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GERMANY ASKED TO SUBMIT COUNTER-PROPOSALS BEFORE LONDON CONFERENCE OPENS

Meeting in the British Capital Might Become Unnecessary Because of Ridiculous Offers of Berlin Government — Unless More Reasonable Plans Are Outlned by Germany, Allies May Deliver Ultimatum Demanding Acceptance or Rejection of Reparation Terms.

Paris, Feb. 17.—Germany has been asked by Great Britain and France to communicate to them the counter-proposals of the Berlin Government before the opening of the London conference, which is fixed for next Monday, says the Journal. The newspaper adds it "would not be surprising if the conference should become unnecessary because of the derisive character of the German offers." In this case, it is said, the Allies will notify Germany of their decisions and give the German cabinet a few days to make known if it accepts or refuses to execute them.

A Mayence dispatch to the Echo de Paris says the German proposals will be "intentionally derisive," to influence the plebiscite to be held in Silesia. Rumors that Charles Laurent, French ambassador to Germany, will leave the Berlin embassy after the London conference are denied.

COLLEGIATE PLANS ARE TO BE STARTED AT ONCE

Board Takes Definite Action After Months Wasted in the Controversy—Assistant Architect Being Engaged To Speed Work and Tenders May Be Called Early in April.

After months of controversy, the first actual move to secure a new Collegiate was made by the board of education at a special meeting today. L. E. Carrothers, architect for the board, was authorized to proceed at once with plans and specifications and to engage an assistant. The work is to be completed on or before April 1. Building operations will be commenced as soon after that as possible.

The decision was reached quickly, without discussion. No. 3 committee of the board held a short meeting preceding that of the board, and after consultation with the architect, decided on the recommendations which were adopted by the board.

May Save $10,000.

It is estimated by some of the trustees that a saving of at least $10,000 has been effected by leaving the preparation of the plans in the hands of their own architect and an assistant. The salary of the assistant for the time required in the preparation of plans will be less than $1,000, it is said, whereas it is claimed that it would cost $11,000 to have the plans drawn by outside architects.

The appointment of a successor to the late Secretary R. M. McElheran was discussed. Action on the matter was left for a regular meeting. The board confirmed the appointment of W. A. Tanner by the chairman of the board to act as interim secretary.

Trustee Eggett said the board should advertise the vacancy, and get applications from all persons who considered they were capable of filling it, and preference given to a returned man, if possible.

A Small-Town View.

"If you advertise a position of that kind you are at once buttonholed," Chairman Coleridge objected. "Any person we desire to appoint we'll go to him. He'll not come to us. We went to Mr. Tanner when we wanted to fill the vacancy temporarily.

"Several of the teachers in the city would like to apply for the position," Trustee Eggett said.

Other members of the board said they had already been approached by persons who wished to apply for the position. Trustee Hayman suggested that it be left in abeyance several weeks in respect to the memory of the late secretary. Trustee Rowe said the board should seek the man. He advised all the trustees to keep an open mind on the matter. The appointment is one of the most important in the city he pointed out. During the intervals between meetings the secretary is practically the board as he has to speak for them and make many decisions. He is also responsible for the continuity of work.

Explains Action.

Trustee Mrs. Hunt asked why plans for the Victoria School were placed in the Builders' Exchange. Trustee Hayman said this was the customary place to leave all building plans as most of the builders of the city had access to them there. Copies could be seen at the board of education rooms as well.

"Have all the builders in the city access to the plans at the exchange?" asked Trustee Rowe.

"Not only members of the exchange, but others can see them just as readily at the board's offices. It is just an additional place for the convenience of the builders," Trustee Hayman replied.

TOLEDO BANDITS GET SIX SACKS REGISTERED MAIL

Hold Up the Clerks About to Enter Postoffice.

Toledo, Feb. 17.—Police have recovered a stolen automobile used by bandits in holding up four employees of the Toledo postoffice early this morning, and stealing six sacks of valuable mail.

Postal employees admitted that the loss may total nearly half a million dollars.

Toledo, O., Feb. 17.—Five armed bandits, one of them a negro, held up two clerks at the main postoffice at Madison avenue and Thirteenth street at 2 o'clock this morning, seized six sacks of registered mail, and escaped in an automobile.

The mail had just been removed from an incoming train at the union station and was about to be carried into the postoffice a mile distant when the robbers drove up in their automobile and forced the clerks to lie face downward on the pavement.

Four minutes elapsed from the time the robbers drove up to the postoffice until they had seized the sacks and were on their way.

The stolen mail was from eastern points and Cleveland, according to Postoffice Inspector Blake, who took personal charge of the investigation.

Postmaster George W. Lathrop this morning was unable to give an estimate of the value of the mail stolen, but said he believed it would reach a large sum. He asserted that it may be two or three days before the source of the mail and the contents of the sacks can be checked up.

TWO ARE MURDERED BY MASKED BANDITS

Jacksonville, Fla., Feb. 17.—George Alexander Goodrich, aged 57, contractor, of Atlanta, Ga., and Walter H. Burden, aged 60, wealthy businessman of Tatcho, N. Y., were shot to death here last night by two masked men who attempted to rob them as they sat around a card table in the parlor of a small family hotel. Mrs. Burden and her daughter, Miss Florrie Burden, 19, were the other members of the party. The bandits made their escape in an automobile.

Goodrich and Burden thought the affair a joke, perpetrated by fellow guests, and began to jest with the two men who had stepped quietly in with drawn revolvers. Suddenly one reached over and made a grab for a handsome diamond pin Burden wore in his scarf. Burden and Goodrich then realized that it was no joke, and both leaped to their feet. The bandits fired with the first move. Goodrich being hit three times. He died instantly. Burden sustained two bullet wounds in the abdomen, and died soon afterwards.

DUTCH MUST BEAR EXPENSE OF KEEPING EX-CROWN PRINCE

The Hague, Feb. 17.—Because the Dutch Government insists that former Crown Prince Frederick William of Germany live at Wieringen, and at no other place in Holland, the Government will continue to bear the cost of his residence there. This statement was made today by Prime Minister Jonkheer Ruys de Deerenbrouck in answer to a demand made in a report by the second chamber that Frederick William should pay for his own upkeep.

The answer of the prime minister also revealed officially the status of the former crown prince in Holland. "The actual internment of the former crown prince ended a few days after his arrival in Wieringen," said the minister.

"In the meantime," the minister continued, "the island was fixed up as a place for his residence, and it was a matter of course that the expenses resulting from this Government order were paid by the treasury. The costs only amounts to the rent of a very simple house and the furnishings and maintenance of it."

Police Seize Wine Intended For Wedding

Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 17.—A basket of champagne intended to be served at a wedding party here last night was seized by the police as it was being carried into a hotel where the wedding was to be performed. The man who was carrying the wine was locked up on a charge of violating the state liquor law, but was later released on $500 bail.

ADVISES AGAINST HEARING DELEGATES FROM AUSTRIA

Paris, Feb. 17.—The French Government's position on the Austrian request for permission to lay Austria's problem before the supreme council is that inasmuch as the conference in London has already arranged to discuss the Austrian question, and the program is so voluminous that nothing could be gained by permitting Austrian delegates to be heard in London. It is argued that such a hearing would needlessly take up the time of the conference.

Louis P. Loucher, minister of liberated regions, was busy today conferring with Austrian experts. The French Government feels that everything possible is being done for Austria, and has advised against Austrian delegates being heard at the London conference.

SINN FEIN WILL DEFY VATICAN IF POLICIES CLASH

Official of Self-Determination League Assails Cardinal Bourne.

BECAUSE OF LETTER

Declares Pastoral Leaves Impression of Disgust in Minds of Irish Catholics.

London, Feb. 17.—Indignation was caused among Irish Catholics in England by the pastoral letter written by Cardinal Bourne, archbishop of Westminster, which was read in English churches under his jurisdiction last Sunday, said a statement issued here today by Art O'Brien, secretary of the Irish Self-Determination League. O'Brien incidentally declared that the Roman Catholics of the Sinn Fein inflection in Ireland would not accept political guidance, even from the Vatican.

Cardinal Bourne's letter, referring to recent Sinn Fein atrocities, warned people of his archdiocese not to allow themselves to become implicated "by active sympathy or even actual co-operation in societies and organizations which are in opposition to the laws of God and the Catholic church." In the course of the letter, the cardinal referred to the "horror and outrage" in Ireland.

Calls It Un-Christian.

"His eminence," the statement declared, "may rest assured the only impression left upon the Irish laity, as well as the Irish clergy in his archdiocese, by such letters, is one of disgust at his narrow and un-Christian attitude."

Mr. O'Brien referred to Cardinal Bourne's attitude toward Sir Roger Casement, who was executed for high treason during the war, and characterized it as "not only un-Catholic but anti-Christian." He also expressed displeasure because the cardinal has declined to aid the campaign of anti-British propaganda conducted by the Sinn Fein and similar organizations. The cardinal, he said, refused to allow his name to be used in repudiation of "British barbarities in Ireland."

Would Defy Vatican.

"Cardinal Bourne may hope," the statement continued, "that his partisan political lecture will help the activities of his Government at the Vatican, which during the past year have been very vigorous, and which, it was hoped recently, would produce fruit in papal condemnation of the Republican movement in Ireland. If his eminence has any hopes in this direction, it would be well for him and leading English Catholics who are sharing his hopes to understand that not even the most devoted Catholics in Ireland or among the Irish throughout the world will accept political guidance or dictation from Rome."

TAKES POISON RATHER THAN FACE COURT

Madame Louise Thulier Was Conspicuous Figure During War.

Paris, Feb. 17.—Madame Louise Thulier, a Belgian school teacher, who was awarded the insignia of the Legion of Honor and the War Cross during the war, has chosen suicide rather than face exposure as a spy and a betrayer of patriotic friends, it is declared by today's newspapers. The woman, about whom revolved one of the most stirring tragedies of the war, swallowed rat poison at her home in the village of Wiheric, near Mons, yesterday, when called to appear before a magistrate.

Mme. Thulier was associated with Edith Cavell, the English nurse who was executed by the Germans in Brussels on October 15, 1915, and with Countess Johanna De Belleville, who was doomed to die by the Germans, but whose sentence was commuted through the intervention of President Wilson. She, herself, was taken prisoner by the Germans, and was sentenced to death, but King Alfonso of Spain made a plea in her behalf, and she was reprieved.

During an investigation of espionage operations at Mons, evidence was found, it is declared by newspapers here, that Madame Thulier had betrayed a number of companions, one of whom was Phillip Baucq, an architect, who was executed the day Miss Cavell faced the German firing squad. The magistrate summoned the woman to appear before him, but she is alleged to have swallowed poison rather than obey.

DR. CHARLES MACKLIN COMING TO LONDON

Will Join Medical College Staff At Opening of Next Session.

Dr. Charles Macklin has accepted the professorship of histology and embryology in the department of anatomy at the Western University Medical School, and will assume his duties at the opening of the next session. He is a graduate of Toronto University, where he received the M. B. degree. During the past three years he has been connected with the department of anatomy at Johns Hopkins Medical School in Baltimore. Previous to that he was with the same department at the University of Pittsburg.

BRITISH MINES MAY CLOSE WHEN CONTROL OF GOVT. IS LIFTED

London, Feb. 17.—There have been rumors in the extreme labor papers of a coming crisis in the commercial trade and allegations of a plan by the coal owners to lock out the miners in order to bring about a reduction in wages. Whether the rumors are well founded, it is believed that when the Government control is removed at the end of March there will be an extensive shutting down of the mines, unless in the meantime export trade improves.

GETTING HIS EYES OPENED



—Racey in Montreal Star.

BOLSHEVIKI TRYING TO GET INDIA TO REVOLT

London, Feb. 17.—Armed invasion of the Pamir region of Central Asia, on the thresholds of India and China, was begun by Russian Bolshevik troops last October, it is indicated by a communique just issued by the India office. The communique gave the text of an "order of the day" sent out on October 10 by M. Sokolinkow, chief commissioner on the Turkestan front, to a soviet division ordered into the Pamir. It stated the men should "make themselves at home," and carry on Bolshevik propaganda with a view to influencing the people of India to revolt against the British.

"Comrades of the Pamir division," said the order. "You have been given a responsible task. The soviet republic sends you to garrison the posts on the Pamir on the frontiers of the friendly countries of Afghanistan and India.

The Pamir tableland divides revolutionary Russia from India, which, with its 300 million inhabitants, is enslaved by a handful of Englishmen. On this tableland you, the signallers of the revolution, must hoist the red flags of the army of liberation. May the peoples of India, who fight against their English oppressors, soon know that friendly help is not far off. Make yourselves at home with the liberty-loving tribes of Northern India, promote by word and deed their revolutionary progress, refute the mass of calumnies spread about Russia by the agents of the British princes, lords and bankers. Long live the alliance of the revolutionary peoples of Europe and Asia! Long live the world liberation of the workers!"

Reds Penalize All Who Refuse To See Plays

Petrograd, Feb. 17.—Compulsory play-going is the latest order of the day here. The Soviet Government has decreed that a fine, payable in food rations, is to inflicted on all persons who, after official invitation, refuse to go to the theatre to enjoy a series of communist plays, which are now being produced, says the Bolshevik newspaper Rabotchi Golos."

VON TIRPITZ SAYS BATTLESHIPS ARE SUPERIOR TO SUBS

German Admiral Pins His Faith to Above Water-craft.

Saint Blasien, Baden, Feb. 17.—Battleships won the war, and will win future wars, in the opinion of Admiral Alfred Von Tirpitz, at one time head of the German fleet and minister of the navy during the critical period of the historic struggle. He reaffirmed his faith in above-water craft during an interview here today, and declared that, strangely enough, owing to the peculiarities of the war, the submarine had been given greater importance than was warranted by the facts.

"In reality, the war, so far as the sea was concerned," he said, "was won by the British high sea fleet and the verdict could have been reversed only through battleships."

HULL MAYOR IS NOT OPPOSED TO SALE OF INTOXICATING LIQUORS

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—(Canadian Press).—That he personally did not consider it a crime to sell intoxicating liquors, and was not in favor of the imposition of jail terms for infractions of this nature, though he wanted to see abuses suppressed, was the tenor of a salient statement made by Mayor Louis Cousineau at a special meeting of the Hull City Council last night, in the course of a short, cryptic debate incidental to the transfer of two hotel licenses.

COLORED TROOPS WITHDRAWN.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—French reports that colored troops had been withdrawn from the occupation area along the Rhine were denied by the German foreign office today. It was declared 24,333 colored troops were still on duty in German territory.

FORDNEY TARIFF EFFECT HERE VERY UNCERTAIN

A. E. Silverwood Says U. S. Butter Now Selling in London.

The passing of the Fordney Tariff Bill by the American Senate may not make a very noticeable difference in the price of Canadian Farm products, A. E. Silverwood of Silverwoods, Ltd., stated to the Advertiser Wednesday night.

"I have not studied the issue and I cannot say how serious the effect will be," said Mr. Silverwood. "Quite a bit of Canadian cream has been going over the line and the tariff may have some effect on cream. It is hard to foretell, however, just how great an effect will be felt."

Mr. Silverwood pointed out that eggs are now selling in Chicago at ten cents per dozen lower than in London, and that butter is also lower in price in the United States. "American butter was imported and sold in London this week," he said.

Last week in Montreal, Mr. Silverwood attended a meeting of the Canadian Produce Association which was addressed by Dr. Tolmie, Dominion minister of agriculture, at which time Dr. Tolmie stated that if the Fordney Bill was passed, the Canadian Government would certainly retaliate with just as severe a measure.

Need New Markets.

"The principal effect of the passing of the Fordney tariff bill upon the Canadian farmer," said a local agriculturist today, "is that he will have to find new

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Prices Still On Decline

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—The movement in prices continued downward in January, declines appearing in almost all lines, the most important being in grain and textiles, says a report from the labor department today. In fuel the only decrease of importance was in furnace and foundry coke. In the retail prices of foods there were decreases in nearly all of the staple lines. The index number of wholesale prices was down to 281.3 for January, as compared with 290.5 for December, 336.4 for January 1920, and 286.5 for January, 1919, and 136.5 in January, 1914. In retail prices the average cost of a list of 29 staple foods at the beginning of January was $14.48 as compared with $14.84 at the middle of December, $15.30 in January, 1920, and $7.73 in January, 1914.

SATISFACTION

If you have ever purchased anything on the installment plan, you readily realize the satisfaction you derive out of knowing you have finally paid it all up. There is very much the same satisfaction in knowing that your paper is paid for several months in advance. If you couple this with the knowledge that you have a carefully worked out solution of The Advertiser's puzzle ready for filing, if you have not already filed it, you will be in fine shape to contemplate an addition to your bank account. It's a season for optimism. Join the contest while the joining's good. Information and working charts will be gladly sent you by making application to the Manager, Contest Department The London Advertiser, 110 Dundas street.

WILL ASK COST OF BY-ELECTIONS TO COUNTRY

P. F. Casgrain, M. P., Has Filed Number of Questions.

CHECKS UP BLONDIN

Demands to Know Amounts of Expense Advanced to Minister.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Canadian Press.—P. F. Casgrain (Charlevoix-Montmorency) has filed a number of questions relating to a wide number of subjects. Mr. Casgrain asks first if the Government dismissed Robert Fowler, former superintendent of the dead letter department of the postoffice, and his secretary, and if so, under what circumstances.

The cost of each of the by-elections is the subject of another inquiry. Mr. Casgrain also wants to know the names of the Government members who took part, whether any Government cars were used, and where the different members of the Government spoke.

Mr. Casgrain asks if the Government is aware that Canadian money is not even taken at a discount at the offices of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company in Detroit or at other points in the United States.

Rumania's Debt.

Whether or not Rumania has paid any of the installments of interest due by her to Canada on account of advances in wares and merchandise is asked by the same member. In seeking fuller information Mr. Casgrain wants to know when any such amounts were paid, and if they were not, what action the Government intends to take.

Mr. Casgrain is checking up on the movements of Hon. P. E. Blondin while that gentleman was in Europe as a colonel during the war. He demands the amounts of the different expense checks issued to the postmaster-general; if any of these funds were returned when the postmaster-general resumed his duties, and, if not, why. He also asks if there was any correspondence between Sir Thomas White, then minister of finance, and Hon. Mr. Blondin, in reference to the matter.

The Quebec riots of 191 8are recalled in another question. Mr. Casgrain asks the House to authorize the payment of an indemnity to persons who suffered loss on that occasion.

STANDARDIZE MACHINERY.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Canadian Press.—Standardization in the manufacture of the parts of agricultural machinery is the subject of a resolution by A. B. McCoig, Kent. Mr. McCoig asks for an act providing that after November 1, 1922, that all machinery and farm wagon parts for use in Canada be made to a standard pattern, and that the minister of agriculture issue the necessary regulations. He wants these regulations approved prior to November 1, 1921, with a provise that after November 1, 1922, that any manufacturer violating the regulations incur a penalty of not less than $500 and not more than $1,000.

GOVT. CAUCUS CALLED.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Canadian Press.—Government members have been called to a caucus tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock in the railway committee room. The summons was sent out this morn-

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PARLIAMENT SUMMARY

PARLIAMENT YESTERDAY.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—House of Commons:

Hon. D. D. Mackenzie (Cape Breton), former leader of the Liberal Opposition, continued the debate on the speech from the throne. E. B. Devlin (Wright), E. W. Nesbitt (Oxford) and A. R. McMaster (Brome) participated in the debate.

Sir Archibald Foster, minister of trade and commerce, gave the house an explanation of the progress made by the League of Nations. He did not touch on domestic politics.

Not one of the numerous questions on the order paper was dealt with.

The House adjourned at 6 p.m., and there was no night session.

THE SENATE.

Senators Bostock, Sir James Lougheed, W. C. Edwards and Dandurand spoke in the debate on the speech from the throne.

The Senate adjourned at 6 o'clock until Thursday.

PARLIAMENT TODAY.

House of Commons: A. R. McMaster (Brome) will resume his speech in the debate on the speech from the throne.

There is a long list of questions on the order paper awaiting the reply of the ministry.

House assembles at 3 o'clock.

THE SENATE.

Senator Dandurand will resume his speech in the debate on the speech from the throne.

Senate assembles at 3 o'clock.

USED MORAL SUASION TO STOP PRICE CUT

Witness at Wholesale Grocers' Trial Tells of Methods.

Toronto, Ont., Feb. 16.—Joseph Ruddy, vice-president of the Canada Starch Company, was the chief witness today at the third day of the trial of the action brought by the attorney-general of Ontario against the Wholesale Grocers' Association and others for alleged illegal practices. Prices of goods made by his firm were set in conjunction with the St. Lawrence Starch Company, which sold a similar line of goods and there was an understanding with the wholesalers that these prices would be maintained.

If a wholesaler cut the price he was generally prevailed upon to desist, Mr. Ruddy said, and he added that this was brought about by moral suasion. Mr. Ruddy expressed the opinion that there were too many wholesalers in Canada at present and he disapproved of new firms being organized.

SNEAK THIEF ROBS STORE AT GLENCOE

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Glencoe, Feb. 17.—Johnston's drug store was burglarized about midnight, the thieves getting away with several dollars which had been left in the till, some cigars and toilet articles from the store. Provincial Officer Arthur Palmer of London is here, and an arrest is expected at any time. Entrance to the store was gained by smashing a rear window.

MEIGHEN SUPPORTERS MUST KEEP DEBATE ALIVE OR TAKE CHANCES OF DEFEAT IN HOUSE

Liberals Are Willing To Take Vote at Any Time — Government Followers Further Worried Over What Progressives Will Do—Crerar Will Arrive in Capital On Sunday —Attitude of His Party So Far Is Unknown.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—In normal times the onus is upon the Opposition to keep alive the debate on the address, the Government having moved and seconded it, has little further responsibility and need put up no further speakers if it so desires. But these are not normal times, and yesterday the spectacle was presented on the second day of the debate, of the Opposition willing to allow the debate to collapse, and the Government striving desperately to keep it alive. The reason was that the Opposition at that particular moment believed that it possessed a following in distinct plurality over that which the Government whips could muster together. As a matter of fact, had the vote been taken at that time the address would have been adopted as amended by the Opposition, namely, with a vote of lack of confidence in the Government tacked to the end.

The result would have been a Government defeat and enforced dissolution.

Going Into Caucus.

Government forces will go into caucus tomorrow morning upon the situation which is admittedly serious. The practical refusal of the Liberal Opposition to grant pairs has complicated matters. Added to that is the strong probability that the Progressives will vote for the amendment. On the matter of pairs the first case came when Hon. Dr. Tolmie, minister of agriculture, desired to leave Ottawa to visit a sick relative. He was refused a pair. Later, however, it is stated a pair was arranged for him, on the ground that his was a deserving case. In the matter, however, of casual absentees and those who selfishly place private affairs before public, no mercy will be granted.

Progressives have so far remained silent. They will continue so until their leader, Hon. T. A. Crerar, comes to Ottawa. He won't be here until Sunday, and if the continuation of the debate depends upon the Liberals it may collapse before he comes. Indeed there is a strong body of opinion in the Liberal ranks, in favor of resting their case upon the speech of Mr. King, and those which have followed, and either of forcing a vote as soon as possible or placing the Government in the anomalous position of keeping the debate alive.

STOP CRIME WAVE BY TAKING PROPER CARE OF BOYS AND GIRLS

Noted Criminologist Discusses Problem at Meeting of the Canadian Club—Says Most of the Delinquents Can Be Cured of Their Tendencies, As They Are Not Vicious.

The members of the Canadian Club had as their guest in the Prokos tea-room at noon today Dr. Alfred E. Lavell, chief executive officer of the Ontario board of parole, "The Cure of the Criminal" was the subject upon which Dr. Lavell spoke. He is an authority on this matter, having been for many years in close touch with the criminal problem, and having made criminology and prison reform his life study. Dr. Lavell was introduced by Fred Landon of the Public Library, who presided, and there was a large attendance.

"One of the effective ways to cure crime," said Dr. Lavell, "is to take proper care of the boys and girls. Don't waste time and think you can cure all criminals, but all criminals are not vicious, and the vast majority of them can be cured."

"As many as 93 per cent of men paroled get on their feet again, and the other seven per cent do not so badly, perhaps only one of them being a really hopeless case.

"If the man paroled last year had served full terms they would have cost $40,000 more, and $104,000 in wages would have been lost."

Dr. Lavell then went on to explain what a criminal really was.

"There is more of the anarchist in all of us than we are really aware," he said, "and if a law effects our particular case we do not like that law."

"Laws change and criminals change and where there are no laws there are no criminals. The higher the grade of civilization the more criminals there are, simply because the law is enforced."

"Laws have changed at different periods of the world's history. If that highly esteemed patriarch, Father Abraham were living at the present day, and doing under the law he did, say for bigamy or trigamy or something of the kind, and Shakespeare's immortal hero, Falstaff, would be in jail for a breach of the O. T. A."

Tells of the Work.

The speaker traced the rise of the humanitarian movement in the prisons of Europe under the great reformer, John Howard, but with humanitarian side of prison reform must go its

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Stones Come High At $1.90 Per Bag

Citizen Is Victimized in Buying Potatoes On the Market.

Four pounds of stones were found in a bag of potatoes purchased by a South London resident from a farmer on the market today. Unfortunately the purchaser did not discover the stones until he went down to get some potatoes for dinner.

"I paid $1.90 for the bag," said the citizen to The Advertiser, "and directed the farmer to my home and showed him where to put the potatoes in the cellar. He did just as directed. I never thought of finding stones, and it was not until I went to get some that I discovered the trick that had been put over on me."

The matter is being reported to the authorities, and as the citizen has an excellent description of the farmer police court proceedings may be taken shortly.

CARUSO'S CONDITION IS STILL CRITICAL

Attending Physicians Decline to Predict What Outcome May Be.

New York, Feb. 17.—The condition of Enrico Caruso, world-famous grand opera singer, continues "unsatisfactory and critical," according to a statement issued by Dr. Francis J. Murray, one of his attending physicians, this morning.

"Caruso's condition is as unsatisfactory this morning," he said, "as it was yesterday. I can express no opinion, one way or the other. His condition is very critical, and we cannot get away from that fact."

Word also reached the newspapermen that the singer had rallied from a second relapse early this morning, but was again very weak.

Mr. Caruso's 16-year-old son, Enrico, Jun., who was called home from a college in Indiana, arrived at the hotel here shortly before 10 o'clock. He went immediately to his father's sick-room.

Mr. Caruso was visibly pleased at seeing his son, and greeted him with a feeble but cheerful handclasp. The interview was very brief, because it was feared his son's prolonged presence might cause over-excitement.

Messages of sympathy continued today to pour into the Caruso apartment from all parts of the world. They came from London, Paris and Rome, from Havana and Buenos Ayres, from every country in which the tenor's voice is known.

DECLINES TO CONTRIBUTE TO CAMPAIGN EXPENSES

Peterboro, Feb. 17.—At a meeting of the trades and labor council held last evening, the council declined to contribute to the campaign expenses of T. J. McMurray, labor candidate in the recent by-election. The original policy of the trades and labor council prohibits the discussion of purely political questions. It was pointed out that McMurray had received his nomination from the Independent Labor Party.

LIBERALS ATTEND REQUIEM MASS TO SIR WILFRID

Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King Present at Anniversary Services.

Ottawa, Feb. 17. — Canadian Press. —Hon. Mackenzie King and several other members of the Liberal party attended the anniversary requiem mass for the late Sir Wilfrid Laurier, whose death occurred two years ago today.

