hear you have recovered sufficiently to be moved to your home, Tip. It was good of the Boxites to write to you to let you know just how much they were thinking about you. I can imagine how those letters warmed your heart and made the days brighter. Don't get sick again. We need you so much in the Mail-box. We like to have you with us all the time.

THE FAMILY WILL LIKE IT.

Dear Miss Grey,—Have met some young housewives who wanted help about making mincemeat in small quantities. The average recipe is quite elaborate, unmistakably requiring "material," but one can often work up a bit of left-over meat scraps to advantage. For instance, to one part of meat, as it falls from the chopper use from four to six parts of chopped apples, according to the fatness of scraps. Place apples in bottom of kettle, with sufficient sugar to sweeten, preferably brown. Sprinkle on the chopped meat, and spice, about a tablespoon to a quart of mixture (cinnamon, cloves and nutmeg), some fruit, and a little peel run through with the meat is nice, but not necessary. Add a little vinegar, some fruit juice, if you happen to have it, or if not, a few tablespoons blackstrap is very good, adding just sufficient water to make your mixture juicy enough. Cook gently till done. Just see how the family will like it! Inclose mite.

BEVERLEY LASS.

Am mailing you the articles asked for. Many thanks for the hospital mite and for giving us your method of making mincemeat. Nothing is more appreciated by housewives, experienced or otherwise, than thrift recipes which have been tested and found satisfactory. It is such a pleasure to be able to use leftovers for appetizing dishes.

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Canadian Club Has Varied Menus

Dr. Goldwin Howland, Distinguished Neurologist, and Other Prominent Speakers Coming.

After an adjournment of several weeks, owing to the holiday season, the executive of the Women's Canadian Club announces an exceptionally interesting program of lectures to follow fast on the heels of one another.

Of very special interest is a lecture to be given on "Mental Diseases" by Dr. Goldwin Howland of Toronto, the distinguished neurologist, lecturer on "Mental Diseases" in the University of Toronto, and head of the neurasthenic department in the Toronto General Hospital. Dr. Howland addresses a meeting under the joint auspices of the Academy of Medicine and the Women's Canadian Club on Monday afternoon, Jan. 16, in the auditorium of the new medical college.

Mr. T. G. Marquis, well-known Canadian writer, whose book on early missions among the Indians in Upper and Lower Canada is a prominent work in the Chronicles of Canada series, will be in the city the end of this week, and will address the Women's Canadian Club on the works of Charles G. D. Roberts in St. Andrew's Hall, the date to be announced later. Other speakers coming soon are Mrs. John Garvin, widely known as authoress, poet, literary critic and recitalist by her penname "Katherine Hale." Mr. F. W. Hayden of the Canadian Literature Club, Toronto, who gave a much appreciated recital of Marian Keith's "Little Miss Melody," and Anison North's "Forging of the Pikes" in the city before Christmas, is returning to give a lecture-recital on the works of Dunsany for the Canadian Club in the course of a few weeks.

Simple Negligee

BY MARIAN HALE.

LONDON, Jan. 9. — Negligee — that word which we have come to associate with long, trailing, silken-scented garments—has finally arrived at meaning something very much one-piece, very much abbreviated and unornamented.

The newest thing in a negligee, for the figure youthful enough to take it, is a straight garment which looks as if it was nothing more than a width of some silken material with an opening clipped in for the neck and two slits for the arms!

And, indeed, it isn't much more!

This Erpf and Garbe negligee is hand made, stitched together with brightly colored wool. No attempt is made to conceal the stitches—they are part of the design and color scheme.

A heavy wool cord ties about the waist and appears at the front of the gown in a knot of wool flowers.

Wool emboridery is holding its own, indeed! It is evident on hats, frocks, negligee, blouses and even gloves.

Western Ontario Women's Activities

Address News For This Column to The Editor of Woman's Page.

HOLD LADIES' EUCHRE.

A very enjoyable ladies' euchre was held under the auspices of the Seaforth G. W. V. A. in their clubrooms Friday evening. The winners were: First prize, Mrs. G. A. Sills; second, Mrs. E. H. Close.

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Personals

Miss Ruth Robinson is entertaining at a bridge Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. A. Beswick is in Brantford, the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. Beswick.

Mr. Owen Ferguson of Windsor spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ferguson, Maitland street.

Rev. A. W. Lochead and Mrs. Lochead of Honan, China, are guests in the home of Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Hughes, Queen's avenue.

Mr. N. R. Warner has returned home from Hamilton, where he has been spending several days, the guest of Mr. G. L. Munce.

Misses Rato and Romeida Clark of Watford are spending a week in London, the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reid, Victor street.

Miss Bessie Chamberlain has returned to Erie, Pa., after spending the vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Chamberlain, Maitland street.

Mrs. Eric Reid entertained at a bridge of two tables at her home in Hayman Court Monday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Douglas Hunter.

Harold C. Logan, who has been spending the Christmas holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Logan, 654 Maitland street, returned to Toronto today to resume his studies at Osgoode Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Leitch, Battle Creek, Mr. R. G. Ferguson of Winnipeg, and Mr. C. G. Daney of Flint, have been holiday visitors at the home of Mrs. Daney, Hyman street, Mrs. Leitch remaining for a longer visit in the city.

Mrs. Herbert Spittal was the hostess Monday afternoon of a bridge of three tables, given at her home in Richmond street, in honor of Mrs. Ray Lawson. A number of friends dropped in at the tea hour to bid Mrs. Lawson bon voyage.

A happy birthday party was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Reid, South London, Saturday evening, in honor of their daughter, Miss Martha Reid. The evening was spent in games, and an impromptu program was given, consisting of recitations by Miss Mary Cromwell, and the Highand Fling, by Miss Ella Reid. A dainty supper was served by the hostess. Over forty guests were present, including Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Reid and daughters Della and Louis of Brantford, and Misses Rato and Romelda Clark of Watford.

Professor Daisy Hudson of Buenos Aires, who has been visiting in the vicinity of London, has consented to address a meeting of London women interested in temperance and missionary work, in Dundas Centre Lecture Hall on the afternoon of Jan. 17. A daughter of a former professor in Buenos Aires College, she succeeded her late father on the faculty a few years ago. Her mother, whom she recently visited in Flint, Michigan, was the first missionary sent to South America under the American Methodist Church.

Professor Daisy Hudson has been engaged by the Michigan State W. C. T. U. and the Methodist W. F. M. S. of Michigan, to tour the United States, giving an account of temperance conditions in the Argentine.

On Friday evening last Miss Beatrice White, president of the Bible Class of the Church of the Redeemer, entertained the class and a number of mutual friends, at her home on Grosvenor street.

The house was prettily decorated with palms and ferns. The young hostess was assisted by her father and mother in receiving the guests.

Mrs. White looked smart in brown taffeta, beaded. Miss White wore a pretty frock of navy blue canton crepe embroidered in grey. Little Miss Olga Hunt in a frock of white crepe de Chine made a winsome door attendant.

Among the guests were the Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Cree, Mrs. E. Mathews (Toronto), Mrs. W. Carter, Mrs. F. C. Hunt, Mrs. W. Hipkiss, Misses Beatrice and Louise Brett, Lillian Beale, Doris Carter, Olive Cook, Florence Taylor, Beatrice Sceli, Florence Wallace, 'Aletta Thompson, Olive and Queenie Stone, Eva Parry, Messrs. Billy Harding and Rae Stuart (Detroit), Rae Eden, Ernest Hipkiss, Clifton Hunt, Keith Platte, Lewis Hessel, Tom Cracknell, George Jacobs, Sid Rapson, Harry Sugden.

The evening was spent in dancing and games. A dainty buffet lunch was served.

W. C. T. U. ANNOUNCES PROGRAM OF WORK

The names of several out-of-town speakers will appear on the W. C. T. U. Calendar for 1922, to be issued shortly. Among the interesting features noted are an address on the progress of temperance work in the Argentine, to be given on Jan. 17, in Dundas Centre Lecture Hall by Professor Daisy Hudson of Buenos Aires College; an address on "Potential Motherhood" at the meeting of Feb. 28; a discussion on "Cellars and Sellers" on March 14. The meeting of Tuesday, May 2, will be devoted to social service work, and the annual picnic is already announced for June 12.

The W. C. T. U. world's week of prayer, beginning Feb. 13, will be fittingly observed by the local union.

To Increase Giving.

Jan. 24 attention will be given to the expense budget. It is the aim of the Ontario Provincial W. C. T. U. this year to raise a sufficient amount to provide for the salaries and expenses of three new secretaries, an organizing secretary for the women's and the "Y" departments, and a scientific temperance instructor to cover the whole of the province. In the neighborhood of $14,000 would be required to finance these new undertakings, in addition to planning to continue the support of the W. C. T. U. Northwest Missionary. The local union will consider the paying of an increased quota to help in the extension work.

PACKING.

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WOMEN'S CLUBS

WANT GIRLS' LEADERS TO ENROLL.

The co-operative council executive of the C. G. I. T. met Monday evening at the Y. W. C. A. to discuss ways and means of promoting interest in the second teachers' training course under the auspices of the Religious Education Council with a view of securing a large enrollment of leaders of 'teen-age girls' work. About thirty teachers of 'teen-age girls took the course recently completed.

"Y" GUIDES BOAST PHYSICAL INSTRUCTOR.

The Y. W. C. A. Girl Guides are rejoicing in the fact that at last they are to have physical training, under a competent instructor, added to their diversified interests. Miss Kitty Gillespie, B.A., a 1921 graduate of McGill University, has volunteered as instructor, and the first instruction class will be held Wednesday evening. Miss Gillespie's enlistment for service is typical of the growing practical interest in the Guide movement among young women with qualifications for leadership. "And what we need most of all, if the movement is to forge ahead as it should, is adequate leadership," declared a prominent local Guide officer to The Advertiser Monday.

GETTING INTO THE GAME.

Y. W. C. A. basketball players are deeply interested in the fact that the "Y" basketball league is to meet Friday evening this week to arrange a schedule of matches. Up to the present time this year, the girls have been devoting their time to practice. Apropos "getting into the game," the Business Girls' team of the London Y. W. C. A. is playing the St. Thomas Y. W. C. A. Business Girls' team on Friday evening.

RYERSON SCHOOL M. C. PLANS DEBATE.

Arranging of a program for the next three months constituted the business of an executive meeting of the Ryerson School Mothers' Club Monday. Mrs. John Rose, president of the London Union Mothers' Club, will be asked to speak at the January meeting, which will have social features to afford the members an opportunity of chatting with Mrs. Rose. For the March meeting a debate is planned on the subject, "Resolved that competition is not good for public school children ,especially those in the lower grades." A lecture by an outstanding speaker is a treat in view for the February meeting.

ASKIN STREET W. M. S.

An interesting report on "The Herald from Japan," by Mrs. Boughner, and a concise resume of several chapters of the study book for the year by Mrs. Childs, constituted interesting features of the January meeting held on Monday of the W. M. S. of Askin Street Methodist Church, Mrs. James Brown presiding. Mrs. Fretz gave an inspiring Bible reading, and Miss Campbell contributed a much appreciated solo.

HEAD OF LEPER MISSION COMING.

The London branch of the Mission to Lepers held the January meeting Monday, devoting the greater part of the time to arrangements in connection with the brief visit to the city on Jan. 19, of the head of the mission, Mr. W. H. P. Anderson of London, England, formerly of Guelph. A mass meeting will be held in the afternoon in the Y. W. C. A. club rooms, King street, in order to afford the public an opportunity of hearing him speak on the vitally important and interesting work.

WITH THE BRIDES

McCALLUM—HEDRICK.

A quiet wedding took place at Westminster manse, Regina, Sask., on Saturday, Dec. 24, when Miss Irene Hedrick, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Hedrick, Essex, became the bride of Peter McCallum, principal of the public school at Dilke, Sask. Miss Hedrick left Essex Dec. 18.

McLEOD—WAKELING.

A very pretty wedding was quietly solemnized at the Hale Street Methodist parsonage on Saturday evening at 7:30 o'clock, when Miss Elizabeth Ellen Wakeling was united in marriage to Mr. Wellington McLeod by Rev. L. W. Reid. The bride was charmingly dressed in a gown of grey charmeuse satin, trimmed with henna, and was attended by her sister, Miss Nellie Wakeling. Mr. Bruce McLeod supported the groom. The happy couple left for their home on Princess avenue amid congratulations of their friends, and showers of confetti.

DOBBIN—PITT.

A wedding of interest to many Londoners took place on Wednesday, Jan. 4, at 6 o'clock at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Binkley, Pearl street north, Hamilton, when Miss Tena Pitt, daughter of Mrs. Pitt and the late Wm. Pitt, was united in marriage to Mr. Warren Leslie Dobbin, B.A.Sc., of Toronto, formerly of London.

The spacious rooms were attractively adorned with a profusion of palms and ferns along with Madonna likes and pink Snapdragons.

Rev. S. Burnside Russell of Erskine Presbyterian Church performed the ceremoney, and Miss Gladys Dobbin, sister of the groom, played the Wedding March.

The stately bride, who was given away by her brother-in-law, Mr. T. C. Binkley, looked charming in her gown of bridal pink satin with draperies of radium lace, silver slippers and a bandeau of silver leaves in her hair, and carried a shower bouquet of Ophelia roses, valley lilies and heather from Scotland.

Miss Helen Coyle of London was her cousin's bridesmaid, gowned in a deeper shade of pink taffeta made in bouffant style, silver slippers and bandeau of silver tissue in her hair, which was caught with silver grapes. She carried an arm bouquet of pink roses and Marguerites.

A little flower girl, wee Alice Pitt, niece of the bride, wore a French frock of frilled white organdie and a wreath of tiny pink rosebuds in her hair, and carried an old-fashioned nosegay.

Mr. Merwin Dobbin of Toronto was his brother's best man.

Mrs. T. C. Binkley, sister of the bride, who received afterwards, was in black charmeuse with overdress of black radium lace.

After a dainty buffet luncheon the happy couple left for Algonquin Park, where their honeymoon will be spent, the bride traveling in a smart frock of navy poiret twill embroidered in rust and grey, and pretty metallic hat in corresponding shades and fur coat.

Later Mr. and Mrs. Dobbin will take up their residence in Toronto.

Guests were present from Battle Creek, Detroit, London, Brantford and Toronto.

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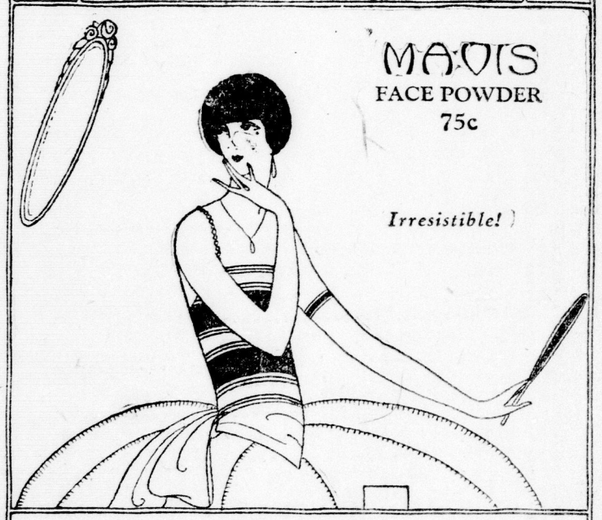

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London, Ont., Tuesday, Jan. 10.

Hydro.

ONE OF THE FIRST duties of the Ontario government at its approaching session will be to restore responsible government to this province by making hydro a department of the government.

This question is entirely separate from the question of public ownership.

It is only following the instructions: "Let all things be done decently and in order."

Hydro spends more money than all the rest of the government. Why should hydro, which belongs to the province, be outside of the government of the province?

The British North America act is the charter of the province. Within the powers conferred by that act the province can legislate. Municipal law is one of the subjects over which the Provincial Legislature has exclusive control. Municipalities must derive any power they have from the Legislature, and cannot band themselves together and act in defiance of the Legislature.

Premier Drury is on sound ground when he declines to act without the authority of the Legislature, and he should make hydro a department of the government, responsible to Parliament, and through it to the people. In this he should have the support of every member of the Legislature.

There are no party questions in the Ontario house. The Drury government has the goodwill of the people, and has shown courage and initiative. The great benefit it will be to the country will be ascertained when some responsible minister takes over the management of hydro. The millions involved can be more accurately placed. Many a change in government is of less consequence than a change in the management of hydro would be. It is high time that "the dog wagged the tail."

Just Remember.

IT MIGHT BE JUST as well for Canadians to remember that the last oil rush in the north and west sections of the country has not turned out to be a great success.

Wyatt Malcolm of the Geological Survey, Ottawa, has this to say in a recent article:

"The results of explorations and borings made in 1921 in search of petroleum were not encouraging. No new oil field was brought into production as a result of the expenditures made in Alberta and British Columbia. Operations are, however, being continued. After the great interest that was taken in the Mackenzie basin and the great expectations regarding work in the Norman district, where oil had been discovered in a well drilled in 1920, the actual operations were disappointingly small. Little can, therefore, be said to have been done as yet to prove or disprove the existence of an oil pool in the Norman district that can be regarded with favor by commercial interests. Some attention has been directed to the possibilities of the Devonian sediments lying about the west end of Great Slave Lake, where structure favorable to the accumulation of oil is believed by some to occur. The feasibility of producing oil from the oil shales of Canada continues to receive consideration, and an experimental plant for the treatment of New Brunswick shale has been in operation. Investigations made by the department of mines on the shales of the Pasquia hills of Saskatchewan have shown that these shales are not so rich as could be desired."

The man who is thinking of making investments during the year might be well advised to clip that out and put it away in his bank check book.

One Platform Here.

VARIOUS SUGGESTIONS are being made regarding what should be done with the Conservative party. The Montreal Gazette suggests the following platform:

British connection.
Absolute self-government.
Protection to domestic industry.
Private ownership and operation of public utilities under government regulation.
An energetic immigration policy.
Maintenance of provincial rights.
Protection of minorities.
Respect for rights of property.

The first is not worth mentioning, for it is not a debatable question, and no party has any monopoly on loyalty. The claim for absolute self-government, remarks the Brantford Expositor, comes with poor grace from a party from which the Reformers of old wrested responsible government in this country. The maintenance of provincial rights is out of place in the platform of a party with which Sir Oliver Mowat had so many fights to prevent encroachments upon the rights of Ontario, and which sought to deny to Manitoba the right to settle her school problems in her own way. "An energetic immigration policy," recalls the performances of the Laurier government more than anything accomplished under a Conservative administration, while, in a political sense, "protection of minorities" and "respect for rights of property" are meaningless terms.

Private ownership and operation of public utilities under government control is a feature that may merit some consideration by the party in the future, although the temper of the public ownership group might not take kindly to the suggestion at the moment. Protection of domestic industries is about the one plank around which they might create some enthusiasm, although there is nothing on the political or business horizon at the moment to show any particular need for Conservatives throwing up danger flares on this point.

Civic Debts.

MAYOR WILSON of London, in his inaugural address, announced his belief in a course that would not increase the amount of local improvement debentures this year beyond the amount of debentures maturing.

This belief is no doubt founded on the belief that it is not possible to go on year after year increasing the debenture debt, and that a stop must be made some time.

The big danger in any such program is that it brings in the temptation to anticipate an overdraft in order to keep any particular year from going over a stated amount in the issue of debentures.

The mayor also states that he opposes using the increased assessment, which amounts to about $10,000,000, to increase the borrowing power of the city. When a city has its assessment shoved up, as London did for this year, there is always the danger present of having that undesirable tandem, a high assessment, and a high tax rate, too.

As long as one or the other remains fairly low there is a chance of the ratepayer getting a run for his money, but if the increased borrowing power of the city, due to an increased assessment, is worked to the limit, then we are in for a high rate on a high assessment, which, at best, is an undesirable situation.

The statements of civic officials in various centres carry somewhat the same message, viz.: That municipalities must be careful of the money of the public. It requires only a little reasoning to go from a high tax rate to high rents, and from high rents to sub-letting with its undesirable surroundings.

Farm Finances.

THAT THE NEED for ready cash was one of the biggest troubles facing a good many farmers was the statement of a well-known farmer of Westminster, when speaking to The Advertiser.