TEACHING MOTHERS INFANT COOKERY

Under the auspices of the Child Welfare Association, and through the kindness of the Technical and Art School, a special class in cooking food for infants is being commenced at the Technical School next Wednesday at 2 o'clock. This is the first class of its kind opened in this city, enabling mothers with young children to learn how to cook nourishing dishes for them. Statistics have shown that a large number of babies died annually, not because they are underfed, but because of under-nourishment. They are not given food with the right nourishment.

The women having children who wish to attend the classes may leave them at the day nursery, where the Child Welfare Association will provide white cots, a nurse and toys for them. The class already has a registration of 25 mothers.

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest 56, lowest 36.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest 43, lowest 21.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND COLD.

Toronto, Feb. 17—8 a.m.

Forecasts.

Today—Strong west and northwest winds; partly fair and colder, with snow flurries.

Friday—Fair and cold.

Temperatures.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Winnipeg	12	—14	Clear
Sault Ste. Marie	50	16	Snow
Parry Sound	48	16	Fair
Toronto	54	26	Fair
Kingston	46	32	Fair
Ottawa	42	26	Fair
Montreal	38	38	Cloudy
Quebec	24	22	Fair
St. John	28	28	Rain
Halifax	26	26	Cloudy

Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes.

The depression which was over Lake Superior yesterday is now situated in the Lower St. Lawrence Valley, while pressure is highest in Southern Dakota.

A few light showers are occurring in the Maritime Provinces, while in Ontario the weather is turning much colder, with some light snow and local flurries.

ADVERTISER PUZZLE CONTEST CORNER

Important Questions Answered by Contest Manager and Matters of General Interest Discussed—Contestants Should Watch This Corner

ABOUT NEW SUBSCRIPTIONS.

QUESTION—Is it necessary to send in from one to four new subscriptions in order to win a prize?

ANSWER—No. A person who gives in only his own subscription—new or renewal—may win any prize on the list. However, the winners of the first five prizes will receive $25 for each new subscription secured by them, the limit being four for each prize. Also a bonus of 20 per cent will be paid to those who stand 51 to 100 on prize list.

QUESTION—May the new subscribers, so secured, take part in the Contest without making any further payment?

ANSWER—Yes, they have the right to submit a solution just the same as anyone else. If the new subscriber is not ready to give in his solution when he gives a contestant his subscription, he may give it in any time on or before March 19th. Fill in Solution Blank and attach note, stating date you sent in remittance on subscription.

QUESTION—What is a new subscriber?

ANSWER—A new subscriber is one who is not having either edition of The Advertiser delivered to his home or postoffice, either by carrier or mail.

QUESTION—What amount must new subscribers, secured by contestant, pay?

ANSWER—All subscribers are treated alike. These new subscribers must pay at least $2.75 and not more than $10. The amount paid has no bearing on the value of the subscriptions to those securing them. However, if these new subscribers are going to submit solutions for themselves, the amount of their prizes may depend to a great extent on the amount paid. This refers to first five prizes only.

WINDSOR AVENUE HOUSE ENTERED BY PICKING DOOR LOCK

Telephone Call Awakens the Family and Intruders Leave Without Booty.

About 12 o'clock last night housebreakers gained entrance to a residence on Windsor avenue, by picking the lock of the kitchen door, but a long distance telephone call from Hamilton fortunately brought members of the family down stairs, and the intruders after hiding in the dining-room while the woman of the house was telephoning, tip-toed out the way they entered as soon as she returned upstairs.

A young man living in the house answered the telephone first, and turned on the hall light.

The woman who was called to the telephone fancied she heard a noise in the darkened dining-room as she was returning upstairs. The young man armed with a heavy hair brush, for want of a better weapon, then returned downstairs to investigate. Having also heard the noise, and discovered that the kitchen door was open, the lock having been tampered with. Police were called, but a thorough investigation failed to locate the intruders either in the house or its vicinity. Nothing was found missing, the telephone having rung just in time to interrupt the intended thieving.

LUNO INQUEST IS ADJOURNED A WEEK

Jury Views Body of East London Boy Killed By Auto.

A jury selected by Detective Harry Down and empanelled by Coroner J. C. Wilson, viewed the remains of Robert Bruce Luno, the 12-year-old son of Edward Luno, 981 Hackett street, last night at Logan's undertaking parlors, and adjourned until next Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock at the police station. At this time the inquest proper will be conducted.

The boy was killed on Tuesday evening, when he was struck by an auto in East London.

The jury is composed of Fred G. Brown, 424 Piccadilly street, foreman; William J. Curran, 327 St. James street; Herbert Thorne, 235 Burwell street; J. M. Chivas, 351 Wortley road; John S. Taylor, 456 Talbot street; James C. Sloan, 639 Talbot street; William Richmond, 155 Duchess avenue; William M. Patterson, 247½ Dundas street, and Richard Morgan, 255 Wortley road.

LONDONER TELLS OF HOUSING PROBLEMS

Stratford, Feb. 16.—The service secretary of the G. W. V. A. has been appointed collector of amusement and theatre taxes by the Provincial Government.

Delegates to the Provincial Builders' and Supply Association convention relaxed from their business this afternoon and made a tour of inspection of the industrial plants of the city.

This morning E. R. Dennis of London discussed general housing problems in Ontario. J. M. Piggott of Hamilton spoke on "Optional Forms of Employment, and City Engineer Manson told of what Stratford is doing in promoting the proper growth of the city.

Tonight the local builders' exchange tendered a banquet to the visitors.

Only one case has been set down for the non-jury sittings of the supreme court, which opens on Monday before Sir William Mulock, that of Conrad Schaeffer of South Easthope, Edward Wettlaufer and Conrad Wilker, executors of the estate of Henry Schaeffer, deceased. It is an action for an account claimed to be owing.

WESTERN ONTARIO GROCERS TO MEET

London Retailers Will Call Convention Here Some Time in March.

Western Ontario retail grocers will meet in London in March to organize a Western Ontario branch of the Retail Grocers' Association. The decision to call a convention in London of all the grocers in the district was reached at the meeting of the London Retail Grocers' Association in the Chamber of Commerce rooms Wednesday night.

Presentations of umbrellas to P. H. Ranahan, president; H. P. Rosser, treasurer; were features of Wednesday night's meeting. The question of the Wednesday half holiday next summer will be decided at next month's meeting.

Officers for the ensuing year elected as follows: P. H. Ranahan, president; Alderman G. B. Drake, first vice-president; A. Thrower, second vice-president; F. C. Pierce, secretary; H. P. Rosser, treasurer.

Members of the executive committee are Messrs. Reynolds, Shaw, Lapthorne, J. McLeod, Johnson and Carter.

The auditors are Alderman Drake and F. Lapthorne.

MACHINERY PRICES BEING REDUCED

Motors, Gear Cutters and Grinders Are Already Much Lower.

In its summary of the iron, steel, metal and machinery markets for the week, Canadian Machinery and Manufacturing News, Toronto, makes the following comment:

While it is not possible to say that an era of lower prices has definitely set in on the iron, steel and machine tool market, it cannot be denied that the movement is in that direction. Especially is this so in machines turned out by the newer makers as some of the old-established companies are still working on orders and are in no mood to consider reductions. Many of the makers have planned their course very carefully and have avoided making up a large stock to urge lower prices on their sales force. Reductions during the week have been made in motors, gear cutting machines, internal grinding machines, etc., and these range from ten to twenty per cent.

Dealers are taking a more determined stand regarding cancellations, and it is not an easy matter to get a cancellation accepted now. One firm cancelled the day the machine came, but the dealer fought it out in the courts and made acceptance necessary.

Some houses are reporting a much better week in inquiries than for some time past. None of these had been in the market before and they were from a widely distributed area.

Steel merchants are not taking in much material just now, still working on the theory that their best move for the present is to get their stocks down as low as possible. There is a fair amount of business going, but it is still in small quantities and for only immediate needs.

There is nothing better in the scrap metal markets. Dealers will hardly take on anything in iron and steel and only limited quantities of copper. Copper is looked upon as likely to improve before the other lines. Prices quoted are still very low and are not guaranteed.

Pittsburg reports indicate that buyers generally anticipate some movement in steel there and predict that it will be downward in price. There are plenty of rumors of prices sagging several dollars a ton, but this has not become general enough yet to establish a new market at a figure below the price of the United States Steel Corporation.

AGREEMENT RATIFIED.

Paris, Feb. 17.—The Chamber of Deputies yesterday ratified without debate an agreement concluded in October, 1920, between France and various other countries relative to commerce in arms and munitions.

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Police Walked In On Little Game in South End.

The South End's Monte Carlo was in session Sunday morning, with John Anderson, a prominent figure in the "roll," but at the request of police constables the session was adjourned until this morning, when Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon presided at the police court. Wilbert Moran was assessed $10 and costs for allowing the boys to use his carpet as the athletic grounds. The athletes paid the court $5 and costs for that privilege.

When the Sabbath arrived, the dust was flying in Moran's poolroom at 88 Maitland street. Interest centred around two little blocks of ivory. Ten men were taking turns trying to get a "natural" (seven or eleven), or the alternative of the point, which they made on the first shot. These African golf champions were real artists, some of them having shot in bigger leagues.

Cops Were Watching.

On the outside of the "joint" were three policemen. As they had not paid an entry fee, they could only watch the proceedings through a crack in the blind on the window. However, they were not to be debarred, and when one of the participants came to the door to substitute fresh air for the dust in his lungs, the officers brushed past him and walked into the room. Immediately the game stopped. Whether it was because the golfers thought the officers were too good for them, or whether they refused to play because the gate receipts were nil, was not stated.

Anyhow, the session was adjourned until this morning. At first Robert Johnston was charged with allowing gambling in his place. He cleared himself by saying that he had sold the business to Moran, but he admitted being in the game.

All Were Fined.

John Anderson, Walter Johnston, Chas. Phoenix, Frank Johnston, Edward Johnston, Edward Fountain, Archie Smith, Leonard Berry and Robert Johnston were lined up before the court, and although some of them said that they were but onlookers they were fined as much as the others.

"What about you?" asked the court of Edward Fountain.

"I was there, your worship," replied that gentleman.

"Well, you were playing if you were there," remarked the court.

Fountain smiled.

"How many times have you been up for this before?" asked the magistrate of John Anderson.

"Just once or twice, your worship. There wasn't enough in that game to feed a man a day.

"This must be stopped," declared the magistrate.

"We'll quit," said John, smiling.

Myers Gootson was fined $10 and costs for allowing candy, which was purchased from his store, to be carried away on Sunday. He said that he had tried to stop the customer from leaving the store. The buyer said that such action was not taken until two officers hove in sight.

W. W. Tennett, Howard Featherstone and Fred Entwistle were fined $2 and costs for violating the motor vehicles act.

FISHERY BUSINESS IS SOLD AT PORT

Trustee Is Named Under Provisions of Bulk Sales Act.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Pearl May Moore, who has been engaged in the fishery business, Port Stanley, has sold the business to Charles Finlay, and creditors of Mrs. Moore have been directed to file their claims with Douglas E. Gerrard, the trustee under the bulk sales act.

Sells Farm.

Mrs. Charles Rundle has sold her north farm near Sparta to ex-Warden Wilson H. Mills.

Major Abel First Hussars, is receiving every encouragement in his work of recruiting for a unit to be established in the city.

Miss Chandler Remembered.

Miss Chandler, Springfield, whose family had charge of the postoffice there, for the past thirty years, was tendered a farewell function at the Methodist Church, last evening, by the people of the village, and surrounding neighborhood. A beautiful wrist watch was tendered Miss Chandler, and the evening was enjoyed with musical and vocal selections and addresses of good wishes by many prominent people in the vicinity. Miss Chandler goes to Belleville.

FATALLY INJURED IN AUTO ACCIDENT

Mrs. Frederick Truman of Belle River Dies in Hospital.

WINDSOR, Feb. 16.—Mrs. Frederick Truman, aged 32, of Belle River died today in the Hotel Dieu from injuries received when the auto in which she was driving was struck by a Belt Line car at Walkerville. Mr. Truman was at the wheel. According to the report to police the woman jumped from the auto after it was struck and fell under the street car. This is the second fatal street car accident in two days.

INFLUENZA PROVED COSTLY TO INSURANCE FIRMS IN CANADA

OTTAWA, Feb. 16. — (By Canadian Press.)—Influenza was more costly to life insurance companies operating in Canada during the year ending March, 1920, than were post-war casualties. This information was given in the annual report of the superintendent of insurance, tabled in the House of Commons today by Sir Henry Drayton.

Net death claims during the year totalled $16,327,345, of which $785,321, or 4.66 per cent, were due to the war, and $2,995,228, or 17.69 per cent, due to influenza.

There was a phenomenally large amount of new business written by all companies operating in Canada during the year and a reduction in the lapse ratio. There were 43 companies carrying on life insurance business in Canada, of which 24 were Canadian, eight British and eleven foreign. The net amount of life insurance in force at the end of the year was $2,187,337,317, an increase of $402,776,044 over the amount in force on March 31, 1919. Canadian companies transacted nearly half of this business.

There were 134 fire insurance companies doing business during the year, and of these 39 were Canadian, 40 British and 55 foreign.

CONDITION IS IMPROVED.

MELBOURNE, Feb. 16.—Mrs William Teeple who was stricken with paralysis while going upstairs at her home on Sunday evening is somewhat improved.

Following an illness of three weeks the death occurred at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Brown of Mrs. Harold Acres of Delaware. Besides her husband she is survived by three small children, four brothers, Oscar and Norman in the West, Frank in Toronto and Robert at home, and three sisters, Eva of Walkers, Mrs. Thornicroft of Melbourne and Miss Lillian at home.

BOARD ORDERS VACCINATION OF ALL STUDENTS

Those Who Do Not Obey Will Be Kept Out of Schools.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 16.—The board of health has ordered the compulsory vaccination of the pupils at the public and separate schools and collegiate institute. Those of the little one who fail to obey the order of the board will be excluded from the schools until the epidemic period has passed.

The principals will be directed to have the order of the board enforced, and that the children produce certificates of vaccination before being allowed to attend school.

Isolation Hospital Full.

Dr. McKillop reported that the isolation hospital was filled, and the doctor asked for instruction as to the disposal of the growing number throughout the city. So far 25 cases have been registered with the health officers, and six developed yesterday.

Mayor Brinkman objected to the press giving to the public unauthenticated information. The mayor insisted that the public be advised of the actual facts and let them be had from official sources.

The suggestion of the M. O. H. to provide additional isolation accommodation was left over until next week when quarters sufficient to meet the situation may be secured.

Close Public Places.

Dr. Turner advocated the closing-up of all public functions. The ministers and theatre owners will be asked to co-operate with the board in the protection of their congregations and patrons.

Pere Marquette Order.

The board was told by Dr. Turner that the agents on the Pere Marquette have been ordered not to sell tickets to people who would appear to be suffering from communicable disease.

The people will be appealed to that they exercise every precaution to avoid contagion.

The closing of churches, Sunday schools and theatres was left in abeyance.

A Committee Named.

The board named Dr. McKillop, M. O. H., and Dr. Turner a committee to wait on the proprietors of theatres and instruct them what possible measures might be adopted by them to prevent people with communicable diseases visiting from their theatres.

Chairman Taylor reported the percentage of children who had been vaccinated at the public schools: Wellington School, 134 out of 504; Myrtle, 147 out of 572; Scott Street, 70 out of 363; Balaclava, 100 out of 536; Hiawatha, 11 out of 71; Manitoba, 45 out of 172; Elmdale, 45 out of 236, making with those who have been vaccinated but not reported, an approximate total of 700 out of 2,500.

ONLY FOUR CASES FOR SPRING ASSIZES

Docket Before Justice Orde Will Be Very Light.

ST. THOMAS, Feb. 16.—The civil docket in the spring assizes, which open on Monday before Justice Orde, has only four cases, and the criminal list, one.

King vs. Moore.

The adjourned charge preferred by Miss Hickey of Detroit against Dr. Moore of London will be revived, although it is understood that the complainant will not be present. The crown attorney will, however, insist that the case be proceeded with, and the testimony given by the young lady at the trial, and taken by the magistrate, will not be offered the court should she fail to put in an appearance.

Hawley vs. Lipsey.

Adam Hawley, a watchman on the Pere Marquette, at Wilson avenue, is suing Dr. R. M. Lipsey of St. Thomas to recover $5,000 damages because of injuries received at the crossing by being struck with an auto of the defendant on 24th December, 1918, the collision breaking his arm and otherwise injuring him. Mr. Hawley also claims that Dr. Lipsey, who attended him, so unskilfully set the bones of his arm that Hawley has lost the use of it.

Middleton vs. Barber, et al.

Priscilla Middleton of Bayham is asking for a declaration that an alleged will of Benjamin Stilwell, who was her father, dated April 30, 1874, is not his last will, and is asking that it be removed from the records in the registry office.

It is stated in the pleadings that the signature to the will is not that of Benjamin Stilwell, and he never executed the same, and that the will had never been probated. A devise in the will gave a farm and other property to his brother, Melvin Stilwell, and the defendants, Francis Barber, L. Stilwell, Nancy Wicks, Henry Stilwell, Arthur Stilwell are the heirs of Melvin and are denying the action.

Smith Vs. Chambers.

Armand Smith and Mary Smith of Malahide are demanding $5,000 from Albert Chambers of Aylmer because of injuries received in an auto accident on July 25 last on a road in the township and places the blame on Chambers because of his negligence in driving the car.

Black Vs. Goulding.

This suit has been transferred from London, and involves the validity of a will in which the interested parties are Sarah Black, George Smith, Hattie Lindeburg, Lucinda Bower, Sarah Meyers (plaintiffs) and Jennie Goulding (defendant.)

FAST PACING MARE SOLD AT DELAWARE

SOUTH DELAWARE, Feb. 16.—Miss Mary McFarlane of Windsor was a recent visitor at her home here.

D. Campbell has sold his fast-pacing mare, Aggie Bell. She will be campaigned this year.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Eichenberger of Delaware visited their daughter, Mrs. Harry Prior, recently.

Chas. Parsons and wife were visitors with Lambeth relatives, recently.

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BUSHING WORK ON THAMESFORD BRIDGE

THAMESFORD, Feb. 16.—The work of laying the steel work of the bridge is well under way and the greater part is to be finished this week.

The W. F. O. social evening in the hall here was largely attended, and a most enjoyable time was spent.

The funeral of Kate Keys, wife of Hiram St. John of Pontiac, Mich., was held from the home of her sister, Miss Keys. The services were conducted by Rev. W. D. Davis in St. John's Church, and interment made in the cemetery. Mrs. St. John's early home was here, and many friends attended the services.

The remains of Rosina Elliot were brought from Port Huron to the home of her brother, John E. Day, 8th line, East Nissouri. Mrs. Elliot died very suddenly at her home. Many relatives attended the funeral services, which were conducted by Rev. C. Baker. Interment was made in the 7th line cemetery. Several relatives accompanied the body from Port Huron.

MEMORIAL WILL BE UNVEILED AT HARRISTON

Rev. T. D. McCullough of London to Attend the Ceremony.

HARRISTON, Feb. 16.—Rev. T. D. McCullough of London will be present at the unveiling of the memorial tablet in Guthrie Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning. The memorial contains the names of the thirty members of the congregation, who fell in the great war, and is a beautiful brass plate mounted on a base of oak.

A conference on the forward movement program was held in Guthrie Presbyterian Church, at which several congregations of the Presbytery of Saugeen participated. A conference of workers was held in the forenoon and public meetings in the afternoon and evening. Addresses were given by Mrs. D. T. L. McKerroll of Toronto, Rev. Dr. Harkness of Wroxeter, and Rev. Geo. MacDonald of Elora.

The pancake social given by the choir of Guthrie Presbyterian Church was a splendid success. The attendance was in the hundreds, and with the church being beautifully decorated in valentine fashion and the establishing of a postoffice for distributing valentines to all, every person had an excellent time. The proceeds of the social go toward defraying the cost of installing an organ blower.

Your grocer will tell you frankly that he makes less profit on Red Rose Tea than on other teas. The only object he has in recommending it is to see that you get the best quality possible.

CITY WILL TAKE DRASTIC ACTION TO SECURE MONEY

Suit May Be Entered Against Gas Company To Secure Service Charges Paid—Street Railway Reported To Be Considering Service at Cost Plan.

Shylock never demanded his pound of flesh more vociferously than some of the aldermen demanded money from the London Street Railway and the City Gas Company at a meeting of No. 1 committee Wednesday afternoon. All of the committee were not so enthusiastic. It was decided to consult City Solicitor T. G. Meredith, regarding the advisability of taking drastic measures to collect money due the city for paving the car tracks on Rectory street, and of suing the City Gas Company for the money city offices have paid in services charges.

Incidentally it developed in the discussion that the street railway has well-formulated plans for laying a "service-at-cost" plan before the council if it has the least hope of a favorable reception. Ald. P. J. Watt made the announcement, declaring that he had been talking with street railway officials and members of the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board, and that the matter must be brought to a head.

Requires $250,000.

To place the road in serviceable condition at least $250,000 is required for coaches and repairs, he stated. The company would like the city to take up a service at cost plan, he said. The road would be placed under control of a committee of the city council, which would have full control of expenditures. An adjustment would be made every six months to insure that the revenue was sufficient to run the road. Something must be done right away, Ald. Watt declared.

"Did they say what increase in fare would be necessary to raise the $250,000?" asked Mayor Little.

"They thought an increase of about half or three-quarters of a cent over the present fare would be sufficient. If it was too much it could be lowered at the end of the first six-months period," Ald. Watt replied.

What it Meant.

"One of the proposals last year was for six and seven tickets, and it was estimated that this would only provide a wage scale of 52 cents an hour and $55,000 for paving," the mayor pointed out.

"We didn't discuss the wages," Ald. Watt said.

"They should settle that before they come to the council," the mayor asserted.

Ald. Harley declared that the recent report for the year was not clear on some points. He claimed the company was $17,000 better off than indicated in the report, as one of the liabilities listed was "outstanding tickets," most of which, he declared, the company would never have to redeem. He wanted to move that the city solicitor take such action as was necessary to collect money due the city from the company for paving.

Will Get Advice.

Mayor Little protested that it would be in the interest of the company to have the present deadlock broken, and that if in pressing for its paving claims the city might be forced to take over the road at a high rate. The committee agreed to merely get the solicitor's advice.

Ald. George Wenige took the offensive on the gas question. A request was received from the citizens who brought action against the company to have the service charge declared illegal, asking the city to pay the solicitor's bill of $350. J. F. Thomson, speaking on behalf of this, said that the saving to the people this month alone was sufficient enough to justify it. Ald. Wenige accordingly made a motion that the city pay the whole cost.

"These people opened up the whole matter and settled it. It is only justifiable that we should pay their expenses," said Aldermen Watt and Watkinson were of the same opinion. The city council will have an opportunity to express its opinion on the matter next Monday.

May Sue Company.

Ald. Wenige also wanted to move that the city solicitor be instructed to sue the company for the money collected in service charges from city buildings. It was agreed to make a request to this effect first before taking the matter to court. Ald. Watt suggested that all the charges could be refunded to the people by monthly discounts on the gas bills.

The housing commission and housing legislation in general came in for criticism.

A motion was passed placing the salary of the commission's business agent on a commission basis. None of the 42 houses on Pine Lawn have been sold yet, although the business agent has been directing his best efforts toward this end for some months.

Ald. Watt declared the housing schemes all over the country had been a thing of insanity from beginning to end. Ald. Wenige suggested turning over all the houses now built to a reliable real estate firm and allowing the firm to dispose of them on a commission basis.

Ald. Watt thought this would involve the city in a considerable loss. Ald. Wenige said that was better than to lose the whole expenditure. Ald. Watt suggested renting some of the houses. City Clerk Baker said that would be impracticable.

No More Building.

Mayor Little said there would be no more houses built until the present matter was straightened out. Members of the committee agreed that no loan for further building this year would be asked until all the houses are sold. The mayor said he had held up payment of a check for work on the Pine Lawn houses because no itemized statement had accompanied it.

A special committee's recommendation that a referendum be held Saturday, March 19, on the city hall site, was referred to the council.

Aldermen Watt and Wenige who were a special committee on juvenile court matters, announced that Police Magistrate Graydon was willing to assume the duties of juvenile court judge, and would leave the question of remuneration to the council. He had suggested that other quarters than the present police station be secured for the court. The aldermen were much impressed with his keen interest in this phase of juvenile work, which he seemed to regard as one of the most important part of his duties.

Favors Magistrate.

Mayor Little declared that no one else in the city could fill the position so ably. He suggested that a room in one of the county buildings might be available for a court, and that the county would give the use of this free in return for the handling of its juvenile cases. The matter will be taken up with the county, and Building Inspector Piper will get in touch with Toronto authorities to learn what equipment is required for a court room. The salary of the judge will be dealt with in the estimates.

Aldermen Cameron Wilson and W. A. Wilson were named to act with Professor L. A. Wood and J. F. Thomson on a committee to interview the government on pending legislation regarding excessive rentals.

Gen. H. Panet wrote urging that a fire alarm box be installed on Carling Heights. Tecumseh Barracks was almost destroyed recently because twenty minutes delay occurred in turning in an alarm by telephone. The militia department is not willing to pay the cost of the box. Mayor Little said if the government contemplated moving the soldiers stationed here to Montreal, there was no object in the city making any expenditure. The matter was referred to the estimates, however, along with other recommendations along this line from Fire Chief Aitken, including an alarm box for Chelsea Green.

Accept Invitation.

The committee accepted an invitation to dine with other members of the city council at the Y. M. C. A. next Monday night, as the guests of boys' classes there. Following the dinner they will adjourn to the council chamber for their regular meeting, and the boys will be their guests in order to gain a first-hand knowledge of how city business is conducted.

The council's delegates to the town planning and housing conference in Toronto were authorized to support the new town planning act. City Clerk Baker said it embodied most of the changes suggested by the London council last year. It limits expenditure by a town planning committee to $10,000 annually.

Ask Legislation.

A letter was received from the chamber of commerce asking an investigation of the death of Ira Burtch. The building inspector and fire chief were requested to make investigations of other buildings with cornices overhanging the street, to see that they are in a safe condition. The chief reported that he was having difficulty in making some places maintain their fire escapes. He will bring legal action to enforce regulation along this line, he said.

Requests for grants by the Y. W. C. A. for the travelers' aid department and from Orange lodges for a convention to be held here this summer, were referred to estimates.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

Calcutta, Feb. 12.—City of Melbourne, Montreal.

Rotterdam, Feb. 13.—Dunaff Head, St. John, N. B.

Boston, Feb. 16.—United States, Copenhagen.

New York, Feb. 16.—Re d'Italia, Geneva.

Baltimore, Feb. 16.—Manchester Hero, Manchester.

Sailings:

Liverpool, Feb. 15.—Aquitania, New York.

Yokohama, Feb. 12.—Protesilaus, Vancouver.

Halifax, N. S., Feb. 16.—Arrived: Laurant E. Hansen, Bristol; Nasca, Fowey.

Sailed: Manchester Shipper, Manchester.

EVERY MEMBER OF OLD BOARD IS RE-ELECTED

Advocates of New Blood For Western Fair Made Little Progress.

Despite a strong agitation carried on since the closing day of last year's Western Fair for new blood on the board of directors, every member of the old board was re-elected at the annual meeting of the Western Fair Board held in the Tecumseh House on Wednesday. At a meeting held after the general meeting all the officers of the association were re-elected unanimously.