He was speaking of a sale that had taken place near his farm, where a number of cows were sold for around $120 because the buyer gave a fairly long-term note for them. A few days after at another sale he had seen two fairly good milkers sold for $32 each, only this time cash was paid.

The point made by the farmer was that too great a load was being taken on by many farmers in this way, and that as things looked just now they would have trouble in meeting these notes when they came due. In many cases they would have to sell something at a sacrifice in order to raise the necessary money.

It is common knowledge that there is not nearly the amount of actual cash turned in at a farm sale now that there was a year or so ago. Dealers having business with farmers are called upon to renew their paper with greater frequency.

The drop in the price of farm produce, particularly butter and eggs, was violent and very marked some six or eight months ago. The farming community has had to adjust itself to the position of having its buying power sharply curtailed, something which calls for no small amount of sacrifice and planning.

It is undesirable, in a high degree, that the farming community should be in the position of not making money, or that on that account farm values should decrease.

Do Your Planning.

THE jokers and paragraphers have a lot of fun out of the man who is now thumbing over the seed catalogues looking for his spring assortment.

Never mind the jokers—just keep right on with the thumbing business.

There may be quite a bit of cold weather, snow and ice, yet, but you can sit at the back window and pretty much picture what will take place when the sun moves a few notches back our way. And if you have your plans all laid you won't be the laughing-stock of the community by dashing off to the nearest corner store on the 24th of May morning to buy a package of lettuce and one of onion seed.

Go on, do your planning. Even when it's cold outside and the snow sifts in at the shed door, you can look ahead to the spring, and feel better for having done so.

So thumb away at your seed catalogue. You might be much better doing that than sitting with your feet propped up on the kitchen stove grumbling about the weather.

A Puzzle.

A BRITISH COLUMBIA farmer has a queer problem that he can't solve to his satisfaction.

He killed a bull and sold the hide, which weighed 85 pounds, to a tannery on the coast, the price being 3 cents a pound, or $2.55 in all.

It cost him $1.70 to get the hide shipped to the tannery, so his returns were whittled down to 85 cents.

This farmer can't understand why he should raise the animal, kill and skin it, and get 85 cents for 85 pounds of hide, while the railway company collected $1.70 to carry it over to the tannery on the coast.

LITTLE 'TISERS

The farmers shouldn't complain about the way the autoists monopolize country roads. They've still got the ditch to get into.

The Washington conference has cleared up several points. One of these is that when they cost about $45,000,000 each, the average man knows now why they call them capital ships.

The Guelph Mercury seems to fear that automobiles in a few years will be common—common as grasshoppers. Well, we've used that alibi ourselves when visitors to town brought up the question of our non-sion of a car.

A falling off in trade means a greater problem for the government of the country to find the money to finance. For instance, the imports of dutiable articles into Canada in 1920 amounted to $615,290,528, while in 1921 the total was $334,804,260, a decrease of $280,486,268, on which amount the country would be minus the duty.

The act requiring goods from foreign countries to be marked is not working smoothly. Goods coming to Canada now may be from stock made before the law was passed. Some such shipments were let in by the importer paying a 10 per cent fine, which probably means that the ultimate consumer will pay 10 per cent extra for his purchases.

A light on a buggy driving along the road at night is as great a protection to the occupants of that rig as to other vehicles or motors that meet or pass it. The wonder is that any rig cares to venture on the road at night without a light attached.

The United States Steel Corporation, denounced by many as an octopus, encourages its employees to buy stock, which they now own to the extent of $118,000,000. Their holdings increase at the rate of $200,000 per year. Some of the severest critics of the Steel Corporation have never yet shown a similar desire to get their employees interested in business.

Perhaps no other Canadian industry shows the relative growth of the automobile industry. The census returns for 1900 did not recognize this as a separate industry. In 1910 the production was a little over $6,000,000, but ten years later this had risen to over $101,000,000, and since then the industry has continued to develop. Capital invested in the past ten years rose from under five to over fifty-six million dollars.

The Wall Street Journal, speaking of the rights of strikers and pickets, concludes as follows:

"The right to conduct a business or earn a living is a property right, and the constitution protects every man in it. To deprive him of it is a wrong, no matter whether it be done with a bludgeon or by abuse and threats.

"Every man is entitled to equal protection of the law. He holds his life and his property under the sanction of that law. When the Arizona statute sought to take away the protection of the law from those rights it violated a principle that has come down from Magna Charta."

Goderich Signal: "Now that the long winter evenings are here parents might do something to interest their children in books and reading. At present dancing appears to be the chief pursuit of the young people, but here and there are boys and girls who would rather read than dance, and in years to come these will have their minds well stored, while the devotee of the dance will have only a vacuity in the upper story. A membership in the public library costs next to nothing, and opens the way to a wide range of reading; but boys and girls should be encouraged to have books of their own. The person who owns a few good books is never without friends at hand; and the home without books, even though it have wealth and everything else, is a dreary reflection of the mental calibre of its occupants."

Chesley Enterprise: "At the recent U. F. O. convention a motion was unanimously passed recommending that no grants be made to any public or high school for cadet corps. There are thousands of young men in this country who are still suffering from the effects of the recent war, and it is about time this military training was eliminated. We have paid a tremendous price for the last war, and are paying large expenses for the representation of Canada at peace conferences, then why not prepare for peace by cutting out this military dress and training in our schools? We notice by the dailies that Trotzky has ordered fighting to continue in Russia where starvation prevails. If the murderous Turks, the Bolshevist Russians, and the semi-civilized Greeks are determined to spend their energies in war instead of cultivation of the soil and industrial pursuits, why the peaceful elements of the world will have to stand by and watch them kill each other. For the development of boys and girls physical drill is quite necessary, but this strutting around in military uniforms is quite unnecessary, and we hope the minister of education has the good sense to fall in with this recommendation of the provincial U. F. O."

Yep, This Is the Week of the Big Thaw.

25 YEARS AGO TODAY

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

TUESDAY, Jan. 10, 1897.

The following gentlemen have been appointed license inspectors for 1897: North Oxford—Malcolm Douglas, Woodstock; Wm. Stuart, Hickson; J. Hall, Drumbo.

Centre Bruce—John Humberstone, Ripley; George C. Elliott, Chesley; Wm. C. Cheyis, Paisley.

North Bruce—Whitford Sanderson, Tara; John Pierson, Burgoyne; John Irwin, Wiarton.

East Kent—Thomas Henry Tape, Highgate; Archibald McDiarmid, Ridgetown Absalom B. C. Shaw, Thamesville.

South Norfolk—Alexander McIntyre, Boston; Walter Turnbull, Delhi; Daniel Pemerston, Simcoe.

London—Daniel Regan, C. H. Elliott and Robert Reid, Jr.

West Huron—Samuel Sloan, Goderich; James Stevens, Clinton; Hugh McQuarrie, Blyth.

North Middlesex—L. C. McIntyre, Parkhill; Alex. Smith, John Gavin, M. D., Ailsa Craig.

East Huron—Thomas Gibson, Fordwich; George Fortune, Wingham; Geo. Murdie, Seaforth.

Haldimand—James Mitchell, Cayuga; Robert Buckley, Cheapside; Andrew Williamson, York.

Welland—Robert Cooper, Welland; John H. Smith, Port Colborne; Calvin D. Emmett, Stamford.

Monck—Charles Priestman, Marshville; Walter Melick, Canboro; Wm. Bullock, Dunnville.

Rev. E. O. Taylor, the distinguished scientific lecturer of Chicago, has been engaged to deliver two lectures in Glencoe on Feb. 4 and 5.

Master W. Thomas has returned home to the city., after a visit to his uncle, L. M. Vandermade, Lambeth.

Mr. George Ferguson, superintendent of Trinity Church Sabbath School, Lambeth, has resigned his position.

Mr. J. King, Lambeth, arrived home Saturday, after a visit to his parents in Galt.

The following candidates from the City of London have passed the qualifying examination for the civil service: W. Burton, Chas. W. Christie, George Collingwood, James S. Cooper, George D. Durand, A. T. Essery, Chas. D. Ferguson, J. L. Fitzgerald, John B. Ferguson, Patrick Flannery, Michael Gaiagher, Rayside A. Gemmill, Henry McL. Grange, Fred W. Hardey, Adam J. Henderson, Michael Hogan, H. T. Johnson, Richard Johnston, J. A. Johnston, John S. Keown, Malcolm Long, Lizzie A. Lawless, Chas. M. Macfie, William McIntyre, Robert S. McPherson, John A. McRae, John Moran, Claude M. Pierson, Isabella Robertson, William A. Roome, Alexander Ross, Jas. E. Ray, Arthur Smith, John Talbot, A. B. Telfer, Robt. Walsh.

Mrs. Casey of Belleville is the guest of Mrs. Eccles, Ellwood Place, London.

Mr. Bert Ferguson of the local branch of the Bank of Toronto has been transferred to the Brockville branch of the same bank.

Rev. T. W. Charlesworth, pastor of the Maitland Street Baptist Church, is confined to his bed with a cold, and will not be able to attend to his duties for two weeks.

The annual banquet of the Brunswick Club (Masonic), was held last night in their room in the Masonic Temple. Among those present were: Messrs. Frank Leonard, Dr. Cl. T. Campbell, S. Stirling, C. Stirling, R. R. Reid, E. Paull, P. W. D. Brodrick, John Overell, W. Bartlett, W. T. Strong, J. B. McKillop, Arthur White, J. Mattinson, Col. Dawson, R. Bland and Capt. Moore. Mr. Alf. Robinson, the president, occupied the chair.

Miss Fuller of Leamington and Miss B. Sutton of London are the guests of Miss Cascaden, Dutton.

Messrs. A. C. Wood and Jas. Fisher, formerly of the Stratford Beacon staff, have purchased the Gas City News of Leamington. They will run the paper on straight Liberal principles.

The Bible class taught by Mr. B. S. Switzer at the Askin Street Methodist Sunday School, assembled at that gentleman's residence last night and he was pleasantly surprised by the gift of a Bible, accompanied by a kindly-worded address.

THE VISION OF LORD MORLEY

OF all those who stood with Gladstone thirty-five years ago in the first attempt to do for Ireland what England has done in the agreement that makes the Emerald Isle a free state, Lord Morley, known to politicians and the public for many years as "Honest John" Morley, is beyond question the greatest survivor. Thus observes the Manchester Guardian, which considers it a handsome gesture that Lord Curzon should have chosen Viscount Morley of Blackburn to move in the House of Lords the address in reply to the king's speech inviting Parliament to ratify the peace with Ireland. The Guardian goes on to say, that "every surviving British Home Ruler of 1886 will express his delight in the happiness that falls to Lord Morley," and it continues:

"How incessantly the history of the British Empire illustrates the truth of that guiding principle—that in seasons of crisis and danger the bolder course is almost always the right course for a British statesman! And what a discourse Lord Morley, of all men, could utter on that theme."

British statesmen did the bold thing in Canada, when it was all but lost to Britain, we are told, and it "saved Canada to be our magnificent comrade in the sorest of all our after-trials." It did the bold thing in South Africa, and healed even the hatred burnt into Dutch South Africa's heart by the 13,000 deaths of children in our concentration camps." On the other hand—

"We shrank back in caution and suspicion when the United States of today were ours to keep or throw away, and we lost them. For a quarter of a century we stood shivering, hesitating, and reflecting before doing the bold thing in Ireland, with the result that the dive we had to take became always higher and higher, the water below always colded and colder. This is not to say that there cannot be such a thing as excessive boldness in statesmanship. Nor does it mean that no real and serious risks were run in each of those cases where our boldness prospered. What it means is that, the English political temperament being compounded as it is, the danger of playing too exclusively for safety in a political crisis is a much more closely besetting danger to it than that of launching out too boldly in some act of sheer faith in the power of generosity and in the general decency of mankind. 'We can't risk it' was the commonest of all the reasons that weighed with intelligent, moderate men on the Unionist side in 1886. The words expressed an assumption that in dealing with Ireland there was safety to be had at all—that the existing system was a kind of solid land, and home rule a plunge from it into deep water."

All the great choices of politics are choices "between one expanse of deep waters and another," it is averred, and any provision, old or new, for the government of large masses of men and women is a taking of risks. The life of a nation like the British, which finds itself at the head of a huge various Empire "can never be the extraordinarily secure life to which civilization has accustomed us as individuals," and we read further:

"It remains, in any event, a life as precarious and, in a sense, adventurous as that of the mediaeval Florentine who never knew, when he left home in the morning, whether his vigilance, boldness and wit would suffice to bring him home alive—except that the perils are mostly not physical and the qualities needed are not those of the swordsman, but the more difficult courage, alertness, prescience and adaptiveness of the statesman."

Of these qualities, The Guardian declares, Lord Morley's career has set his countrymen one of their greatest examples, and it adds:

"The roots of such a decision as England is making at Westminster today go pretty far back into the past, and the brave and honorable act now all but accomplished is the act not only of those whom history will record as the final agents, but also of a multitude of obscure and unrewarded laborers with the political spade. All of us can remember Englishmen who toiled unrecognized, year after year, to bring about this peace with Ireland as other men toil to gain wealth or fame for themselves, and who died with nothing but their own passion for right-doing to keep the hope of success alive in them to the last."

NOAH'S POETRY

Not Far Off.

Along about this time of year, accordin' to the law, old January brings to us his yearly spell of thaw. And then the sun gets in his work, the slush grows two feet deep, the skies they open up their spout and straight off start to weep.

'Tis then I see some green grass spots, a little here and there; 'tis then I sniff and snort a bit, and catch the spring-time air.

Of course, she'll start and blow some more, she's sure to snow, by heck, and I'll be windin' my gray scarf high up around my neck.

And then I'll have to work a bit and mostly fuss about, a-keepin' paths broke for the folks, and thaw the cistern spout.

But after I've just had a squint at that green patch out there, it doesn't seem not half so bad to sniff the winter air.

And so I fill the wood-box up, and chore around some more, and let the wind go on his way, no matter how he roar.

Because I know 'fore very long the snow she'll disappear, and kids will run up from the bush to say the sap is here. 'Tis then we'll get the sugar that is settled in the cup, 'tis then we'll poke along the fence to find the rhubarb up.

—NOAH.

READ YOUR CHARACTER

[By Digby Phillips.]

NO. 83—CROSS-CUT CAPITALS.

Do you know a girl who cross-cuts her capitals in writing?

If you do, keep her in mind as you read this, and see how well it fits.

The cross-cut capital, it should be explained, is the capital letter in which the initial stroke or flourish cuts back through the middle of the letter. You observe it principally in the "M" or "N." Perhaps it would be better to explain that the initial stroke goes more or less horizontally to the left, the pen looping around and then writing the up-and-down strokes over the horizontal stroke.

When you see it you may be sure that the writer has a tendency to be self-reliant, not to say self-confident. Depending upon her other characteristics, she may or may not show this tendency in an obvious way. But you may be sure it is there.

You'll find, too, that criticism irks her, and that in addition to her self-reliance she has a really good opinion of herself. This opinion may be justly founded, or it may not. The point is that it's there.

But what does a cross-cut capital mean in a man's writing?

So far as men's writing go you might as well forget it. It occurs in such rare cases with them that you'll probably find plenty of other indications in those who have it.

It is a peculiar but decided fact that the cross-cut capital is a trait of women's writing, almost exclusively, and wherever you see it you're pretty safe in assuming that the writer is a woman.

Tomorrow—Drooping Mouths.

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Wily Mother.

Hub—But if you like the young fellow, Kate, why do you object to our daughter marrying him?

Wife—Oh, she'll marry him for all that, but I want to give her a chance to say, when they quarrel, that "Mother didn't want me to marry you anyway."

TO THE EDITOR

THE INEQUALITIES.

Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—In your paper of the 5th was published the report of a meeting of the trades and labor council, and reports of resolutions by delegates, also the resolution by Delegate W. Tite regarding the underfeeding and malnutrition of children.

Any sane thinking man today cannot help seeing and noticing children in the condition already referred to. What else can society expect when we tolerate the state of affairs in which the children of the toiling class are raised. Today we find heads of families unemployed or on short time on reduced wages. The result is families half-starved and under-nourished; also in the majority of cases they have to further stint themselves in order that the other interests and non-productive classes shall not foreclose and take away their homes. The result is worry, and an inability to obtain the food and necessaries of life to which they are justly entitled.

Society raises its hands in horror at the wave of crime sweeping over the country, but cannot see itself to blame for the conditions as they exist. Certainly a beautiful state of society which allows these things to happen, and this in a Christian country. As society sows so it will reap, and the next generation will reap in their bodies what follies and sins society sows today.

There is no need for a single case of unempoyment, if work was distributed right; no need in the country so abundantly blessed. We do not find the children of the non-productive classes underfed. Why the other class underfed? Respectfully, PRODUCER.

THE STREET CAR SERVICE.

Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—I hope you will please give me some space in your valuable paper to give a visitor's views of your street car service in London.

This is my first visit to your fine little city, and I hope it will not be my last, but I sincerely hope that when next I visit London the transportation facilities will be improved considerably.

During my stay in London I was visiting a friend in the northern section and wished to go to see another friend in the extreme eastern section. To my surprise, and I may say, disgust, I found it was necessary to ride to the main corner (Dundas and Richmond streets), in order to make connections for London East. It was just one hour and ten minutes before I reached my destination. Such car service will certainly never give your city a boost. Why do you not have the railway company run south on Adelaide street from Oxford? This would improve the service to a great extent.

It is certainly regrettable if such service is permitted in a city of 60,000 people (which I understand is the population of London), and I hope when next I see your fair city the accommodation for city traveling will be much better. Sincerely,

MRS. R. BASCOMBE.
Winnipeg, Man.

MUST ORGANIZE.

Blenheim, Jan. 5, 1922.

Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—You have time and again through your columns requested, urged, and even insisted on your readers to write you on any and all matters that might be of moment to your readers, individually or collectively. And on reading your editorial in today's issue it appealed to me so very strongly that I thought I would tell you, in hopes that many others may feel as you do on the suggestion made by you, "Time To Organize."

It appealed to me more strongly perhaps, because of the fact that during the late campaign the very thing you speak of was so very evident to me that I became filled with the idea that the "need of the hour" was for a far better and clearer knowledge of the political questions of the past, the present and the future than the average voter of today has, if not only that we may succeed in a local way to hold the ground we may have gained, but that in the years to come we may have men, yes, and women, too, who will be able to decide between facts and frauds, who will be able to know whether a speaker is talking sense or nonsense. This should be the ambition of every one who has a vote.

The church today is crying out all over the land because of the coldness and indifference and the half-heartedness of its members, and the cause is not far to seek. The great "need of the hour" in the church is that every man and woman, young and aged, become much better informed on that great and wonderful book, on which the church has been built, that every one who calls himself or herself a Christian or holds to some church, or has even a desire to follow some church organization, that they so read, study and understand the things therein contained, that they will be so firmly established that they won't be "a reed shaken in the wind," but they "will be able to give a reason of the hope that is in them" when called upon to do so. They won't have to say, "I guess so," or "I hope so," but like those stalwarts who could look boldly up and say "I know that my Redeemer liveth, I know there is a crown laid up for me, and the church will have to go on complaining until it rises in its might and insists that every preacher knows that old chart well, and has the ability and boldness to proclaim its truths at all times, and such a man will not rest satisfied until, co-working with the parents he shall arouse in the minds and hearts of the parents and the coming up children, the parents of the coming generations, a desire and determination to far better understand this good old Book of Books." A church is not strong simply by virtue of its numerical strength, but by the number of its grand men and women, rising men and women who are filled with a knowledge of His Word and the Divine Spirit.

A standing army is only strong in proportion to how large a part of it is so well drilled and undauntable that they will be hewed down or hew their way to victory. And so it is, as you so forcefully put it, "quite impossible to neglect to keep ourselves in touch with our national doings till an election looms nearby, and then to make a scramble and a shuffle, and call in all available "political speakers" who are often only "wind jammers," knowing very little about politics in the larger sense, and cannot tell what they do know.

Yes, Mr. Editor, you have the right idea, let us get together once a week or two weeks, as often as we can, and go at these questions in such a way that we will discover the weak and the strong parts, discover the measures that we should cling to with a death grip, and throw away those ideas that may have outlived their usefulness, if there are such, and study one side as well as the other, until our rising boys and girls will become awake to the great issues of the day, familiar with the leading men on both sides. Then, when the call goes out that an election is at hand, every private in the ranks will be able to tell why he is a Grit, and will be able to give a fairly good account of himself, either on the street or on the platform of some "little red school house," it may be at first, but ever growing toward a bigger, a better and a wiser grasp of what we call politics, and by that I mean the great national and international questions, that must continue to claim the attention of the greatest and best minds of this or any other country. Yours,

A SUBSCRIBER.

THE JEST.

INEFFECTUAL ATTEMPT.

Peterson, coming in late, hears his wife move in the bed; so he swiftly moves to the cradle and begins to rock it.

"What are you doing there?" asks his wife.

"Hush!" says Peterson. "I am keeping the baby asleep. It woke up an hour or so ago, and I have been by it ever since."

"Indeed!" replied Mrs. Peterson, "that's strange! Baby has been in bed with me!"

No Kick Coming.

Merchant—Look here, that safe you sold me last month you said was a burglar-proof safe, and I found it cracked this morning and rifled of its contents.

Agent—Well, isn't that proof that you've had a burglar?

COMMON SENSE WAYS TO KEEP WELL

Don't Spit--Help Blot Out Tuberculosis

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.

TUBERCULOSIS is by no means a new disease. It was known in earliest history. Its origin is understood thoroughly, and yet the advancement of medical science has not brought a specific, therapeutic cure.

Instead, the disease has increased with the progress of civilization. Creature comforts and artificial aids of civilization have given tuberculosis more chance to work. It is almost a house or indoor infection, rarely or never caught out of doors.

We know that this disease can be prevented. The great work of the national and local anti-tuberculosis societies, which are even now waging a battle with the little Christmas seals as their weapons, has taught us that the disease can be arrested and in many cases cured by fresh air, cleanliness, rest, wholesome food and a determination to get well.

We know that the germ is present in millions in the spit of a consumptive, and that it is through this spit almost alone that the germ reaches others. We know that if we could collect and destroy all the spit of such patients and make them cover their mouths when they cough, we could almost wipe out the disease.

Although the disease is no respecter of persons, attacking rich and poor alike it is found that more poor people have the disease than others. This is because the wealthy are better able to protect themselves against it, better able to undergo rest and other essentials of the treatment which is now the only remedy.

Knowing that prevention will do a great deal more good than costly attempts at cures, we should all make every effort to stop careless spitting and coughing.

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ALL CITY DOINGS
News of the Day in the Commercial Metropolis of Western Ontario.

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LONDON, ONTARIO, TUESDAY, JANUARY 10, 1922.

AUTO OWNERS DELAY GETTING NEW LICENSES

Only 270 Motorists and 55 Truck Drivers Have 1922 Numbers.

FIGURES EASILY READ

Chief Birrell Pleased With the Style and Colors of Stamping.

There seems to be a general reluctance on the part of motor car owners and motor truck owners to take out their 1922 licenses. So far 270 touring car licenses and 55 truck licenses only have been issued.

Those in charge of the distribution of licenses stated Tuesday morning that they would advise all motorists and truck owners to make application for licenses as soon as possible, since later on there would be a general rush, and possibly considerable delay would occur.

One paricular feature of the new licenses is finding enormous favor with the police department, that is their clearness and the distinct figures placed on the license which are easily readable, and which materially assist the police in detection of speeders and other violators of the law. The new numbers can be read with greater readiness and at a further distance than the licenses of 1921.

Police Chief Birrel said Tuesday morning that he believed the 1922 numbers to be the best with regard to being easily detected that had ever been issued by the Ontario Government.

At the time that the police had taken out their licenses, being among the first to make application, chief Birrell said Cthat he had noted the improvement in the new license.

It had pleased him, he stated, to notice that the white background and black letters had made the number stand out plainly and he spoke of the 1921 licenses with the black background and yellow letters as being exceptionally hard to detect.

The letters in his opinion, he said, had seemed to be raised higher and the embossing, so to speak, plainer.

CLAIM WAGE CASE MISREPRESENTED

Holding that their case is being grossly misrepresented, representatives of the union bricklayers of the city take issue with the inference that they were unwilling to accept a cut of ten cents an hour as suggested by certain of the contractors.

"It has been stated," said an official of the union to The Advertiser Monday night, "that the contractors hoped that we would accept a cut from $1 per hour to 90 cents per hour, but that after a meeting of the committees representing both the employers and the men, no amicable understanding was reached."

"It would appear to the casual observer that we refused absolutely to arbitrate. The reverse is true, however. At the gathering last week we believed that the 90 cents an hour scale would be acceptable to both and could be arranged. But it was some of the contractors who stood out for 85 cents an hour. That is how the matter stood at the conclusion."

Reports "Flu" Epidemic Raging in British Capital

LONDON, England, and vicinity are experiencing an influenza epidemic, according to a letter received by William Mood of 211 Adelaide street, this city, from his sister, Miss Beatrice Mood. Miss Mood, who was in business in London for eight years, leaving to visit her old home in England on Sept. 9, had expected to be back in London the first week in February. She states she will be unable to do so, owing to a severe attack of influenza.

CONTRACTORS IN CITY DECIDE TO REDUCE WAGES

Seek To Cut Cost of Labor in All Building Lines.

MATERIALS ARE LOWER

Claim 15 Per Cent Average Reduction Will Stimulate House Construction.

At the meeting of the contractors and builders of the city, in the Builders' Exchange on Monday night, it was decided that the cost of labor should be reduced to parallel the reductions in materials.

The reason, it was explained, that the rate was decided so early in the year was because the building trade just now is stagnant, and before the rush time comes in the spring the contractors desire to be able to use the new figures on which to calculate the cost of erecting buildings this coming year.

Contractors claim the reduction will be beneficial to building labor, in that it will be an inducement to people to go ahead and build more cheaply, thereby creating a lot of work that would ordinarily be left over until building trades costs came back to normal.

On the whole cost of a house the program decided upon will mean about a 15 per cent reduction in the cost of labor, and with like reductions in the cost of materials, it will greatly decrease the aggregate cost of building.

It is thought that the reduction will be a benefit to all concerned in building; the public by getting the work done more cheaply, and the men and the contractors by getting more work to do, the result a general stimulating of the building trades.

The rates that were decided upon for the year at the meeting were: Plasterers, 85 cents; lathers, 70 cents; carpenters, 70 cents; sheet metal workers, 60 cents; electricians, 60 cents; painters, 60 cents; roofers, 60 cents; laborers, 40 to 45 cents; mill hands, about 10 per cent reduction.

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452 KILLED AT DAILY WORK IN ONTARIO IN 1920

The Workmen's Compensation Board Issues Annual Report of Activities.

FAVORS BETTER SYSTEM

Would Have All Industries Covered Under Collective Liability System.

Four hundred and fifty-two individuals were accidentally killed while engaged in their daily occupations in the province of Ontario, during the 366 days of the year 1920, according to the annual report of the Workmen's Compensation Board.

Fatal accidents for a period extending throughout the year numbered 452 as against 429 in 1919, and 440 in 1918, which means that by some fateful slip or error 23 more workmen died in 1920 than in 1919, and 12 more than in 1918, in Ontario.

Compensation to injured and disabled workmen is paid out under two systems, the first known as the collective liability system, and the second as the individual liability system. The names of the two systems, or schedules, as they are called, hinges upon the manner in which the funds to be paid out to the incapacitated worker are received from the employers.

One single recommendation for a better method of distribution of moneys is advanced by the board.

Mainly the injured employee receives his part of the allotted amount of pay, while unable to be employed, under the workings of the collective liability system, or under what is generally called schedue two.

There is another system, however, in reference to which the workmen's compensation board has the following to say, all of which is directed to attention of the members of the Provincial Legislature:

"Not all the industries covered by the Ontario act, however, are under the collective liability system. A number included in what is known as schedule one, are on the individual liability basis, and in these the workmen and their dependents are depending on the solvency and will in respect to future payments be depending upon the continued existence and the continued solvency of the individual employer.

It is felt that this condition of affairs should be remedied, otherwise many pensioners will in later years have their pension cut off, when collection cannot be made from the employer.

In order that the criticism may be constructive the board supplies a cure for the condition, which would mean possibly the deprivation of means of sustenance to old pensioners. It strongly urges that the same schedule apply to employers under both systems, that is, it advocates the practical abolition of the individual liability system.

"A dual system is also objectionable because of the complication and cumbersomeness it necessarily entails. It is desirable that a compensation law should be as simple as possible," concludes the board's recommendation.

Each day of 1920 an average of 128 accidents reports reached the offices of the compensation board, totaling 54,851 injuries at the end of the year, as against 44,260 during 1919, and 47,851 during 1918.

Payment to employees who had suffered accidents cost $26,000 each day on a statistical average. This $26,000 was sent out in 495 checks daily. The $26,000 summed at the close of the year brings a total of $7,780,145.25, paid out to injured workmen.

Retroactive increases under amendments to the compensation act effective during 1920 increases the money received by the workmen in enforced idleness, the 1919 total being $4,192,859.93, and the total in 1918 $3,883,994.84.

Largely by reason of death pensions for accidents happening in other years is the increase outside of the amendment to the act, accounted for, according to the explanation of the board.

Regarding the new amendment the board makes the following statement: "The amendments of 1920 materially increasing the scale of benefits and placing Ontario well in the forefront in the matter of liberality of compensation allowances have upon the whole worked satisfactorily and the burden is not proving excessive."

"The rates of assessment are still low as compared with neighboring provinces, though the latter as a rule pay smaller benefits. The absence under our administrated liability system of the large overhead charges, necessarily incidental to the insurance system of other places and the reduction of expenses to a minimum, explain the difference."

It is interesting to note certain detailed facts embodied in the more precise report of the year 1919 in this section tabulation of factors involved in the accident and attending circumstances are absorbing, considering that they are statistics.

As an instance in 1919 three per cent of those injured were women, 50 per cent were married, and the majority, 82 per cent were of British allegiance.

There were 699 females injured in 1919 as compared with 1,209 in 1918; of the 699 females 603 were single, 73 married and 23 widowed.

Of the accidentally hurt, 611 were temporarily disabled and 88 permanently impaired.

Of the 20,161 males injured 11,551 were married and 344 widowers.

Taken from their own reports the allegiance of the disabled workmen are as follows: 17,102 British, 1,136 Austrians, 840 Russians, 821 Italians, 352 Americans, 125 Bulgarians and 100 Rumanians.

Workers in Ontario number a variety of races and nationalities, for in addition to races mentioned above the following were represented, among those injured, Albanian, Japanese, Mexican, Montenegrin and Swiss.

During 1919 as in former years among employees' cuts, lacerations and punctures were the most common type of wounds in temporary disability cases.

There were 4,254 bruises, contusions and abrasions; 1,647 fractures; 1,982 crushes; 1,385 sprains, twistings and wrenchings; 1,205 burns and scalds; 661 eye injuries; 13 internal injuries; 43 concussions; 131 dislocations; 14 industrial diseases, and 170 of all other types of injury.

The oldest worker injured in Ontario in 1919, according to the report, was 85 and the youngest 10.

In the county of Middlesex 628 were injured throughout the days of 1919, and four more were killed; 136 received temporary medical aid; only 431 compensations, and 61 endured an injury that led to permanent disability.

The average rate of assessment for Ontario employers is given as follows: 1915, $1.27; 1916, $1.09; 1917, 99c; in 1918, $1.09; in 1919, $1.22; 1920, $1.25.

For six years the workmen's compensation act has been in force in Ontario, and during that time while all cases were not worthy of compensation, a total of 188,923 accidents were reported to the board.

"The tremendous factor of the varying of individuality can hardly be established by averages or by figures in the mass; a knowledge of the individual is necessary.

"One man rated as a permanent total disability will find work he can do and at least partially re-establish himself in the industrial world, while another with a comparative minor disability will nurse that disability to the utter exclusion of all cares and responsibilities.

"Furthermore weak natures shocked by accident and disability often succumb to discouragement and idleness."

Such is the finding of the board which shows the element of human nature which enters into the work of dealing with injured and disabled persons, the above being one part of the conclusions of the board with particular reference to pensioners.

Foreigners, the board also states, show a marked preference with regard to compensation for lump sums.

MAY PREPARE ESTIMATES AT AN EARLY DATE

School Trustees Favor Expedition of Lists of Proposed Expenditures.

WILL AIM AT ECONOMY

It is the firm belief of the school trustees that their estimates for 1922 should be prepared as early as circumstances will permit. Although March 1 is the date set by the city council as the most appropriate, there has been a general feeling in educational circles for many weeks that an earlier start would prove beneficial in many respects.

Trustee Edwin Smith, newly-elected chairman of the board, has already expressed the importance of this. "At as early a date as possible," he declares, "each of the new committees will consider the probable requirements of their departments for the year and prepare their estimates. What is even more important in the preparation of the same the trustees should bear in mind that while the demands of education are necessarily great, every economy consistent with the efficient operation of our school system should be employed."

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Five Bobbing Styles For Tiny Tots

Greetings, little people of London, have you had your hair bobbed?

And what style did you pick?

In spite of the grownups' rush for the shortened tresses, many barbers of this city still make it known that they cater especially to children.

Every day numbers of children crawl into the barber's chair for the first time and gleefully let the scissors send their beautiful curls flying, while mothers stand by and blink the tears back.

There are five main styles for tiny tots to pick from:

The little lass at the top (left), has her bobbed tresses curled outwards.

At the top (right), the little lady likes the old-fashioned straight bob.

Below (left), is a fortunate tiny sister who has natural curly hair. So she had it bobbed and let it take its own course.

If you prefer a hair-ribbon, the miss below (right) shows how it will look with bobbed hair partially curled.

And in the center is a full-faced tot who has a real short bob with the locks curled and turned under.

POLICE RECOVER STOLEN CITY HALL CASH BOX

Found in Lumber At Corner of Waterloo and Bathurst Streets.

YOUTH MAKES DISCOVERY

Check For $12 Taken, But $500 Victory Bond Left.

The steel box stolen from the office of the Soldiers' Aid Commission in the city hall in the early hours of Saturday morning was recovered by the police late Monday night, with the contents intact, with the exception of a check for $12, and a deed of some London property. A $500 Victory Bond and another bond of $100 had not been touched. The box was found in a pile of lumber, the property of the Watson box factory on the corner of Waterloo and Bathurst streets. The lock had been broken.

According to the police a youth went to detective headquarters Monday night and stated that he had been in the lumber yard earlier in the evening, and noticed a box that had apparently been thrust into a pile of lumber. He thought that possibly it was the one that had been stolen from the office of Mr. Lance of the S. A. C., and was quite willing to accompany an officer to the place of hiding.

Detective Thomas Bolton and the young chap made their way to the lumber yard, found the box, and took it to the police station. Mr. Lance received the box and its contents this morning, and declared that "everything was present and correct," with the above-noted exceptions.

"I did not have any complete list of the contents of the box," said Secretary Ed Lance of the S. A. C., Tuesday morning, "but I think that everything is in the box with the exception of the deed and the check for $12, on which I have stopped payment.

"We have one or two clues, but so far we have only circumstantial evidence to go on with. However, the police are working on the case, and we have strong hopes that the culprit or culprits will be brought to justice."

The robbery took place between 2 and 2:30 o'clock Saturday morning. The glass in the door leading from Dundas street in the city hall to the office of Mr. Lance was broken, as was the glass in the office door. Constable Frayne found everything O. K. at 2 a.m., but on his return discovered the robbery.

SHOOTS BROTHER IN RABBIT HUNT

Ben Hodkinson of Granton, nineteen years old, was accidentally killed by his brother, Jim Hodkinson, a returned soldier, Monday afternoon.

The two brothers were shooting rabbits at Prospect Hill, three miles from their home at Granton, when the accident occurred.

Young Hodkinson had placed a ferret in a rabbit hole and was coming back to his brother, when the rabbit appeared a few feet distant. Not noticing his brother, who was hidden from view by a mound of earth, Jim fired, mortally wounding his brother.

Dr. O. W. Mitton of Granton and a coroner were called. After an examination the coroner decided an inquest was unnecessary.

Besides his parents, the victim is survived by two brothers, residing at Granton. Last summer the family resided at Pottersburg, London East.

MUSICIANS OF LONDON ELECT NEW OFFICERS

At the last meeting of Local, 279, A. F. and M., the following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

President, Harry Wooster; first vice-president, M. J. Rouck; second vice-president, Robt. Langton; past president and state officer, J. W. Dwyer; secretary, C. N. Perrin; treasurer, F. H. Dawson; sergeant-at-arms, J. C. Crisee; executive, J. T. Darling, S. S. Rogers, W. Ward, E. Fetherstone; auditors, Carl Brigglier, Wilford Hodgins; delegates to labor council, J. Cunliff, J. T. Darling, F. Tilbury.

URGE BUILDING NEW SCHOOL IN WEST LONDON

Question Discussed At First Meeting of New Board of Education.

ADVISE DENTAL CLINIC

Trustees Approve Use of Room in Victoria School For Library.

Suggestions for a seventeen-room school to relieve the congestion in West London were forthcoming at the first regular meeting on Monday afternoon of No. 1 committee of the board of education. No. 2 committee will be notified to this effect.

The committee urged that the new school comprise fourteen teaching rooms, together with household science and manual training departments and a general assembly hall. It is the firm intention of the trustees to insure the construction of this school in 1922, and it is expected that authorization for the purchase of a suitable site will soon be made.

Recommendation will be made at the next meeting of the board for the establishment of a new dental clinic at the Riverview School. That the services of an additional dentist will also be included in a report to be presented by Supervising Dentist Dr. Fuller and Senior School Inspector Greer.

Plan School Library.

While the public library board made application about six months ago for authority to establish a branch in the new Victoria School, no action was possible at that time. The trustees now find that one room at that institution will be available, for several months at least, and will approve its use by the library under certain stipulations.

It is desired that the librarian in charge will be one thoroughly conversant with children's books and that the branch be available for the pupils on three afternoons a week. This plan has been attempted in many of the American cities and proved highly successful. The pupils make use of the library to aid in their studies. The board also reserves the right to cancel the agreement upon two months' notice.

While a number of the trustees are prone to reason that the maintenance of a uniformed cadet corps savors greatly of militarism, one of the most important arguments against the suggestion by Lieut.-Col. W. A. McCrimmon to provide public school pupil cadets with uniforms was the probable cost.

With approximately 700 boys at a cost per uniform of $10 each, the committee felt that at this moment especially the citizens generally would undoubtedly view with frank disapproval an expenditure of $7,000, when there are many other more important issues to be considered. Trustees Casselman, Wright and Chairman Udy registered opposition from the anti-militarism viewpoint. Trustee Rowe, however, voiced the opinion that their stand was "far-fetched."

The chairman of the board, Trustee Edwin Smith, and Trustee Udy, chairman of No. 1 committee, will consider the application for an increase in salary which comes from Dr. George Weir, the public school attendance officer. Dr. Weir has been duly appointed in a like capacity for 1922.

Propose Scripture Reading.

The board will be recommended to adopt the suggestion by Trustee Smith relative to the proposed Scripture reading in the schools, that copies of the Lord's Prayer and the Ten Commandments be purchased for every classroom in the schools.

T. G. Meredith, solicitor for the board, will receive a delegation, consisting of Trustees Smith, Udy and Rowe to discuss the proposed appointment of a city finance commissioner. The trustees express the determination to insure that they do not forfeit any of their inherent rights under the proposed arrangement, should the latter become effective.

Inspector Greer has also been instructed to attend the urban school trustees' convention, which is being held in Windsor on Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of this week.

PLANS TO INSPECT DENTAL PARLORS

Legislature Will Undertake Work, Dr. H. A. Stevenson States.

Before the next session of the Ontario Legislature Dr. Hugh A. Stevenson, M. L. A., will take up with the provincial officer of health the question of a thorough inspection of local dental parlors and workrooms.

Quite recently the Labor men of the city, through the trades and labor council adopted a resolution that the local medical officer of health conduct such an inspection on the plea that there are dental establishments that are not adequately equipped with the necessary sanitary arrangements for this work.

Dr. Stevenson informed The Advertiser on Monday that a copy of the resolution had been referred to him, and he intended to bring the matter to the attention of the Toronto auuthorities at an early dae.

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Denies That Public Rinks Will Be Open Sunday

MANY inquiries have been received by E. V. Buchanan, director of the playgrounds board, as to the report that an attempt would be made to test the Lord's Day act by permitting skating at the public rinks on Sunday next.