Although he made strenuous efforts to resign, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore was re-elected president. It required the persuasion of at least six members of the board to induce Col. Gartshore to change his decision of last year that he would retire from the presidency at the end of the business year. Mr. Gartshore accepted only on the condition that he be allowed to retire at the next annual meeting, for he said it was becoming harder each year to sever his connection with the board.

J. H. Saunders First Vice.

There was no opposition when J. H. Saunders was nominated for first vice-president. The other officers elected were: Second vice-president, W. E. Robinson; secretary, A. M. Hunt; treasurer, George F. Jewell; auditors, Andrew Dale and A. Screaton. The following chairmen of committee were elected: Finance, G. T. McCormick; grounds and buildings, William Moore; gates and tickets, A. T. Little; printing and advertising, John Pringle; attractions, W. McNeil.

Although in addition to the old members of the board, Edwin Smith, H. Hayman, W. A. Martin and Mr. Shore were nominated, in an effort to place new men among the directors, the old board was re-elected without exception. It is as follows: W. W. Gammage, Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, William Moore, R. A. Carrothers, W. McNeil, G. T. McCormick, W. E. Robinson, John Pringle, J. H. Saunders, Capt. T. E. Robson, A. T. Little and W. N. Martin.

A Verbal Warfare.

Outside of a verbal warfare conducted on the floor by Alderman G. A. Wenige on one side, and A. T. Little, W. W. Gammage and others on the other side, the only definite action taken at the meeting to secure new blood was in the form of a resolution brought in by the Builders' Exchange, recommending that four new members be elected to the board each year. This resolution, however, was laid over for the consideration of the new board.

In making the report for the past year, the contents of which have already been published, Col. Gartshore said that efforts were to be made to abolish the midway from the grounds in its entirety. He believed that it would be much better to keep the show entirely as an exhibition. This move, too, would conserve much badly needed space.

A recommendation was made by a member from the county that the high board fence encircling the race course should be lowered by one foot so that everyone going to the fair would be able to see the races, which were always one of the features advertised, whether he went on the grandstand or not. No action was taken on the recommendation. Systems of advertising the show were also discussed.

Mr. Wenige Critical.

After the real fight of the afternoon between the opposing factions, Mr. Wenige criticised the manner in which the report was presented. He wished to know why the directors did not give a report of the attendance. W. W. Gammage, in reply, said that such a course was impossible.

This did not satisfy Mr. Wenige, however, for he could not see why it was impossible when all the gates were equipped with turnstiles. He thought that if Toronto could give attendance returns London could. It was a loose way of conducting business, he said.

Only Five-Day Fair.

Mr. Wenige also wanted to know why the fair was advertised as an eight-day event, when it really lasted only five. He said that this led to much confusion. Mr. Gammage, replying to this, said that as gatekeepers were kept on the gates from Saturday to Saturday, the fair was entitled to be termed eight days. While Mr. Wenige was on the floor there were many interruptions and cross-firing. Mr. Wenige appealed to the chair.

It was announced by Secretary Hunt that following the usual precedure of setting the dates the next exhibition would be held from September 10 to 17, this year.

Well-Attended Dinner.

Nearly 200 representatives and delegates attended the meeting which followed dinner. They came from all parts of Western Ontario and represented many associations holding membership in the Western Fair Association. The meeting began at 12:30 and lasted until nearly 4 p.m., with varying degrees of intensity.

In replying to a toast to London, Mayor E. S. Little welcomed all delegates. After eulogizing the Western Fair as the greatest one-week show on the American continent, he said:

"There has been a great deal of talk—talk only remember—about the introducing of new blood on the board. All I have to say is this, if you do seek to find new blood you will have to look far before you find better men than the present directors."

Fourteen Counties United.

He urged upon everyone to consider themselves, not only citizens of London and Middlesex, but citizens of Western Ontario, the fourteen counties of which, he said, must be bound together for mutual good.

George Reid also replied to the toast. He claimed that the present directors had done much for London, and that he would feel badly if the board of directors were changed in any way.

I. B. Whale gave an address on the livestock situation that contained many recommendations for improvements at the fair. He said that all livestock breeders in Ontario must aim to breed better cattle if the industry were still to be a growing success. He urged the directors of the Western Fair to do all in their power to encourage better stock. He said that everything possible must be done to encourage stock-judging contests and exhibiting on the part of the young men. He advised organization and co-operation among cattle breeders.

Arthur Ford Speaks.

Arthur Ford, lately come to this city from Ottawa, where he acted on the board of directors of the Central Canada Exhibition, told of the many ways by which Ottawa strove to make its show a huge success. Among other things a baby clinic and an exhibition of children's work proved a great interest, he said. On Saturday, the closing night of the show, a huge mardi gras was staged. This attraction brought often 40,000 people to the grounds on that night.

He said that education must be the chief aim of an exhibition, but in order that the public might assimilate it to the greatest advantage, all attempts along these lines must be sugar-coated. There were no reasons, he asserted, why the Western Fair, Ottawa's greatest competitor, should not be head and shoulders better than the Central Exhibition, as it was in a much more favorable locality.

Fair Self-Supporting.

Col. Robert McEwen told of what was being done to encourage boys' and girls' calf competitions. George McCormick claimed that the Western was the only show of its kind to be self-supporting.

RESUME STUDY OF GERMAN.

Washington, Feb. 17.—The study of German, barred from the schools of Washington in 1917 through action of Congress, will be resumed next year. The board of education today announced it had approved text books to be used.

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35c Hutax Tooth Powder 19c

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50c Peps 32c

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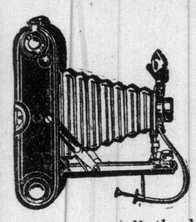
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FAIR BOARD VOTE SHOWS UNANIMITY

Balloting Gave No Indication That Change Was Desired.

Not only were the members of the last year's Western Fair board re-elected without exception at the annual meeting of the association held on Wednesday, but they were elected in such a manner that ample proof was provided that the voting representatives were almost unanimous in the belief that new blood was not required on the board.

Every member of the old board received 50 or more votes cast by the 75 or so voting representatives. Lieut.-Col. W. M. Gartshore, the president, received the highest vote, when 69 ballots were cast for him. The next highest was W. W. Gammage, with a total of 65. Of the three men nominated by those who sought to introduce new blood in the board, H. Hayman polled the highest vote, when he received 20.

According to figures issued today by Secretary A. M. Hunt, the standing of candidates was as follows: Lieut.-Col W. M. Gartshore 69, W. W. Gammage 65, Capt. T. E. Robson 65, Arthur Little 64, George McCormick 63, John H. Saunders 62, John Pringle 60, W. E. Robinson 60, W. McNeil 60, William Moore 59, R. A. Carrothers 59, and W. N. Manning 50. The defeated ones were: H. Hayman 20, W. A. Martin 16, Edwin Smith 13, and Mr. Shore 22. Mr. Shore was an outside man nominated by representatives from the county.

The election was accomplished without the preparation of a slate, it was claimed.

On Saturday at 1 p.m. the first meeting of the executive will be held. The members of 20 regular committees will be appointed at that time. Every representative to the fair board will be placed on one committee at least. The chairmen will be chosen from among the members of the board of directors.

CITY WILL START MORE SEWER WORK

Additional sewer construction, for which plans were completed today by City Engineer H. A. Brazier, will supply work for about twenty-five or thirty more men Friday. This will make a total of about 300 men placed on the city's payroll since efforts were started to relieve unemployment.

A shift of 82 men is taken on every three days, the previous shift being released. Men to form these shifts are taken in the order of their application at the city employment bureau in the East London hall. Today William Casson, who is in charge of the registration, reported that 800 men are on the list. Taking these in order for the vacant city jobs means that each man receives only three days' work in three weeks.

Both City Engineer Brazier and Mr. Casson are confident that considerably more work will be under way within a short time so that employment can be provided for a greater number than this.

CRUSHED AGAINST WALL, WORKMAN IS INJURED

W. McGarvey, 192 Grey Street, Removed to His Home.

W. McGarvey, 192 Grey street, this city, an employee of the Campbell Carriage factory, was seriously injured at 9:30 o'clock this morning, when he was crushed between a moving automobile and a wall of the factory building. He is suffering from severe lacerations about the upper thigh and injuries to the abdomen and pelvic bones.

Mr. McGarvey, who is a painter, was working on a heavy Packard car which had been sent to the paint shop for repairs. In ignorance of the danger to which their actions were exposing Mr. McGarvey, fellow workmen pushed the car forward. Before it could be brought to a standstill the victim was crushed against the wall.

When a doctor arrived he ordered the unfortunate man removed to his home. Owing to lacerations and bruises the doctor was unable to say whether any bones had been broken. It will be a few days before it is known whether there are internal injuries. The doctor announced this afternoon that there was every hope for Mr. McGarvey's recovery.

GRAIN BOATS ARE BEING UNLOADED

GODERICH, Feb. 16.—The boats that are lying in the harbor here are being cut out of the ice, and the grain transferred to the Goderich elevator. The usual spring repair work on the boats will be commenced in a few days.

A great deal of ice needed for the coming summer has been cut. Many people believe that they will not get a chance to get any better ice than has formed.

A party of canvassers for a Toronto publication got in decidedly wrong at some of the places, where they called as a result of remarks they made. Some of the language was entirely uncalled for, so much so that Chief of Police Postlethwaite was notified. One man as a result of the chief's action tendered an apology at a home where he had been abusive. The manager of the canvassers and his men left town shortly after.

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Take a teaspoonful of the powder or two compressed tablets with a little water after your next meal, and see what a difference this makes. It will instantly neutralize the dangerous, harmful acid in the stomach which now causes your food to ferment and sour, making gas, wind, flatulence, heartburn and the bloated or heavy lumpy feeling that seems to follow most everything you eat.

You will find that provided you take a little bisurated magnesia immediately after a meal, you can eat almost anything and enjoy it without any danger of pain or discomfort to follow and, moreover, the continued use of the bisurated magnesia cannot injure the stomach in any way so long as there are any symptoms of acid indigestion.—Advt.

City Briefs

BUILDING PERMIT.—A building permit was taken out by J. A. Brownlee today to erect a two-story frame and stucco dwelling at 941 Princess avenue, to cost $4,000.

BANK CLEARINGS.—The bank clearings for this week were $2,713,546. For the same week last year they were $3,236,451, showing a decrease of $522,505.

LITTLE SICKNESS.—According to the weekly health report there is comparatively little sickness in the city. The report shows four cases of mumps, thirteen of scarlet fever, seven of measles, two of diphtheria, and four of chickenpox.

ACTING MAYOR.—Ald. W. A. Wilson is acting mayor of the city today. Mayor Little is attending a town planning conference in Toronto. This is the second time within a few days that Ald. Wilson has been chosen to fill this important position.

SKATING AT THE COVE.—It was stated this morning that the ice at the coves is in excellent condition for skating. The mild weather of the past few days thawed the rough surface, and the cold spell last night and today has made the surface smooth. There are two shacks erected for changing skates.

EMBLEMS ARRIVE. — The new style of radiator emblem for the London Motor Club has arrived and is now ready for distribution. It is of handsome and artistic design in enamel and gold, having in the centre the Union Jack, encircled by a wreath of maple leaves.

LECTURE ON "HEREDITY."—An interesting lecture on the subject of "Heredity and Environment" was given Wednesday night before St. Joseph's Hospital Alumnae Association by Professor A. D. Robertson of the Western University. A business meeting of the association followed the address. Miss K. C. McDonnell presided.

MOTOR CLUB DINNER. — The annual meeting and dinner of the London Motor Club takes place in the Tecumseh House on Friday evening at 6:30. The speakers include W. Frank Goforth, president Ontario Motor League; W. S. Gilbreath, manager Detroit Automobile Club, and M. M. Maxwell, manager Chatham Chamber of Commerce.

BOX SOCIAL.—A box social, held at the home of Frank H. Fitzgerald, in London Township by the Ladies' Aid of Zion Methodist Church, in aid of the Chinese famine sufferers, netted $146. Deputy Reeve Fuller presided. The program included selections by the Bryanston orchestra, readings by Miss O'Dell of London, and an address by Rev. Mr. Wellands. George Pack assisted in the auctioning of the boxes.

CONDITIONS IN CHINA.—Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Crawford of 339 Horton street, have received a number of interesting clippings from a Chinese paper from their son, Dr. Wallace Crawford, who is a medical missionary in the General Hospital at Tzeliutsing, China. Dr. Crawford is a correspondent for the paper from which he sent the clippings, and they give detailed information of the terrible conditions in China at the present time. The hospital in which Dr. Crawford is serving is the only one in a constituency of two million Chinese.

ALUMNI MEETING.—Much interest is being manifested in the annual meeting of the Western Ontario O. A. C. Alumni Association, which takes place on Friday, February 25, in the London office of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. A large attendance of the members is looked for, and it is expected that each will bring with him one or two others who are likely to join the association. The election of officers will be an important item, and it is expected that a special speaker will be on hand to give a talk on "The Place of the O. A. C. ex-Student in the Farming Community." There will also be a meeting of all O. A. C. ex-students in the province at the Carls-Rite Hotel, Toronto, on March 10, for the purpose of forming a provincial alumni association.

SENATE COMMITTEES HOLD ORGANIZATION MEETINGS TOMORROW

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Senate committees have been struck and will hold their organization meetings tomorrow. It is expected that the Senate divorce committee will start work some day next week on the applications before it.

UNION OFFICIALS MAKE AN APPEAL TO RANEY

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Declaring that the strike at the plant of the Beaver Board Company at Thorold is not a sympathetic strike, but a combined strike and lockout, in which the mechanical trades refused to accept a reduction of wages, and that as a result the management locked out the other 300 employees, a deputation of international trade union officials arrived in the city today to see Attorney-General Raney, and protest against the methods being used to maintain law and order in that town. The trouble in Thorold is the result of carrying out what the manufacturers in the United States choose to call "the American plan," which is only a substitution phrase for the "open shop," said General Organizer Flett of Hamilton.

MUSICAL CRITIC DIES.

New York, Feb. 17.—Sylvester J. E. Rawling, 63, musical critic of the New York Evening World, died here of heart disease last night. A shock caused by the sudden death last week of his colleague, James Hunekar, musical critic of the Morning World, is believed by his friends to have hastened his end.

Mr. Rawling, who was born in England, and had been connected with New York City papers for nearly half a century.

INVESTIGATE INDUSTRY.

Amsterdam, Feb. 17.—State authorities were instructed to investigate industry and attempt to bring about normal conditions by a resolution passed by the second chamber of Parliament here today. This action followed rejection of a plan for payment to unemployed persons by the Government, several members declaring that the reason Dutch factories had been shut down was not the cancellation of orders, but merely a causeless panic among industrial interests.

WILL CONSIDER PROPOSAL.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—The board of directors of the Inland Press Association has agreed to consider a proposal through which high school students will be interested in the mechanical department of daily newspapers to the end that the present editorial department surplus may be diverted to the linotype machines. It was declared the shortage of linotype operators was becoming serious.

PAY INTEREST ON DEBT.

London, Feb. 17.—Great Britain during the course of the next financial year must make provision to pay the interest on the United States debt. This announcement was made yesterday by Austen Chamberlain, chancellor of the exchequer, to a trade deputation representing the federation of the British industries. The conference with the chancellor took place in the House of Commons. It was urged that owing to the burdens of trade and the existing slump an attempt should be made to reduce taxation.

SCHOOL REPORTS

ARKONA SCHOOL REPORT.

Arkona public school report:

Senior IV.—W. Johnson, Shea Marsh, P. McNaughton, H. Wilson, Arnold Lucas, Flo White, Alice Wilson, C. Johnson.

Junior IV.—Marian Wilson, A. Morningstar, Geo. Holmes.

Senior III.—Ruth Purdy, C. Hume, A. Donaldson, P. Hostetler, Vera Johnson, Ernest Faulds, Herman Holmes, J. Johnson.

Junior III.—Berta Johnson, Willie Woolvett, M. Utter, Willie Farley, M. Eastman, Olive White, D. Huff, W. Marsh, Gertie Faulds, G. Utter, E. Johnson, B. Meadows.

Senior II.—I. Richter, Robt. Austin, Helen Jones, F. Utter, F. Walker, L. Walker, E. Johnson, Jack Thoman, S. Holmes, G. Wilson, F. Meadows, M. Eastman, G. Wilson, L. Richter, Vivian Utter.

Miss I. A. Brown, teacher.

DECLARE SYSTEM IS OUTRAGEOUS

County Officials Favor Change Regarding Appointment of Magistrates.

"One magistrate for each county" does not seem a good plan in the opinion of Middlesex officials. The proposition is to pay each magistrate a fair salary and abolish all justices of the peace, some of whom, a special Government commission found, could not read or write.

The objection to the proposed plan is that there would be too much work for one man in a county as large as Middlesex. From one border to the opposite one is 60 miles in this county. This would mean that the magistrate would either have to be a travelling official or prisoners and witnesses would have to be brought from all parts of the county to the court house here. It is thought it would be necessary to have four magistrates to do the work effectively. This, of course, would mean a large annual amount for salaries.

Signing of informations and warrants might prove another stumbling block it was claimed. If an officer was required to get the magistrate's signature he might have to travel many miles to secure it. This could be partially remedied by authority being given division court clerks to sign the documents, which would later be indorsed by the magistrate, originators of the proposition, have contended.

One thing, however, is certain in the minds of the majority of officials and that is that the present system must be changed, as it was described as "outrageous."

Obituary

DEATH OF MRS. POGGIOLINI.

Mrs. Lillie Poggiolini, wife of Louis Poggiolini, died in her 70th year, at her home, 372 St. James' street, on Wednesday evening. The funeral will be held Friday from Oatman's funeral parlors, 115 Dundas street to Woodland Cemetery.

DEATH OF MRS. McLEOD.

Mrs. Edith M. McLeod, 332 Eva street, died today in Victoria Hospital following a short illness with pneumonia. Mrs. McLeod, who was born in Delaware, is survived by her husband, and ten children: Mrs. H. P. Clarke, William, Jack, George, David, Robert, Edward, Francis, Thomas and Florence; her mother, one sister, Mrs. F. Compton, St. Thomas and three brothers, William Leaker of Lumsden, Sask.; J. R., of Moose Jaw, and G. M., in Saskatchewan, also survive. The funeral will be held on Saturday afternoon from the family residence.

LEGISLATURE GRANTS CHATHAM RIGHT TO HAVE CITY MANAGER

Toronto, Feb. 17.—At the private bills committee of the Legislature this morning the bill introduced by R. L. Brackin, Liberal member for West Kent, authorizing the city of Chatham to appoint a city manager was passed. The bill also permits the reduction of the elective council to a mayor and seven aldermen. Under the bill municipal elections are to be held on the first Monday in November.

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STOP CRIME

scientific aspect. Humanitarianism divorced from science or common sense, were mere sentimentalism. The days of the rack, the thumbscrew and the padded cell were gone, but the spirit of taking revenge on our prisoners, of treating them with severity, was not dead.

The old way was to put prisoners as far as possible underground, with an accompaniment of rats and damp and foul air, and give them generally "a rotten time," but these times were gone for ever.

A Peculiar Fact.

He was sure that 90 per cent of the men in Burwash did not think of the crime for which they were being punished when they started out in the morning, perhaps not an hour before, and when they committed the offence they never dreamt of the result.

The United States had made more experiments in the treatment of criminals than any other country. Some of these had good results, but others had a different effect.

"There are some prisons in the States today that one would pay to get into," the doctor declared.

Begin at Home.

But, after all, the home was the proper place to begin the cure of the criminal, and for this purpose four things were necessary—love, intelligence, industry and patience.

Stop Crime.

Bad books were also a factor in the making of criminals, but ten times worse than any other evil influence, in his opinion, was the indiscriminate patronage of vicious movies. A good picture show was all right, but there were others quite different.

Dr. Lavell was accorded a hearty vote of thanks for his highly instructive remarks.

REFUSE PERMITS FOR SALE OF LIQUORS AT QUEBEC RACE MEETINGS

Quebec, Feb. 17.—When adjournment was called last night, clause 100 of the Quebec liquor bill had been reached in discussion of the bill by the Assembly. But as most of the contentious clauses have been suspended, this still leaves much to be done before the bill gets third reading.

The Government adopted several minor amendments, one of them covering refusal of permits for sale of alcoholic liquor at race meetings.

The age limit was lowered from 21 to 18.

Doctors, druggists, veterinary surgeons, and dentists are to be allowed more than one bottle of liquor for use by them in their professions.

NEGOTIATE SETTLEMENT.

Vienna, Feb. 17.—Negotiations have been begun by Austrian and Hungarian plenipotentiaries for the settlement of the German West Hungary dispute. The crux of the matter apparently is the desire of Hungary to retain the city of Odenburg, the principal city of the territory.

FISHER'S CONDITION IMPROVED.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Canadian Press.—The condition of Hon. Sydney Fisher, former minister of agriculture, who is ill at his home at Rockcliffe, was stated this morning to be somewhat improved. Mr. Fisher passed a good night, though his condition during the past couple of days has caused his friends some alarm.

SOME WATERMELONS

Washington, Feb. 17.—One hundred and ten pound watermelons! They have 'em in Egypt! United States consular reports say so, and consuls never err. But they keep 'em all at home. There is no export business. The consul at Alexandria noted the melons in the market there, "all weighing from 10 to 110 pounds, and varying in price from 30 cents to $1.50." He also noted that while they were just "watahmellions," they had been given funny names, such as "battikh" and "nims" and "yaffawi," and that only two melons grow to a plant.



BUSINESS IS GOOD.

Business on the Grand Trunk has suffered but little from the general business slump, according to statistics for the month of January prepared by local officials of that road. It was shown by this report that freight shipments from the local division showed a decrease in tonnage of only 11 per cent when compared with the corresponding period of last year. The freight situation is steadily growing better. It was stated today that the number of cars shipped daily from this city at the present time equaled the number shipped daily six months ago.

TO PROTECT PUBLIC.

In order to give greater protection to the traveling public the G. T. R. will take steps to prevent, if possible, persons suffering from contagious diseases from traveling on trains where they would be in contact with other people. It is believed that at times people are needlessly exposed to whooping-cough and other similar diseases through negligence on the part of persons afflicted.

WILL STOP BEGGING.

Because there are many people who make a practice of begging on trains the Grand Trunk officials have decided to take steps to put a stop to it. All conductors have been warned that because such things are against the rules of the company beggars must not be allowed to molest passengers.

WILL RUSH A SPECIAL.

To accommodate London hockey fans, the G. T. R. will run a special train from this city to Preston on Friday evening. The train will leave this city at 6:15 p.m., arriving in Preston two hours later.

WILL COST $500,000.

Bearing 5,000 bales of cotton, a solid freight train of 50 new G. T. R. cars, will pass through this city on Sunday next en route from St. Louis to Boston. Each car will bear four banners stretched across its full length, bearing the following inscription:

"This train is loaded with 5,000 bales of cotton, shipped by G. S. Tiffany & Co., St. Louis, Mo., via the C. E. and I. and G. T. R., to New England."

The freight cars will be new 40-foot automobile cars, of a type never before seen in this division. The proposition will cost $500,000. The train will leave St. Louis today, proceeding to Chicago via the C. E. and I., from Chicago to Montreal over the G. T. R., and from there to Boston via the Central Vermont.

VICTIM OF PNEUMONIA.

The sympathy of all the local employees of the G. T. R. goes out to R. M. McLeod of this city, employed as an engineer on that road, in the death of his wife. Mrs. McLeod died this morning from pneumonia.

INSPECTORS FORCED TO SUBMIT TO AN EXAMINATION ALSO

New York, Feb. 17.—The rigidity of inspection of all immigrants from the typhus-infested areas of Europe was demonstrated early today at the Grand Central Station, when 650 immigrants from the steamship and arrived on a special train from Boston. Sixty-two men, twelve women and fifteen boys were held for delousing at a local hospital.

Aboard the train were six immigrant inspectors of the International Mercantile Marine. The inspectors, believing themselves immune from examination started to leave the station on arriving, but were held up and informed they, too, would have to submit to inspection, owing to their having been in contact with the immigrants. All protested vigorously, but to no avail.

THEATRES MAY HELP CITY'S UNEMPLOYED

Co-operation of the theatres in relieving the distress caused by unemployment is being sought by Ald. John Ashton. He has approached one or two managers with the suggestion that they give the proceeds of one day's performance to a fund to be used for relief purposes.

They regarded the suggestion favorably and he is now planning to take up the maeter with other theatres. He is confident that all the performances would be largely attended if the citizens know the purpose for which the proceeds were to be used.

A competent committee would be appointed by the Trades and Labor Council to administer the fund.

ITALIANS IMPOSE RESTRICTIONS OWING TO TYPHUS OUTBREAK

Trieste, Feb. 17.—Italian authorities have forbidden railroad or sea passage to emigrants from Poland, Czecho-Slovakia and Jugo-Slavia as a result of the discovery that travelers from those countries were in some cases suffering from typhus fever. This regulation will continue for one month, during which time conditions among emigrants awaiting steamers here will be thoroughly investigated.

After that no emigrants will be allowed to embark until regulations prescribed by the United States Government have been carried out.

W. E. KELLY NOW CROWN-ATTORNEY

SIMCOE, Feb. 16.—The appointment of W. E. Kelly, K.C., as crown attorney for Norfolk County to fill the vacancy caused by the death of the late T. R. Slaght is announced today.

PICTOU MILL DESTROYED.

Pictou, N. S., Feb. 17.—The Atlantic Milling Company's mill was destroyed by fire last night. The loss is $20,000, partially covered by insurance.

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ing and came rather unexpectedly, it having been thought that such a gathering would not be called until early next week.

There will be a general discussion on the legislation mentioned in the speech from the throne and other legislation proposed by the Government during the session.

DEMANDS CORRESPONDENCE.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Canadian Press.—Diplomatic representation in Washington, D. C., is the subject of a question which Hon. Charles Murphy will ask on Friday of the government. Mr. Murphy demands to know what steps, if any, the Canadian Government has taken to appoint a representative at Washington, in pursuance of the authority obtained from parliament at the last session.

Mr. Murphy also wants to know if Sir Auckland Geddes, British ambassador to the United States, or any other representative of British Government has had any correspondence with the Canadian Government on the subject.

Another question which Mr. Murphy will place on the order paper relates to the governor-generalship. He will ask if Lord Northcliffe or his secretary, Sir Campbell Stuart, has made any representations to the Canadian Government on the subject. He asks if the appointment of Lord Burnham has been suggested or urged, and demands the tabling of any correspondence which exists relating thereto.

FACTS CONCERNING STRIKES.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—Dr. Michael Steel of South Perth has a number of questions on the order paper of the House of Commons relative to strikes. He is asking how many strikes occurred in Canada in 1913, 1914, 1919 and 1920, and what was the total number of working days and the estimated loss in wages in each year on account of strikes.

INQUIRIES ABOUT BOARD.

Ottawa, Feb. 17.—(Canadian Press).—P. F. Casgrain of Charlevoix-Montmorency, wishes to know whether the board of commerce is still in existence. He has placed on the order paper of the House of Commons a number of questions as to the work and decisions of the board and its personnel.

Mr. Casgrain also asks whether the Government is aware that there has been considerable hoarding of foodstuffs in cold storage throughout the country. He wishes to know whether the Government intends to take any special steps to bring down legislation to prevent such conditions.

MEDICAL MEN URGE CAREFUL INSPECTION ONTARIO HOSPITALS

Deputation Is Promised That Requests Will Be Well Considered.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Representing the Ontario Medical Association, Dr. V. Henderson and Dr. F. C. Routley, Toronto; Drs. J. H. Mullin and J. P. Morton of Hamilton and H. A. Boyce of Kingston, waited upon Premier Drury and Hon. Walter Rollo, minister of health, this morning. The deputation urged upon the Government:

1—The advisability of making a survey of the amount of unattended sickness occurring in the province.