"I have had several people call me up and ask me about this," explained Mr. Buchanan to The Advertiser on Tuesday morning, "and what I have said is this: 'That the matter has not yet been discussed by the public utilities commission or by the playgrounds board.

"And I venture to say that it never will," added the general manager after a pause.

The playground superintendent and his aides still report the utmost difficulty under the remarkable prevailing climatic conditions to maintain a real good sheet of ice in any of the parks.

PLAN AID TO STARVING OF SOVIET RUSSIA

Branch of Canadian Organization To Be Formed in London.

$200 COLLECTED HERE

Alexander McLennan of Toronto Furthering Interests of Humanitarian Body.

Plans to organize a local branch of the Canadian Friends of Soviet Russia have been underway in London since the arrival of Alexander McLennan of Toronto in the city last Friday. The purpose of the organization launched in Toronto last August is purely humanitarian, according to Mr. McLennan, himself a member of the United Farmers of Ontario, who has been appointed organizer for Eastern Canada.

The raising of relief funds to save the starving millions of Russian peasants, now obliged to subsist in some districts on cakes of grass and clay, field mice, locusts and roots and bark of trees (according to an article by Sir Philip Gibbs, which Mr. McLennan read in the course of an address before the Self Educational Club, Grey street, on Sunday evening), is the chief object of the new organization, it is claimed.

In response to an appeal sent out by the American Friends of Soviet Russia, of which the Canadian organization is a branch, more than $200 has already been collected by the Self Educational Club in London.

Churches, humanitarian organizations, brotherhoods, labor and other organizations are being asked to send representatives to a local conference of the new "Friends of Russia" with a view to deciding what relief funds, and how, can be raised in London for the Russian famine sufferers.

In addition to half a dozen labor unions, including locals of the carmen, amalgamated clothing workers, who have already been addressed by Mr. McLennan, delegates have also been appointed by the Self Educational Club the Social Psychology Group and the Unity New Thought Society.

WOMAN VAGRANT MAY BE DEPORTED

Catherine Moore Now in Care of Salvation Army.

Catherine Moore, who was arrested as a vagrant a short time ago and was released by Deputy Magistrate P. H. Bartlett when the Salvation Army offered to take care of her, will probably be sent to Quebec, where relatives live.

A letter received from the American immigration authorities by the governor of the county jail states that she should be placed in some institution where she would be cared for, as she has suicidal tendencies. A previous letter from the same authorities stated that she had attempted to commit suicide a number of times. The letter also says that Catherine Moore has two sisters who are in an insane asylum in Quebec.

Governor Dawson stated that it is quite probable that the family will be deported to England.

Catherine Moore, who is 20 years old, was born in Liverpool, England.

Australia leads the world in the production of wool.

If a man and woman have both reached the age of 50, the woman, on the average, will outlive the man.

CRANE POSITIVE BRIGHT FUTURE AWAITS CANADA

U. S. Industrial Magnate Extending His Vast Interests in Dominion.

SPURNS TARIFF ISSUE

Favors Cancellation of Allied War Debt As Vital To Europe.

Governments in Canada may change overnight after a long and gruelling political compaign, but the aftermath seemingly exerts but little influence in the general policy of one American industry—the biggest of its kind on the continent if not in the entire world—the Crane Company of Chicago, Illinois, valve and fitting manufacturers; the owner and executive of which has long since realized the unparalleled prospects of this Dominion through the never-ending years to come.

With branches and factories throughout the United States and in most of the important centers of Canada, including Montreal, Toronto and Vancouver, the Crane Company, not to be intimidated by the "blue ruin" groans of either business competitors, professional pessimists or party politicians, has even strengthened its belief in Canada and all things Canadian by continuing to establish its factories and selling branches wherever opportunity prevailed.

At 6:50 Monday evening R. P. Crane, multi-millionaire, managing director of this mammoth enterprise, arrived in London in his special coach "Federal" attached to the rear of the Canadian Pacific flyer from Detroit. On Tuesday he conducted an inspection of the premises of the new Crane plant on York street, subsequently departing for the east.

The Crane Company is not one of those American concerns which, according to some of the politicians during the recent federal campaign, was "standing expectantly at the border waiting to see what the Canadian voters were going to do about the tariff."

The Crane Company has had branch factories in this country for several years, and even while the calamity howlers were working overtime last fall, plans were being formulated for a greater development of the Canadian plants.

"No, we did not anticipate any ill fate for Canada," said Mr. Crane in reply to a question Monday night as to whether the election of the Liberal government was viewed with alarm by the leaders of American industry with interests in Canada.

"We believe then as now that a bright future awaits Canada," continued the Chicago manufacturer, "and as a matter of fact, when it comes to a discussion of Canadian politics, I fear that we do not know as much about the subject as perhaps one would think. We certainly do not extend any fears about the ultimate future of the Dominion, however. As it is we are extending our interests here."

"While conditions are improving somewhat in the United States and Canada as well there are no doubt some clouds to pass this year. Conditions nevertheless are bound to be adjusted in the very near future."

Mr. Crane evidently did not wish to appear overly optimistic, preferring, it seemed, to face the facts squarely. While he extends every hope for a better and brighter future everywhere, he emphasizes his contention that the people of both the American States and Canada are still overtaxed.

"We are still encountering the aftermath of the war, and one of the greatest problems, I firmly believe, is the inter-allied war debt," continued Mr. Crane. "To my mind these vast sums might be cancelled to obtain the greater good for each country, and hasten the way back to normalcy. Personally I may say that I am one of the pioneers of this cause, and would still like to see all national debts, accrued during the war, cancelled by the various governments."

Mr. Crane explained that the situation respecting his own particular business throughout Canada was to be considered quite favorable under the circumstances, and almost certain to improve in due time. There is no doubt in his mind that all obstacles arising this year in any line of business endeavor on either side of the border will be successfully mastered.

In conclusion he reiterated frankly a reluctance to discuss trade relations from any political viewpoint, intimating clearly that the big men of industry on the American side of the boundary line had not been so vitally interested in the outcome of the Canadian general election as was popularly supposed by the press of the late government.

"That Canada was a business field of no mean proportions under any administration," was the impression one gathered from R. P. Crane of Chicago, acknowledged as one of the big industrial men of America.

WHO KILLED MIRIAM VANE?

She was an artist—beautiful—but mocking and mysterious. Her portraits were called caricatures because of their subtle cruelty. One night a shot was heard. A minute later the beautiful artist was found dead in her Greenwich Village studio. Before her was an unfinished portrait.

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CURLERS FORCED TO POSTPONE CITY OF LONDON 'SPIEL UNTIL FEBRUARY 7

CURLING SHEETS WERE FLOODED

Probs Man Held Out No Brighter Hopes.

BIG ENTRY IN

After waiting vainly for something encouraging from the Probs man, the committee took it on their own last night to postpone the big city of London curling tourney which was to have got away to a start at 1:30 this afternoon, until Feb. 7. A big entry was in.

This date was chosen so that the blue ribbon event of the season would not clash with the other events benig staged in Western Ontario. Jan. 17 sees the Ontario primaries started in St. Thomas; Jan. 24, the big Owen Sound play, and Jan. 30 the Colts League events in St. Thomas. This latter tourney clears the way for the city of London affair, which the committee intend to make all the bigger for the wait.

Longer Preparation.

Work was started hurriedly in preparation for this tournament, but every curling club in Western Ontario will be paged for the Feb. 2 date. A program will be prepared by the secretary.

Last night's decision wasn't hard to make, and as the probs turned out was a wise one. Only a slight promise of ower temperature was held out. Certainly not enough to convert the miniature lake within the L. C. C. rink.

ALERT JUNIORS HAD GOOD WORKOUT AT ST. THOMAS

Railway City Intermediates Worked With London Kids.

The Alert juniors had a good workout last night at St. Thomas, the intermediates of the Railway City turning out with the kids and providing plenty of opposition in a friendly way.

Some of the rough edges so apparent in the last appearance of the Alerts were worn off last night. The youngsters fully realize some of their most glaring faults, and they are a long way on the road to correction with this willing attitude.

They'll get another practice in Ingersoll with their own intermediates on Wednesday night, unless the soft weather keeps up and spoils the Mason arena sheet, and should be in good shape for their tilt at Woodstock a week from tonight.

The intermediates just now need ice more for conditioning purposes than anything else. They've got experience enough to go out and put up a fair game, but they won't win any titles in the shape they're in.

AT THE BARRIER

NEW ORLEANS ENTRIES.

First race, purse $1,000, maiden 2-year-olds, 6 furlongs: Sempronia, 111; Pluribelle, 111; Consul, 116; Walespa, 116; Ballot Mark, 116; Thonela, 111; Doris, 111; Printer's Devil, 116 Consort, 116; Costigan, 116; Our Betsy, 111; Camilla S., 111; Sun Time, 116; Lou Lichtenheim, 116.

Second, claiming, purse $1,000, 4-year-olds and up, 6 furlongs: Vansylvia, 113; Beeswing, 109; xFlying Orb, 105; xHelen Atkin, 108; xPaul Connelly, 113; Charles A. Byrne, 112; Concentrate, 113; xDahinda, 104; xNordeck, 109; xPhilanderer, 114; xLink Boy, 113; Herlam, 114; xBurgoyne, 113; xMalvolio, 114; xThe Decision, 113; Jago, 110.

Third, allowances, purse $1,000, 4-year-olds and up, 5½ furlongs: Ace of Aces, 111; Diocletian, 109; Rapid Day, 111; Grayson, 111; John's Umma, 104; Wapiti, 109; Kirah, 106; Fort Churchhill, 111.

Fourth, Piccadilly Handicap, claiming, purse $1,500, 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile and 70 yards: Goaler, 110; Incog, 103; Mysterious Girl, 103; Wynnewood, 107; Balance Wheel, 112; War Zone, 111; King's Champion, 109.

Fifth, allowances, purse, $1,000, 3-year-olds and up, 1 mile: Yashmak, 109; Marsdale, 106; Lieut.-Col, 106; Carlin S., 104; Commander McMeekin, 109; Grace Foster, 104.

Sixth, claiming, purse $1,000, 4-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles: Bribed Voter, 113; Richelieu, 111; xTulsa, 109; St. Isidore, 118; Escarpolette, 106; xTrantula, 106; Safe Conduct, 107; xWho Cares, 115; xFlibberty Gibbet, 114; Our Birthday, 113; xDay Lily, 102; xFluzey, 105.

Seventh, claiming, purse $1,000, 4-year-olds and up, 1 1-16 miles: Black Watch II., 107; Car, 114; The Cullen Bon, 109; xZone d'Armee, 109; xVerity, 104; xShe Devil, 104; Sammy Jay, 112; Searchlight III., 106; Maize, 104; xCrimson Rambler, 102; xCockroach, 109; Jerry, 114; Little Ed, 114; Homeward Bound, 101; xWarsaw, 109; xMiss Dixie, 102.

x—Apprentice allowance claimed.
Weather cloudy; track heavy.

LISTOWEL BEAT TEAM FROM KINCARDINE 12--10

LISTOWEL, Jan. 9.—Listowel Seniors defeated Kincardine in an exhibition game by a score of 12 to 10. The juniors play in Milverton on Thursday. There was a misunderstanding in the Milverton Junior team about the age limit, and three of the players are not eligible, so that the twelve-goal lead which was piled up against the locals will not be counted.

Manhattans and Glencoe Kids Battle 30 Minutes Overtime To 10-10 Tie

Mfrs. To Decide Posties' Protest

Wednesday Night Executive Will Handle Smith's Case.

The protest lodged by Civil Service against player H. Smith of the Grand Trunks of the Manufacturers' League will be held at a meeting of the Manufacturers' executive on Wednesday night in Brisco's store.

Smith was protested by the Civil Service on the allegation that he had not started work soon enough in the Grand Trunk, though his certificate went through regularly enough.

Wished Meeting.

Grand Trunks have not made any reply in letter form to the charge, but intimated that they wished to reply before an executive meeting.

Evidently the Trunks believe they have a good case when they decided to avoid the letter route, and as Civil Service are sure their grounds for protest are good ones, the case is arousing a little flurry in Manufacturers' League circles.

GRAND CIRCUIT NOT ON RETRENCHMENT COURSE

Will Keep Lexington Meet Going Two Weeks—Keep $21,000 Futurity Going.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, Jan. 9.—The annual meeting of the grand circuit stewards opened today with the rules and schedule committee in formal session. The result of the meetings was not announced pending announcement by the stewards in session tomorrow afternoon.

The only official information given today was that Lexington will not curtail its meetings to one week, as has been reported. Lexington will continue its two-weeks' racing card, and also its past program relative to futurities and valuation of stakes.

President E. A. Tipton of the Kentucky Driving Association, Lexington, stated that last week the stockholders of that organization voted unanimously o continue the Kentucky Futurity as a $21,000 feature, and voted against reducing the Lexington meeting to one week. Interviews with stewards, it was said, showed little sentiment in favor of racing in the vicinity of Detroit.

A majority, it was said, opposed granting dates to the Kenilworth Park management, and the Detroit Driving Club.

RACE RESULTS

NEW ORLEANS RESULTS.

First race: Hughie, 116 (Garner), 3 to 2, 3 to 5, 1 to 4, won; Better Luck, 116 (Coltiletti), 4 to 5, 1 to 3, second; The Mule Skinner, 116 (Carroll), 4 to 5, third. Bob McGray, Leslie, Tailor Hay, Arum, Amole, Chief Flynn, Patrolman, Athlete and Billy Whiskers also ran.

Second: Petie, 105 (Weiner), even, 9 to 20, 2 to 5, won; Little Patsy, 110 (Pitz), 5 to 2, 6 to 5, second; Lady Rochester, 100 (Wilson), 7 to 10, third. Bonero Blue, Dadja, Berrington, Everbold, Pluribelle, Nig, Little Ammie, Plunella and Bill's Luck also ran.

Fifth: United Verde, 112 (Garner), 3 1, 5 to 1, 2 to 1, won; Sagamore, 106 (Lang), 2 to 5, 1 to 5, second; Lady Luxury, 110 (Coltiletti), 1 to 2, third. Redmon, Sister Flo and Moody also ran.

Fourth: Blarney Stone, 108 (Garner), even, 2 to 5, 1 to 6, won; Sea Cove, 108 (Morris), even, 2 to 5, second; Runzaf, 104 (Coltiletti), 4 to 5, third. Tharon, Master Jack and Eternity also ran.

Fifth: United Verde, 112 (Garner), 3 to 1, even, 9 to 20, won; Bunga Buck, 116 (Lang), 4 to 5, 1 to 3, second; Tippity Witchet, 112 (Parrington), 9 to 20, third. King's Champion, Gen. Haig and Slippery Elm also ran.

Sixth: Gourmond, 105 (Lang), 9 to 2, 7 to 5, 1 to 2, won; Scotch Verdict, 113 (Coltiletti), 7 to 10, 1 to 4, second; Miss Fontaine, 94 (Owens), 1 to 5, third. Our Birthday, l'Enjoleur and Lorena Moss also ran.

Seventh: Pickwick, 112 (Buxton), 7 to 5, 3 to 5, 1 to 4, won; Serbian, 107 (Wilson), 2 to 1, even, second; Alex Jr., 112 (Burke), 8 to 5, third. Phelan, Anna Gallup, Brownie McDawell, Service Star, Bally Bell, Hello Pardner and Jack Reeves also ran.

TILLSONBURG O.H.A. TEAMS HAVE BUSY WEEK

TILLSONBURG, Jan. 9.—The local O. H. A. teams have two very important fixtures this week which will go a long way towards deciding group honors. On Tuesday evening the Woodstock Juniors meet the locals, and they are so confident of winning that a huge crowd of fans are coming over to the Pan Dried Town with their team, but the home brews are just as confident of annexing the game, and a hard battle is expected.

On Friday evening the intermediates, who are leading the group, play the London Alerts in the Forest City, and by the way the locals have started, the London six will have a hard time to avoid defeat on Friday evening.

62 CURLERS AT SEAFORTH.

SEAFORTH, Jan. 9.—The Seaforth Curling Club is in a very flourishing condition this season with 62 members. A good season's sport is anticipated.

WESTERN 'U' FIVE EASY FOR BATTERY

46--14 Score Piled Up On Collegians—Thistles Win Curtain-Raiser.

O. B. A. STANDING.

	Won.	Lost.	For	Agst.
12th Battery ...	2	0	75	28
London Y.	1	1	30	43
Western U.	0	2	28	62

Jan. 12—Western at Y.

Western provided just a nice workout for the 12th Field Battery crew in a junior O. B. A. game at the armories last night, the final verdict being 46—14. In both periods the Battery kept about the same edge on the Varsity Seconds, exhibiting better team play and much more accurate work on the baskets. At the end of the first half the blackboard showed the Artillerymen ahead 17—5, and the last half, 29—9.

The line-ups:

12th Field Battery—E. Balkwell, Gauld, Caldwalder, Milligan, Morris, Plastow.

Western U—Hambly, O. Mulveny, Callaghan, Thomson, Beam, Morris, Bayly.

Referee—Physical Director Blake.

THISTLES WIN EASILY.

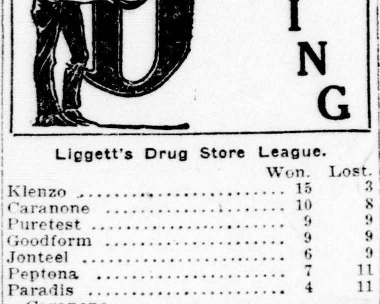
Though the score was slightly tilted, Smallman & Ingram girls gave the Thistles a good run in the preliminary game, and were in trying until the final 24—9 was chalked up.

The line-ups:

Thistles—C. Milne, Curnoe, Hazelgrove, Murray, Stevens, Vanstone.

Smallman & Ingram—B. Graves, Harris, Graves, B. Bamford, Milne and Bamford.

Referee—Jack Lightfoot.



Liggett's Drug Store League.

	Won.	Lost.
Klenzo	15	3
Caranone	10	8
Puretest	9	9
Goodform	9	9
Jonteel	6	9
Peptona	7	11
Paradis	4	11

Caranone—			
Stewart	121	135	126— 382
Thompson	107	152	84— 343
Totals	228	287	210— 725
Goodform—			
Harris	162	162	154— 478
Harris	110	113	124— 347
Totals	272	275	278— 825
Puretest—			
Waldruff	105	120	149— 374
Bowden	133	158	136— 427
Totals	238	278	285— 801
Peptona—			
Glanville	188	157	155— 500
Kennedy	164	109	173— 446
Totals	352	266	328— 946
Caranone—			
Stewart	106	128	106— 340
Thompson	106	142	150— 398
Totals	212	270	256— 738
Puretest—			
Waldruff	108	123	122— 353
Bowden	90	169	99— 358
Totals	198	292	221— 713

George White & Sons League.

	Won.	Lost.
Boiler Shop	24	9
Molding Shop	18	15
Machine Shop	13	20
Separator Shop	11	22

Machine Shop—			
Richards	98	136	139— 373
Dancy	145	155	99— 394
Williams	155	165	143— 463
Aldridge	139	139	121— 399
Brown	131	146	133— 410
Totals	668	736	665—2039
Boiler Shop—			
V. Gower	152	159	165— 476
Karn	183	175	140— 498
J. Gower	110	141	142— 393
Fortner	116	95	186— 397
Rockwood	194	201	182— 577
Totals	755	771	815—2341
Separator Shop—			
Heathfield	187	185	165— 537
Downing	149	152	143— 444
Ross	121	190	186— 497
Penallurick	117	165	136— 418
Elliott	138	124	176— 438
Totals	712	816	806—2334
Molding Shop—			
Hooten	187	100	125— 412
Davis	159	151	131— 441
Delmage	238	101	111— 450
Hodges	166	152	133— 451
Fraser	214	111	145— 470
Totals	964	615	645—2224

Forest City League.

By Alerts defeating Public Utilities last night they earned the right to play off with Civil Service for the championship of the first series.