2—The advisability of transferring the present nursing and medical school inspection from the department of education to the department of health.

3—The real necessity for measures which will guarantee the continuous and efficient standardization of drugs.

4—The necessity for carrying post graduate teaching to more remote places where practitioners cannot leave their homes to attend the great institutions of learning.

Inspect Hospitals.

The deputation urged that the hospitals of the province should be carefully inspected as to the standardization of their scientific equipment, and as to what further equipment would be required to bring them up to a degree of modern efficiency.

Hon. Walter Rollo told the deputation that so far as transferring the medical school inspection from the department of education to his own, that "if you can convince the department of education of the advisability, then your battle is won."

The medical men asked the Government for a grant of $10,000 towards a fund established to assist the association's committee on education in connection with the post-graduate schedule it had arranged. The prime minister thought "it ought to be a matter for self-help."

The prime minister promised that the cabinet would fully consider the requests made by the deputation.

VISITING EX-EMPRESS.

Doorn, Holland, Feb. 17.—Adelbert Hohenzollern, third son of former emperor William and Empress Augusta Victoria, arrived here yesterday to visit the bedside of his mother, who long has suffered from heart disease. The Duchess of Brunswick, daughter of the former emperor and Former Prince Oscar also are at Doorn.

WILL ERECT CHURCH.

Vancouver, B. C., Feb. 17.—The Sixth Avenue Methodist Church board plans to erect the first memorial church in Canada, at a cost of $150,000. The names of 59,000 Canadians who died in the war will be inscribed in a huge book of brass leaves.

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

[Reported by Edward Cronyn & Co.]

Toronto, Feb. 17.

	Asked.	Bid.		Asked.	Bid.
Abitibi..	45½	44¾	Rogers..	55	50
do pfd.	0 9	..	do pfd.	87	84
Am Cy..	33	30	Russell..	70	..
do pfd.	..	60	do pfd.	60	55
A Sales..	75	70	Sawyer..	15	..
A Sugar.	32	31	do pfd.	52	50
do pfd.	..	50	SWheat.	130	..
Barcel...	5½	5⅜	do pfd.	..	97
Brazilian	34⅞	34⅝	Spanish.	78½	77½
B C Fish.	..	45	do pfd.	88¾	..
Bell Tel.	108	106	St Chem	8	5
Burt. c..	107	105½	do pfd.	..	25
do pfd.	107	106	Stl Can.	63½	63
C Bread.	20	19½	do pfd.	..	92
do pfd.	86	..	Tooke...	60	56
C Car...	..	70	Tor Ry.	71½	71
Cement	59¾	59¼	Tre'wey.	18	16
do pfd.	..	92	Tucketts	51½	50
C Fdry..	90	..	do pfd.	85	..
C S L..	37½	37¼	Tw City.	46½	45¾
do pfd.	69	68½	W Flour.	120	110
CGElec..	107½	106½	Win Ry.	..	46
do pfd.	..	100	Banks, etc.—		
C Loco..	88	..	Com'rce.	190	187
do pfd.	..	86	Domin..	2[illegible]2	..
C P R..	135	134	Hamil'n.	..	180½
C Salt..	99	89	Imperial.	188	..
C Dairy.	..	57	Merch..	177	..
do pfd.	..	82	Molsons	..	174
Coniag's.	225	200	Montr'l.	..	210
Smelters	20	19¾	NScotia.	260	258
Con Gas.	..	130	Royal...	202	..
Cr Res.	18	17	Stand..	201	..
Cr Nest.	..	52	Union..	159	..
Detroit..	95	93	C Land.	135	133½
Dome	1800	1765	C Perm	..	178
Canners.	40	..	Col Inv	..	77
do pfd.	80	..	D S[illegible]ing.	..	70
D Iron.	..	77	H[illegible]rov.	145	..
DSCorp.	48¼	47¾	L[illegible]Bank.	140	137
Dom Tel.	84	82	L & C..	120	117
Duluth.	14¼	13½	N Trust.	195	190
Ford M.	280	260	Ontario.	..	160
do pfd	..	153	do 20pc	..	150
LWoods.	..	154	TGTrus.	..	192
do pfd.	..	94	T Mort.	..	132
Larose...	29½	27	UTrust.	..	100
Mackay..	78	77½	C Bread.	86	85
do pfd.	64	68	C Loco..	89	85
M Leaf...	..	145	Canners.	..	90
do pfd.	..	97	D Iron..	81	80
Mexican	10	5	Elec Dev	..	92
Monarch	35	.	Mexican.	..	40
do pfd.	..	58	Penman.	88¾	88
N S Car	5¼	5	Pt Rico..	..	66
do pfd.	28	24	Quebec..	..	62
Nipis'g.	925	900	Rio Jan.	..	77½
NSSteel.	44	42	Sterling	..	85
Ogilvie..	..	202	S Paulo	80½	80
do pfd.	..	99	Spanish.	97	..
O S P..	67	65	Stl Can.	95	..
P Burt..	36¾	..	War Loan,		
do pfd.	..	76	1925...	94¼	..
Penman.	110	109	1931...	94	93¾
do pfd.	..	78	1937...	97¾	97⅜
Pt Hope..	72	..	Victory,		
Pt Rico.	48	46	1922...	99	98¾
do pfd.	80	75	1923...	98½	98⅜
P Paper.	102	97	1924...	96½	96⅜
do pfd.	87¾	87½	1927...	98	97⅞
Quebec..	27¾	27¼	1933...	98¾	98⅝
Riordon.	146	..	1934...	95⅜	95¼
do pfd.	81	80	1937...	99¾	99⅝



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BOARD FEELS NO APOLOGY REQUIRED

Nothing Said or Done to Offend Government Members, They Say.

"The honor of the board is vindicated." This was the decision of London's school trustees after they had discussed in solemn session today a report from Toronto in which an impropriety was alleged during their recent visit to the Government Buildings.

Some member of the board is alleged to have referred to the Government as "only a bunch of farmers," and to have stirred the wrath of R. H. Grant, minister of education. Dr. H. A. Stevenson, M. L. A. for London, took it on himself to apologize for the alleged affront.

Questions the Report.

Trustee Rowe, at a special meeting today, rose to a question of privilege to ask if the report was correct. Trustee Mrs. Hunt was the only member of the board who volunteered a statement. She declared she had not heard anything of that nature. She had seen the secretary write something on a piece of paper and then tear it up. A few minutes afterwards Mr. Grant came in with "blood in his eye."

If there was any basis for the incident it must have been a distortion of some well-intentioned piece of pleasantry, other members of the board declared following the meeting. The whole board had held a conference with the minister relative to the high school question, and had then left.

Went Back Again.

It was then remembered that several members had been appointed a special committee to interview the minister about the education of sub-normal children as well. These trustees, therefore, returned to the minister's office. He was not in. During the conversation which followed with the secretary it is possible that something may have been said which could have been misinterpreted as a slighting reference to the Government. They do not recall any such remark, however, and therefore, do not feel that there is anything for which they should apologize.

EMIGRATION SUSPENDED.

Trieste, Feb. 17.—Emigration from Central Europe to the United States has been suspended, and the eastern frontiers of Italy have been closed, pending the cleaning up of the sanitary situation here.

LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE.

London, Feb. 17.—Closing prices today were:

British 5 per cent loan	85⅛
British 4½ per cent loan	78¼
Consols, for money	46⅜
Atchison, com.	103
Baltimore & Ohio	42
Canadian Pacific	149
Chesapeake & Ohio	74
Chicago Great Western	9
Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul	34
De Beers	11
Denver & Rio Grande	2¾
Erie, com.	17
Erie, 1st pfd.	24
Grand Trunk	4⅝
Illinois Central	111
Louisville & Nashville	126
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	4
New York Central	90
Norfolk & Western	126
Ontario & Western	21
Pennsylvania Railway	50
Rand Mines	2⅝
Reading Railway	96
Southern Railway	27½
Southern Pacific	99
United States Steel	106½

BANK CLEARINGS.

Toronto	$102,743,134
Winnipeg	45,399,111
Ottawa	7,228,305
Quebec	6,198,023
Hamilton	5,713,568
Halifax	3,074,505
Windsor	2,668,107
St. John	2,501,324
Sherbrooke	1,236,777
Brantford	1,177,901
Moncton	940,115
Kitchener	923,554
Fort William	844,835

STANDARD STOCK EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Dome Mines suffered a setback this morning, with a net loss of 50c per share. Holly was steady at $6.80, Keora unchanged at 19½c, McIntyre gained 2c at $2.02, while Lake Shore sold off 1c to $1.20. Peterson Lake, the only active stock, was up ¼c at 8c. Total sales, 50,110.

[Special to the Advertiser.]

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Morning sales: Atlas, 500 at 27½; Dome, 200 at 18.50; Gold Reef, 17,000 at 4; Holly, 135 at 683, 400 at 680, 15 at 685, 50 at 684; Keora, 6500 at 19½, 500 at 19¾; Kirkland Lake, 600 at 56; Lake Shore, 400 at 121, 100 at 120; McIntyre, 100 at 202; Porcupine Crown, 75 at 22; Schumacher, 1000 at 26; Teck-Hughes, 1000 at 11; Krist, 500 at 7¼, 5000 at 7¼; V. N. T., 1500 at 23, 5000 at 22; Annex, 500 at 29½; Skead, 200 at 30; Rockwood Oil, 4000 at 3¼, 500 at 3; Vacuum Gas, 500 at 18½; Beaver, 700 at 40½; Coniagas, 45 at 180; Mining Corporation, 350 at 118; Nipissing, 40 at 900; Peterson Lake, 500 at 7¾, 1000 at 8. Total sales, 50,115 shares.

COTTON.

Liverpool, Feb. 17.—Cotton—Futures closed steady; Feb., 8.74d; March, 8.80d; April, 8.86d; May, 9d; June, 9.04d; July, 9.16d; Aug., 9.19d; Sept., 9.22d; Oct., 9.24d; Nov., 9.26d; Dec., 9.29d; Jan., 9.31d.

KING GRANTS USE OF ST. JAMES PALACE TO HOLD CONFERENCES

Delegations to London Gathering Will Represent Nearly Thirty Countries.

London, Feb. 17.—The King has given the use of St. James's Palace for the forthcoming allied conference in London, which will be the occasion of an almost unprecedented gathering of European statesmen. Altogether from 25 to 30 countries will be represented by various missions, which will begin to arrive next week. These delegations will number nearly 300 persons, including the German representatives, all of whom will be the guests of the government, and accommodated in various hotels.

In addition to the two conferences on the Sevres treaty and reparations, there has been fixed for February 27 a conference of ministers of commerce and business experts of seventeen countries. The Austrian Government has asked the British Government for permission to send their chancellor to London with his ministers of food and finance for the purpose of discussing allied assistance to Austria in the shape of credits to stabilize Austria's position as to the scheme proposed at Paris for an international bankers' syndicate to afford aid had failed to materialize. The Austrian statesmen assert that unless something is done Austrian currency will become as hopeless as Russian.

The British foreign office has not yet decided whether to acquiesce.

Women Active In By-Election

London, Feb. 17.—(Canadian Associated Press).—Great importance is being attached to the by-election in Cardiganshire, Wales, where the coalition candidate, Capt. Evans, secretary to the prime minister, is being opposed by Llewellyn Williams, Liberal, and the canvassing in the final days is being conducted at Whitehall.

Prominent women are active on both sides. Mrs. Lloyd George has made another motor tour of the rural districts, leaving her car to speak first in Welsh and then in English to small parties of plowmen in the fields. Lady Bonham Carter, Mr. Asquith's daughter, is also active on behalf of the Liberal candidate, and yesterday she delivered twelve speeches. Lady John Simons, another Liberal worker, spoke at twelve meetings in two days.

BUTTER AND EGGS.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Butter—Higher; creamery extras, 47c.

Eggs—Higher; receipts, 15,095 cases; at mark, cases included, 32@33c.

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FORDNEY TARIFF

markets for his produce, and Europe is the logical place to find such an outlet. The bill will, moreover, strengthen the bonds which exist between Canada and the Empire, between this country and the mother country.

"Another effect of the new measure will be to increase the cost of living in the United States, and to bring down prices in Canada until new markets have been developed, and things have readjusted themselves."

Another farmer on the market today told The Advertiser that Canada could retaliate in various ways. "Two can play at that game," he said.

"No doubt some Canadians will be hard hit," he declared, "but we shall have to stir around and find fresh outlets."

Seek British Markets.

It will be recollected that when Hon. Manning Doherty addressed the Dairymen's Association of Western Ontario at their recent convention in London he strongly advised them to turn their attention to the English market, pointing out that Australia and New Zealand had already established strong trade connections with the old country. Mr. Doherty also said that Dr. Creelman, commissioner for Ontario in London, England, had risen to the importance of pushing Canadian produce over there on every possible opportunity, and had secured samples of Ontario butter and cheese for the purpose of carrying on his campaign.

Hits Argentina, Too.

In regard to the 30 per cent ad valorem duty on live cattle and the 25 per cent on fresh and frozen meats, the Argentine will feel the effects, as well as Canada. This, it is thought, may also hasten matters in connection with the removal of the embargo which Britain has placed on Canadian cattle for so many years.

Sees Cheaper Meat.

"Meat prices will be reduced here in accordance with the increase in tariff," said J. A. Anderson of Anderson Bros., meat dealers. "It means that there will be a general reduction in all meat prices with the farmer coming out on the small end of the bargain. He will be the one who will be hit hardest as far as meats and grain are concerned. It will, however, mean a jump in vegetable prices, as the farmer will have to make up in some manner for what he lost through live stock and grain."

Mr. Anderson pointed out that there was no tariff at present on Canadian live stock shipped to markets in the United States, but a tax was placed on all dressed meats. Before the Fordney bill was introduced. The proposed tariff on live stock is: Cattle, except for breeding purposes, 30 per cent ad valorem; sheep, over one year old, $2 per head, and sheep under one year, $1 per head. In consequence, the cost price of live cattle will be reduced 30 per cent, according to the value. Live sheep prices will be reduced accordingly.

Veto Is Unlikely.

"It has been stated that President-Elect Harding can veto the bill," declared Mr. Anderson, "but if he does, he is not standing by the platform by which he was elected."

Dominion Fruit Inspector George Connor said that this district would not be affected very much by the tariff on fruits. The Niagara district will suffer most. He suggested that in order to retaliate, a duty should be placed on all fruit imports from the States of Oregon and Washington.

"A considerable amount of the imported fruits in this district come from Oregon, and Washington," he said. "Fruit grown in this part of Ontario is generally exported to the west, and the United Kingdom."

Whea Is Reduced.

J. B. Cox, a local commission buyer, asserted that since the Fordney bill was first advocated in the United States, wheat had dropped about 25 cents per bushel. He thought there would be no serious effect on prices, although they would undoubtedly be reduced a little.

The present duty on Canadian dairy exports could not be learned, but it is understood that it is: Butter, 6 cents a pound; cheese, 20 cents per pound ad valorem; fresh milk, fresh cream and condensed or preserved milk were all exported free. The Fordney bill calls for a duty of 8 cents on butter; cheese, 25 per cent ad valorem; 2 cents per gallon on fresh milk; 5 cents per gallon on fresh cream, and condensed or preserved milk 2 cents per pound.

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CAUGHT NAPPING GOVT. NARROWLY ESCAPES DEFEAT

Nesbitt Leaps To Breach When Defeat Looms For Meighen.

[Special To The Advertsire.]

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—The fact that eternal vigilance only is the price of safety was rudely thrust upon the consciousness of the Government this afternoon. Caught off its guard early in the second round of the parliamentary fight the administration stopped a severe jolt with its solar plexus, took the count of nine, and only succeeded in finishing the round in a decidedly groggy condition. It happened in this way:

D. D. McKenzie, M.P. for North Cape Breton, resumed the debate in the afternoon. The former leader of the Opposition chided the Government for hanging on to power, counselled the prime minister to obey the clear call of West Peterboro, and flatly declined at the present moment to be drawn into a discussion on the tariff. There was, he said, a time and place for everything, but the debate on the address was neither the time nor the place for an exposition of tariff views.

Foster On League.

Sir George Foster followed. He apologized for the fact that he had forgotten that Parliament on Wednesday convened at 2 instead of at 3 o'clock, whereat Mr. McKenzie rose and remarked suavely: "On account of domestic circumstances the right honorable gentleman is excused." Sir George passed quickly from discussion on merely domestic matters, and entered the field of international politics. He regaled the members with a highly-interesting disquisition upon the League of Nations, explaining at length the duties and functions of the assembly, the council, and the international court of justice. But Government members either had known all about it before, or were not generally interested, for before Sir George was half way finished the treasury benches were emptied of all save himself, and the Government attendance to a score or so.

Andrew McMaster of Brome entered with a bundle of documents, and it was thought he would continue the debate. More Government members impolitely retired. But instead of Mr. McMaster continuing the debate, Emmanuel Devlin, of Wright, took the floor.

Mr. Devlin is usually good for an hour or so, but after briefly summing the issues before the House and recalling the fact that on a previous occasion Mr. Speaker had suggested that the proper time to talk tariff was not on the debate on the address, but on the budget, Mr. Devlin unexpectedly sat down, having occupied the floor, but a brief fifteen minutes.

Dead Silence.

There was dead silence from the Government side. No man arose to resume the debate. Chief Whip Middleboro was in the ladies' gallery, intent on other matters than discipline. Premier Meighen and Hon. Hugh Guthrie, who had entered the House just before the conclusion of Sir George Foster's speech, were the only ministers present. Cries of "Question, question," arose from the Opposition benches, and the premier looked desperately round at his few silent followers. Nobody rose. In rushed the whips, but few followed them. Finally amid increasing shouts of "Question, question," the clerk of the House rose and handed to Mr. Speaker copies of the motion and amendment. Mr. Speaker rose to put the question. Buzzers were set going to summon the wayward ones, but scarcely any came.

Facing certain defeat had the motion been put at that moment, Premier Meighen rose, and nervously remarked that he was sure that there were more members on the Government side who desired to be heard before the debate concluded. "Still, there arose the cries of "Question, question," followed by other cries of "Carried," then Nesbitt of North Oxford stepped into the breach, and without preparation, talked against time until a sufficient number of Government members had been whipped together to make the situation temporarily safe.

Probably for the purpose of devising ways and means for the prevention of future ambuscades, the Government has called a caucus for tomorrow.

The incident is indicative of what may constantly occur during this very uncertain session. With the Government's majority precariously small, and with numerous absentees from sickness, only the most assiduous application of duty to those who are able-bodied can insure the Government against defeat on a snap verdict. To add to their troubles pairs have been discouraged by the Opposition, and are being refused. The first victim is said to be Dr. Tolmie, minister of agriculture, who desired to visit relatives, and found no man to pair with him.

Demand For Election.

Mr. D. D. McKenzie, North Cape Breton, who renewed the debate on the address this afternoon, read many extracts from newspapers, which, he said, were generally considered friendly to the Government, and drew attention to their almost unanimous opinion that there ought to be an election. The opinion of the public press, he thought, was summed up in the comment of one Tory newspaper to the effect that the electors had shown in the West Peterboro election that whatever brand of politics they did want, they certainly did not want the present Government.

Mr. McKenzie protested that it was not a square deal to ask the Opposition to discuss the Government's tariff proposals without bringing down the report of the commission which had toured the country during the last summer.

He declared that the present Government was not its own master now, nor would it be in the future. The "big interests" had put this Government into power.

Mr. McKenzie said the Liberals when they went out of office in 1911 had left Canada in splendid shape, so much so that the leader of the then Opposition had objected to reciprocity for fear the healthy condition would be disturbed. The Meighen administration when it went to the country would be wiped out and replaced by a representative government.

Foster Replies.

Sir George Foster replied to the statement that the tariff should not be discussed until the report of the tariff commission was tabled in the House. He declared Mr. McKenzie had never heard of information being given of a report secured as a basis for the conclusions of the ministers of the crown.

He admitted that the present Government had come into office in 1917 backed by the big interests. These were the interest of the whole Canadian people in their determination to win the war. The war was over, but the problems arising out of it still remained to be settled.

Sir George, in changing from the tariff to the League of Nations, said Canada's part in the formation of the League of Nations was indicative of the growth of this country. Confederation was one of the first steps in the development of that latent potency for nationhood. After confederation, Canada began to think more and more of her relationship with the other colonies and so worked from the national view to the broader expanse of the empire. The war in South Africa struck yet another note and gave impetus to the development of that spirit within the empire.

In the great war, Sir George went on, Canada entered not simply with a desire to dethrone certain crowned heads but to procure the liberty and peace of the world; and so doing, Canada had related herself not merely to the rest of the empire, to the allies, but to the world.

Sir George referred to the organization of the League of Nations, and said that at the meeting of the league, which he attended, absolute harmony prevailed, the result of the various representatives realizing that selfish and national interests must give way to interests unselfish and international.

After enumerating and commenting upon several articles of the league, Sir George said he was of the opinion that the humanitarian and economic cooperation of all nations was more necessary to the achievement of world peace than any diplomatic action of the league.

League Assembly.

Sir George then went on to speak of the league assembly as the newest outgrowth of the League of Nations. He reminded the House that the prospect of the 41 nations in the league being able to understand one another and "get down to business" had been viewed before the event with a good deal of skepticism. Actually, the league assembly had got together more quickly and with less friction than any political convention he had ever seen. Disparities of ideas and language gave way to the earnest desire to realize common ideals. The essential humanity of the delegates came uppermost.

The league is now working perfectly. Sir George emphasized the importance of the establishment of an international court of justice, where disputes between states could be settled.

In response to questions by Mr. Lapointe (Quebec East), Sir George assured the House that there was no friction between the Canadian representatives at the meeting of the league in Geneva, neither was there any friction between representatives from any of the commonwealths of the British Empire. French was the dominant language at the convention, he added.

At this point Hon. Charles Murphy (Russell) asked: "Did the Chinese representatives speak French?"

Sir George Foster: "Chinese representatives spoke clear and incisive English that would be a model to my honorable friend." (Laughter.)

Following Mr. E. B. Devlin, who spoke briefly, no one rose from the Government side, and Opposition members began to should "Question!"

A. C. McMaster (Brome) was ready to move adjournment of the debate, when E. W. Nesbitt (Oxford) rose on the Government side to continue it. He did not, he said, blame the Government for carrying out its term of office to the full, and he was entirely opposed to group government under which any premier would have to cater to various groups, to the detriment of legislation in general.

Mr. Nesbitt said that, though in thorough accord with many of the proposals in the speech from the throne, he was opposed to the suggestion that the Government should embark on a system of unemployment insurance. He believed, said Mr. Nesbitt, in giving every man a chance to work, but he also believed that a lot of men who were unemployed might obtain employment by making an honest effort to do so. They might not be able to get as much money as they wanted, but there was a lot of work for the man who wanted it.

His greatest objection to unemployment insurance, said Mr. Nesbitt, was that it savored of charity. It cultivated among people an idea that they did not need to work, instead of encouraging them to their greatest effort. Lazy men would take advantage of unemployment insurance to abstain from work. Mr. Nesbitt thought that employers of labor would for the most part be willing to pay good wages if they could get correspondingly good production.

Expressed Disapproval.

The member for South Oxford expressed strong disapproval of the amendment. He thought that no good end could be served by dissolving Parliament at present. The country was still more or less in chaos, at least from a business point of view, and should have an opportunity to quiet down. Though expressing his belief in a tariff which would protect Canadian industries, Mr. Nesbitt said he thought some items in the Canadian tariff were too high.

A. R. McMaster (Brome), dealt with the speech of Mr. Nesbitt, who, he said, had been at a disadvantage. On the second day of the session the Government had all but ceased to function, and the prime minister, looking over what remained of his supporters in the House, was about to move adjournment of the debate "in order to give time for preparation for the festivities of the evening," when Mr. Nesbitt had stepped into the breach.

Mr. McMaster's speech was unfinished when the House rose at 6 o'clock. There was no night sitting.

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ST. THOMAS, Feb. 16.—Although threatened by Police Magistrate Hunt to commit Governor Luton to prison for one year because the governor refused to admit Lawrence Crawford, a cripple, to the county jail for a breach of the O. T. A., Judge Colter and the jail physician, Dr. R. Kains, declare that the governor was justified in refusing to take charge of Crawford unless an outside attendant was appointed to look after the prisoner while he was confined. So far no instructions have been received from the department as to the disposal of Crawford.

Taking His Place.

Wallace Crawford, father of the young man, who volunteered to be locked up with his son and look after his wants, was relieved this evening by a St. Thomas resident who will remain with young Crawford until the case is disposed of by the attorney-general.

The officials at the courthouse say that the ends of justice would be met if the magistrate had suspended sentence for a week until the provincial authorities had been advised of the situation, and a remedy found to relieve the governor of an unprovided for and unpleasing responsibility.

Division Court Action.

Judge Ermatinger reserved judgment in the action brought in the division court by A. E. Goddard against E. S. Hatch, contractor, and Dr. L. V. Savage to recover $155, alleged to be due for alterations made in the partitions in the basement of the residence of the doctor, for which Mr. Hatch had the contract. Dr. Savage paid in $135 to court, and the question arose whether the Imperial Bank, to which Hatch had assigned certain claims, claim or that Hatch was the party who was entitled to the money.

McCrimmon vs. French.

The action of M. D. McCrimmon against P. French, Yarmouth, and Merchants Bank to recover $60, which sum was alleged to have been paid by the bank to meet a lien note of French, although the note was some months overdue, was decided in favor of McCrimmon as to French's liability, and the plaintiff was non-suited in the case of the bank. Mr. McCrimmon had recovered a check from Mr. French for $60, and French had deposited the sum at the Merchants Bank to meet the check. In the meantime the lien note of French's was presented at the Merchants Bank, and was paid with French's deposit.

When Mr. McCrimmon handed in his check at the bank he was told there were no funds, and hence the action. Mr. French was told by the judge that the judgment did not prevent him from suing the bank.

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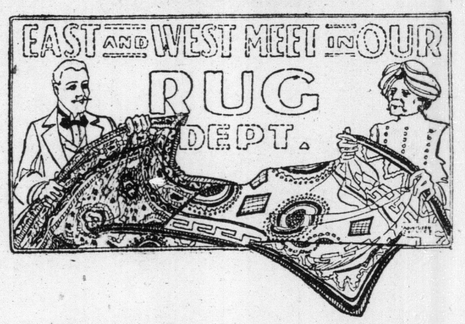
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CLEAN UP IS IN PROGRESS AT THE BORDER

Both Sides Unhealthy Spot For Rum Runners Just Now.

WINDSOR, Feb. 16.—The most energetic clean-up that has yet been instituted by the government police is now in progress on both sides of the border, and it is beginning to look as if this district is anything but a healthy place for rum-runners. Many of the bootleggers are lying decidedly low. Others have left for distant parts, where they will remain until they see what is going to happen, or until the storm blows over.

United States federal officers and the provincial police under Supt. Lannin are co-operating closely. The work, according to those in close touch with the situation, is merely getting under way, and what has already taken place is nothing to what is coming.

It was stated to The Advertiser tonight that the conditions which have made the border notorious for many months will be cleaned up and cleaned up thoroughly. In addition to the activities against the rum-runners and others engaged in illegal whiskey traffic, the local police are out to round up the large numbers of undesirables who have been perpetrating house and store robberies, hold-ups and similar occurrences.