Alerts—			
R. Baker	208	164	281— 653
J. Reid	216	204	220— 640
S. Carter	198	184	161— 543
F. Baker	232	115	225— 572
H. Smith	207	242	171— 620
Totals	1061	909	1058—3028
Public Utilities—			
E. McMurray	178	139	137— 454
W. Karn	139	128	144— 411
D. Fletcher	113	241	181— 535
T. Mercer	163	171	170— 504
L. Jackson	172	116	233— 521
Totals	765	795	865—2425
Tecumsehs—			
McDougall	158	150	166— 474
J. Catalano	192	104	122— 418
J. Smith	189	166	157— 512
McCullough	197	168	174— 539
M. Smith	168	180	199— 547
Totals	904	768	818—2490

El-Toros defaulted.

AT ST. THOMAS.

London.			
Wiggins	173	120	166— 459
Hodgson	146	161	190— 497
Barrie	247	173	132— 552
Forbes	216	150	205— 571
Clark	180	162	186— 528
Totals	962	766	879—2607
St. Thomas.			
Young	212	173	206— 591
Heal	137	200	192— 529
Crump	142	199	214— 555
Swift	160	192	185— 537
Whitehall	198	231	226— 655
Totals	849	995	1023—2867

Not All On Ball

Those sitting out in front never know what is going on back of the scenes.

That is true of the ball field as well as the theatre. While the crowd laughs and applauds, tragedy in its various forms is often being enacted behind the scenes. Humor also has its place.

In baseball, the field is the stage, the clubhouse is behind the scenes.

Waite Hoyt, star pitcher of the New York Americans, was the big figure in such a setting during the 1921 series with the Giants.

After the second game of the series, in which Hoyt had held the Giants in the hollow of his hand, I dropped around to the Yankees' clubhouse to see how the team felt after twice defeating the Giants, each time over the shutout route.

I had another reason for so doing, during the last few innings of the game I noticed that Hoyt used a curve ball almost entirely.

It surprised me, because his fast ball which he had been using was practically unhitable. He had used the curve more as a threat.

I also noticed that he occasionally would glance at the second finger on his pitching hand and shake his head.

When I dropped into the clubhouse I found Hoyt the center of a crowd of all the Yankees. The usual noise that goes with a world series victory was lacking.

Had Badly Injured Finger.

I felt sure something was wrong. I edged into the crowd and found Trainer Wood of the Yankees examining the second finger on Hoyt's pitching hand. There was a big blood blister on the end of the finger which extended well under the nail.

It didn't seem possible that a pitcher could work with such a finger on the throwing hand. The silence that pervaded the dressing-room made it evident that all the Yankees entertained such an opinion.

After the finger had received medical attention, I got Hoyt off to the side and asked him what he thought of his chances to start another game.

"The finger is terribly sore," he said. "It prevents me from getting a purchase on the ball and, therefore, takes the 'zip' off my fast ball. However, I will be in there if I am only able to dish up slow ones."

Hoyt Has Real Courage.

The news about the injured finger was kept a secret. Hoyt won his second game after a hard struggle. He was forced to resort to every bit of pitching strategy he possessed. His actions plainly showed the finger was giving him much pain.

Before his third start, his injured finger was world-wide gossip. He lost that game, 1 to 0, because the usually reliable Peckinpaugh made an error at a critical stage.

Hoyt's performance in the world series, great that it was, was all the more remarkable when one considers the conditions under which he labored.

In the slang of the sporting world, "guts" means courage.

That word was coined for Waite Hoyt.

OWEN BUSH, former Detroit Tiger star, now with Washington, is anxious to try managing a minor league club, when all the major league teams decide to waive on him. Bush seems to have a couple of more years of big league ability in his system and Griffith will probably hold on to him until he has picked up a shortstop who will fill the bill at Washington.

EXETER FIGURE IN SECOND VICTORY

Double Score On Stone Town 6--3 On Good Sheet.

EXETER, Jan. 9.—Exeter-Zurich combination won their second game of the group journey tonight, doubling the score on St. Marys, 6—3. The Devonshire crew blanked the visitors the first period, 2—0; the second period was 4—2, and the third, 6—3.

Little Dodo Hoffman starred for the winners, and Sims, the St. Marys goaltender, had the biggest chance of his team to get in the limelight, which he did with some marvellous stops.

A big crowd saw the game.

The line-ups:

Exeter.	Position.	St. Marys.
Harness	Goal	Sims
Hindmarsh	Def5ence	Lavelle
C. Hoffman	R. Defence	Tuer
Hoffman	Centre	Cowan
McKinnon	R. Wing	Smith
Siebert	L. Wing	Sinclair
Calfax	Subs	Crozier
Robinson	Subs	Newman

Referee—Corker Legg, London.

Juniors Already Talking Soccer

Machine-Gunners Held Full Meeting Last Night—Lots of Talent.

The Second Canadian Machine Gun footballers had a meeting last night at the armories, and are all ready for the opening of the junior football season. The team will start next season almost intact and playing as they did in the second series, when they gave both Rovers and United Veterans of St. Thomas such a hard run, means that they will be contenders next year right from the start.

The Inter-City Junior League will likely be increased to eight or ten teams next season, which will mean the development of much good football material. All the teams of last year will be back, but some have been hit hard by the age limit and will have to search for new material.

Rovers who won the Brisco Trophy last year will lose the services of two or three of their best men, but are sure they can repeat again, as they have some good talent in sight and coming along.

BRITISH SOCCER.

LONDON, Jan. 9.—(Canadian Press.)—By the draw for the second round of the English Association Cup to be played Jan. 28, made today, the teams left in will play against one another in the following schedule:

Brighton vs. Burnley or Huddersfield.
Walsall or Bradford City vs. Grimsby or Notts County.
Southend vs. Swansea or Westham.
Swindon vs. Blackburn or Southport.
Preston N. E. vs. Newcastle.
Bradford vs. Arsenal or Queen's Park Rangers.
Bristol City or Notts Forest vs. Hull City.
Leicester vs. Plymouth or Fulham.
Crystal Palace vs. Millwall.
Tottenham H. vs. Watford.
Sunderland or Liverpool vs. West Bromwich A.
Aston Villa vs. Portsmouth or Luton.
Northampton vs. Stoke.
Southampton vs. Cardiff.
Barnsley or Norwich vs. Oldham.
Bolton vs. Manchester City.

BRANTFORD KIDS GIVE GALT 5--2 BEATING

BRANTFORD, Jan. 9.—The Brantford O. H. A. juniors defeated Galt juniors here tonight, the score being 5 to 2. Brantford started in with a rush, scoring five goals in the first periods. The ice was very soft and locals and scored in second and third periods. The iie was very soft and combination play was almost impossible. The line-up:

Galt—Goal, Snyder; defence, Drinkwater and Gaskin; center, Erison; right wing, Liggins; left wing, Weaver, subs, Webber, Keachie and Gilland.

Brantford—Goal, Webster, defence, Wills and Higgins; center, Powers; eft wing, Riley; right wing, McGowan; subs, Vanevery, Jenkins and Tucker.

Referee—Fraser, Paris.

HOWARD SHANKS will have no opposition at third base at Washington next spring. Every year the Nationals sign a couple of youngsters to replace Shanks, but they never get very far. It is said that Griffith has finally decided that Shanks is better than five or six other third sackers in the American, and the job is his.

This Was a Real Tough Break For Both Player and Owner

President Lane of the Salt Lake team is one individual who is mighty sorry the coast league helped to promote the winter league.

"The California Winter League kept me from disposing of one of my players to the majors," remarked Mr. Lane at the recent major league meeting in New York.

"One of my players by the name of Siglin had a mighty big year and looked ripe for a chance in the majors. His uniformly good work throughout the season had attracted the attention of the scouts and a deal had practically been closed.

"Just when I was about ready to finish the deal the winter league was launched and Siglin was announced as one of the players who would perform.

"The club that was after him decided to hold up the deal pending a chance to look him over during the coast league season. One of the players from that club was booked to play on the same club as Siglin.

"Unfortunately for Siglin, also myself, he suffered a reversal of form. His work in the winter league in no way compared with his regular season's play. He made anything but an impression on the big league player. The deal which I had all but closed was declared off.

"That isn't the only kick I have on the winter league stuff. I never liked the idea and didn't play any part in the movement. My thought is to give the fans the best brand of ball possible during the season.

"Our aim on the coast should be to make our league a third major league. This can only be done by constantly raising the standard of play. At the present time a comparison of the majors with our league rather hurts us.

"The importance that also was placed on the coming of the big league stars had a tendency to create the impression that the style of ball played in the majors is vastly superior to that of the coast.

"Such is far from being the case. Unquestionably there is a slight difference at present, but this can soon be overcome by proper methods of development in several places.

SPORT a la CARTE

By C. S. G.

Whatever the decrease in building costs, London is just that much nearer to the realization of that old ambition to have an artificial arena. The idea is bound to come to life again once the obvious and vital need of the structure is brought home again to the citizens through another season of haphazard hockey. It's usually half way through the season that something happens, some circumstance such as soft weather or lack of condition due to inadequate ice accommodation to bring the question back to life and conversation. Mostly it's been conversation, but credit to those who worked so hard last year must be given, for more progress has been made with the idea than ever before and the preliminary work done then will not have to be repeated once the proposition is taken up again seriously.

Much optimistic working with the mouth last year gave way to working on solid facts, and these dealt mostly with finance. Those who glibly mouthed $100,000 in one breath, began to see that this amount of money was easier to say than it was to collect. Thanks to decreasing costs this amount would be pared down considerably, even if the proposition was reopened at present, but even a much smaller sum presents many real difficulties that do not reflect so much on the sportsmanship of London as they do produce a natural businesslike caution.

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Well, Jack Dempsey's nerves broke down first. We were betting he'd last longer than his press agent.

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The Manufacturers' Hockey League contest is getting red hot. One protest is up already.

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The Girls were at their basketball,
The crowd yelled loud—then louder,
And one sweet thing would have made a goal,
If she hadn't stopped to powder.

BLENHEIM PROVES TOO FAST FOR THAMESVILLE

BLENHEIM, Jan. 9.—Blenheim and Thamesville hockey teams had a lively game here tonight, it being the first of the season. The ice was poor but the teams put up a good exhibition before a large crowd. Blenheim proved a bit too fast for the visitors, winning by a score of 5 to 3. The line-up:

Blenheim—Goal, Rumble, defence, McPherson and Gray; wings, Riseborough and Hagwood; center, Tiffin; subs, Rutherford and Bryan.

Thamesville—Goal, Dougherty; defence, Wall and Willis; wings, Weese and Bobkin; center, Labelle; subs, Davidson and McMillan.

"RED" FABER was one of the few major league pitchers who wasn't bothered by the lively ball last season. With a second division ball club, Faber had one of the greatest years of his career. He seemed to be a better pitcher last year than at any time since he joined the Chicago club. His sidearm spitball is a most deceptive delivery.

ELMER SMITH of the Cleveland club feels the same way toward Boston as Stuffy McInnis does to Cleveland. Smith regards Cleveland as his home and doesn't like the idea of going to Boston. Incidentally, he doesn't care to play on a club that shunts its players around as does Owner Frazee.

UNLESS Cleveland adds more pitching strength, unless St. Louis patches up the weak spot at second, unless Washington shows a more consistent front, New York looks like the one best bet in the American League to win. Of course, there is always a chance that some dark horse may upset the calculations.

DRUMBO JUNIORS LOSE SECOND GAME

Ingersoll Kids Win 5 to 4 in Overtime Game.

JUNIOR O. H. A. GROUP NO. 13.

	Won.	Lost.	For.	Agst.
Woodstock	1	0	5	4
Tillsonburg	1	0	6	1
Ingersoll	1	1	6	10
Drumbo	1	2	14	14
London Alerts ...	0	1	5	6

INGERSOLL, Jan. 9.—Drumbo juniors met defeat here tonight in one of the most exciting contests witnessed in years. The game went twenty minutes overtime, and the locals won by a score of 5 to 4. Munroe made the winning shot from the wing. The game was played on sticky ice and the local recruits were handicapped through the lack of experience. Drumbo showed speed and shooting ability, but the locals checked well and played a game that surprised the fans, as all are playing in O H A. company for the first time. Ingersoll was in the lead at the end of the first period 2 to 1.. Drumbo notched two counters in the second, the locals scored and the standing was 3 to 3.

Drumbo scored near the close of the first ten minutes' overtime period. Crossett evened the score for Ingersoll and in the second overtime frame Munroe made the deciding shot.

The teams:

Drumbo—Goal, Cook; defence, Milton and Johnston; center, Cohen; right wing, W. Cook; left wing, Binkley; subs, Murray, Galbraith, Enticknap.

Ingersoll—Goal, Noe; defence, Jackson and Crossett; center, Hutt; right wing, Munroe; left wing, McMillan; subs, Ledgeley, Huntley, Hayward.

Referee—Sandercock, Woodstock.

HOCKEY RESULTS

O. H. A. SERIES.
Intermediates.

Simcoe 2; Paris 1.
Mitchell 5; Goderich 1.
Varsity 15, McMaster 1.

Juniors.

London Manhattans 10; Glencoe 10 (30 minutes overtime).
Preston 5; Stratford 1.
Ingersoll 5; Drumbo 4 (20 minutes overtime).
Brantford 5; Galt 2.
Aura Lee 12, Argonauts 1.
Parkdale 3, Granites 1.

NORTHERN LEAGUE SERIES.
Seniors.

Wingham 4; Teeswater 2.
Listowel 5; Mount Forest 4.

MITCHELL 5, GODERICH 1.

MITCHELL, Jan. 9.—The intermediate O. H. A. game played in the Mitchell rink on Monday evening between Goderich and Mitchell sextets was well attended. The first period ended in a score of 2 to 0 for Mitchell; second period, both teams scored one each, and in the last period, Mitchell 2, Goderich 0. Total 5 to 1 in favor of Mitchell.

The line-up:

Goderich—Goal, Baechler; right wing, Snazel; left wing, Brownlee; right defense, Hicks; left defence, Muerney; centre, Pridham; subs, Mountain, McDonald and Sanderson.

Mitchell—Goal, Harry Campbell; right wing, Les Gatenby; left wing, A. Blowes; right defence, Deiserman; left defence, J. Otto; centre, Wilfred Thorne; subs, L. Davidson and G. Balfour.

Referee—Charlie Lightfoot, Stratford.

WALTER JOHNSON has been mentioned in connection with "Zeb" Milan, as the next manager of the Washington club. Johnson would scarcely accept the position if it was offered him. Incidentally, it is doubtful if he would make a good manager. Walter is such a likeable fellow, the players would be prone to take advantage of his kindly disposition.

SPORT FILLERS etaoiaoi6 c m fwya

THE Cincinnati Club is determined it will not agree to the salary demands of Roush. The officials seem pretty certain that Roush will stay at home unless they do. That was the big reason for insisting on George Burns from the Giants in the trade for Groh.

GET TWO GOALS LAST MINUTE

Only Thirty Seconds To Go As McGeoch Tallies.

REFEREE GETS THRILLS

London Manhattans and Glencoe junior O. H. A. teams played 90 minutes of the best hockey that London fans have witnessed in some time over at the Westminster rink last night. With but 30 seconds more to go McGeoch, London's centre man, rushed Second, the Glencoe goal-tender, and shoved in the tieing goal. What looked very much like the winning counter for the visitors was made but 30 seconds before McGeoch scored. It was a thrilling finish to a game which kept 500 fans in keen suspense.

There was little to pick between either team. Both played good hockey, considering the condition the ice was in. Throughout the second and third periods and the overtime session the players waded through a thin coating of water.

Referee In Wrong.

Referee "Jake" Weaver of Glencoe came in for considerable hissing and all such things that are in the life of a hockey referee. The fans started hissing during the second period and kept it up right to the finish. He came in for more during the overtime than he got in the first three periods. At the end of the schedule time for the game it is alleged he called the game off. Manhattans got on the ice as soon as their five minutes' rest was up. Officials of both clubs, along with the referee, dived into the rule book, and after about 20 minutes' discussion the game went on again.

The first period ended with Glencoe in the lead by two goals. At fourteen minutes, Saunders, playing his first game for the visitors, opened up and scored. London played a defence game after this, but nevertheless Saunders broke through it with but one more minute to go, getting the second goal of the game. He shot at Lamond from the same place each time. The play for practically the whole period was in London's end. There was only one penalty handed out during the session.

Started and Finished.

Pete McGeoch started Manhattans on their journey for ten goals after three minutes of the second period had passed. Glencoe got another one at five minutes, when McMillan rushed Lamond. The score was then 3 to 1. A lone rush by the same player at nine minutes' time netted Glencoe's fourth goal. McGeoch took a pass from Sessions right after the face-off, and took the rubber down the ice. He passed the Glencoe defence and scored. At fifteen minutes, he took a shot from center ice. The puck went into the nets ,making the score 4 to 3. Saunders got the last goal of the period at 17 minutes.

Goals came as fast as they possibly could during the third session. Tupholne was put in goal for the Manhattans. Sessions scored at 30 seconds. Graham got another at one minute, this made the score five all. At two minutes McGeoch broke the tie. McMillan tied it up again at five minutes. Graham put Manhattans ahead one minute after when a scramble occurred in front of the Glencoe goal. McGeoch gave his team a two goal lead in less than a minute after Graham scored. Saunders handed Glencoe their seventh goal at ten minutes' time, and four minutes after Weaver rushed Tupholne and tied the score. Both teams settled down and played a defence game. It was Manhattan's period and deafening cheers came from the fans when it ended.

There was all kinds of water on the ice when the overtime started. Neither team scored during the first ten minutes, but in the second ten minutes McGeoch scored at two minutes' time. McMillan tied it up again with but one minute left.

Again the teams went on the ice for the last overtime session. McMillan got the puck, while he was standing in center ice. He shot, and the puck started to roll and on it rolled right into London's nets.

Honors for the best player on the ice can be divided between Pete McGeoch and George McMillan.

The line-ups:

Manhattans.		Glencoe.
Lamond	Goal	Second
Tupholme	"	
Wilson	R. Def.	Saunders
Milne	L. Def.	Weaver
McGeoch	Centre	McMillan
Sessions	R. Wing	Quick
Graham	L. Wing	McDonald
Heddon	Sub	McLaughlin
Needham	"	C. Davenport
V. Donahue	"	

Referee—"Jake" Weaver.

Camlachie

CAMLACHIE, Jan. 9.—The devotional meeting of the "Build Betters" Society was held in Knox Church Sunday evening, Jan. 8.

Mr. Gordon Duncan rendered "Handel's Largo" on the violin, and the choir sang a suitable voluntary. The scriptural passage was read by Edward Patterson. Dr. Brown and Rev. Ball led in prayer. The good attendance was gratifying to the society.

The annual meeting of Knox Church Sunday school was held on Wednesday evening. The superintendent, R. S. Jardine, was made chairman, and conducted discussions and the settling of several matters of business, including the re-election of officers. The latter were chosen as follows: Superintendent, R. S. Jardine; assistant superintendent, Wm. Allan; secretary-terasurer, Gladys Lunan; assistant secretary-treasurer, Alex Watson; organist, Myrtle Cairns; teachers, Mrs. R. S. Jardine, Mrs. J. B. Douglas, Misses Aggie Paton and Myrtle Cairns; Messrs, P. McG. Brown, Malcolm Cochrane, A. E. Salisbury and Wm. Allan.

The members of the Central Farmers' Club enjoyed an oyster supper and dance in the township hall on Friday evening, Jan. 6. This event was the outcome of a sparrow match, the losing side supplying the feed.

Mr. Paul Willard of Sarnia is spending a few days with friends in this locality.

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Cost Him $5,000 To Get Acquainted

IT COST Sam L. Robertson, president of the Buffalo Club, $5,000 to "get acquainted" in baseball circles.

That seems like a rather costly introduction, but Robertson is convinced that it was money well spent.

Robertson made his debut into baseball just one year ago. He purchased a big interest in the Buffalo Club, and was made its president.

He served through one campaign and liked the game and the job immensely. He felt, however, that his acquaintance was far too limited. He wanted to know personally more of his business associates.

When he attended his first baseball meeting the only baseball celebrity he knew was George Wiltse, the former New York Giant, now the manager of his club.

A year ago the minors selected Buffalo as the meeting place for 1921. That gave Mr. Robertson the big idea. He would act as host at a number of affairs that would make his visitors sit up and take notice.

They are still talking about a dinner he gave the minor league delegates.

SAM L. ROBERTSON.

It must have been a "pippin," since it cost in the neighborhood of $5,000.

At baseball headquarters Mr. Robertson gave further evidence that he was a live-wire magnate. A huge photograph showed the new park that will be built to house Buffalo's baseball activities.

The plant will be a $300,000 steel and concrete structure that will have a seating capacity upwards of 15,000.

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1,054 COLLEGIATE PUPILS ENROLLED

Attendance Figures Show a Large Increase Within Past Year.

Substantial attendance increases in most of the departments of the London Collegiate Institute are noted in the December report submitted to the board of education by Principal W. H. T. Mooney.

The report, as compared with the same period last year is as follows:

	1921		1920.	
	No. on roll.	Ave.	No. on roll.	Ave.
First year.....	319	306	349	334
Second year....	312	304	273	261
Middle School..	256	220	214	199
Upper School...	70	65	40	38
	959	914	876	832
Evening classes	95	62.2	50	46.5
Totals.....	1054	976.2	926	878.5

GOLD AND SILVER

London, Jan. 10.—Bar silver, 35½d per ounce.

STOMACH TROUBLES ARE DUE TO ACIDITY

Tells Safe, Certain, Speedy Relief For Acid Indigestion.

So-called stomach troubles, such as indigestion, gas, sourness, stomach-ache and inability to retain food are in probably nine cases out of ten, simply evidence that excessive secretion of acid is taking place in the stomach, causing the formation of gas and acid indigestion.

Gas distends the stomach and causes that full, oppressive, burning feeling sometimes known as heartburn, while the acid irritates and inflames the delicate lining of the stomach. The trouble lies entirely in the excess development or secretion of acid.

To stop or prevent this souring of the food contents of the stomach and to neutralize the acid; and make it bland and harmless, a teaspoonful of bisurated magnesia, a good and effective corrector of acid stomach, should be taken in a quarter of a glass of hot or cold water after eating or whenever gas, sourness or acidity is felt. This sweetens the stomach and neutralizes the acidity in a few moments and is a perfectly harmless and inexpensive remedy to use.

An antiacid, such as bisurated magnesia which can be obtained from any druggist in either powder or tablet form enables the stomach to do its work properly without the aid of artificial digestents. Magnesia comes in several forms, so be certain to ask for and take only Bisurated Magnesia, which is especially prepared for the above purpose.—Advt.

A Better Way Than Diets and Exercise For Reducing

Diets and exercise are sometimes helpful for reducing. But they are inconvenient and unpleasant, and usually produce only temporary results. Then, too, they are merely corrective measures. A better way is to aid the digestive organs to turn food into muscle, bone, and sinew, and not into corpulent tissue. This method allows you to eat many kinds of food which others eat and does not require strenuous exercise.

Thousands have found that *Marmola Tablets* give relief from obesity in just this way. *Marmola Tablets* are made from the same formula as the famous Marmola Prescription. If taken after meals and at bedtime, they retard the development of fat by helping the digestive system to obtain full nutriment from food. When the accumulation of fat is checked, reduction to normal, healthy weight soon follows.

All good drug stores the world over sell *Marmola Tablets* at one dollar per box. Ask your druggist for them, or order them direct and they will be sent in plain wrapper, postpaid.

MARMOLA COMPANY
300 Garfield Bldg., Detroit, Mich.

CUTICURA HEALS SISTER'S ECZEMA

Rash All Over Body. Burned And Itched. Could Not Rest.

"My little sister had eczema all over her body. It came like a rash, and was burning and itching. She could get no rest, and we would have to wet her clothing to take it off. She was cross and irritable, and the breaking out caused disfigurement.

"She had the eczema about five months when we tried Cuticura Soap and Ointment. We could see she was getting relief, and we just used on cake of Cuticura Soap and one box of Cuticura Ointment when she was healed." (Signed) Miss Jessie Campbell, Sunny Brae, Nova Scotia, January 16, 1919.

You may rely on Cuticura Soap and Ointment to care for your skin.

Soap 25c. Ointment 25 and 50c. Sold throughout the Dominion. Canadian Depot: Lymans, Limited, St. Paul St., Montreal. Cuticura Soap shaves without mug.

Anal cough remedy

Don't surrender to an obstinate cough. There a remedy that will help you conquer it—a remedy that speedily relieves all irritation of the respiratory organs and gives bodily strength for permanent cure. Try it—ask your druggist or dealer for—

Robert's SYRUP OF **Cod Liver Oil & Tar**

2,119 STUDENTS ON TECHNICAL SCHOOL ROLLS

Rapid Attendance Increases Reported by Principal At Committee Meeting.

ALL CLASSES POPULAR

States Additional Classrooms and Machine Shop Equipment Needed.

Re-organized for 1922 at a special gathering of the Board of Education at the Technical and Art school on Tuesday at noon, the Advisory Vocational Committee, entrusted as it is, with the maintenance and direction of the latter institution, is facing another year of real endeavor.

The inaugural address by H. B. Beal, principal, featured Tuesday's meeting. In his brief review of the work accomplished in the past, and a general forecast for the future he pointed out in his preliminary remarks that the increased attendance during the current year was indeed remarkable, and had therefore necessitated the use of lunch-rooms and all other available rooms for class-room purposes with the exception of the second and third year classes which are always smaller than the first-year classes.

During the last complete school year, from September 1, 1920 to June 30, 1921, the school registration was as follows, according to the principal's report:

Full time day Technical students..	298
Full time day commercial students	206
Evening Technical and commercial classes (no student counted twice)	1,615
	2,119

Mr. Beal laid special emphasis on the work undertaken by the evening and special afternoon classes. "A wide range of subjects is covered," he said, "the primary object of these classes is to provide those in the industries with an opportunity of learning new processes and operations connected with their daily work and so increase their efficiency and technique, while the domestic courses afford the house-wives and their daughters an opportunity of doing their own dress-making and millinery under expert instruction."

Raises Fee Question.

"The question of fees for these classes is one that should be considered by your committee early in the year. The present system is to charge a fee for all those attending these special classes except those who are forced to attend under the terms of the Adolescent Attendance Act, or who are unable to pay the same. During the past year the Board of Education decided to remit the fees of all those attending the evening classes at the Collegiate Institute, whose attendance was ninety per cent of the classes. I believe that a uniform system of fees for both schools would be advisable."

That scholarships should be offered in the school was another point raised by the principal. "This is very desirable," he said. "The matter was left in abeyance during the war and the subsequent period of depression, but we think that the present year would be a favorable time to interest the public-spirited citizens and local firms in providing scholarships."

"We urge also additional machine shop equipment as soon as prices warrant their reasonable purchase, and we point out that suitable athletic grounds are also greatly needed. We advise that at an early date a committee take this matter up with the Western Fair board authorities."

Discusses Salaries.

Mr. Beal touched briefly on salaries. "The law of supply and demand govern entirely in the case of technical school salaries," he maintained, "successful, adaptable teachers can command high salaries, and in order to attract the class of teachers required in our school our salary schedule must compare favorably with other cities of comparative size."

"We would advise that in the classification of our teachers that the services they are rendering to the school be summed up with their qualifications, experience, etc., and they be graded 1, 2, 3, rather than classified by standing alone."

As the most urgent need of the school at the present time, Principal Beal dwelt on the proposal for gymnasium and auditorium accommodation. He explained that the provincial inspectors had called attention to this requirement, and as the attendance had substantially increased, had emphasized the need for immediate action. He pointed out that the province will shoulder one-half of the cost of building and equipment.

Attendance Increasing.

In conclusion, Mr. Beal said: "Let me say that the school is in a very healthy condition. Its continued increased attendance is gratifying and the spirit of co-operation of teachers and pupils presages 1922 as the most successful and useful year in its history."

Preceding the session, the members of the board inspected the various departments of the school and expressed hearty appreciation and keen interest in the work. The newly-elected members of the board were acquainted with the technical and vocational system throughout.

Following the luncheon, a special meeting of the entire board was held and routine business dealt with, including the motion of Trustee Bice to change the board regulations to enable the addition of two members to No. 3 committee (the Collegiate Institute group). This proposal met with the approval of the board.

Obituaries

EDWARD NEVILLE.

The funeral of Edward Neville, who died at St. Joseph's Hospital Saturday was held from his residence, 762½ Richmond street, Tuesday morning, at 8 o'clock. Requiem high mass was sung in St. Peter's Cathedral at 9 o'clock by Rev. Father Neville of Walkerville, assisted by Father Tierney, deacon, and Father Brennan, sub-deacon.

Interment was made at St. Peter's Cemetery, Rev. Father Neville conducting the services at the grave.

The pall-bearers were Charles Black, F. Owen, G. Pearce, Charles Bowie, J. Fluelling and F. Gracie.

Mr. Neville is survived by his widow, one sister, Mrs. J. W. Condon of Chicago, and five brothers, Rev. Father J. B. Neville of Walkerville, W. J. and Ambrose of Chicago, Thomas of El Centro, Cal., and Frank of London.

HAY

MONTREAL, Jan. 9.—Hay—Carlots, No. 2, per ton, $27@28.

JOE LEONARD WINS MARITAL COURT DISPUTE

Magistrate Bartlett Refuses Alimony Order To Aged Man's Wife.

MARRIED IN NOVEMBER

Draymen May Keep Earnings To Feed Horse and Himself.

Joe Leonard emerged triumphant from the police court battle field Tuesday morning. In other words, Joe "won the war" against his good wife, Mrs. Sarah Leonard, who is a bride since but November, and he will not have to pay her $2 per week until he passes the "Great Divide."

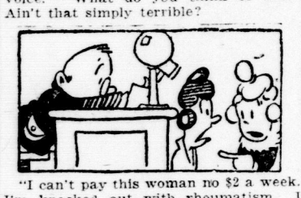
The marital troubles of the Leonards have been aired with great frequency since the marriage vows were taken, in fact, two days after the ceremony Joe was haled to court.

Deputy Magistrate P. H. Bartlett proved to all and sundry that he was indeed a brave man when he asked Mrs. Leonard her age.

"I'll tell you the truth," said that lady after some hesitation, "I'm sixty-six."

"Of course, you will tell the truth. That is what you are here for," declared the court.

"She told me she was just 47," thundered Joe in an indignant and surprised voice. "What do you think of that? Ain't that simply terrible?

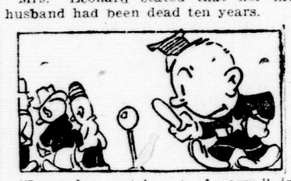


"I can't pay this woman no $2 a week. I'm knocked out with rheumatism. I only make $5 or $6 a week, and the horse eats most of that," said Joe.

Mrs. Leonard was then called to tell the story of the Leonard trip on the matrimonial seas. She was looking for a housekeeping job when she met Leonard. After they were married, he gave her $50 when he was drunk. They moved from 5 York street to 7 York. After two weeks he told her he was going to leave her because he thought she was the poisoning kind.

"I says: 'Joe, you know I ain't the poisoning kind. All I want is enough to keep the house on. I can't keep it on $5 a week.'"

Mrs. Leonard stated that her first husband had been dead ten years.



"I got her watch out of pawn," interrupted Joseph.

"You did not, I can show you the pawn tickets," flashed Mrs. Leonard. "You bought 11 bottles of whiskey."

"You told me you were only 47," came back Joe. "I've given you the privilege of coming back to live with me. If you will put your shoulder to the wheel I will look after you."

However this olive branch was waived scornfully aside by Mrs. Leonard.

"She had me arrested two days after we were married," continued Leonard. "Now, how could you love a woman like that, your honor? You can't do it. If I was to give that woman $2 a week, the folks would have to bury me. I earned $6.25 last week, and I'm eating dry bread to keep the horse in feed. If the $2 is taken from me, me and the horse might just as well go up in an airplane and jump out. Your honor, I'm not feelin' very good, I can tell you. I've got the rheumatics bad. The first thing you will hear of me I will be in the graveyard."

"When my first wife died I weighed 256 pounds, and now I'm down to 190. If I keep on I'll just waste away. I couldn't support a dead robin. I can't pay her nothin', but if she wants to come back she is as welcome as the flowers in May. I ain't as black as I'm painted. Dry bread and water is all I had for dinner the other day. Just ask the baggageman at the Grand Trunk."

"Just let me tell you how he's been eating," interposed Mrs. Leonard, but the court waved her aside, apparently under the spell of Joseph's silver voice.

"I can't make an order against this crippled man," declared Mr. Bartlett. "A woman 66 years of age ought to know better than that."

"That horse is as much mine as his. I'll take that horse, I know enough for that," said Mrs. eLonard in icy tones. "That's the most scandalous thing I ever saw a magistrate do," she continued, as she made her way from the court room.

"Thank you, your honor. You've done the right thing," beamed Mr. Leonard, as he, too, made his escape from the room.

J. H. SAUNDERS RETIRES FROM HEALTH BOARD

Veteran Member of Civic Body Overlooked by 1922 Council.

SUPPORTERS FAVORED

Mayor Wilson's Own Followers Prominent in List of Appointments.

J. H. Saunders, ex-alderman, will be missed from the board of health this year. He was not chosen by the new council for reappointment. Mr. Saunders has served on this board longer perhaps, and certainly more punctually, than any other member. He has been on the board for six or seven years, and in that time has only missed one meeting.

Ald. O. I. Cunningham, chairman of the 1921 board, with Dr. W. S. Downham, will be the old members on the 1922 board. Dr. Cunningham will take the place of Ald. Drake, and the ratepayer representative on the board are Charles Mitchell, superintendent at E. R. Dennis' factory, and E. R. Seabrook, former alderman, and a prominent supporter of the mayor-elect in his campaign.

It is also noted that of the firm of McMahon & Granger, both of these gentlemen came in for honors, Archie McMahon was named to the London and Port Stanley Railway commission and James Granger was named the city's governor of the Western University.

Mr. Granger succeeds T. J. Murphy on the university board of governors and Mr. Murphy in turn succeeds the late Dr. Moorehouse on the senate of the university.

Ex-Ald. F. E. Harley, who has been the council's representative in the Soldiers' Aid Commission since its inception, will this year be succeeded by Ald. Watkinson.

Of the members of last year's council who were defeated or retired, two came in for honors at the hands of the 1922 council. Ex-Mayor Little was named on the suburban roads commission, of which body he has been much interested in, and F. E. Harley was named to the L. and P. S. R. commission.

Town Topics.

Tomorrow's Doings.

WEDNESDAY—Rabbit Breeders' exhibition at Western Fair grounds.

Ontario Dairymen's Association opens session at Masonic Temple.

City finance committee meets at city hall, 4 o'clock.

HYATT AVENUE METHODIST Church has arranged for an illustrated lecture, "A Trip Across Canada," to be given by L. W. Nicholls on Thursday evening, Jan. 19, in aid of the mission work of the church.

THE WEEKLY REPORT of communicable diseases, ending Jan. 7, as issued by W. S. Downham, M. O. H., shows 13 cases of whooping-cough, 7 of chickenpox, 7 tuberculosis, 2 scarlet fever, 2 diphtheria, and 1 case of measles.

COMMENCING JAN. 31, a class in physiology will be offered at the Institute of Public Health. Lectures will be held on Tuesday and Wednesday afternoons from 4:1 to :1. Duncan Brown of the Western University will lecture on each occasion.

OWING TO THE SLACKNESS prevailing on the railroads, all the way-freights running out of London on the G. T. R. have been put on a tri-weekly service instead of daily, except in the case of the Glencoe-St. Thomas train, which carries both freight and passenger traffic.

A MEETING OF THE ORGANISTS' Club was held Monday night at the Institute of Musical Art, when some important business was enacted. A paper was read by Charles E. Wheeler on the subject of "The Practical and Ethical Value of the Organ Recital." An interesting discussion followed.

IN ORDER TO REPRESENT London at the urban school trustees' annual convention in Windsor, the following party left for that city early Tuesday evening: Edwin Smith, chairman of the board of education; Trustees A. N. Udy, Mrs. John I. A. Hunt, A. E. Silverwood, and Rev. A. A. Bice, and Senior School Inspector V. K. Greer.

THE LATE DR. WM. SPARLING, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, this city, left an estate of $40,000, which goes in its entirety to his widow and two daughters, Vera Olga Sparling and Lillian Elizabeth Sparling. Mrs. Sarah E. Sparling receives two-thirds of the estate and $2,000 insurance. The remainder is divided equally between the daughters.

FOR THE FIRST TIME since it was organized the chamber of commerce has got out a calendar which will be sent to all its members and to all the industrial prospects that the chamber is in touch with. On the calendar are shown pictures of the city and a brief statement concerning the chief institutions of London. The calendar will also be sent to all the other chambers of commerce.

JOHN BRAZIER, husband of Mrs. John Brazier, 130 Albert street, this city, has been missing since Oct. 22 last. At that time the family was about to move into the city from a farm which they occupied in East Nissouri, near Medina. Mrs. Brazier left for London on Oct. 11 to make some arrangements as to their new home, and on her return to the farm found that she had been deserted, Mr. Brazier having drawn out all his money from the Royal Bank of St. Marys. The wife and two small daughters, age 13 and 9 years, are left without support.

TRAVELERS' SOCIETY CHOOSES SECRETARY

The regular monthly meeting of the Order of United Commercial Travelers was held Saturday. The attendance was good and much enthusiasm prevailed throughout the evening. Two new candidates were brought into the order.

A strong committee was picked to make all arrangements for a dance in the Masonic Temple during the month of February. H. V. Kennedy, secretary, is leaving the city shortly, and as it will be impossible for him to carry on, his resignation was accepted.

The recommendation of the executive committee, proposing H. R. Hooper as secretary, was confirmed.

John E. Dennis, who recently transferred his membership from Buffalo, N. Y., Council to London Council, gave a short talk, and in well-chosen words, congratulated the council upon the enthusiasm, pep and good feeling existing in London Council, and assuring the officers his support in the future.

EMPLOYEES OF CARSHOPS TO TAKE WAGE CUT

12 1-2 Per Cent Reduction Became Effective On Canadian Roads July 1, 1921.

ANOTHER CUT PREDICTED

C. P. R. Employees of London District Join With "Big Four" Affiliation.

After an animated meeting in the Labor Temple on Monday evening, the carmen, all members of the Federated Shop Crafts, affiliated with the American Federation of Labor, and employees of the Canadian National Railways in London, voted to accept, with a thirty day notice, the 12½ per cent reduction which became effective on Canadian roads on July 1 last.

Since the general meeting of the various crafts on Friday last, similar votes have been accomplished by the other five unions of the federated crafts. All results were wired to headquarters of District No. 4 in Winnipeg on Monday night by James Corbett, secretary. The final expression of opinion from the workers throughout Canada, approximately 750,000 in number, will be made known, officials say, by Tuesday evening.

A day or two hence representatives of the four districts (three American and one Canadian) will meet in Chicago, when plans will be formulated for immediate future action. The American workmen several weeks ago declared themselves by a large majority as against acceptance of any reduction.

The local Grand Trunk carmen are willing, it is reported, to reopen negotiations in event of their thirty day proposal being rejected. Possibilities of a strike to affect the Canadian roads are now considered by the best authorities as being remote.

C. P. R. Employees Join "Big Four" Affiliation

A signal victory by the American Federation of Labor over the national union headed by A. R. Mosher, the Canadian Brotherhood of Railway Employees, was registered on Monday night, when at a general mass meeting, Division 100, Canadian Pacific Employees, went over to am an to the Brotherhood of Railroad and Steamship Clerks, Freight Handlers and Station Men, affiliated with the "Big Four" brotherhoods of the American Federation of Labor.

For several days past, A. N. Carr, Jun., of East St. Louis, Missouri, general representative of the B. of R. and S. C. F. H. and S. M., has been actively engaged in a campaign locally to revive the spirit of the local rail men, and Monday night's meeting is regarded as a significant triumph over the national organization. On Friday night another meeting of the newly-organized local, No. 1435, will be held and officers installed.

Representative Carr is still in the city, and will continue to direct the local activities for several days yet.

Predict Another 10 Per Cent Cut in Wages

Another cut in wages to the extent of 10 per cent, the same to become effective within 30 days, is the rumor gaining ground among Grand Trunk employees.

While the employees of the federated crafts unions, which includes the boilermakers, carmen and machinists, etc., have been voting within the past 48 hours on the 12½ per cent cut, which became effective on July 1 last, the report that another 10 per cent cut was to follow has been current for some weeks past.