Seized the Outfit.

A large quantity of labels, bearing the print of a Walkerville firm, said to be false, and a quantity of alleged counterfeit revenue stamps, together with printing dies, were seized by clean-up officers in a raid on a hotel in Detroit today. They arrested Wm. Leftridge, said to be one of the proprietors. Some of the liquor was white raisin whiskey, and other liquor in labelled bottles was colored, the police said.

The customary gold seal capsule across the bottom of the revenue stamps on the bottle neck was missing on the labeled bottles.

WINDSOR PAIR UNDER ARREST FOR HOLD-UP

Woman Is First To Be Held On Serious Charge.

WINDSOR, Feb. 16.—Mr. and Mrs. Terance Charbonneau of 131 Gladstone avenue are held by Detroit police on a charge of robbery while armed. Mrs. Pearl Charbonneau, the Detroit police say, is the first woman to be arrested in that city on a charge of robbery while armed.

The Charbonneaus are held in connection with the holding-up and robbing of Mrs. Annie Greenstein, 8130 Grand River avenue, last Friday evening. Bonds and jewelry to the value of $2,500 were taken. A remand has been granted in their case until a further investigation is made.

Both the jewelry and the bonds were found, it is alleged, in the Chabonneau residence here. The former hid in the attic and the bonds in a piano bench, it is said.

According to Detectives McDermott and Cary of the Grand River Avenue Station, both Mr. and Mrs. Charbonneau have confessed to their part in the hold-up. The husband was arrested through the confession of the wife, and his arrest led them to the recovery of the bonds and jewelry, the police say.

Mrs. Charbonneau was first called to police headquarters as a witness, when she was told that the police were certain her husband was the guilty man. Under directions from the police she called Charbonneau by phone in Windsor and made a date to meet him at the ferry dock Saturday night. There he was arrested when he arrived to meet her, the police say.

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THE NEW CITY HALL.

This is a live question. It is to be left to the vote of the people. The questions apparently to be submitted are:

1. Do you favor an office building on the site of the Nitschke Block, now used as the city hall?

2. Do you favor a new city hall across the street on the site formerly occupied by the McCormick factory?

3. Do you favor delay?

There are many who favor the court house square, and probably many more favor acquiring the custom house and converting it into a city hall.

The first question, the existing city hall, contemplates tearing that building down. It is a valuable building and would rent for a considerable sum.

The second question, across the street, has already torn down a very valuable building, the McCormick factory. It is said to be more expensive than the present site.

The third question, delay, is the least expensive.

The taxes are very high and the new high schools needed will not lessen them.

Do the questions submitted meet the situation? Should the custom house not be seriously considered? It would make the best civic centre. St. Paul's Cathedral and the square are beautiful. The custom house itself can be obtained for far less than its value, and is a first-class cut stone building. It could easily be converted into a first-class city hall. Then the buildings surrounding it, the Cathedral and rectory, the Grand Opera House, the new hotel, the Bank of Montreal, the Huron and Erie, the London Club, and on the west side of Richmond street the new postoffice and custom house, designed to be the finest public building west of Toronto, and kept back from the street fifteen or twenty feet. It will be a building of which London may be justly proud. It will be of classic design.

It is said the Government must delay for some time on account of the cost of building. If the Government must delay, should not the city also? If the Government knew it could sell the old building it might cause them to build sooner. Whatever the old building sold for would reduce by that amount the cost of the new.

The taxes should be seriously considered. They are too high now. The present site may be less expensive than across the street, the McCormick site. The custom house is preferable to either from every standpoint. It is far less cost. It is quite central, one block north of the corner of Richmond and Dundas streets, the business centre. It is on St. Paul's Square and will be across the road from the new postoffice and custom house.

Many thousands of dollars can be saved by adopting the custom house site. The sale of the Nitschke Block might bring as much as the custom house would cost.

PROVINCIAL EXPENDITURES

Critics within and without the Legislature charge the Drury Government with extravagance. Stress is laid on the expenditure of close to a million dollars for carrying on the various provincial asylums and similar institutions. But surely the province cannot afford to have the care of the unfortunate inmates anything but the best.

For hydro enterprises the treasurer's statement shows an increase of five and a half million dollars. Those who score the Drury administration for this item are conveniently overlooking the fact that this expenditure is necessary to carry on work started by the Hearst Government. It is curious to see members wailing over these figures when they are, or were, willing to have the province go bond for stupendous sums for hydro radials on the mere say-so of one man.

The truth is that the Drury Government could not escape running up a big bill. Soaring prices made it inevitable. Unless the Government refused to carry out large and vital undertakings necessary to progress the farmer government was bound to shoulder a heavy advance in expenses.

THE BANK BOYS' RECORD.

Two hundred and fifty boys of the staff of the Canadian Bank of Commerce gave their lives in the great war, out of 1,701 who enlisted. The boys of the bank did their part, and it is praiseworthy on the part of the bank itself that an extensive volume of "Letters from the Front" has been published by it.

Sir John Aird, in the introduction, says "it was a heartfelt desire to be at one with the motherland in sacrifice and in the service of right."

Pamphlets were at first issued, and these grew and multiplied until the idea of the book took form in the mind of the staff inspector of the bank, Mr. Charles Lyons Foster. The result is a volume containing letters from the front and many portraits of fine looking boys who gave their lives for the world cause. The portraits remind one of those appearing in the London Illustrated News.

Some regiments have published histories and the idea is a good one. We would like to see the deeds of our own boys in permanent book form. The publication by the Bank of Commerce will be welcome in many homes. It is essentially a home book. The war is over. Those who came back are settling down again. They will often, by the fireside, turn over the pages of the book, look at the faces of their dead heroes, read the letters and in their minds see the fields in which they did what they could to preserve in the world all worth living for or dying for.

It may be necessary still to keep their swords. Dr. John McCrae wrote: "If ye have righted all the wrongs of earth, lay by the sword, its work and ours is done."

EVERYTHING

ORIGIN OF THE STIFF COLLAR.

[The Manchester Guardian.]

The stiff white collar has many softer rivals nowadays, and the fact that its weekly cleansing is in the future likely to cost more rather than less suggests that it may disappear altogether. The reflection prompts the question. When did that same stiff collar first come into existence as a separate garment? It was about 1825, and the invention was due to the wife of a blacksmith in the American town of Troy, which, oddly enough, is the biggest collar factory in the world at the present moment. The worthy woman—Hannah Lord Montagu, as a tablet to her memory on the wall of her house informs the traveller—was busy washing her husband's shirts (with collars attached) when it occurred to her mind that a shirt lasted clean much longer than the collar, and forthwith she started making the separation required. The idea caught on with her neighbors, and she began to sell her collars. Then one Ebenezer Brown, a retired Methodist preacher, who kept a small shop in Troy, scented money in the manufacture and put a selection of these separate collars—"string collars" he called them—in his windows. The sale and demand grew from the first, and several collar-making companies were operating before 1840.

THE MIRROR.

[Clinton Scollard.]

I brave the shrewd sting of the wind;
The snowy paths are undefined.

Below a crest there lies a pool.
Its ice unflawed and beautiful.

Gazing upon it do I see
The writhing bough, the twisted tree?

Nay, but the budding leaves that shine
Upon the coils of climbing vine.

I read fair omens; I descry
Portent and vernal prophecy.

O strange and most miraculous thing!
This is the mirror of the spring.

AMERICA NOT FOOLED.

[New York Times.]

Lincoln's birthday seems to have been seized upon by various foreigners as a fit occasion for acting as if they thought that the "plain people" of the United States are mostly gullible fools. A very explosion of propaganda, and dread of it, marked the day. A scheme is afoot to hold meetings to denounce the use of black troops on the Rhine in the occupied territory. Secretary Colby has had to explain to Congress, what was otherwise well known, that there are no black troops there. But Premier Briand's newspaper in Paris catches up the incident and expresses apprehension lest the American people be misled into anti-French prejudices. The British, too, appear to be a good deal disturbed by the revived German propaganda in this country.

Our good friends abroad need have no fear. The homely sagacity of the people, in which Lincoln trusted and gloried, is not going to fail them now. They see through all the little tricks of van Mach and Viereck, and laugh at them. A certain number of pro-Germans are crawling out of the holes into which the war drove them, in order to show that their scent for trouble is still keen, but they really signify rather less than nothing for German hopes. The true America stands unchanged. It has not forgotten the emotions and the international friendships born of the war. It ruefully admits that a year of politics appeared to cast a shadow upon the new relationships wrought in the common battle, but that incident is now nearly closed. When the opportunity rightly presents itself again, the American people will show to Europe what their abiding sentiments are. Waiting that happy day, they can only beg the French and English not to believe that Americans are helpless victims of foreign propaganda, taken in like so many children by fairy-tales "made in Germany."

OTHERS' VIEWS

AS OLD AS THEY FEEL.

[London Daily Mail.]

The secret of success at every age is "to work on and keep the passion fresh," and there are abundant examples of those who by doing this have placed themselves in advancing years among the immortals. Mr. Hardy, for example, disappointed with the criticisms on his novels, turned to writing his great poem, "The Dynasts," the first part of which he published at 63. Handel was broken down in health and bankrupt at 53, when he began to compose the music which has made his fame. M. Clemenceau was 76 when, by his firmness in meeting the German offensive of 1918, he saved his country and Europe.

OUT FOR GOOD.

[Brantford Expositor.]

It is a case of "Betsy and I are out" between Mr. MacBride and the provincial executive of the I. L. P. What is more it seems as if it might be a long time before they will kiss and make up.

EDISON ON ADVICE.

[Toronto Mail and Empire.]

Asked on his 74th birthday to give advice to young men starting in the world of business, Thomas Edison declined on the ground that the request was foolish. He has learned by this time that the number of people who take advice is insignificant, and that the majority of this remnant take wrong advice.

MORTAL STROKE TO MEIGHEN GOVERMENT.

[Vancouver Sun.]

Hon. Arthur Meighen brought the administration to West Peterboro for indorsement and support. The answer has been a mortal stroke to that administration; a death wound from which there is no possibility of recovery.

Ontario was supposed to be the one province most certain to give Mr. Meighen's arguments for class government and special privilege a cordial reception.

All the forces of the Government, all the forces of political influence and political patronage, were brought into the constituency. Liberal principles were misrepresented and abused by Mr. Meighen and his lieutenants.

No election of modern times has seen such tremendous pressure brought to bear for the securing of a Government victory.

Mr. Meighen knew that for him it was success or political death; there was no half way station; and he conducted the battle in the spirit of bitterest controversy.

The electors of West Peterboro, by their verdict, have declared that Mr. Meighen does not possess the confidence of Canada; that his Government is a usurpation, and that the days of the usurpation are numbered.

As these electors have spoken, so will all Canada speak when an election can no longer be deferred, and when those who now cling to office like limpets to a rock, and shrink from a general election as from sudden death, are finally brought to the bar of public opinion in a general election by forces over which they have no control.

Canada's greatest, most pressing and most immediate need is the restoration of PUBLIC CONFIDENCE in Federal Government, and in Canadian business institutions and methods.

By means of a general election, and by this means alone, can PUBLIC CONFIDENCE be restored. General unrest and business uncertainty will prevail until the nation has elected a parliament of its own selection.

THE GROWING FEMALE FOOT.

[Toronto Star.]

They say that the female foot grows larger. Very likely. The female of the species is starting to use her feet again. Up till comparatively recent time she used them very little. She sat a lot, reclined a lot, and Mother Nature started to make her feet smaller and smaller. Now that she's going into business and athletics and all that sort of thing, there's no reason why Sister Susie shouldn't eventually hope to have as large and as well developed feet as most men have, and she'll need them as the years pass if she's going to stand up for herself in the battle of life in an age when chivalry shall be a forgotten art.

THE LOAF SUPERSTITION.

[London Mail.]

Is it possible to find the bodies of drowned persons with the aid of a loaf of bread containing mercury?

A Manchester scientist, referring to a case at Wheelock, Sandwich, Cheshire, where a body was stated to have been recovered by this means, said the idea was ridiculous.

He is not supported by Dr. H. Bushell Gore, medical superintendent of the Booth Steamship Company, Ltd., Liverpool, who in a letter to the Daily Mail points out that a loaf weighed to prevent it from being too much under the influence of the wind will stop when the current of a brook falls to continue its course, and goes round and round as though in a whirlpool. Obviously this is also the spot where the body will lie. Dr. Gore adds that the experiment could not be successful in a lake or deep river.

This theory is corroborated by the Daily Mail's Barton on Humber, Lincolnshire, correspondent, who some years ago saw the recovery of a child's body from a tributary of the River Nene. In this district the superstition includes the use of white tape to keep in position the piece of the loaf cut out to enable the mercury to be inserted. The villagers explain that the "charm will not work unless the white tape is used."

The superstition is mentioned in Mark Twain's "Huckleberry Finn." When Huckleberry ran away from home loaves filled with quicksilver were used on the river where it was thought his body had been thrown. Huckleberry, who was watching the experiment from a hiding place, seized one of the loaves which floated his way and ate it after removing the quicksilver.

WOMEN ON JURIES.

[St. John Telegram.]

The women of Iowa appear perfectly willing to serve on juries. They may wear hats in the jury box, one judge has ruled, and will be given time to "powder their faces during court sessions." It is doubtful, however, if many of them requested any such concessions. And there would seem to be no reason to fear that the standard of the Iowa juries will be lowered by having women serving on them.

MANUFACTURERS AND POLITICS.

Excellence in quality, and efficiency in production, have never failed to create great and profitable manufacturing industries.

Alliance between manufacturers and political party can never be made a working substitute for either of these prime requisites.

Hon. Mr. Meighen is concentrating his political efforts on a campaign of appeal to the manufacturers, with intent to convince them that their business interests will be advanced by active partisanship in behalf of Mr. Meighen and his administration.

Suppose it were true. Suppose that Mr. Meighen could give to the Canadian manufacturers, through political alliance, a control of the home market so far as offering merchandise for sale is concerned.

The manufacturers would gain nothing. You cannot make people buy in paying quantities anything they do not want, or do not like, or are suspicious of. The buyer controls the buying, and is in a position to wreck anybody who tries to control the selling.

Every autocracy is temporary; a commercial autocracy carries within itself the growing seeds of its own destruction, just as certainly as does a political autocracy.

The imminent danger to Canadian manufacturers today is that of being associated in the public mind with a conspiracy to reduce the buying power of the money of Canada by political action shackling and throttling the natural course of Canadian business.

AT LARGE IN PHILADELPHIA.

[From Punch.]

Five million typhoid germs, the property of Mr. John Gibbon, are said to be at large in Philadelphia, according to the Daily Express. One of them is said to have got away disguised as a measle.

WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CANADA?

ANSWERS TO YESTERDAY'S QUESTIONS.

1—The French fort Cataraqui stood on the present site of Kingston, Ont.; founded 1673.

2—Fort Good Hope, on the Arctic circle, and Fort Macpherson, still farther north, are the Hudson's Bay trading posts farthest north.

3—The earliest date appearing on Canadian silver coins is 1859.

4—Canada's 1919 farm products valued two billion dollars.

5—One of the thickest known coal seams in the world is at Stellerton, N.S.

6—John Cabot was sent out by Henry VII. He sailed from Bristol with eighteen men in a small vessel, the Matthew.

7—The disastrous explosion at Halifax occurred December, 1917. It was caused by the collision of two vessels laden with high explosives.

8—Col. John Graves Simcoe was first governor of Upper Canada.

9—The "Hungry Year" was in 1787, when the crop failure in the United Empire Loyalists' settlements caused considerable distress to the settlers on their forest farms.

10—The three principal agricultural colleges in Quebec are: Macdonald College at St. Anne de Bellevue, Oka Agricultural Institute at Lake of the Two Mountains, and the School of Agriculture at Ste. Anne de la Pocatiere.

TODAY'S QUESTIONS.

1—Where did the Place d'Armes in Montreal get its name?

2—How long are the upper rapids on the Niagara River?

3—What names have been given to the town of Niagara?

4—What was the population of Canada in 1900?

5—What is Canada's capital city and in which province is it situated?

6—How many Canadians held as prisoners of war escaped from Germany during the war?

7—When was the Methodist Church of Upper Canada separated from that of the United States?

8—Was New Brunswick settled before New France was surrendered to England?

9—Where had Gen. Brock served before coming to Canada?

10—Which province has the older university, Saskatchewan or Alberta?

NEW COMPLEXITIES RESULT OF EFFORT TO APPLY HOME RULE

British Government's Determination to Put Act in Force Is Discussed.

DUBLIN, Feb. 17.—(Associated Press).—British determination to apply the newly-elected home rule bill has injected new complexities into the Irish imbroglio.

The big questions of the hour are whether conditions in Southern Ireland are too chaotic to permit the experiment of an election and whether the electors in that section will refuse to vote.

An important problem in Ulster is whether the Nationalist minority will refuse to accept the home rule act, and thus give full sway to Unionists, of whom Sir Edward Carson has long been leader (since succeeded by Sir James Craig).

These are the dominant issues on which the whole country is speculating.

Preparations for the application of the act in Northern Ireland are in an advanced stage. There it is to come into force at the earliest possible convenient date. The splendid Belfast City Hall will be placed at the disposal of the new Northern Parliament, eliminating any delay for erection of a Parliament House. It is assured that the Carson adherents will have a working majority. The result will depend on what extent the Nationalists in Northeast Ulster, dissatisfied with its severance from the rest of Ireland, go to the polls.

If they vote in proportion to their numbers, they will form somewhat less than half of the membership of the new body. The Carsonites will be given virtual carte blanche if the Nationalists boycott the election. Refusal of the Nationalists to vote will not prevent the Parliament from functioning.

In the south, there are two main currents of opinion in official and Unionist circles. The one which appears to predominate is in favor of letting the south make a trial of the act at the same time as the north. The other view is that in the south the time for attempted application of the act is inopportune.

From several sources, "feelers are being put forth in the endeavor to bring out candidates for the southern legislature. Men of moderate opinion are being asked to offer themselves. The letter of Lord Decies, announcing his candidature, is considered likely to stimulate willingness among moderate home rulers to accept office.

The Farmers' Union has announced that it does not intend to put forward any candidates. But individual farmers have repudiated its claim to speak for the general body, and contend farmers should take advantage of the opportunity offered them.

The old Irish parliamentary party has made no move, and its members seem indisposed to run counter to Sinn-Fein sentiment.

The home rule act provides that it shall come into operation on "the appointed day," which is defined as "the first Tuesday in the eighth month, after the month in which the act is passed, or such day, not more than seven months earlier or later, as may be fixed by order of his majesty in council." This leaves a wide margin, varying from about the present time to fifteen months hence.

The main principle of the act is the establishment of two equal parliaments one in Dublin for Southern Ireland, and one in Belfast for the six northeastern counties, with a central connecting council.

The act even provides that local parliaments may, if they choose, abolish themselves altogether and turn the central council into one parliament for all Ireland. This single parliament if it is ever constituted, would exceed in importance and functions the home rule parliaments contemplated by Parnell and Redmond. Meanwhile many, if not most, of the powers they contemplated will be exercisable by each of the local parliaments in its own area.

SAY REDUCTION OF WAGES IN BRITAIN IS SOON INEVITABLE

Correspondents Express Opinion That Unorganized Trades Will Be Cut Down.

LONDON, Feb. 17.—Labor correspondents of various London newspapers assert the cost of living has declined in Great Britain, and that a reduction of wages is inevitable. They report decreases in wages already have occurred in cases where sliding scales of pay were based on the selling prices of the goods produced.

These wage cuts, however, are mostly in trades which are poorly organized. There is a good deal of speculation among the labor writers as to the attitude of workers in highly organized trades, when they are called upon to accept a lower wage, in accordance with previously arranged plans based upon the cost of living.

The ministry of labor official figures on the cost of living for working class families show that at the end of December the percentage was 169 higher than in 1914, against the November figure of 176, while for January it was expected to reach 165.

This, while alleviating the lot of the worker to some extent, and assisting employers, will not solve the present acute unemployment situation, and many agreements have been come to during the past week or two whereby workers have decided to go on short time or accept less money in order to avoid a total closing down of works.

The Furness ironmasters and representatives of the men's union have met, and the latter decided to accept a reduction of wages from 22s 8d to 19s 7d a day, so that work may be resumed in the iron mines.

The number of unemployed in Great Britain is given on labor exchange books as 859,000, while other authorities place the total of people without work at 1,500,000.

Short time is soon to go into force in the government dockyards and other government establishments.

PRESS AGENT TELLS OF TRAPPING PONZI

BOSTON, Feb. 16.—How the flood of money pouring into the coffers of Charles Ponzi last summer was dammed was related at the trial of counter-suits between the former promoter and W. H. McMasters, his publicity agent, in the superior court yesterday. Judge Keating ordered the jury to return verdicts for Ponzi.

McMasters testified that he received $5,000 from a Boston newspaper for a copyrighted article, August 2, in which he asserted that Ponzi was hopelessly insolvent, and $1,000 more as a bonus when it turned out that the article was correct.

"When did you suddenly determine to drop Ponzi on behalf of the general public?" he was asked.

"I had been suspicious in the first week that Ponzi was insolvent," the witness replied, "but I did not come definitely to that conclusion in my own mind until July 30."

McMasters testified that while he was in Ponzi's employ the latter in a single day took in $1,750,000.

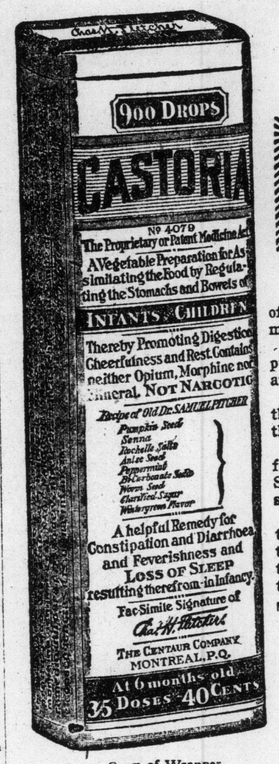
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The big splurg, the misleading claims may win for a time, but the honest truth-telling advertiser is like the old story of the tortoise that beat the hare.

Mothers everywhere, and their daughters, now mothers, speak frankly, glowingly, enthusiastically in praise of Fletcher's Castoria. Speak of it lovingly as a friend that has brought comfort, cheer and smiles to their little-one.

To them: to these true mothers no argument can induce them to set aside their bottle of Castoria, their old friend, that they might try even another and unknown remedy for babies. Then, would YOU think of going to YOUR OWN medicine chest to find relief for Baby's troubles? Can you not separate the false from the true?

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PAGE OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

I. O. D. E. HELPING TO MAKE CANADIANS THROUGH EDUCATION

Scholarship Endowments May Bring Great Results, Says Educational Secretary.

"The real solution to the situation of social and industrial unrest in the world today is to be found in education—not education in the narrow sense, but education as it embraces the bodily, mental and spiritual faculties of the Canadian citizen, that he may use rightly his power over his fellows," declared Miss Constance Laing of Toronto, addressing the assembled chapters of the Daughters of the Empire in Cronyn Hall yesterday afternoon. Miss Laing, who is the provincial educational secretary for the order and has been working conspicuously on the National Educational War Memorial of the I. O. D. E., is a member of the Senate of Toronto University. And her visit to London was for the purpose of explaining the national memorial to the London chapters.

Referring to the bringing forward of the war memorial idea in 1918, which was to be a gigantic two years' endeavor, the speaker went on to tell of the nature of the memorial. She said that to date the amount collected was $270,000, and that the order would need much more than $500,000 to carry out all the plans which it had made.

Scholarship Plans.

These plans were to make possible the granting of at least two bursaries of $250 each, in every province of the Dominion, to be given to deceased soldiers' children who wished to attend one of the Canadian universities; to establish perpetual overseas scholarships of $1,400 each, so that one student of British descent from each province could take one year's post-graduate course in a British university; to purchase historical pictures and pictures of the great war to be placed in 1,000 public schools of the Dominion; to establish a lecture foundation; and to found a traveling fellowship.

The speaker referred more especially to the scholarships which were first awarded this year, telling how nine deceased soldiers' children were attending Canadian universities today because of this I. O. D. E. memorial fund, and how four students were being sent overseas to study abroad.

Many Overseas Applicants.

While in the first case there were but nine applicants for the scholarships, soldiers' children being still rather young to take advantage of this scholarship, there were throngs of applicants for the overseas scholarships, and the committee of selection were sorry to be able to award only four. These provincial committees of selection were composed of the provincial president, provincial educational secretary, one other I. O. D. E. delegate and three educationalists of the province. While the number of applicants for the bursaries to Canadian universities was small this year, it would increase as the years went by until it reached its maximum about five years from now, the average age of soldiers' children being ten years. Much more money must then be raised.

Indirect Benefit.

Speaking about the overseas scholarships, Miss Laing said:

"I have heard a great deal of criticism of these scholarships, and I want you to realize that they will not merely benefit the individual students who study abroad, but it is hoped that they will be a means of benefitting the whole of the Dominion, when these students bring back their ideas from British universities, and that Canada and the motherland will be more closely drawn together by such communication."

Miss Laing also mentioned Canada's problem in regard to the foreigner within her doors.

"I contend that one of the greatest works which an organization like this can do, is to help make good Canadian citizen," she said. "The I. O. D. E. should at least aim to make every child a Canadian citizen, and she can partly do this by covering the walls of the Canadian schools with historical pictures, stimulating a love for Canada and the British Empire and by establishing suitable libraries in the foreign schools of the country." Here the speaker paid a big tribute to the teachers of the Canadian schools, and urged the I. O. D. E. members to stand firmly behind their move for increased salaries.

During the course of her talk she gave the amounts which have already been subscribed towards the war memorial fund as follows: Ontario, $95,817; Quebec, $61,216; Manitoba, $32,796; Saskatchewan, $20,091; British Columbia, $13,115; Nova Scotia, $10,400; New Brunswick, $8,301; Alberta, $6,-075; Prince Edward Island, $400, and from the White Horse Chapter of the Yukon Territory, $325.

IN SOCIETY

Mrs. Russell Beattie entertained at three tables of bridge at her home yesterday afternoon in honor of Miss Janet Dusty, bride-elect.

Miss Helen Ross of 638 Lorne avenue entertained a number of her young friends on Friday evening last. The function took the form of a skating party, after which supper was served at the home of the hostess.

Mr. A. McKay, Wyoming, announces the engagement of his only daughter, Alma Florence, to Mr. James J. White, eldest son of Mr. J. D. White, 407 Confederation street, Sarnia, the wedding to take place from the home of the bride during the latter part of March.

The Daughters of Scotland are already planning for their big dance to be held in the Ontario Hospital Assembly Hall on March 1 in aid of the Children's Hospital. A splendid committee under the convenership of Mrs. James Hendry, includes Mrs. Robert Tagg, Mrs. James Smith, Miss Robertson and Mrs. Stark.

Cronyn Hall was the scene of a bright little tea party yesterday afternoon, when the Municipal Chapter, I. O. D. E., entertained the members of the order so that they might meet Miss Constance Laing, their provincial educational secretary, after her address. The tea arrangements were in the capable hands of the Lord Roberts Chapter.

After an eighteen months' furlough, the Rev. H. B. Burwell, B.A., Mrs. Burwell and their two children, Beverley and Eleanor, left on Tuesday for China, a number of their friends gathering at the station to bid them farewell. After visiting Welland, Toronto and western cities, they will sail from Vancouver on March 10 on the Empress of Russia. This is Mr. and Mrs. Burwell's second term in China, both having spent nine years in China before.