On Tuesday morning, however, the rumor was spread with greater force, and employees of the Canadian National road freely expressed the belief that a "10 per cent notice" would appear on the boards any moment.

The vote for District No. 4, Federated Shop Crafts of Canada, will be made known before midnight Tuesday, union officials say.

OFFER RHUBARB ON CITY MARKET

Farmers Selling Product At $1.50 Per Dozen.

Hay was the feature on the local market on Tuesday, and the prices were easier at $16@19 per ton.

Several loads of straw were offered, but sales were slow and prices lower, at $10@11 per ton.

Wheat showed a slight advance in price, now selling at $1 10 per bushel.

There was a good demand for oats, which appear to be very scarce, prices being from $1 75@1 80 per cwt for old oats, and $1 30@1 35 for new oats.

No change was noted in the prices of live hogs, at $9 75@10 per 100 lbs for selects. Dressed hogs were slow, the prices being $14@14 50 per cwt.

A sharp decrease was noted in the prices of eggs, being sold by the basket at 48@50c per dozen, and 55@60 for strictly new-laid.

Poultry prices were steady.

Fresh rhubarb was offered at $1 50 per dozen.

Apples were scarce; those offered brought $1 25@2 per bushel, and $5 50 was asked by the barrel.

FLOUR.

MONTREAL, Jan. 9.—A steady feeling prevails in flour.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat patents, firsts, $7.50.

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 9.—Flour unchanged to 20c up; $7@7.20 a barrel. Shipments, 38,763 barrels.

TORONTO, Jan. 9.—Manitoba flour—On track Toronto, cash prices; first patents, $7.40; second patents, $6.90.

Ontario flour—90 p.c. patents, delivered, bulk seaboard, $5.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—Flour quiet; spring patents, $6.50@7; spring clears, $4.25@5; soft winter straights, $5.50@5.75; hard winter straights, $6.25@6.50.

LIVE STOCK

Toronto, Jan. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,265. Today's cattle receipts are heavy, but trade continues brisk at yesterday's advance, and offerings are being cleaned up. There were very few heavy steers among the receipts and odd small lots sold at $8@8 50. Quotations: Heavy beef steers, $7@8 50; butcher steers, choice, $6 75@7 50; good, $6@6 50; medium, $5@5 75; common, $4@4 50; butcher heifers, choice, $6 75@7 25; medium, $5 50@6 25; common, $4@4 50; butcher cows, choice, $5@6 50; medium, $3 50@4 50; canners and cutters, $2 25@3; butcher bulls, good, $4 50@6; common, $3@4.

Calves—Receipts, 187. Calves are steady. Quotations: Choice, $12@13 50; medium, $9@11; common, $3 50@7.

Milch Cows—Choice, each, $65@85; springers, choice, $75.@95.

Sheep—Receipts, 437. Receipts of lambs are light, choice selling 50c up. Quotations: Ewes, $1 50@6 50; lambs, $13@14.

Hogs—Receipts, 1,812. Hogs are holding firm at yesterday's advance. Quotations, fed and watered: Selects, $11@11 25; light, $10@10 25; heavy, $9@9 25; sows, $7@7 25.

GRAIN

Winnipeg, Jan. 10.—Opening: Wheat—May, ⅜c up to unchanged at $1 07¼@1 08⅝; July, ⅛c lower to unchanged at $1 06⅜@1 06½.

Oats—May, ⅛c higher to ⅛c lower at 45@44⅜c; July, ⅛c higher at 44⅜c.

Barley—May, ¼c higher at 58½c.

Flax—May, ½c lower at $1 82½.

Chicago, Jan. 10.—Opening: Wheat—May, $1 11⅛; July, $1 00⅝.

Corn—May, 53¼c; July, 54⅝c.

Oats—May, 38⅜c; July, 39¼c.

MONTREAL STOCKS

Montreal, Jan. 10.—The local stock exchange, although fairly active during the first half hour this morning, was not particularly interesting, and trading was steady. British Empire Steel was ¼ lower at 9, while Dominion Bridge fell ⅝ to 60¼. Molsons Bank was unchanged at 189, but Bank of Commerce dropped a point to 183. Montreal and Royal were unchanged at 217 and 200 respectively.

CANADIAN STOCKS

Toronto, Jan. 10.—The following quotations on Canadian stocks in London were received by cable by A. J. Pattison & Co.:

Brazilian Traction	31
Canadian Pacific Railway	141
Canadian General Electric	104
Canada Steamships, voting trust..	15¾
Dominion Steel	25⅜
Shawinigan Falls Power	115¾

HOW TO DARKEN GRAY HAIR

A Cincinnati Barber Tells How To Make a Remedy for Gray Hair.

A well-known resident of Cincinnati, Ohio, who has been a barber for more than forty years, recently made the following statement:

"Anyone can prepare a simple mixture at home, at very little cost, that will darken gray hair, and make it soft and glossy. To a half-pint of water add 1 ounce bay rum, a small box or Orlex Compound and ¼ ounce glycerine. These ingredients can be bought at any drug store at very little cost. Apply to the hair twice a week until the desired shade is obtained. This will make a gray-haired person look twenty years younger. It is easy to use, does not color the most delicate scalp, is not sticky or greasy and does not rub off."

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BLAZING AUTO PERILS FERRY NEAR WINDSOR

Scores of Passengers Remain Calm As Vessel Returns to Detroit.

ESTIMATE LOSS AT $2,000

Flames Spread to Canvas Life Preservers On Rear of Craft.

Windsor, Jan. 10.—Heroic action by the captain and crew of the ferry boat Pleasure, of the Detroit and Windsor Ferry Company, saved the lives of scores of passengers when a fire started on the craft while it was in the middle of the Detroit River late last night.

Realizing the danger of a panic while the boat was in mid-stream, Captain Henry Pocock refused to pull the fire bell, but ordered the wheelsman to turn back to the Detroit dock at the foot of Woodward avenue. Meanwhile he directed the energies of the crew in fighting the flames.

Auto Catches Fire.

The fire started when an automobile in transit to Sandwich caught fire. The flames spread quickly to the canvas life preservers and other inflammable objects in the rear of the boat where the car had been parked.

Four other automobiles aboard escaped damage.

The crew succeeded in confining the blaze to the rear of the boat, while the wheelsman slowly found the craft's way to the dock. The passengers filed off in an orderly manner and all escaped injury.

Damage Is $2,000.

The fire department was called by a member of the crew who leaped from the boat the instant the gang plank was dropped to the dock. With the aid of the crew the department extinguished the flames quickly.

The combined damage to the boat and automobile is placed at $2,000. The craft was bound for Windsor and many of the passengers were returning to their homes in that city from their work in Detroit.

DENIES THAT DRURY MAY SOON FACE FIELD

Brantford, Jan. 10.—Hon. C. Nixon, who was in the city today, when queried by a representative of the Canadian Press, stated that so far as he knew there was no foundation for the report now current that the Drury Government contemplates dissolution of the legislature before the expiry of its full term.

FAVORS DAYLIGHT SAVING.

St. Catharines, Jan. 10.—St. Catharines will again operate on daylight saving with the opening of spring. No other towns in this section have yet taken any action, but all urban municipalities are expected to follow the lead as in the past few years.

STRIKE TIES UP TUGS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 9.—The strike of tugboat skippers against proposed wage cuts has resulted in the tieing up of 25 harbor craft here, Charles A. Mason of the Tow-Boat Exchange, said today.

HEADS THAT ACHE AND PAIN

It is hard to drag along with a head that aches and pains all the time.

In nine cases out of ten, persistent headaches are due to poisoned blood, the blood being rendered impure through some derangement of the stomach, liver or bowels, but no matter which organ is to blame the cause must be removed before permanent relief can be obtained.

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS.

which has been on the market for the past forty-five years, removes the cause of the headache by starting the organs of elimination acting freely, and when the impurities are carried off from the system, purified blood circulates in the brain cells, and the aches and pains vanish.

Miss Clara Murphy, Center Dummer, Ont., writes: "My system was greatly run down and my blood out of order. I suffered a great deal from severe pains in my head which made me feel very miserable. After having tried other remedies I purchased a bottle fo Burdock Blood Bitters, and was very glad to notice a decided improvement in my health. I took another bottle and it has done me an enormous amount of good. I have recommended it to some of my friends who were in a similar condition, and they all say it is a wonderful remedy."

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KENNEDY—At his home, con. 6, West Nissouri, Jan. 9, John Kennedy, in his 80th year.
Funeral from his late residence on Wednesday morning, Jan. 11, to the Roman Catholic Church, St. Marys. b

LIGHTFOOT—At Victoria Hospital, on Sunday, Jan. 8, 1922, Elizabeth Lightfoot, aged 45 years.
Funeral will leave A. L. Oatman's funeral home at 11 a.m. on Tuesday, Jan. 10, for G. T. R. to Strathroy. Service and interment at Strathroy at 2 p.m. 28u

MANNING—At St. Joseph's Hospital, on Jan. 9, 1922, Carrie, beloved wife of Fred L. Manning.
Funeral private from family residence, 107 Sackville street, Wednesday at 2 p.m. Services at 1:30. Interment Dorchester Union Cemetery. b

NEVILLE—At St. Joseph's Hospital on Saturday, Jan. 7, 1922, Edward Neville, dearly beloved husband of Laura Neville, in his 39th year.
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FIRST YEAR

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Class IV.—Clifford McNeil.

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Class II.—Mary Dickson (Harry Siskind and Kathleen Wilson, equal), Cecilia Walsh.

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Class I.—Betty Waters, Ruth Tanton, Tom Wilensky, Ken. Wright, Anna Turner, Marian Wilensky, Laura Zwicker, Mervyn Upton, Margaret Thompson, Alfred Waterman, Opal Thompson, Horace Smith, Hazel Thurlow, James Watson, Jack Walker, Mary Shillington.

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Class III.—Jack Darch, Edythe Brown, Dorothy Alderston, Clifford Thompson, Ralph Clifford, Evelyn Summers, Clara Chambers.

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Class I.—Roger Jackson, Gladys Fawkes, Norma Taylor, Grace Kains, Ivers Kelly, Norman Gilmour, Phyllis Kemp, Bertha Henshaw, Elsie Fuller, Vera Hobbs, Jack Richmond, Elsie Higgins, Loretta Hilbert, Laura Griffin, Marjorie Eggett, (Hazel Harrison and Tom McLeod, equal), Edward Judd.

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Class III.—Bernice Gray, Jack McKay, Jean Ferguson, Eleanor Floyd, Donald Kelley, Violet Gartley, Adelaide Douglas, Wesley McCausland, Lillian Jaeger.

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Class III.—D'Arcy MacMahon, Lilla Pattison, George McNamara, Aileen McAlpine, Frank Stephenson, Wilfred Moore, Leona McAuley, Walter Mussen, Isabel Little, Reginald Malloch, Howard Gribbin.

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Class I.—Lyle Richardson, Edith Read, Dorothy Farewell, Emily Sugden, Bessie Spettigue, Jas. Scott, Chas. Fitzgerald, John Willoughby, Madeline Erskine, Ensley Sovereign, Robt. Woodward, Thelma Roberts, Helen McCullough, Hilda Pook, Marion Shore, Marjory Culbert.

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LOWER IB.

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Class III.—Frances Andrews, Oswald Brown, Amy Bolton, Hazel Burt, William Brooks, Colonel Trudell, Jas. Mason, Harold Vanstone, Harold Burt, Eric Laidlaw.

LOWER II. B.

Class I.—Helen Chapman, Gordon Soper, Bert Dean, Valerie Cook, Murray Barr, Archie Cherrin, Velda Rodda, Doreen Detlor, Allan Douglas, Reuben Cohen, Margaret Donaldson, Ronald Rodda, Matt Brown, William Christianson, William Douglas.

Class II.—Stanway Dawe, Oliver Durdin, Vernon Bere.

Class III.—Arthur Cupp, Dorothy Durdin, Winnie Clark, Kenneth Dickie, Arlie Cook, James Dowdell, Walter Channer, Jack Chapman, Stuart Baker, Walter Childs, Ray Dawe, George Buskard, Richard Dengate.

LOWER III. B.

Class I.—Hymie Ginsberg, Jack Fair, James Huctwith, Gordon Harley, Marie Dengate, Claire Jones, Edward Hart.

Class II.—John Gibson, Georgina Foxworthy.

Class III.—George Goldstein, Rose Burrows, John Ferguson, Lionel Parker, Arnott Bright, Jack George, Campbell Edwards, Harry Gwalchmai, Kenneth Graham, Myrtle Riley.

Class IV.—Marguerite Feldner, Alton Brooks.

VICTORIA CONTINUATION SCHOOL.

Class I.—Margaret Armitage, Helen Wyatt, Goldwin Quantz, Nellie Campbell, (Millard Stanley, Isabel Love, equal), Helen Brown, Gertrude Vanderheiden, Leslie Pickles, Isabel McCracken, Marjorie Hockney, Kenneth Miners, Herbert Jarvis, Alex. Fleming, Jaqueline Zoellner, Helen Holmes, Elsie Currie, (Andrew Fitzsimmons, Maurice George, equal), (Isabel Finnegan, Mary Gidley, equal), Elroy Perry, Warren Smith, Dorothy Smith, Gerald Aitken, Maisie Benbow.

Class II.—Ray Colbert.

Class III.—Audrey Martin, Harold Deakin, Phyllis Eliot, Curtis Embleton, Joseph Jeffery, Russell Brewer.

Class IV.—Ivan Pugh.

SECOND YEAR

LOWER IX.

Class I.—Thelma Richardson, Evelyn Jones, Catherine Nichol, Frances Baker, Leone Willans, Ruth Blakely, Beatrice Cook, Lillian Weseloh, Ona Logan and Ada Wigmore (equal).

Class II.—Nina McFarlane, Dorothy Brown.

Class III.—Doris Carter, Margaret Kinney, Lillian Husser, Evelyn Poole, Barbara Smith, Annie Brown, Marguerite Doring, Annie Birrell, Edna Fletcher, Ruth Flockser, Olive Hobbs, Eva Parry, Myra Woods.

LOWER X.

Class I.—Marjorie Dickson, Sybil Hill, Isabel Butler, Ken. Hunter, Will Franks, Robt. Franks, Fergus Donohue, Murray McDiarmid, Grace Blanchard.

Class II.—Lorne Boyd.

Class III.—Margaret Forbes, Tom Cracknell, Kathleen Beard, Naomi Frezell, Doris Johnston, Jas. Coughlin, Annie Cohen, Harold Todd, Charles Barbour, Bickford Dunn, Catherine Anderson, Will Haslett.

Class IV. — Hattie Cater, George Adams.

LOWER XI.

Class I.—Louise Wyatt, Arthur Hill, Sermenia Simpson, Jean Walsh, Velma Deacon, Ruth Heximer, Frank Mallory, Dorothy Pritchett.

Class II.—Orville Eadie, Ruby Wallace, Sarah Russell, Madeline Kirkwood.

Class III.—Dorothy Tait, Beulah Laidlaw, Ella Thompson, Florence Langford, Thelma George, Isabel Rooks, Ruby Smith, Gladys Lowes.

LOWER XII.

Class I.—Bernice Martin, Jean Watt, Arthur Hedges, Alice Spurgeon, Reuben Silverman, John Dromgole, Cecilia Lewis, Robert O'Hara, Josephine Sharman, Arnold Smith, Abe Siskind.

Class II.—Frank Raffaele, Norine Tambling.

Class III.—Thos. W. Smith, Charles Foulkes, Harold Paxman, Gordon Ogilvie, Hollis Coleridge, Nina Taylor, Elaine Kennedy, Marjorie Thomson, Katie Davies, Percy Mason.

Class IV.—Edward Maitland.

LOWER XIV.

Class I.—Arthur Curry, Harold Freele, Wesley Freele, Sam Goldstein, Ruth Coombs, Reggie Appleyard, Ross Malton, Joseph Capitano.

Class II.—Barbara Campbell, Freda Dobbyn, Clara Rice, Kenneth Bice, Hermon Couke, Agnes Ferguson.

Class III.—Norah Allen, Jos. Doyle, Grace Buckle, Anita Foster, John Dewan, James Burns, Lee Griffin, Athol McAlpine, Norman Campbell, Thomas Hogg, Helen Baker, Marjorie Campbell.

LOWER XV.

Class II.—Hymie Grace, Annie Ward, Helen Benson, Max Fisherman, Margaret Bell, Wilfred Vann, Hyman Wilensky, James McKenna, Gladys Grierson, Marjorie Beatty, Vere Spittal, Helen Brenton, Ruth Brown, George Wright, Muriel Jarvis, Campbell Scott, Elinor Higgins.

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Class III.—Esther Richmond, Albert Falk, Vera Kettle, Kathleen Yeates, Kenneth King, Agnes McKay, Ruth Leff, Wm. House, Weldon Judd, Fred James, Clayton Jackson.

Class IV.—Walter Logan.

LOWER XVI.

Class I.—Frances Smith, George Sumner, John Jones, Irene Sadlier.

Class II.—Howard Obeay, James Haskett, Roy Newman, Fred Higman.

Class III.—Harry Sobel, Ida Sherlock, Edna Currie, Harold Hill, George Storey, Edna Sholdice, James Hendry, Florence Harley, Kenneth Hill, Dorothea Kitchen, Sylvester Pitt, Eric Mitchell, Jean Montgomery, Dorothy Smith.

LOWER XVII.

Class I.—Wm. Wilkey, Jean Henderson, Clarence Weeks.

Class II.—Fred Hoffman, Kenneth Murray, Gladys Hodgins, Jack White.

Class III.—Wilfred Tanner, Audrey Webster, Herbert Hair, George Wintersgill, Stewart Ward, Minnie Bruce, Lewis Smith, Owen Westland, Adele Taylor, Hugh Scratch, Bruce McCallum, Delmar Mennill, Marion Hayden, Arley Wilkinson.

Class IV.—Gertrude Williams, Grace Wilkey, Earl Ziller.

MIDDLE I.

Class I.—Harold Dean.

Class II.—Kathleen Copeland, Brightmer Chapman, John Cowley, Ted McCullough, Gertrude Ead, Cameron Brown, Victor Biggs, Catharine Duncanson.

Class III.—Edith Gauld, Sterling McDougall, Nelson Blair, Grozier Bigelow, Margaret Cowley.

Class IV.—Ethel Copp, Evans Davis, Dorothy Coleridge, Jean Buchner, Maybelle Sutherland, Genevieve Carmichael, Gorman McConvry.

MIDDLE II.

Class I.—Frank Patterson, John McIntosh, Ethel Hosking.

Class II.—Annie McGregor, Edith McGuffin, Margaret Scott, Doris O'Neill, Muriel McGugan, Margaret McConnell.

Class III.—Lizzie Kenney, Dorothy Lee, Velma Mallough, Eleanor Nichol, Cecil Hill.

Class IV.—Hubert Laughlin, Veryl Nicholson, Wm. Johnston, Howard Bryant.

MIDDLE III.

Class II.—Richard Bowen, Margaret Shillington, Hugh Webster, Elgin Speiran, Grace Sabine, Arthur Smyth.

Class III.—Isaac Siskind, Vernon Sims.

Class IV.—Cecil Osborne, Roger Sanders, Gladys Smith, Wm. Kernohan.

MIDDLE IV.

Class I.—Gordon Calder, Evelyn White, Estell Carney, Philip Pocock, Margaret Bowie, Erma Berry.

Class II.—Frank McCaughey, Robert Reid, Marion Drew, Grace Gleason, Hazel Currie, Helen Clarke.

Class III.—David Cohen, Frank Coombes, Russel Munro, Lavern Watson, Edna Barbour, Katharine Beattie, Richard Hungerford, Norman Colbert, Norma Andrews, Gertrude Cahill, Cleota Barnett, Theo. Bindner.

Class IV.—Gordon McDermid, Katherine Campbell, Kitty Brooks.

MIDDLE V.

Class I.—Christine McKerracher, Albert Anderson, Albert North, Marjory Lee.

Class II.—Irene Shoebottom, Jean McIntosh, Clarabell Herns, Penelope Kitchen, Olive Hodgins, Chas. Maddiford, Blanche Eainard.