Mrs. Gordon Hunt is entertaining at a delightful little theatre party on Friday afternoon in honor of Miss Janet Dusty, the popular bride-to-be. After the matinee, the party will have tea at "Prokos."

Mrs. Hugh McCrimmon will also entertain in honor of Miss Dusty on Monday afternoon, when she will give a luncheon, followed by an afternoon at the bridge tables.

Another hostess of next week will be Miss Angela McPhillips, who will entertain at bridge on Tuesday afternoon with Miss Janet Dusty as the guest of honor.

Miss Constance Laing of Toronto, provincial educational secretary for the I. O. D. E., was the guest of honor at a charming luncheon party, held yesterday in the Smallman & Ingram tea room, by the executive of the Municipal Chapter. Screened off from the main tea room, the long T-shaped table was prettily adorned with marigolds and carnations, and throughout the luncheon hour conversation flitted from one topic to another without formal speeches. In fact, the only touch of formality about this pleasant little function was a toast to the guest of honor, graciously offered by the regent, Mrs. E. B. Smith, and quaffed from each demi-tasse.

Among those present at the luncheon were Mrs. E. B. Smith, regent of the Municipal Chapter; Mrs. George MacDonald, educational secretary; Mrs. T. H. Smallman, Mrs. W. F. D. Jarvis, Mrs. Allen McLean, Mrs. Fred White, all at the head of the table; Mrs. Arthur Smith, Mrs. Elliott, Mrs. Emerson Nicholls, Mrs. F. J. Greenaway, Mrs. Forristal, Miss Beatrice Taylor, Mrs. Glennie Wilson, Miss Harriett Priddis, Miss Newton, Mrs. A. H. Clinger and her guest, Mrs. Gordon of Embro, Mrs. Egelton, Miss Carrie Fitchett, Miss Jessie Gillespie, Miss Margaret McCrimmon, Mrs. Hamilton Bingle, Miss Eula White and Mrs. Eric Reid.

WILKINSON—MOORE.

The Ridout Street Methodist parsonage was the scene of a pretty wedding at 7 o'clock on Tuesday evening, February 15, when Miss Maggie Moore of this city was united in marriage to Mr. Fred Wilkinson of West Nissouri.

POND—SHIRREFSS.

An interesting wedding took place at the Ridout Street Methodist parsonage on the evening of Wednesday, February 9, when Miss Etta G. Shirreffs became the bride of Mr. Jesse Arthur Pond of London, the Rev. J. Agnew officiating.

HOME ECONOMICS

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BASTING.



It is worth while to do even the simplest tasks in the right way. Basting is the temporary sewing used to hold material in place while the permanent stitches are being put in, and even basting may be well or ill done, and make a considerable difference in the finished garment as every good sewer knows.

Basting as called even, uneven, guide, dressmaker's and diagonal, according to the various spacing of the stitches. Even basting is used for hems, seams of garments, or wherever two pieces of cloth are to be held firmly together. The stitch and space are kept equal, about a quarter of an inch each.

Uneven basting is used where no great care is necessary, as on the seams of skirts. The upper stitch is longer than the under stitch or space.

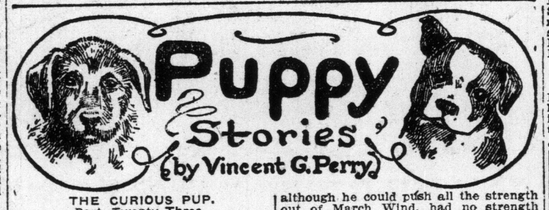
Guide basting is used to mark a line for stitching, and the upper stitch is three or four times longer than the lower.

Dressmakers use a long stitch on the upper side, and then two or three even basting stitches.

Diagonal basting consists of a short vertical stitch on the under side of the cloth, and a long stitch diagonally across the upper side of the cloth. It is used to baste a lining to outside material.

Since basting is to be removed it is convenient to leave the knot on the right side of the cloth. Fasten it at the end by two or three stitches in the same place. For line stitching baste not on the line, but as near to it as possible, and for hems not on the edge, but near it. In removing basting threads clip them at frequent intervals, so that they may be removed easily, without pulling the material.

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THE CURIOUS PUP.
Part Twenty-Three.

Spring Calm had not really meant to do harm to Nibbles, and now when he saw that the little dog and the two tiny people were struggling so bravely in the rough water of the sea, his heart relented and he wished he hadn't been so mean to March Wind. Poor March Wind had had to flee in terror for his life, and he dared not return where Spring Calm was. And Spring Calm, although he could push all the strength out of March Wind, had no strength of his own and could not carry Nibbles back to safety, so he had to get his thinking cap working to find what to do.

"I know what I'll do," Spring Calm said to himself, "I'll settle down on the sea and make it calm." That's just exactly what he did do, and the sea became as smooth as glass. How easy Nibbles found it to swim in then. He struck out boldly. In a short time an island was sighted.

"I wonder what place this is?" asked the little mayor, for, from their place in Nibble's ear, the two tiny people could see quite plainly that land was in sight.

"I see something moving around there," Nibbles answered, and then when they got closer he was able to make out what it was. "It's a great big cat, one almost as big as me," he told them.

"I do hope it won't stop us from landing, for I am in no condition to fight a cat now."

But as they drew near the shore Nibbles' fears were quickly dispelled. The cat, which was walking up and down like a guard, spied the swimmer in the water and hastened to the shore to welcome him.

"Welcome to the Land of Stray Kittens," he called.

The Land of Stray Kittens! Who ever heard of such a place? Would wonderful places never stop bobbing up? What adventures awaited them here?

To Be Continued.

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I. O. D. E. CHAPTERS IN CITY OF LONDON ARE AMONG OLDEST

Date Back to Founding of Order Twenty-One Years Ago—National Chapter to Celebrate Birthday.

The I. O. D. E. chapters throughout Canada are celebrating the 21st anniversary of the founding of their order this year. Already the Montreal chapters have signified their intention of founding school libraries in foreign-speaking districts of Canada as a celebration of their coming of age. The Toronto Municipal Chapter is marking this interesting occasion by presenting the charter of the newly-formed Magna Charta Chapter to the National Chapter.

Plans are already under way for a celebration by the National Chapter, which is beginning to prepare a souvenir book to be ready in time for the annual meeting in May.

London has as yet not made any special mention of the order's coming of age, but London is undoubtedly interested, as some of her chapters date back to the year of organization, 21 years ago. The Municipal Chapter was the first chapter organized here by Mrs. (Col.) Douglas Young, who was the first regent, Miss Shaw-Wood, who was the first secretary and Mrs. Harley Brown, who was the first treasurer.

Abigail Becker.

Close upon the heels of the Municipal came the Abigail Becker Chapter under the regency of Miss Harriet Priddus and the old Wellington Chapter, with Mrs. Craddock as regent and Mrs. F. J. Greenaway as secretary. Mrs. Greenaway remembers the first effort of this chapter to raise money. It was by private theatricals in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium in 1901, when the amount cleared was $100 in aid of the Victoria Park Monument, and the program is still in her possession. The Wellington Chapter disbanded on the death of Mrs. Craddock, but the Abigail Becker Chapter has continued until the present time and after a threatened disbandment this year, has decided to continue its charter.

History of Order.

The order, which was founded in Montreal during the time of the South African War, has grown mightily, reaching the height of expansion during the late European War.

On its organization a message from the order was sent to Queen Victoria informing her of its formation and its object "to stimulate and to give expression to the patriotism which binds the women and children of the Empire to the throne and person of their beloved sovereign."

The order, which was originally called a Federation of Daughters of the British Empire, spread unobtrusively throughout the British Empire, into the United States, the Bahamas, India and Bermuda, until by the time of the outbreak of war in 1914 is boasted more than 400 chapters.

Women's Activities Western Ontario

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

KITCHENER I. O. D. E.

The annual meeting of the Queen Anne Chapter of the I. O. D. E. was held recently with a large attendance. The financial report showed total receipts, $1,564.55, and expenditures, $1,319.24. Contributions were made to the war memorial fund, the Y. M. C. A. fund, British war relief fund and the Armenian and Siberian relief funds. The officers elected were: Honorary regent, Mrs. R. McNeal; regent, Mrs. A. Lockhart; vice-regents, Mrs. F. Schneider and Mrs. M. Kaufman; secretary, Mrs. O. R. Forsyth; educational secretary, Miss N. Smith; treasurer, Mrs. L. G. McBrine; standard-bearer, Mrs. W. E. Wing.

THEDFORD VALENTINE SOCIAL.

The Valentine social held in Knox Presbyterian Church, Thedford, recently was a great success. The program included games, followed by music by the orchestra, instrumental duets by Messrs. Fred Elliott and Scott, vocal solo by Mr. Scott and, a reading by Mrs. Wm. Blake. The proceeds amounted to $30.

THEDFORD W. I.

The Thedford Women's Institute held their regular monthly meeting in the rest room recently with a large attendance. Mrs. A. McInnes gave a splendid paper on the "Ideal Guest," and a reading was given by Mrs. J. Elliott. The institute intends having a tea on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 19, in the rest room.

SOMBRA W. I.

The regular meeting of the Sombra Women's Institute was held at the home of Mrs. Ball on Monday, Feb. 14, with an attendance of 29. This meeting was of unusual interest as it marked the closing of a contest which the president had put on for the purpose of raising money for cemetery work, for the public library and for school grounds improvement. The town and surrounding community responded nobly, raising the sum of $718.64, Mrs. Dalgaty winning the contest by the sum of $9. A card party and dance will be given on Monday evening, March 28, as a final effort at raising this money.

WARDSVILLE W. M. S.

The Women's Missionary Society of the Methodist Church, Wardsville, held their monthly meeting at the parsonage. Twenty were present, including three men. This society has the unique record of having nearly every woman in the congregation enrolled and several men as well. It was decided to have a public meeting in the near future when an outside speaker will give an address. At the close dainty refreshments were served.

Advertiser Patterns

Owing to the pattern manufacturers increasing the price of patterns to us, all patterns advertised from this date will be 15 CENTS EACH.



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THISTLES AND S. & I. GIRLS WIN LEAGUE GAMES AT "Y" GYM.

The fifth event in the series for the university cup given to the Y. W. C. A. League was played off last night in the Western gym, the Thistle girls winning from the King Street Presbyterian girls 19 to 5, and the Smallman & Ingram girls winning from the Silverettes 11 to 0. The playing was much more even than the score seems to indicate.

The line-up was as follows:

Thistles—Forwards, L. Milne and G. Murray (capt.); centre, A. Hazelgrove; guards, H. Wilson and O. Thomas. King Street Presbyterians—Forwards, J. Rhynd and J. Dick; centre, M. Rhynd; guards, H. Lindsay and L. Ram.

Smallman & Ingrams—Forwards, R. Shosenburg and J. Harris; centre, L. Bamford; guards, B. Graves and J. Dicks. Silverettes—Forwards H. Parker and K. Ashplant; centre, J. Menzie; guards, V. Doane and V. Percy.

FOR LOVE OF BETTY

[BY MAY CHRISTIE.]

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XV.—A Perfumed Note.

The spring sunlight was streaming into Betty's bedroom when she awoke on the morning following the ball.

For a moment she did not realize that she was actually in New York. Sleepily she rubbed her eyes and stared about her. The room seemed so strange and cramped and unfamiliar. From the street drifted up a confused sound of traffic.

Then a memory of last night's happenings swept over her. What an extraordinarily crowded, exciting evening it had proved to be!

Some one was tapping at the door.

"May I come in, Betty? Are you awake?" Mrs. Carton, fresh and smiling in a wonderful pink negligee, thrust an inquiring head into the room. "Did you sleep well, my dear? And do you know what time it is?"

"Yes—no—yes," Betty raised herself on one elbow, tossing some copper-colored curls back from her forehead. "Ten o'clock. Don't look so alarmed. That's considered quite an early hour in town. But at home, I suppose, you rise at cock-crow? Ugh! How I hate getting up before the day is properly warmed!" Little Mrs. Carton shivered daintily.

A maid entered the room, carrying breakfast on a tray.

"I thought we might as well have breakfast together, Betty," went on Betty's cheery little hostess.

"There's a letter for you here, miss," said Mary, lifting an envelope from the tray and handing it to Betty, "and a man is waiting for an answer."

There was a silence in the little room. A vague, exotic perfume rose from the sheet of notepaper Betty held.

"It's—it's from that girl you know—April Moore."

"And what does April want with you—or, to be accurate want from you?" Mrs. Carton spoke abruptly. "I'm not particularly fond of that young woman."

"She says she's coming round to see me this morning. She's going shopping, and she wants to take me with her. I'm to send an answer back to her hotel at once. One of the hotel boys is waiting for my reply." Betty looked at her hostess with perplexed eyes.

"Be careful of Miss April Moore, that's all I've got to say," Mrs. Carton shrugged her shoulders lightly.

"I—I'd really rather not go," said the young girl quickly, "but I'd hate to hurt her feelings. Shall I say that you and I have a previous engagement? You said something about a walk in the park, didn't you? So I shouldn't be really telling an untruth."

"How scrupulous you are, my dear! It's easy to see you haven't been 'out' long. But I'm afraid the walk in the park is out of the question. I've a committee at eleven-thirty, sharp. meeting here." Mrs. Carton paused. Then she added:

"Although I'm not particularly keen on April, she'd be the very girl to help you buy those frocks and things you wanted. Why not go with her this once? You can drop her gently afterwards."

"I'd hate to—to make use of her and then be mean," said honest Betty, while Mrs. Carton busied herself with pouring out the breakfast coffee. "It's kind of her to offer to take me shopping—really kind and friendly." The perplexed look deepened on her face.

The other woman shrugged her shoulders again. "Don't be too sure of that, my child! April usually has a motive in her kindness!"

"Do you really think I ought to go?"

"I do. April's advice will be of use—where feminine adornment is concerned. Why, that girl's made a fetish of the art of dressing! Clothes are her stock-in-trade, of course. She hasn't much else to recommend her—neither in brains nor breeding. She's pretty, I admit. But there she ends."

Mrs. Carton rang the bell for Mary. "Tell the messenger that Miss April Moore can come round here at half-past eleven, and Miss Gordon will be ready to go out with her," she said.

Then she turned to Betty. "Perhaps I've been a little too down on April. The girl's had some hard times. Her father was a rich man who completely spoiled her. He brought he up to think she'd be an heiress, encouraged her in every kind of mad extravagance—betting and gambling included! Then he gambled every cent he possessed away—and finished off the whole miserable business by blowing out his brains!"

"Oh, poor April! How terribly sad!" Betty's dark eyes suddenly filled with sympathetic tears. "I hope everybody's been—been kind to her since then, to try and make up for what she's suffered."

"Too kind!" Mrs. Carton spoke shortly. Recollections of April's ingratitude on many occasions did not tend to sweeten her attitude toward the girl. "Miss April can take good care of number one, never fear!"

"And she's all alone in the world?" Betty's young voice was filled with sympathy.

"Alone? April alone? Not at all!" The older woman laughed in an amused way. "She has heaps of so-called friends and a varying train of admirers of whom she makes every use! April alone and forsaken? Not likely! I hear she's got hold of a rich young man—don't know his name, but he's got oodles of money—and April's hanging on to him like grim death! Well, I don't blame her either in these hard times!" Mrs. Carton laughed again. "But don't go wasting pity on a girl like April—April will always bob up on top!"

Tomorrow—Clothes Make—or Mar.

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

Insincerity in word or act has never gained anything permanent in business, friendship or love.

A Trip to Florida.

Dear Miss Grey,—As I have just returned from a two months' visit in Florida I thought perhaps some of the Boxites might like to hear something about that south land of romance.

One of the wonderful features of Florida is in the number of its springs. The flow from some of these springs forms a generous stream. Many of them are impregnated with sulphur and a number are used for medical baths.

One of the most beautiful of the Florida springs is the Wakulla Springs not far from Tallahassee. The pool is over 100 feet deep and very clear. Not far from Tampa are the sulphur springs which are said to have a flow of 50,000 gallons every minute.

Blue Springs along the St. John's river is also a wonderful spring. The water is quite blue and the fish and plants are colored by this blue.

Florida is a land of lakes, little bodies of water are scattered all over it, and all are filled with fresh, clear water—none of them stagnant although they have no visible outlet.

The Florida soil varies greatly, one stretch may be quite useless while another alongside may be very fertile. We saw many beautiful orange groves covered with the luscious yellow fruit. It has been said that Florida was built out of the left-overs from the rest of the United States.

There are also a great many different kinds of birds in Florida. The visitor there should be on the watch for the feathered creatures of the woods and groves and waters, especially in the southern part, where the water birds are so numerous.

Millions of Dollars have been spent on the roads in Florida in the last few years and millions more are provided for the near future.

There are long stretches of brick and concrete roads, so making travel by auto a pleasure there.

The population of Florida is quite varied. From the families of Spanish descent—mingled with English and French blood, down to the blackest negro of African descent.

There are many long Indian names there, such as Okeechobee, Ocklaushar Kissimmee, Ocklohonee, etc.

The Florida "Cracker" is an interesting subject. The name was formerly applied only to the drivers of oxen. These drivers carried a long whip, on the end there was a lash long enough to reach to the farthest ox of a four-yoke team. On the end is a snapper which makes a noise like a pistol, when snapped. So the name of "Cracker" became attached to the driver. The "Cracker" is now found only in the back woods where he grows a little cotton and a few vegetables and only comes to town to trade.

But I must not forget to mention the alligator which may still be seen in the rivers there, although they are getting scarcer.

They are ugly-looking creatures with large mouths—they love to bask in the sun and will not come out of the water much when the weather is cool. I only saw two in the Gomaka river while there.

But it would take a book to tell all that we saw while there.

The blue sky, the tall palmetto trees, the flowers, the broad white ocean beach with the waves rolling in, the beautiful winter homes of the tourists, all conspired together to form a picture which can never be forgotten.

MOLLY MAGUIRE.

For Aunt Nannie.

Dear Miss Grey,—I see in Friday's paper where Mystery has some flower seeds she would like to dispose of for a worthy cause so as I am a lover of flowers thought I would send for some. I am sending 25 cents for Aunt Nannies' fund and ten cents for hospital fund. Sorry I could not make it larger just now. I am making a crazy quilt and wondered if any of the Boxites had a patch or two to spare me I would gladly pay postage for same and Miss Grey has my address. Wishing Mystery every success in her fund for Aunt Nannie. FLOWERETTE.

Ans.—I have forwarded your money to Mystery and I wish any one else who desires to help Aunt Nannie, would kindly get Mystery's address from the Mail-Box and send their contribution direct to her. Thank you Flowerette for your hospital mite.

Mrs. J. T. H.—Thank you very much for such a generous mite, also for inclosures. I am mailing you a few seeds. Here is a list of those in Mail-Box at present: hollyhocks, marigold, columbine, morning glory, nasturtium, candytuft, sweet william, wild cucumber, balsam, larkspur, penny plant, honeysuckle, poppy, four o'clocks, phlox, Canterbury bells, maid in the mist, nicotine, petunia, snapdragon and snow on mountain.

June Roses—Thank you very much for sending in parcel which has been forwarded to Pickle Face.



Club News

Y. W. C. A. BOARD.

The Y. W. C. A. board meeting yesterday afternoon at the Y. W. C. A. residence, King street, received interesting reports from all the departments of work. The chief business, however, was the granting of permission to the girls' work department to go ahead and make arrangements for another summer camp at Port Bruce this year. This news is being received with enthusiasm by all the 'teen age girls of the city, and especially by those who enjoyed the privileges of the camp last year.

NEW ST. JAMES' BIBLE CLASS.

The New St. James' Bible Class spent a most delightful evening at the home of the president, J. A. McLandress, on Tuesday. In addition to spending an enjoyable social time the guests were tendered a fine program which included games of different sorts, musical numbers by Miss MacKay and Mrs. Frank Smith, a reading by Mrs. Ernie, and a song in Gaelic by the Rev. James MacKay. Short speeches were also given by Dr. Murray, the class leader, Mr. McQueen, the Rev. Mr. Currie and Mr. Imrie.

WOMEN'S CANADIAN CLUB.

Miss Jean Blewett, the well-known Canadian journalist and poet, is to be the guest of honor at a meeting of the Women's Canadian Club, which takes place in the Normal School next Tuesday afternoon.

MOTHER—DAUGHTER BANQUET.

The teen age girls of the Askin Street Methodist Church are holding a mother and daughter banquet at the church tonight.

HAMILTON GAULT CHAPTER.

Mrs. Hamilton Bingle was again made president of the Hamilton Gault Chapter, I. O. D. E., when the annual meeting was held yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Ed Waller. The other officers are as follows: Vice-regents, Mrs. Ed Waller and Mrs. Archie McMahen; secretary, Mrs. George Fraser; assistant secretary, Mrs. Jenkins; treasurer, Mrs. Clifford Gray; standard-bearer, Mrs. Truax.

ASKIN STREET LADIES' AID.

A very successful musicale was held on Tuesday evening by the Ladies' Aid of the Askin Street Methodist Church, at the home of the president, Mrs. J. N. Rowntree of Stanley street. Those taking part in the evening's program were vocalists, Miss Mabel Weld, Miss Alma Grigg, Mrs. Fralick, Mrs. Emeney, Master Cedric Crossley; readers, Miss Pearl Niles, Miss Kirkpatrick and Miss Irene Deacon; violinists, Miss Davidson and Charles Wilson. A vocal quartet included Miss Olive Pearson, Miss Alma Grigg, Dr. Colling of Lambeth and Mr. Venton. Piano numbers were given by Miss Miriam Pearson, Miss Gertrude Hodder, Miss Zella Dundas, and during the evening the accompaniments were played by Dr. Smith. At the close of the musicale the executive of the Ladies' Aid tendered a supper to the artists of the evening.

NEIGHBORHOOD TEAS ARE HELD IN AID OF CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL

One Street in London Has Conceived Brilliant Way to Raise Money.

The residents of one street in the city, which, by the way, is only a block long, but thickly populated, has conceived the idea of holding progressive neighborhood teas in aid of the Children's Hospital fund. These teas are so much enjoyed by the housewives of the street and are creating such a spirit of neighborly friendliness that they are becoming exceedingly popular, and it is not impossible that other neighborhoods will take up the idea.

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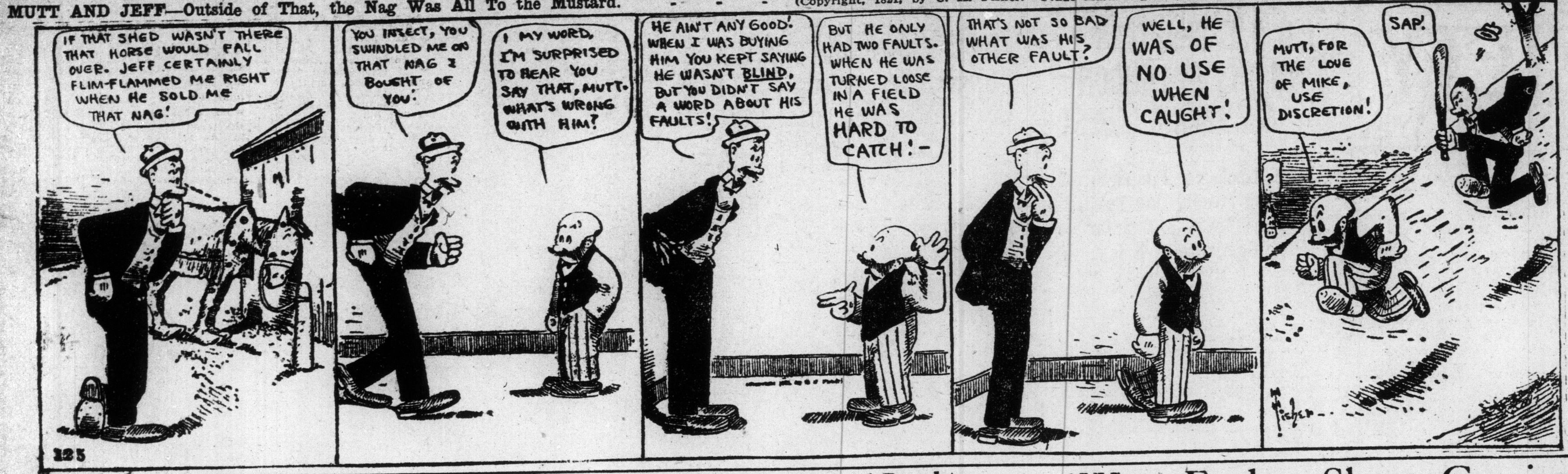
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London Puts Sarnia Out by 5--2 Score

MUTT AND JEFF—Outside of That, the Nag Was All To the Mustard. - - - - (Copyright, 1821, by C. H. Fisher. Trade Mark Registered in Canada.) BY BUD FISHER



London Has Better Navy Than Sarnia; Win by 5--2 Score

Sudden-Death Game at Woodstock Gives Londoners Round by 9 to 6 Verdict — "On To Galt!" Now Slogan.

THE PLAY-OFF.

	W.	L.	For.	Agst.
LONDON	2	1	9	6
Sarnia	1	2	6	9

LONDON at Galt (Friday.)

WOODSTOCK, Feb. 16.—The London Alerts tonight won the right to go on in the O. H. A. Intermediate race and meet Galt in the next round by defeating Sarnia by a score of 5 to 2, winning the round by 9 to 6. Considering that the ice, though hard, was covered with water the game was a well-played one, both teams working for all they were worth from start to finish. However, the Londoners proved the better team in the water and earned their victory honestly. McKay, Arthurs and Lougheed just simply revelled in the heavy going. Arthurs particularly carried the puck through the water in a manner that was nothing less than canny, and he was shooting right at McAllister all the time. Bud Kelly was good on the defence and carried the puck along well, but he simply could not get the rubber out of the water when it came to shooting. Hynds played well in goal, but did not have one-quarter the number of shots fired at him as did McAllister. The latter must have stopped at least 30 in the first session. Gillies was a valuable man all evening, but like Kelly, did not like the water. For Sarnia McAllister, Finch and Garvey looked the best of the sextet. On the night's play the Tunnel Town lads were outclassed. They simply could not negotiate the water-covered ice, although they worked hard and scored the first goal, after London had had 90 per cent of the play.

No Combination.

Wisely neither team attempted combination. It was a case of simply coaxing that old rubber through the water. Lou Marsh refereed and gave general satisfaction. He had little to do in the way of inflicting penalties, as the game was a clean one. Only three penalties were handed out, all for minor offences. London had a following of 250 rooters, while Sarnia was also well represented. The game was replete with many bits of comedy, as the players either took plunges in the water or soaked the spectators.

The first period opened with London right on the offensive, Gillies and McKay each had a try at McAllister without results. Lougheed took the rubber right through from end to end only to have the Sarnia goal-tender block the shot. For the first fifteen minutes the Londoners kept the puck around the Sarnia goal, and McAllister was a busy man. Finally Garvey managed to wiggle through the Londoners, got right inside the defence, and with only Hynds to beat, scored the opener for Sarnia in seventeen minutes. The Londoners went right out to get that goal back at the commencement of the second period. The puck was rushed up and taken into the corner. It was passed out to McKay who took a grand slam at it. The puck went into the air and dropped into the net, much to McAllister's surprise; time, 3 minutes. Lougheed now got busy, and with patience nursed the puck through from end to end. When outside the defence he let drive at McAllister, who missed; time, ¾ minute. Sarnia now bucked up, and Hynds was called upon to stop a couple of hard ones. The Londoners at this period with a lead on the round would not be denied and finally Arthurs got one that was rather a lucky goal. He made a lift at the puck, which was in a pool of water, and the rubber just managed to have legs enough to pass McAllister. With the score 3 to 1 on the game, Sarnia made a brave effort, and with fifteen minutes of the period gone counted their second goal. The period ended with the score 3 to 2 in favor of London.

Sarnia Missed Chance.

Right at the beginning of the final period Sarnia had a beautiful chance to even the count. Finch had no one to beat with the puck dead right in front of the goal. Over-anxious, he shot wide. Crouchman crashed into the boards and had to retire. Sarnia, with ten minutes to go, missed easy chance No. 2, an erratic shot spilling the beans. Soon after London scored another. Kelly made a rush, but lost the puck near the Sarnia goal. It was relieved out a short distance, where the hard-working Arthurs snatched it and scored with a shot from close in. A minute or so later the same player scored again, the counter which proved the final one of the game.

The line-up:

London.		Sarnia
Hynds	Goal	McAllister
Lougheed	Defence	Crouchman
Kelly	Defence	McCart
Arthurs	Centre	Garvey
McKay	Wing	Hayes
Gillies	Wing	Finch
Burgess	Sub	Brown
Mays	Sub	Jenkins

Referee—Lou Marsh, Toronto.

Off the Boards

Many puddles in the soft ice made the game more interesting for the fans who took an occasional shower bath as the puck was played to the boards.

Shortly after the game started the players of both teams were soaked to the skin, and Referee Lou Marsh almost took a nose dive during the second period, when he became the centre of play.

McKay stopped many rushes in approved style, and kept McAllister busy with his wicked shots on the Sarnia net.

The game was one of the cleanest seen this season, but three penalties being handed out, and not one Sarnian was an offender.

"Bud" Kelly surprised the London fans by drawing a penalty in the last period. "Bud" was ruled off for hooking Garvey with his stick, and it was his first trip to the penalty box this season.

Lougheed proved his worth as a defence man, as he repeatedly intercepted Sarnia rushes and then carried the puck into enemy territory.

McAllister, the Tunnel City guardian, made over thirty stops in the first period, but must have left his rabbit foot in the dressing-room during the last two spasms.

Garvey played a brilliant game for Sarnia, and was the keystone for most of the combination pulled off by his crew.

Geordie Arthurs slipped thre past McAllister during the game, and dished up a wonderful exhibition of hockey.

The Tunnel City rooters and team returned to this city last night on the Alert fans' special, remaining here until this morning.

Betting on the game was brisk, and many Londoners enriched themselves at the expense of the Blue and White rooters.

One of the latter crowd provided a novel stunt by purchasing admission tickets to the arena for over thirty Woodstock youngsters, after pinning $2 bills on a few readily-obtained staunch rooters for his team.

Mays subbed during the second period and chased the rubber like a veteran.

Crouchman of Sarnia was laid out in a crash to the boards with Burgess, but gamely returned to the ice in a few minutes.

Referee Lou Marsh let a few offsides and minor loafing get by, but a clean game assisted him a great deal in his work.

Al Watts, goalkeeper, was on the Alerts' bench, but the clever work of Hynds was of such a calibre that Watts was not called upon to show his wares to the 1,200 fans present. Pring, who has played Junior O. H. A. for London, Grand Trunk star defence man, was also on the London reserve list.

Three hundred Londoners went to Woodstock on the special, and the Alert Club is chartering a special to Preston on Friday night, via Grand Trunk, for the accommodation of fans anxious to witness the first clash with Galt.

Upon returning to this city on Wednesday night, members of the Alert Club and friends celebrated the victory by an impromptu dinner party at Wong's Cafe.

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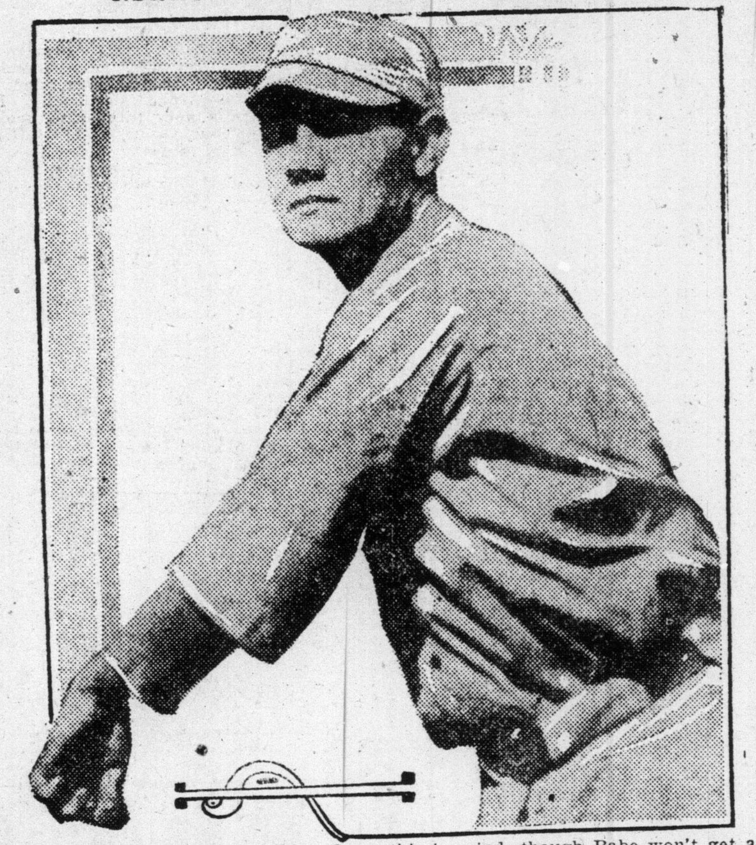
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Make First Sacker of Bambino



MILLER HUGGINS is said to have this in mind though Babe won't get a chance this season or for that matter as long as the present infield of the Yanks holds together. Just why Ruth should be turned into first baseman isn't apparent on the surface. Probably the Babe himself or his press agent is responsible for the rumor or perhaps ambition has its tentacles on the Swat King, and he wants to go down in history as the most versatile player of all time.

BECAUSE HE HIT TEN STRAIGHT HITS IN ROW, COMING STAR WAS TOLD HE HADN'T BEEN TRYING BEFORE THIS

Frank Leo Brazil, Athletics' Third Baseman, Given Uncalled For Rep As Temperamental Player—With Mackmen This Year.

[By Ernest J. Lanigan.]

It must be rather disconcerting to an ambitious young athlete, after he has made ten hits in ten successive times at bat in a Class A League, to have it hinted to him that previous to the time he struck these blows he wasn't putting forth his best efforts and to be told that arrangements had been made to ship him to a Class C Club. Yet that is what practically happened to a young third baseman on the reserve list of the Philadelphia American League Club, the same being Frank Leo Brazill, once of the Superbas.

Frank Leo, in some manner, has gained the reputation of being a temperamental athlete—a reputation about as undeserved as the one Grover Cleveland Alexander was furnished with by a pencil pusher back in 1911. He practically had the order of the Tin Can attached to his person right after he made his ten hits in a row for Hartford in 1919 and last year he was in a jam down at Atlanta. The result of both of these incidents was in Brazill's favor, for his departure from Hartford gave him the chance to lead two leagues in batting in one season and his next job after the one with Atlanta brought him under the direction of a man who was able to learn that the only thing temperamental about Frank Leo was that he was a normal and natural .300 hitter.

There never has been a league in which Brazill has played in which he has hit less than .333, unless it was the Blue Ridge League in 1918, no trace of which can be found in the guide books.

All He Did.

All that Brazill did in 1919 was to lead both the Eastern League and the Western Canada League in hitting and all that he did in 1920 was to rank fourth in hitting in the Southern Association and first in hitting among the men who played in more than 50 games, in the American Association.

If C. Mack can pick up a few more temperamental athletes like Brazill the Athletics are quite likely to be surrendering their subway privileges.

When Brazill goes south with the A's this spring it will be his third training trip with a big league club. He was one of the Brooklyn tourists in 1919 and last spring he was in the Mack caravan.

Brazill, a left handed batter and a right handed thrower, began his career on this earth at Spangler, Pa., on August 11, 1899, and started his baseball career 19 years later at Cumberland, Md., in the Blue Ridge League. That league evidently perished early in the season, for no trace of it can be found in the Spalding or Reach Guides. After it fell by the wayside Brazill moved on to Franklin, Pa., and played with the independents there.

The spring of 1919 found him down South with the Superbas and he was with them on their first trip to Boston, being turned over to Hartford shortly afterward.

It was in Hartford Brazill tore off his ten hits in a row, his reward for this being a ticket to Winnipeg, Manitoba. In the Eastern Frank Leo batted for .360 and in the Western Canada he hit for .413. Both figures were the top figures for the leagues, and by leading two in one season he equalled a performance of Patrick Henry Dougherty's. Pat was the hitting king of the Connecticut League in 1901 and when its season ended went out to the coast and played with Los Angeles. When the California League averages came out these showed Patrick Henry out in front, with a fourteen point advantage over Parke Wilson, once a Giant catcher.

Went South.

Brazill went south with the A's in 1920 and Mack left him in Atlanta. In that Georgian metropolis Frank Leo hit well, but his fielding was not up to par. He had injured his throwing arm on May 24 and the Atlanta leader—Charles Frank—thought he ought to cure it by Christian Science treatment. The two Franks—Charles, the leader, and Frank Leo, the private—parted company. Brazill going to St. Paul, where he played under Michael J. Kelly. Mike had Brazill's arm treated and cured and Brazill hit .378 for the Apostles, doing a lot of other things besides. He had a triple steal and was, we believe, the one player put out of a game by an umpire in the post season series with Baltimore for the Class AA championship.

Brazill's batting average for the last two years is .364. This is his record:

Brazill's Record—1919 and 1920.

Year	Club	Rank	G	AB	P	H	P.C.
191	Hartford	1	61	239	45	86	360
1919	Winnipeg	1	25	92	17	38	413
1920	Atlanta	4	50	183	26	61	333
1920	St. Paul	*1	52	135	34	51	378

*Of men who played in more than 50 games.

ED LAMY TIED WITH ST. PAUL SKATING FLASH

SARANAC LAKE, N. Y., Feb. 16.—Ed. Lamy of Saranac Lake defeated Everett McGowan of St. Paul, Minn., in two out of three skating races, thus duplicating the Westerner's feat of yesterday. The two men were tied at the end of the meet.

Lamy today captured the 440-yards and mile event, the latter being skated instead of two-miles on account of the track conditions, there being three inches of slush and water on the course.

Lamy lost the half-mile race when McGowan spurted away from him on the last lap.

West Enders Show Garrison Five Way To 41--39 Defeat

Fastest and Most Furious Romp Yet Seen, With Plenty of Hard, Close Checking and Bewildering Passing—Half-Time Score 18--13 in Favor Winners.

Garrison glimpsed their first defeat at the hands of the Toronto West End seniors last night at the armories by a score of 41—39, in the fastest and most furious romp yet seen on the local floor. Both teams set a terrific pace the whole session, and the three-point margin gained by the visitors about represented better staying powers towards the last few minutes, when West End overcame a lead, the Red Shirts had gathered in with a great spurt about half way through the last half. Both teams took two-minute halts this session.

A big crowd saw the game, which brought forth the strenuous side of the pastime during every stage, and at times everything but the hip lock.

The Londoners were a bit off color, and the minute they lagged West End spurted and showed a bewildering style of two-arm passing and painfully accurate work on the basket from all ranges. They checked hard and close, too, which was all to the locals' liking.

The West Enders had the locals trailing an 18—13 score at the end of the first half, and from then on it was a see-saw battle in spurts. The Londoners caged five in a row with a foul attached for good measure in their last big effort.

Yeomans, Walker and Tait starred for the visitors, with Gillies, McLean and Brock scoring most of London's points. The line-up:

Toronto We.	Position.	Garrison.
Fraser	R. Forward	Gillies
Yoemans	L. Forward	McLean
Walker	Centre	Duffield
Tait	R. Guard	Brock
Lalonde	L. Guard	Reid
Smith	Subs	Mascari
McCausland ..	Subs	

Referee—A. T. Taylor.

CAVALRY TRIM O. T. C.

In the preliminary the Hussares rode the C. O. T. C. to a 20—9 defeat, getting plenty of revenge for their recent loss at the hands of the soldiering students.

The cavalrymen had the score 9—3 at the end of the first half and kept that edge until the end of the game, though O. T. C. made them extend to the limit to do it. The line-up:

Hussars.	Position.	C. O. T. C.
Johnson	R. Forward	Beemer
Tanton	L. Forward	Dougall
W. Lightfoot	Centre	Talbot
J. Lightfoot	R. Guard ...	Dochstader
A. Clinger ...	L. Guard	Sifton
R. Clinger ...	Subs	Campbell

IRISH SLIP INTO LEAD ON 4—3 WIN OVER OTTAWAS

Senators Slip Further, While Frenchmen Beat the Tigers.

PRO STANDING.

	W.	L.	For.	Agst.
St. Pats	5	2	40	27
Canadiens	4	3	36	32
Ottawas	4	3	27	23
Tigers	1	6	26	47

MONTREAL, Feb. 16. — Canadiens defeated Hamilton in their scheduled National Hockey League game here tonight by a score of 10 to 5. By defeating Hamilton Canadiens bettered their position in the standing of the clubs. The game was a poor exhibition, the one-sided score detracting from the interest in the play. Canadiens always had the game well in hand, although the score was tied at the end of the first period. Canadiens were much the heavier and used their weight to advantage. The play was handled by Cooper Smeaton, who resigned as a referee after the Ottawa club's trouble a short time ago. He has reconsidered his decision and is again one of the National Hockey League officials.

PATS GO UP HEAD.

ARENA, Toronto, Feb. 16. — St. Patricks assumed the leadership in the National Hockey League by defeating Ottawa, 4 to 3, here tonight in a well-played game that was marked by frequent penalties and close checking. With but three minutes of play remaining the teams were on an equal basis, 3 to 3, but "Babe" Dye again proved the saving hero and netted the odd goal and the victory. It was a pretty goal and supplied the proper culmination to a good night of hockey. Incidentally, it might be stated that it was St. Patricks' initial win with Ottawa on their local ice. In the first period the teams were on an equal footing, each scoring two goals. Ottawa got the only goal in the second period, but St. Patricks managed to come back strong in the final frame, scoring two goals and making victory secure. The game was not as spectacular as some previous games between St. Patricks and Ottawa, but this can be ascribed to the close checking tactics of both teams. Ottawa can partially lay their defeat to their lack of capable substitutes, McKell and Bruce, when they were used, marring their playing by penalties. If Ottawa had had better substitutes and used them more frequently a different score might have resulted. Cameron and Dye divided the honors for St. Patricks. Forbes put up a remarkable exhibition in the nets, and when he was injured in the final period with but three minutes to go he was given a rousing ovation. Dennenay worked hard for Ottawa and scored all his team's goals. Nighbor was closely covered at all times.

Some New Faces in the Mfrs. League

New Ruling Lets Two Outside Men Play in One Game and Replacements.

Terrys vs. Grand Trunks.
Bell Telephone vs. Standard Drug.

If the weather tightens up today tonight's bill in the Manufacturers should still further change the standing.

Terrys have strengthened up considerably and believe that close decisions which have gone against them against the best in the league gives them a good chance to mark up a defeat against Standard Drug, the only undefeated team so far in the circuit.

Bell Telephone should give Grand Trunks a merry tussel, now that they have broken the hoodoo twice.

The rest of the race in the Manufacturers' should be still faster, as quite a number of new outside men will be signed up by the teams under the new ruling, which allows the playing of both outside men in one game and the replacing of one by a new man without any time limit.

Water on Ice Fails to Stop 'Spiel at Sound

McDonald's Londons and Emslie of St. Thomas Safe in First Round—Dad Merriam's Clatsworth Four Put Out — Finish Tomorrow.

OWEN SOUND, Feb. 16.—The Owen Sound bonspiel is still going strong, in spite of considerable water on the ice, and there are remarkably few defaults. A meeting of the skips was held this morning, and it was decided to carry on with a reduction to six in the number of ends played. An effort will be made to finish the bonspiel during the night or early tomorrow. The following is the play since last night:

First Round.

Meaford.		St. Thomas.	
Gibbons	3	Emslie	11
Owen Sound.		Fergus.	
C. W. Buzza ..	6	Bayne	11
Stratford.		Owen Sound.	
Keller	9	J. Thomson ...	8
Southampton.		Owen Sound.	
McAuley	7	Seaman	6
Owen Sound.		Guelph.	
Sloane	3	Steele	15
Collingwood.		Chatsworth.	
Nettleton	10	Merriam	9
Seaforth.		Owen Sound.	
Bethune	8	Wilkinson	10
Barrie.		Plattsville.	
Kennedy	7	Hall	9
Meaford.		St. Thomas.	
Pilgrim	9	Cameron	8
Owen Sound.		Walkerton.	
M. D. Lemon ..	4	Downey	10
Bright.		Wingham.	
Hewitt	10	Crawford	9
Tara.		Grand Valley.	
Locke		Menary	
Markdale.		Owen Sound.	
McArthur	9	Telford	11
Chatsworth.		Owen Sound.	
Currie	18	Wright	4
London.		Owen Sound.	
McDonald	13	Taylor	5

Second Round.

		Fergus.	
St. Thomas.			
Emslie	5	Bayne	4
Seaforth.		Barrie.	
Bethune	6	Kennedy	7
St. Thomas.		Owen Sound.	
Cameron	13	M. D. Lemon ...	9
Wingham.		Grand Valley.	
Crawford	7	Menary	6
Markdale.		Owen Sound.	
McArthur	7	Wright	8

Owen Sound—Lemond Bros. Taylor a bye.

Sarnia.		Plattsville.	
Col. McKenzie..	6	English	3
Allenford.		Clarksburg.	
Fenton	6	Mitchell	4
Allenford.		Sarnia.	
Miller	1	Watson	5
Owen Sound.		Durham.	
Batchellor	2	Calder	6
Owen Sound.		Thornbury.	
Smith	4	Snetzinger	8
Markdale.		Owen Sound.	
Stephen	7	T. Thompson..	6
Owen Sound.		Owen Sound.	
Ramsay	6	C. Buzza	7
Owen Sound.		Chatsworth.	
Seaman	7	Merriam	3
Barrie.		St. Thomas.	
Kennedy	4	Cameron	3
Wingham.		Owen Sound.	
Crawford	8	Wright	2

Taylor, Owen Sound, defaulted, McAuley, Southampton.

Fergus, a bye.

Steele, Guelph, defaulted to Newton, Collingwood.

Pilgrim, Meaford, defaulted to Hewitt, Bright.

Locke, Tara, defaulted to McDougal, Owen Sound.

TAYLOR AND PRINGLE TROPHY.

First Round.

Dutton defaulted to Nimmo, Wiarton.

Owen Sound.		Owen Sound.	
McDougall	6	Horning	4
St. Marys.		Owen Sound.	
Poole	3	Douglas	4
Owen Sound.		Tara.	
J. E. Buzza	4	Rudolph	5
Owen Sound.		Chesley.	
Hall	3	Halliday	4
Owen Sound.		Harriston.	
Guidi	9	Brisbin	3
Owen Sound.		Meaford.	
J. Thomson ...	5	Gibbons	3
Owen Sound.		Owen Sound.	
Kennedy	4	Sloane	6
Seaforth.		Owen Sound.	
Bethune	3	M. D. Lemon..	4

Menary, Grand Valley, defaulted to McArthur, Markdale.

LONDON Y BUSINESSMEN WON GAMES FROM WOODSTOCK

The senior and junior businessmen's classes of the local "Y" won the volley ball games from the respective classes of the Woodstock Y. M. C. A. on Tuesday afternoon. The senor men played volley ball and the junior class basketball. The former team only lost one game and won two out of three. The score of the basketball game was 32 to 21.

Following were the players on the basketball team: Butterworth, Dale, Ruddy, Stevens and McCrimmon. The volley ball team was as follows: Dr. Detwiller, W. E. Saunders, Ald. F. E. Harley, F. C. Morrow, Mills, W. C. Benson, J. P. Finnigan, F. Whitehall, F. Marshall, W. D. Christianson, J. J. McHale and C. Rowntree.

Physical Instructor David Allan stated that the teams would play their corresponding classes in Stratford in the near future, and that the Woodstock and Stratford teams would visit London shortly.

TIGERS FORCE GRANITES INTO OVERTIME TO WIN

SENIOR STANDING.

	W.	L.	For.	Agst.
Granites	8	2	31	14
Kitchener	7	2	36	11
Varsity	6	3	33	23
Hamilton	3	6	26	39
Aura Lee	3	6	21	25
Argos	0	8	16	45

FRIDAY.

Argos at Aura Lee.

HAMILTON, Feb. 16.—Toronto Granites defeated Tigers tonight, 5 to 3 after ten minutes of overtime play in a senior O. H. A. game.

CHESLEY DEFEATS HANOVER BY 4 TO 3

Overtime Necessary To Decide Winner in N. H. L. Clash.

OWEN SOUND, Feb. 16.—In a sudden death senior N. H. L. game for group honors between Chesley and Hanover played here tonight, Chesley were victorious by 4 to 3 after a second overtime period had been played to decide a winner. The ice was very soft and sticky, and poor hockey resulted. The score by periods was 1 to 0; 2 to 1 for Hanover, and a tie, 3 to 3, at the end of the third, Hanover getting the third goal in the last minute of play. There was no score in the first overtime, Lustig securing the winning counter in the second overtime. The line-up:

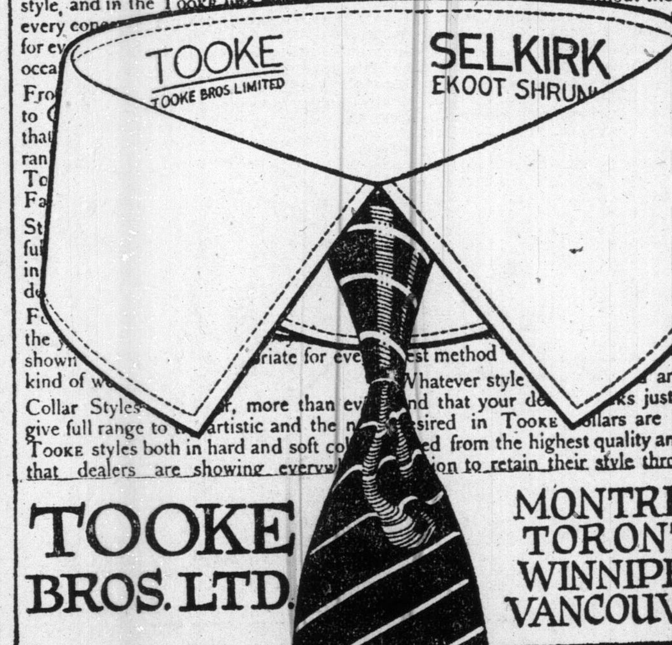
Chesley—Goal, Mair; defence, Kreuger, Green; centre, Davidson; wings, Lustig, McDonald; subs, Hoeflin.

Hanover—Goal, Scarboro; defence, Schotte, Boettger; centre, Oberle; wings, Wendorf, Stanley; subs, Knechtel.

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O. H. A.
Senior.
Granites 5, Hamilton 3.
Intermediate.
Belleville 6, Varsity 3.
London 5, Sarnia 2.
Collingwood 8, Newmarket 1.
N. H. L.
Senior.
Chesley 4, Hanover 3.

FT. WILLIAM RINKS STILL UP AT WINNIPEG BONSPIEL

WINNIPEG, Man., Feb. 16.—The Fort William rinks, McDonald and Rutledge, continued their winning streak in the local bonspiel this morning. McDonald reached the eights in the Robinson competition by disposing of Finlay, Winnipeg, 12 to 10.

In the Eastern event Rutledge eliminated Whyte, Duluth, 13 to 11, for position in the eights.

TILLSONBURG-INGERSOLL GAME IS POSTPONED

TILLSONBURG, Feb. 16.—Owing to mild weather, the game between Woodstock and Tillsonburg which was to have been played in Ingersoll tonight has been postponed until Friday night. If the ice is in good condition on Friday night the game will be one of the fastest exhibitions of the season.

ON THE ALLEYS

ON THE ALLEYS 6.. .. ..

The Acadians got their revenge on the Maple Leafs last night by taking two out of three games from the McCallum cup holders. The Leafs came back strong in the third game, spilling them for a 1,028 total.

Acadians—				
Wilson	247	182	173	602
Hodges	171	175	190	536
Jones	180	201	196	577
Benedict	217	194	159	570
McCullough	158	185	190	533
Totals	973	937	908	2818
Maple Leafs—				
Crawford	186	197	235	618
McGowan	163	196	226	585
Hunter	163	191	169	523
Crawford	178	151	172	501
Smith	222	151	226	599
Totals	912	886	1028	2826

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Dowlers—				
E. Hurley	178	119	150	446
Wm. Groom	119	138	124	381
A. Tisdale	94	113	170	477
H. Ball	124	177	185	456
G. Rush	166	152	137	455
Totals	781	698	766	2245
Bolt Works—				
G. Somers	204	180	144	528
A. Blake	150	120	142	412
H. Foley	140	231	169	540
E. Slater	154	165	143	512
E. Lattimore	116	126	124	366
Totals	764	822	772	2358

FREE SCHOOL BOOKS BILL MOVES FORWARD

Legislature Gives Measure Second Reading—Drury Sympathetic.

Toronto, Feb. 16.—The bill providing for free text books in schools, introduced by R. L. Brackin, Liberal member for West Kent, was given a second reading in the Legislature today.

Premier Drury said the government was sympathetic with the principle of the bill, but he wanted to go slowly. He suggested passing the bill subject to it becoming effective at the direction of the lieutenant-governor-in-council, or else give the bill a second reading and then leave it at that until public opinion called for it. He did not like the idea of being autocratic, he said.

Major A. C. Lewis, Northeast Toronto, said that in order to prevent danger from disease it would be necessary to issue new books to each child. This would be a great expense to small school boards. He pointed out that the boards could now issue free books if they so desired.

Hon. R. H. Grant, minister of education, raised his voice for the first time in the Legislature this session, to say that one of the greatest difficulties he had to contend with was facilitating the distribution of text books. He suggested propaganda in favor of the bill throughout the province.

Major J. C. Tolmie, Windsor, who favored the bill, said he looked forward to the day when Ontario's department of education would own its own printing plant and publish its own text books.

DEBATE IN SENATE.

Ottawa, Feb. 16.—Debate on the address was continued in the Senate today by Senators Bostock, Mr. James Lougheed, Edwards and Durand, the last-named moving the adjournment.

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INSURANCE COMPANY HAD A RECORD YEAR

Mount Elgin Organization Did Biggest Business in Its History.

INGERSOLL, Feb. 16.—At the annual meeting of the Dereham and West Oxford Mutual Fire Insurance Company held at Mount Elgin, the reports showed that the amount of business written was $489,220, the largest in its history. Considerable discussion took place regarding the use of gasoline in buildings. The following officers were elected: President, J. G. Currie, Ingersoll; vice-president, James Little, Ingersoll; secretary, T. R. Mayberry, Ingersoll; directors, J. G. Currie, James Little, Ingersoll; R. W. Brink, Woodstock; F. H. Harris, Mount Elgin; Charles Williams, Tillsonburg; J. A. Campbell, Salford; auditors, J. A. Morrison and R. A. Baxter.

SAYS JUDGMENTS ARE CONTRADICTORY

Raney Refers to Decisions of British Privy Council.