Class III.—Olga Miller, Eva Hobbs, Delmar Darling, Wm. Irwin, Mayer Lerner, Bert Mitchell, Harry McGuffin, Mary Moir, Margaret Goodwin, Reita Logan.

Class IV.—Albert Lawrence, John Harper, Edna Willox.

MIDDLE VI.

Class I.—Arnold Ward, Roy Allin, Frieda Nobbs.

Class II.—Merlyn O'Donnell, Russell Ardiel, Mary Wilkey, Kathleen Winnett, Miriam Pearson, Cameron Patterson.

Class III—Francis Bailey, Robt. Bradley, Grace Cress, Evans Barnes, John Wilkey, Florence Quigley, Bruce Beam, Helen Percival, Reta Willmot, Dorothy Wilson, Ellis Shoebottom, Muriel Westland.

Class IV.—Elaine Stevely.

MIDDLE VII.

Class I.—Robert Simmons, Hazel Taylor.

Class II.—Ruth Vine, Ida Parkinson, Leigh Taylor, Kenneth Thomson.

Class III.—Andrew Gillespie, Howard Gilbert, Eugene Murphy, Morden Wood, Gordon Cummings, Mac Willoughby.

Class IV.—Jack Sharpe, Joseph Deveney.

UPPER SCHOOL

In this list the grade of the honors and subject or subjects in which these honors have been obtained are appended after each name. First class honors, 75 per cent or over; second class honors, 66 per cent or over; third class, 60 per cent. Pass, 50 per cent or over.

Anderson, Alma—Fr. A. Pass, Hist. II., Bot. P., English II.

Anderson, Dorothy—Fr. II., Hist. P., Bot. II., Math. III., Eng. II.

Anderson, Murray—Lat. I., Fr. III., Hist. P., Math. III., Eng. II., Phys. I.

Beatty, Eunice—Hist. II., Bot. P., Chem. I., Math. P., Eng. II., Phys. II.

Brown, Elizabeth—Hist. II., Bot. P., Chem. I., Math. P., Eng. II., Phys. II.

Burnard, Carl—Lat. I., Fr. I., Hist. P., Math. II.

Burnard, Clifford—Lat. I., Fr. II., Hist. II., Geom. P.

Burton, Phillips—Fr. P., Hist. P., Chem. P., Eng. Comp. P., Phys. I.

Calcott, Fred—Geom. P., Eng. III.

Coles, Fred—Math. II., Eng. III., Fr. I.

Colbert, Albert—Fr. P., Eng. Comp. P.

Dean, James—Fr. II., Alg. P., Eng. II., Phys. I.

Daly, Barbara—Lat. II., Fr. A. P., Geom. P.

Daly, Fred—Lat. II., Hist. III., Math. II.

Doherty, Eleanor—Germ. I., Fr. I., Hist. I., Eng. I.

Duncan, Isabel—Lat. I., Bot. P., Cham. P., Phys. I.

Elson, Gardie—Fr. A. P., Geom. P., Eng. Comp. P.

England, Kathleen—Fr. III., Hist. P., Eng. II.

Fiezgerald, William—Lat. I., Chem. P., Eng. Comp. P.

Garbutt, Marion—Lat. I., Fr. III., Hist. III., Math. III., Eng. I.

Gemmell, Stanley—Germ. P., Fr. II., Chem. I., Math. III., Eng. I., Phys. III.

Gibson, Kathleen—Lat. II., Fr. II.

Grant, Eleanor—Lat. I., Germ. I., Fr. I., Hist. I., Math. I., Eng. I., Chem. I.

Grieve, Margaret—Fr. III., Hist. P., Chem. P., Math. II., Eng. II., Phys. II.

Grieve, Arthur—Lat. II., Fr. III., Math. III., Eng. III., Phys. II.

Hosie, Mary—Fr. Pr. II., Math. III.

Hungerford, Jack—Lat. II., Fr. III., Eng. Comp. P.

MacFarlane, Alice—Lat. II., Fr. II., Hist. III., Eng. I.

MacFarlane, Kenneth—Lat. II., Alg. P., Geom. P., Eng. II.

Smith, Kenneth—Math. III., Eng. III., Phys. I.

Stothers, Constance—Lat. P., Fr. A. P., Hist. III., Bot. P.

Bock, Eric—German, II.

Deeley, Harold—French, II.; English, II.; mathematics, pass.

Fallona, Philip—Latin, pass; French, pass; English, pass.

Grant, Alan—French, pass; English, pass.

Kennedy, Frank—English, pass.

McKinnon, John—Latin, I.; French, I.; English, II.; history, pass.

Matheson, Lorne—Latin, II.; French, II.; English, pass; mathematics, II.; physics, I.; history, pass.

Millman, Margaret—English, pass.

Mitton, Kathleen—English, pass.

Newell, Harold—Latin, pass; English, III.

Partridge, Ernestine—French, II.; English, I.; Latin, I.; mathematics, pass.

Partridge, Kathleen—English, III.

Patterson, Robt.—French, II.; English, II.; mathematics, III.; chemistry, I.; physics, I.

Roddick, Madaline—Latin, I.; mathematics, III.

Sampson, Thos.—Latin, I.; English, II.; history, II.; mathematics, I.; chemistry, II; physics, I.

Silverwood, Dorothy—Latin, II.; French, pass; English, I.; history, III.

Silverwood, Gordon—Latin, pass; French, pass; English, II.

Smythe, Harold—English, III.

Stark, Marion—Pass Latin, English, I.

Strang, Ella—Latin, I.; French, I.; history, I.; biology, I.; chemistry, II.

Stephen, Chas.—Chemistry, I.

Sumner, Nelson — English, pass, mathematics, pass; chemistry, I.

Taylor, Florence — English, II.; mathematics, II.; physics, III.

Wells, Charlton — History, pass; mathematics, pass.

Willis, Joseph—Latin, III.; English, II.; history, I.; mathematics, III.; physics, II.

Wilson, Gertrude—French, pass; English, III.; history, pass; mathematics, pass.

Wolfe, Albert—Latin, I.; French, I., history, II.; mathematics, pass.

Woonton, Garnet—English, pass; chemistry, I.; physics, II.

Young, Helen—English, I.; history, I.; chemistry, II.; biology, II.

Young, Will—Latin, III.; French, III.; English, II.

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Vancouver, B. C., Jan. 10.—The Vancouver Millionaires regained the leadership of the Pacific Coast Hockey League last night by administering a 4-to-0 defeat to the Victoria Aristocrats.

The game was a fierce battle from start to finish, and grew to a thrilling climax at the last period, when the Victoria goalkeeper, Fowler, received a major penalty for fighting with MacKay. Both went to the fence for 10 minutes, and then veteran Lester Patrick, once the headiest player in the game, jumped into the vacant nets without pads, and kept them safe until the very second when Fowler returned to the ice, when Jack Adams scored.

BURY VANCOUVER MAN IN WESTERN ONTARIO

WINNIPEG, Jan. 9.—Henry John Elliott, 77 years old, brother of the late A. D. Elliot of Winnipeg, died in Vancouver early yesterday. The body will be forwarded to Watford, Ont., for interment.

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WILSON FAVORS PAY-AS-YOU-GO PLAN FOR CITY

Mayor Interprets Recommendations Outlined in Inaugural Address.

SHOWS GROWTH OF DEBT

Desires That Council Should Keep Within Amount of Expiring Debentures.

In discussing his recommendation in his inaugural address, that there should be no expenditures during the year in excess of the amount of the debentures expiring, Mayor Cameron Wilson intimated to The Advertiser that in this regard his address was not to be taken too literally, but what is more important, stated that what he really proposed was the inserting of the thin edge of the wedge of a pay-as-you-go system.

He estimated the amount of the local improvement debentures expiring this year to be around $200,000. Next year there will be between $400,000 and $500,000. What he proposed was that the council, should keep the expenditure as near to that mark as it was possible to do so.

Mayor Wilson pointed out that it was impossible to institute a pay-as-you-go system immediately, but if started now, in four or five years the city might be able to limit its expenditure to the amount of its income.

As to his proposal not to take advantage of the increased assessment to spend more money, the mayor stated that the assessment has been jumped about 2 per cent over last year, leaving it open to the grave danger of increasing the debenture debt. However, in his opinion, the assessment increase was for the purpose of cutting down the mill rate, and he intends that it shall be so used, as far as possible.

He intends to have notices sent out immedaitely to the heads of the various spending bodies of the city and get them together for a general discussion of the city's situation. He hopes that by co-operation they will be able to keep the expenditures of the various bodies within reason. He pointed out that with expenditures at their present rate property owners of the city are paying a good rent to live in their own homes.

Wilson Favors.

It will be generally agreed that the city has been on a sort of a spending orgy for the last couple of years, though all admit that in the matter of pavemeents and sewers the city has something to show for the money.

Last year the expenditure on local improvements was very heavy. The following figures show the growth of the local improvement debt:

December.	
1917	$645,096
1918	629,961
1919	684,366
1920	995,033
1921, City share	590,767
1921, People's share	1,846,142
Debt to date	$2,436,909

The above figures are taken from a report prepared by the city treasurer. Included in the 1921 figures are the estimated cost of the completion of the West London sewerage system, which will run about $500,000, as well as other local improvement work which was under way in December.

In the matter of expiring debentures, the auditor's report shows that the local improvement debentures, held as an investment by the sinking fund, amounts to $81,365.02.

Local improvement debentures, sold or held for sale, which mature this year, total $84,531.27. This makes a total of local improvement debentures expiring this year, $65,896.27.

General debentures expiring are:

1906 consolidation	$ 60,000 00
Not inconsolidation	56,968.29
War purposes	7,665 12
Housing Commission	3,150 00
Waterworks	7,250 26
Electrical	10,468 88
L. and P. S.	13,681 33
Public school	4,288 19
Art and Industrial	3,169 33
Collegiate	
Library	
Total	$166,641 70
Local improvement debentures expiring	$165,896 27
General debentures	166,641 70
Total debentures maturing 1922	$332,537 97

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KITCHENER MAN IS KILLED BY ENGINE

Steps In Front of Locomotive After Avoiding G. T. R. Train.

KITCHENER, Jan. 9. — Andrew Search, 64 years of age, while trying to avoid one train on the G. T. R. track at St. Ledger street here today, stepped in front of a freight engine, and was thrown a considerable distance. He died of internal injuries an hour later. He is survived by his widow and a large family. An inquest is being held.

Four Celestials were fined $5 and costs in police court here this morning They were found guilty of gambling in their laundry. The Chinese were busy at fan-tan Sunday when the police raided them.

At the annual meeting of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, the pastor of which, Rev. W. C. Boese, dropped dead a week ago Sunday, decided to appoint Rev. A. Gallmeier of Elmira as acting pastor until a call is issued for a successor to the late pastor.

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ALL MOURN LOSS OF CITY FATHER

TORONTO, Jan. 9.—With high and low, rich and poor, all classes and creeds giving expression to their sorrow, the remains of John O'Neill, M. P.P. for Southeast Toronto, and former controller, were laid to rest in Mount Hope Cemetery today.

The service was held in St. Paul's Church.

Premier Drury, Hon. Manning Doherty and other cabinet ministers, members of parliament, members of the city council, the separate school board and other bodies attended. The solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated by Rev. Dean Hand, assisted by Rev. R. S. Miller as deacon, and Rev. M. C. O'Farrell as sub-deacon. It was an impressive scene.

An eloquent panegyric was delivered by Rev. Father M. Cline.

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(Continued From Last Issue.)

"You can claim half of it," Harold was whispering eagerly into Virginia's ear. "You were with Bill when he found it."

"I can—but I won't," she replied, coldly.

"Gold, gold, gold," he whispered to himself. "Heaps and heaps of it—what I've always hunted. And Bill had to find it. That devil had to walk right into it."

He was sickened by the thought that except for his own cowardice he would have accompanied them into the den. Then he would have been in a position to claim half the mine—and get it, too.

He found a match. The white skeleton lay just at his feet.

He drew back, startled, but instantly regained his poise. He knelt with unexplicable intentness. He, too, saw the ghastly wound and its grim connection with the rusty pick. And he bent, slowly, like a man who is trying to control an unwonted eagerness, lifting the pick in his arms.

Oh, it was easy to handle and lift! How naturally it swung in his arms! What a deadly blow the cruel point could inflict!

XV.

BILL made plans for an early start to his Twenty-Three Mile cabin.

"I'll leave before dawn—as soon as it gets grey," he told Virginia as he bade her good-night. "I'll come back the next day, with a backload of supplies. And with the little we have left we will have enough to go on. We can start for Bradleyburg the day after that."

Virginia took no pleasure in bidding him good-bye.

Her voice sank almost to a whisper, and her tones were sober and earnest. "I'll pray for you. Here's my hand, Bill."

He groped for it, found it at last; it was swallowed in his own palm, and the heart of the man raced and thrilled and burned.

He rushed on, his snowshoes crunching on the white crust. The powers of the wilderness gave him good speed—almost to the noon hour.

Then he was suddenly aware that the fine edge of the wilderness silence had been dulled. There was a faint stir at his ear drums. The stir grew to a faint and distant murmur, the murmur to a long swish like a million rustling garments. A tree fell, with a crash, far away. Then the wind smote him.

It was from the southeast.

No man of the northwest provinces is unacquainted with this wind. It is prayed for in the spring because its breath melts the drifts swiftly, but it is hated to death by the traveler caught far from his cabin on snowshoes.

It did not occur to Bill to turn back. Already he was nearly half-way to his destination. The food supplies had to be secured, sooner or later; and when the Chinook comes no man knows when it will go away. He rushed on through the softening snow.

The truth suddenly dawned upon him that he was face to face with one of the most uncomfortable situations of all his years in the forest. He didn't believe he would be able to make the cabin before the fall of night.

His woodsman's senses predicted a bitter night.

Through the black hours he would have to fight off sleep, so that he could mend the fire and cut fuel.

Late afternoon. Already the shadows lay strange and heavy in the distant tree aisles. And all at once he paused, thrilled, in his tracks.

A little way to the east, on the bank of a small creek, his father and his traitorous partner had once had a mining claim—a mine they had tried unsuccessfully to operate before Bronson had made his big strike.

They had built a small cabin, and for nearly thirty years it had stood moldering and forgotten.

Exultant and thankful, Bill turned in his tracks and mushed over toward it.

XVI.

THERE was plenty of heartbreaking work to do when Bill finally reached the little cabin. He couldn't force open the door, so he hacked a hole in it through which he entered.

After looking about, he turned to his toil of making a fire just outside the hole.

Tired out, he climbed inside again and lay down on the dry dirt, putting his arm under his head.

All at once he was aware that his eyes were fastened upon an old cigar box on a shelf against the wall.

As he reached to seize it, he had a distinct premonition of misfortune.

It contained a single photograph.

It was a typical, old-fashioned photograph—two men standing in stiff and awkward poses in an old-fashioned picture gallery—printed in the time-worn way.

One of the men was his own father. And he stared at the other face—a rather handsome, thin-lipped, sardonic-eyed face—as if he were looking at a ghost.

"Great God!" he cried. "It's Harold Lounsbury!"

But instantly he knew it could not be Harold Lounsbury. Already he knew. It was no other than Rutheford, the man who slew his father.

His deductions followed with deadly and remorseless certainty. He knew now why Harold Lounsbury had come into Clearwater. Virginia had told Bill that her lover had seemed to have some definite place in view for his prospecting; he had simply come to search for the same lost mine that Bill had discovered the previous day.

He knew now why Kenly Lounsbury had been willing to finance Virginia's trip into the north—not in hopes of finding his lost nephew, but to find the mine of which he also had some knowledge.

In the same sweep of realization he knew why Harold Lounsbury's face had always haunted him and filled him with hazy, uncertain memories.

Harold Lounsbury was Rutheford's son—the son of his father's murderer. Kenly Lounsbury was Rutheford's brother.

All at once the smoke from the fire began to pour in upon him, choking his lungs and filling his eyes with tears.

XVII.

FOR a moment Bill gave little attention to the deepening clouds of pungent, biting wood smoke that the wind, suddenly shifting, whipped in through the hole he had cut in the door.

This was the most bitter moment of his life, and he was lost and remote in his dark broodings. The smoke didn't matter.

The fight for life no longer seemed worth while.

The smoke deepened in the cabin. It seemed to be affecting his power to stand erect. He tried to think of some way to save himself; his mind was slow and dull.

He knew that he could not get out of the cabin.

There was only a little hole in the door; to crawl through it, inch by inch as he had entered, would subject him to the full fury of the flames.

Meanwhile the fire burned higher, the wind blew the clouds of smoke from the green wood through the

"GOLD, GOLD, GOLD!" HE WHISPERED TO HIMSELF.

hole as if it were high pressure steam.

It soon was impossible for Bill to see—even to hold his eyes open, the cruel smoke tortured them so.

If ever a man was caught in a terrible trap of his own making, that man was Bill Bronson.

His axe! With his axe he could chop the door away. His hand fumbled at his belt. But he remembered now: he had left his axe outside the cabin, its blade thrust into the spruce log that had supplied his fuel.

Suddenly he saw himself face to face with seemingly certain death. The smoke clouds were swiftly and surely strangling him. Already his consciousness was departing. He leaped for the opening again and fell sprawling on the dirt floor. He started to spring up——

But he suddenly grew inert, breathing deeply. There was still air close to the ground. Strange he had not thought of it before—just to lie still, face close to the dirt. It pained him to breathe; his eyes throbbed and burned, but at least it was life! Then all was confused—oblivion.

When Bill wakened again, the last pale glimmer of the lighted smoke was gone.

The fire had evidently burned down and out.

His fumbling hands encountered the log walls; then he groped about till he found the plank door. His hands smarted, but their sense of touch did not seem blunted.

He had never known a darker night!

His muscles were more at his command now; with a great lurch he sprang up and thrust head and shoulders through the hole in the door.

The hot ashes punished his face, and his hands encountered hot coals as he thrust them through. Yet with a mighty effort he pushed on until his wrists touched the icy snow. He knew that he was safe.

He stood erect, scarcely believing in his deliverance.

The wind still blew the snow dust—a stinging lash from the north and west.

It was curious that a cloudy night could be so cold. Yet he could not see the gleam of a star.

The coals of the fire, too, were smothered and obscured in ashes. He stepped toward them, intending to rake them up for such heat as they could yield.

Presently he halted, gazing with fascinated horror at the ground.

He was suddenly struck with a ghastly and terrible possibility.

His hand groped for a match.

He heard it crack in the silence, but evidently it was a dud! The darkness before his eyes remained unbroken.

Filled with a sick fear, he removed his glove and passed his hand over the upheld match. There was no longer a possibility for doubt. The tiny flame smarted his flesh.

"Blind!" he cried. "Out here in the snow and the forest—blind!"

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G. T. R. APPEAL NOT YET MADE

LONDON, Jan. 9.—(Canadian Press Cable.)—The appeal in the case of the Grand Trunk Railway against the award of the board of arbitration appointed by the Canadian government for the handing over of the property to the Dominion has not yet been entered for argument before the privy council, which opens next Tuesday.

The only two Canadian appeals for hearing are from British Columbia, and are of minor interest.

Judgment in the case of the Manitoba government versus Tom Kelly & Sons, contractors, who built the Parliament buildings for that province, is slated for delivery. In this case the Manitoba government asks to have sustained the award of $1,207,351 and interest at 5½ per cent since July 1, 1914, alleging faulty construction on the part of the contractors.

The Manitoba Court of Appeal cut the award of the lower court down to $615,213, on October 4, 1918, reducing the total to about $1,000,000.

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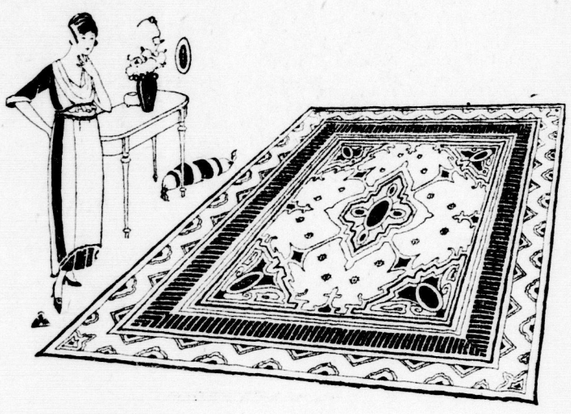

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