Toronto, Feb. 16.—Discussing the recent speech of Lord Birkenhead anent privy council appeals, Attorney-General Raney today expressed the opinion that some of the judgments of the privy council were not only confusing, but contradictory. This was the result of a series of appeals from appeals.

"My theory is that there ought to be only one appeal in all civil cases, and the judgment of the first court of appeal ought to be the end of the litigation. I say in civil cases, because I am not too sure that we haven't gone too far in denying the right of appeal in criminal cases. If, as in civil cases, where only property is at stake, there is a right of appeal, there should be more reason for allowing an appeal in a criminal case, where a man's liberty is involved.

"In his speech," concluded Mr. Raney, "Lord Birkenhead states it is for the people of Canada to decide whether or not they want to retain the right of appeal to the privy council, and that is right. It is a question that should be left to the people of Canada. Lord Birkenhead's speech is an important contribution to the subject, and is to be welcomed. It goes in the direction of approval of the present system, or some modifications of it, which will retain appeals to the judicial committee."

BONAR LAW REFUSES TO BARE MANDATE

Coalition Leader Declines To Let Commons Have It.

London, Feb. 16.—Anti-Government members of Parliament, who have been insistently proclaiming the right of the House of Commons to pass judgment on the Mesopotamia mandate, before it was submitted to the League of Nations, received a shock this afternoon, when Andrew Bonar Law, the Government leader, declined to lay the mandate on the table, and give the House a chance to approve it before it was turned over to the league.

Mr. Bonar Law explained that the peace treaty provided that mandates were first to be submitted to the League of Nations and the Government intended to carry out the provisions of the treaty.

Answering a question as to whether the Government was going to commit the House to great expenditure without an opportunity of discussing it, Mr. Bonar Law said that the House was already committed to possible expenditure by Great Britain's accepting the mandate.

Mr. Bonar Law added that if every parliament interested was to enter into a discussion before a matter was submitted to the league, then the league might as well be closed.

LABOR AMENDMENT.

London, Feb. 16.—(By Canadian Associated Press).—The debate on the address was resumed in the House of Commons today with a Labor amendment expressing regret that there was nothing in the King's speech recognizing the right of the unemployed to work or maintenance.

Hon. Thomas MacNamara, minister of labor, announced that there was a provision in the new bill extending the unemployment insurance act to meet the present case.

The Independent Liberals have tabled an amendment attacking the Government on its Irish policy, but it is unlikely this will be reached before Monday, as the unemployment debate will occupy at least two days. Afterwards will come the amendment in favor of public economy and the prevention of waste.

Right Hon. Bonar Law stated that the Government would take all the time of the House until the end of the financial year. A list of supplementary estimates are coming up, the first to be issued that of £21,000,000 for the railways.

Removed His Own Appendix; Is O. K.

Kane, Pa., Feb. 16.—Dr. Evan O'Neill Kane, the 60-year-old surgeon of this place, who late yesterday removed his own appendix in one of the most remarkable surgical operations on record, spent a comparatively easy night, and sent word from his bedside today that he is farther on the road to recovery than is usual the day following an operation for the removal of the appendix.

"Just say that I am getting along all right," said the doctor through his nurse.

"Maybe, a little later on, I will have a statement that will be of interest."

It was stated that Dr. Kane since the operation has dictated a number of letters and given directions regarding the conduct of his personal affairs and practice.

PAIR OF CROOKS CAPTURED AT FORD

WINDSOR, Feb. 16.—Joseph Herbert and George Phillips giving their address as 495 Brush street, Detroit, were arrested tonight by Chief Harry Maisonville of Ford City as they were attempting to enter a house. The men carried revolvers and billies. Investigation into their records shows that they are wanted in Detroit on charges of theft. When the men were arrested they had succeeded in stealing a car and evidently intended to escape across the river.

HAD A GOOD YEAR.

SARNIA, Feb. 16.—The year 1920 was a most successful one, according to reports received at the 31st annual meeting of the Industrial Mortgage & Savings Co., today. The increase in the assets over the previous year was $169,000. At a subsequent meeting John Cowan, K. C., was appointed president; W. G. Willoughby, first vice, and John McFarlane second vice. The directors were re-elected.

TELEGRAPH BRIEFS

REDS KILLED 101 IN SPAIN.

Barcelona, Feb. 17.—Statistics relative to terrorist outrages connected with labor agitation, made public today, show that since January 1, 1919, persons numbering 101 and comprising employers, managers of works, policemen and employees were killed, while 167 others were wounded.

In the same period there were eleven bomb explosions, killing five persons and wounding fifteen.

TRACE SPURIOUS MARKS.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—An organization of counterfeiters which had been operating for more than a year and which is believed to have floated millions of marks of spurious money through agents in Poland, Silesia, Czecho-Slovakia and Jugo-Slavia, as well as in Germany, has been broken up.

The police have arrested 200 persons in Berlin and other German cities on information furnished by a woman who was attempting to pass a counterfeit fifty-mark note. The woman said that a Berlin bookbinder had been manufacturing the money, which was distributed in small amounts in Germany, but in large amounts in foreign countries. The police believe that only fifty-mark notes were counterfeited.

RIDICULE "MORAL" GOWN.

London, Feb. 17.—Englishmen as well as English women are inclined to laugh at the reported attempt of Philadelphia clergymen to fix the measurements of a "moral" gown for women.

"I am certain that American women will not take any notice of such an absurdity," said Lady Randolph Churchill to the Daily Chronicle representative. "There is no such thing as a moral dress. If people wear outrageous dresses they suffer because everyone laughs at them. It is people who are moral or immoral, not the dresses."

Dr. Elizabeth Sloan Chesser said:

"I never heard of anything so ridiculous. If these old gentlemen were psycho-analyzed, it might be found that their executive interest in women's dresses had a significance at which they would be surprised. I think that the dress of today is good and healthy. I hope that long dresses will never again be brought in. This is an age of youth and everyone ought to remember it."

ASKS EMPLOYMENT.

Vienna, Feb. 17.—A deputation representing 130 classes of intellectuals aggregating 360,000 persons has memorialized the reparations commission to take steps to find employment abroad for the surplus Austrian professional men and brain workers.

The deputation has also asked the commission to establish credits for the purchase of supplies for the co-operative societies which are endeavoring to check the progress of poverty in these circles.

FRUIT OF BERLIN RIFLE RAID.

Berlin, Feb. 17.—An official statement today concerning the recent discovery of a secret store of arms in the west end of Berlin says that the number of rifles seized will prove to be considerable, 2,000 having already been counted.

Apparently the arms belonged to an organization of volunteers which had been accumulating them during the last eighteen months, the statement adds.

SEIZE BOLSHEVIST FUND.

London, Feb. 17.—The police of Naples seized 1,500,000 gold rubles aboard the Italian steamer Ancona on its arrival from Russia, says a Central News dispatch from Rome today.

According to the Giornale d'Italia of Rome, the dispatch adds, the money was intended for Bolshevist propaganda. The Ancona later proceeded for London.

PARIS CRITICS MAY STRIKE.

Paris, Feb. 17.—The newspapers of Paris are considering suspending all literary and dramatic criticisms as a result of a court decision against Rene Doumic, member of the French Academy and editor of the Revue des Deux Mondes, in legal proceedings brought by M. Sivain and M. Jaubert, translators of "The Persae" of Aeschplus, to force M. Doumic to print their reply to a criticism of the play written by him. Under certain conditions the French law gives the right to reply to such criticism, and when the Revue refused the translators' demand that it print theirs, legal steps were commenced to compel it to do so. The play was produced in May, 1919, at the Comedie Francaise.

FINDS GEMS IN HUNGARY.

Vienna, Feb. 17.—In examining the archives of the public buildings the Hungarian Finance Minister, Hegedus, discovered in a hidden recess two strong boxes containing many thousands of opals, worth millions of dollars, which had lain there many years.

The gems are to be sold to foreign buyers.

MICHELSON GOES TO PARIS.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Professor Albert A. Michelson of Chicago University, whose star measuring apparatus, aannounced in December, interested the scientific world, departed today for Pari to lecture as an exchange professor in the University of Paris for three months.

KRUPP PLANT IN CHILE.

Santiago, Feb. 17.—It is reported in official circles that the Chilean Government is considering making a grant of a large strip of land in Southern Chile to the Krupps on which to erect a munition plant. One of the arguments which is particularly attracting President Alessandri is the knowledge that such a plant would give employment to a large number of Chileans who are out of work.

BOY SCOUTS RUN A CITY.

Springfield, Mass., Feb., 17.—For fifteen minutes this afternoon the affairs of Springfield were under the direction of boys from the various Boy Scout troops of the city who had been chosen to hold the city offices, from that of Mayor down. It was at first planned to have the boys take over the work of the traffic squad, but Chief of Police William J. Quilly, before going to New York to attend a hearing on firearms, disapproved this plan, and it was abandoned.

FLEETS REACH PANAMA.

Panama, Feb. 17.—The United States Atlantic and Pacific fleets arrived here last evening after completing their joint manoeuvres off the west coast of South America. The final event of an attack by destroyers under a smoke screen and practice at formations. During the coming week the fleets will remain here and the crews will meet in athletic contests.

BRANTING TO FORM NEW CABINET

London, Feb. 17.—Hjalmar Branting, former premier and Socialist leader in the Second Chamber, has accepted the task of forming a new cabinet, says a dispatch to the Central News from Stockholm.

PRESS FOR PACKER CONTROL.

Washington, Feb. 17.—In an effort to obtain a vote in the House on the Packer Control bill, proponents of the measure decided today to petition the rules committee to call it up on the floor before the end of the session. Petitions were put in circulation among the state delegations, and Representative Young, Democrat of Texas, who has been pressing the demand for a vote, said that at least 150 signatures had been obtained.

EDITOR OF EDMONTON JOURNAL IS DEAD

Victoria, B. C., Feb. 16.—Milton Robbins Jennings, editor and general manager of the Journal, Edmonton, died suddenly here this morning from acute heart disease.

Mr. Jennings was one of the outstanding newspapermen of the west, and had been a director of the Canadian Press, and president of the Canadian Daily Newspaper Association. He was born at Warsaw, N. Y., in 1874, educated in the University of Rochester and started his journalistic career as a reporter in that city. He had been on Montreal papers and Toronto journals, as well as the Washington Times as special correspondent in Cuba in 1898. He went to Edmonton in 1909.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

HAY AND OATS SHOW FIRMER TENDENCIES

Demand for Several Days Has Considerably Exceeded Supplies.

Hay and oats were the principal offerings on the local market today. Hay sold at $23 and $25 per ton, but if supplies are not any larger on Friday than they were today, it is expected that prices will take a jump. The demand for oats has exceeded supplies for several days, and prices are showing very firm tendencies.

Hogs are in demand, but as none were offered, prices were inclined to advance, although up to 10 o'clock, there were no changes recorded. Hind quarters of pork sold for 25c per pound, and fronts at 22c per pound.

Quotations:

Grain, Per Cwt.—			
Oats, per cwt	$1 50	to	$1 50
Wheat, per cwt	2 92	to	2 92
Barley, per cwt	1 50	to	2 00
Buckwheat, per cwt	2 25	to	2 50
Grain, Per Bushel—			
Oats, per bu	51	to	51
Wheat, per bu	1 75	to	1 75
Barley, per bu	72	to	96
Buckwheat, per bu	1 08	to	1 20
Vegetables—			
Potatoes, per bag	1 00	to	1 00
do, bag, retail	1 25	to	1 25
Lettuce, per doz	50	to	80
Parsley, per doz	40	to	50
Onions, per bu	1 00	to	1 25
do, per qt	15	to	15
do, per peck	25	to	25
Cabbage, per doz	40	to	40
Beets, per bu	50	to	50
Carrots, per bu	50	to	60
Celery, per doz	1 00	to	1 50
Turnips, per bu	40	to	50
Parsnips, per bu	60	to	75
Rhubarb, per doz	1 50	to	1 50
Radishes, per doz	70	to	70
Fruits, Retail—			
Apples, per bu	50	to	80
do, per bbl	2 00	to	3 00
Honey, Wholesale—			
Honey, 5-lb. pail	1 30	to	1 40
do, comb	25	to	28
Honey, Retail—			
Honey, 5-lb. pail	1 45	to	1 50
do, comb	30	to	30
Hay and Straw—			
Timothy hay, ton	23 00	to	25 00
Clover hay, ton	23 00	to	25 00
Straw, per ton	11 00	to	12 00
Dairy Products, Retail—			
Butter, creamery, lb.	62	to	62
do, dairy, lb	60	to	60
do, crocks, lb	59	to	59
Eggs, strictly fresh	45	to	45
Dairy Products, Wholesale—			
Butter, creamery, lb	58	to	58
do, dairy, lb	55	to	57
do, crock, lb	55	to	55
Eggs, fresh, doz	40	to	40
Poultry, Dressed, Retail—			
Turkeys, per lb	65	to	65
Geese, per lb	35	to	35
Ducks, per lb	37	to	37
Chickens, each	1 00	to	1 75
do, per lb	38	to	38
Poultry, Dressed, Wholesale—			
Chickens, per lb	35	to	35
Turkeys, per lb	60	to	60
Geese, per lb	35	to	35
Ducks, per lb	35	to	35
Live Fowl—			
Ducks, per lb	25	to	25
Geese, per lb	28	to	28
Old fowl, per lb	25	to	28
Chickens, per lb	28	to	28
Live Stock—			
Fat sows, cwt	8.50	to	9 00
Small pigs, pair	12 00	to	15 00
Hogs, per cwt	13 50	to	14 00
Dressed Meats, Wholesale—			
Dressed hogs, cwt	20 00	to	20 00
Veal, choice, 100 to 125 lbs. cwt	22 00	to	25 00
do, 85 to 100 lbs	20 00	to	20 00
Heifers and steers, 500 to 600 lbs	17 00	to	18 00
do, 400 to 500 lbs	15 00	to	16 00
Cow beef, choice, 500 to 600 lbs	15 00	to	15 00
do, 400 to 500 lbs	13 00	to	13 00
Lambs, choice, 35 to 40 lbs	25 00	to	28 00
do, 25 to 35 lbs	24 00	to	25 00
Dressed Meats, Retail—			
Pork, hinds, lb	25	to	25
do, fronts, lb	22	to	22
Beef, hinds, lb	20	to	31
do, fronts, lb	15	to	16
Veal, hinds, lb	35	to	35
do, fronts, lb	30	to	30
Lambs, hinds, lb	35	to	35
do, fronts, lb	30	to	32
Hides—			
Cow hides, No. 1	5	to	6
do, No. 2	4	to	5
Calf skins, No. 1	8	to	8
do, No. 2	6	to	6
Lamb skins, each	40	to	40
Horse hides, each	2 00	to	3 00
Kip, per lb	6	to	6

FLOUR.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Flour—Steady; spring patents and Kansas straights, $9@9.50; spring clears, $6.75@7.50; winter straights, $8.25@8.50.

MINNEAPOLIS, Feb. 16.—Flour—15c higher; carlots, family patents, per barrel, $9.75@9.80.

Shipments—56,814 barrels.

Bran—$20@21.

TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Ontario Flour—90 per cent patents, $8.50, bulk, seaboard.

Manitoba Flour—Government standard, track, Toronto, cash prices; first patents, $10.70; do., second, $10.20.

Millfeed—In carlots, delivered Montreal freights, bags included; bran, $38 @40 per ton; shorts, $37@38 per ton; good feed flour, $2.50@2.75 per bag.

MONTREAL, Feb. 16.—There was no new feature in the flour situation today.

Prices were down $2 per ton for millfeed today owing to keener competition.

The rolled oats trade was steady.

Flour—Manitoba spring wheat, new standard, $10.70.

Bran—$38.25.

Rolled Oats—Per bag, 90 lbs., $3.40.

Shorts—$36.25.

HAY.

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—Hay—Quiet; No. 1, $1.45@1.55; No. 2, $1.35@1.45; No. 3, $1.20@1.30; shipping, $1@1.15.

TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Hay—Baled, on track, Toronto, carlots, $25@26 per ton.

Straw—Carlots, $12 per ton.

MONTREAL, Feb. 16.—The trade in the baled hay market was quiet today.

Hay—No. 2, per ton, carlots, $26@27.

LIVE STOCK.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 275; there is a fair trade for the first arrivals at prices steady to a little lower than yesterday; holdovers from yesterday were hard to sell; butcher steers, choice, $9@9 50; good, $7 50@8 50; medium, $6@7 50; common, $4@6; butcher heifers, choice, $8@9; medium, $7@8; common, $4@6; butcher cows, choice, $7 @7 50; medium, $5@7; canners and cutters, $3@4 50; butcher bulls, good, $6@7; common, $4@6; feeding steers, good, $7 50@8 25; fair, $6 50@7 50; stockers, good, $6@6 50; fair, $5@6.

Calves—Receipts, 62; calves are selling a little easier; no choice veal is offered; choice, $14@15; medium, $11@14; common, $6@11.

Milch Cows—Choice, each, $90@120; springers, choice, $100@130.

Sheep—Receipts, 87; lambs are selling steady, at $11@12.

Hogs—Receipts, 690; light receipts strengthened prices a little; selects, $14 @14 25; light, $12@12 25; heavy, $13@13 25; sows, $9 75@11.

East Buffalo, N.Y., Feb. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, 150; stronger.

Calves—Receipts, 150; stronger, at $5@15 50.

Hogs—Receipts, 2,600; 25c to 50c lower; heavy, $9 50@10 25; mixed, $10 50 @10 75; yorkers, $10 75@11; light yorkers and pigs, $11; roughs, $7 25@7 50.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts, 2,000; lambs 25c higher; lambs, $6@9 25, a few at $9 40; yearlings, $5 50@7; wethers, $5@5 25; ewes, $2@4 50; mixed sheep, $4 50@4 75.

GRAIN.

Winnipeg, Feb. 17.—May wheat opened ¼c higher to unchanged at $1 87@1 86¾, and July ⅜c higher at $1 73⅛.

Oats opened ¼c to ⅛c higher at 52@51⅞ for May, and ⅛c higher at 52⅛c for July.

Flax opened unchanged for May at $1 92½.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Opening: Wheat—March, $1 72; May, $1 62½.

Corn—May, 71½c; July, 73½c.

Oats—May, 46c; July, 46⅜c.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Fresh declines in the price of wheat took place today largely owing to lack of substantial evidence of any actual widespread crop damage yet from green bugs. Cooler weather tended also to favor the selling side. Demand was chiefly of a scattered sort from commission houses. Opening prices, which varied from unchanged figures to 1c higher, were followed by a material setback all around.

Some increase of rural offerings had a bearish effect on corn. After opening ¼c off to a like advance, the market underwent a decided general sag.

Oats were easier with other grain, starting unchanged to ¼c lower, and lated showing a moderate setback.

PROVISIONS.

Chicago, Feb. 17.—Lower quotations for hogs and cereals pulled down provisions.

Liverpool, Feb. 17.—Hams short cut, 180s.

Bacon—Cumberland cut, 170s; Wiltshire cut, 180s; clear bellies, 195s; short clear backs, 167s 6d; shoulders, square, 160s; do, New York, 140s.

Lard—Refined, 132s.

OILS.

Liverpool, Feb. 17.—Turpentine Spirits—55s.

Rosin—Common, 20s.

Petroleum—Refined, 2s 3d.

War Kerosene—No. 2, 2s 4d.

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE.

New York, Feb. 15—Wall Street, 10:30 a.m.—Gains exceeded losses at the opening of today's stock market, but yesterday's late rally was only indifferently sustained. Issues of the same variety in the steel, motor and oil grgoups moved contrarily. Royal Dutch and Sumatra Tobacco were strong, while Studebaker, Chandler, Baldwin Locomotive, Mexican Petroleum and Central Leather preferred were correspondingly heavy. United States Steel eased a small fraction, and the inquiry for rails was limited to minor shares, notably Pittsburg and West Virginia and St. Louis Southwestern. Buying of Republic Iron, Beet Sugar and American Tobacco stabilized prices within the first half hour.

1:30 p.m.—Renewed selling of the several Reading issues at losses of 1⅝ to 2 points created general heaviness at midday. Among the other ractionaries were General Asphalt, Virginia, Carolina Chemical, Endicott-Johnson and Ajax Rubber, at extreme declines of 1 to 4 points.

[Reported by Jones, Easton, McCallum Company for The Advertiser.]

New York, Feb. 17.

Trunk Lines and Grangers—	Open.	High.	Low.	2p.m.
Baltimore & Ohio	34⅛	34⅛	34	34
Erie, com	13½	..	..	..
Erie, 1st pfd	20¼	..	..	..
Great Northern	76¾	..	..	..
New Haven	20¾	..	..	..
New York Central	71⅞	72⅛	71⅞	72
Rock Island	27⅝	..	..	..
St. Paul	28⅛	28¼	28	28
Pacifics and Southerns—				
Canadian Pacific	117⅞	117⅞	117⅛	117⅛
Col. Southern	20½	..	..	..
Kansas & Texas	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Missouri Pacific	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
Northern Pacific	84⅜	84⅞	84⅛	84¼
Southern Pacific	79	79	78¼	78¼
Southern Railway	22¼	22⅜	22¼	22⅜
Union Pacific	121⅝	121¾	121	121
Coalers—				
Ches. & Ohio	59¼	..	..	..
Reading Railway	76½	76½	74⅝	74⅝
Tractions—				
Brooklyn Transit	13¾	..	..	..
Interboro, pfd	14⅝	..	..	..
Industrials—				
Allis-Chalmers	37¾	37	¾37½	37⅛
Am. Beet Sugar	49½	..	..	..
American Car	30⅝	30½	30⅜	30½
American Can	124¼	124½	124	124
Am. Hide, pfd	45	45½	45	45
Am. Locomotive	86¼	86¼	86	86
American Sugar	93⅝	..	..	..
Am. Smelters	44⅛	44⅛	43¾	43¾
American Wool	68	68	67	67
Baldwin Loco	91	91⅞	91	91⅜
Central Leather	39⅜	39⅜	38⅛	38½
Corn Products	72⅝	..	..	..
Dome Mines	15⅝	16	15⅝	15¾
General Electric	132	132	131¾	131¾
General Motors	14½	14½	14⅛	14¼
Goodrich Rubber	39⅝	39⅝	39¼	39¼
Inter. Nickel	16	16	15⅞	16
Marine, com	15½	..	..	..
Marine, pfd	54¾	55¼	54¾	55¼
People's Gas	38¼	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛
Studebaker	60⅞	62⅜	60⅜	61½
U. S. Rubber	71½	71⅝	71⅞	71⅞
Virginia Chemical	38⅜	38⅜	35¼	35¼
Westinghouse	46¼	..	..	..
Willys-Overland	8⅛	8⅛	7⅞	7⅞
Coppers—				
Anaconda Copper	39¾	..	..	..
Ray Consolidated	13¾	14	14¾	14
Utah Copper	55¾	55¾	55½	55½
Oils—				
Mex. Petroleum	161⅜	164¾	161¾	162⅝
Pan-American	77¾	79⅝	77¾	78
Texas Oil	43⅞	44	43⅞	43⅞
Steels—				
Bethlehem, B	58⅝	59¼	58⅝	59¼
Crucible Steel	95¾	96⅝	95¼	95¾
Lackawanna	55½	56½	55⅛	56½
Pressed Steel Car	92¾	92¾	92½	92½
Republic Iron	67¾	68⅞	67⅝	68¾
U. S. Steel	84½	84⅞	84⅝	84⅞

Sales to noon, 219,200 shares.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Montreal, Feb. 17.—The local exchange has experienced some dull sessions, but the trading during the first half hour this morning was the most inconspicuous for weeks. Only two of the principal issues made an appearance. These were Abitibi and Brompton. The former weakened 1½ points to 45½, while the latter sagged ½ to 50.

Sales.	High.	Low.	Noon.
3550 Abitibi	46¾	45	45⅛
5 Atlantic Sugar	30½	..	..
39 Bell Telephone	107	106¾	107
50 Brazilian	34¼	..	..
390 Breweries	53	52½	52½
1738 Brampton	50⅛	49⅝	50
10 Can. Car, pfd	71	70½	70½
640 Can. Cement	60	59½	59⅞
6 do, pfd	93	..	..
97 Can. Steamships	38	37½	38
60 do, pfd	69	68¼	69
10 Dom. Bridge	86¾	..	..
55 Dom. Steel	86¾	..	..
10 Gen. Electric	106	..	..
20 Howard-Smith	102	..	..
5 do, pfd	92¼	..	..
10 Illinois, pfd	70½	..	..
200 Laurentide Pulp	88⅛	88	88⅛
15 Lyall	73	..	..
22 Montreal Power	82⅛	..	..
5 Ogilvie, pfd	101	..	..
5 Ottawa Power	70	..	..
10 Penmans	103	..	..
4 Provicial Paper	99	..	..
110 Quebec Power	27½	27	27½
25 Sher.-Williams	85	..	..
55 Smelters	20¼	..	..
120 Spanish River	78	77	78
480 do, pfd	88	87½	88
140 Steel of Canada	63½	63	63
224 Textile	109	108	108
30 Toronto Railway	71½	..	..
5 Wayagamack	82	..	..
Banks—			
28 Merchants	177	..	..
2 Royal	201	..	..
40 Montreal	209	..	..
Bonds—			
$28000 War Loan, 1925	94	..	..
4000 Victory, 1922	98¾	..	..
1000 do, 1924	98½	..	..
5000 do, 1934	95⅝	95¼	95⅝
350000 do, 1937	99¾	..	..

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.

Toronto, Feb. 17.—Prices were practically unchanged from yesterday at the closing of this morning's dull session of the stock exchange. The majority of stocks traded in were steady, and there was a slightly firmer undertone to the general business.

Brazilian was higher at 34¾, while C. P. R. closed unchanged at 134¾, after reaching 135 during the session. Canada Steamships held at 37½, while the preferred issue moved up another fraction to 69. Dome was strong at $18 60. Paper issues were inclined to weakness. Abitibi reaching 46 and Spanish River 77½.

Sales.	High.	Low.	Noon.
20 Abitibi	46	..	..
15 Atlantic Sugar	30⅝	..	..
125 Barcelona	5½	..	..
125 Brazilian	34¾	34½	34¾
5 Bell Telephone	107	..	..
76 C. P. R.	135	134⅝	134¾
200 Can. Cement	59½	59¼	59½
20 Can. Steamships	37¼	..	..
20 do, pfd	69	..	..
130 Dome Mines	1860	1850	1860
20 Dom. Steel	48¼	..	..
5 Gen. Electric	106¾	..	..
10 do, pfd	100¼	..	..
100 Mackay, pfd	64½	64	64¼
50 Porto Rico	46	..	..
16 Provincial Paper	102	..	..
40 N. S. Steel	44	42	44
55 Quebec Railway	27¾	27½	27¾
75 Spanish River	77¾	77½	77½
16 do, pfd	88¼	88	88½
55 Smelters	20¼	20	20¼
5 Steel of Canada	63¾	..	..
130 Toronto Railway	71¾	71	71⅛
1 Winnipeg Railway	46	..	..
Banks—			
4 Imperial	187	..	..
3 Royal	201	..	..
29 Standard	200	..	..
10 Union	158	..	..
4 Ontario Loan	161	..	..
Bonds—			
20000 Sao Paulo	80¼	..	..
1300 Victory, 1922	98¾	98½	98½
7300 do, 1923	98½	98	98
13200 do, 1924	96⅝	96	96¼
1000 do, 1927	98	..	..
5000 do, 1923	98⅝	98¼	98¼
14500 do, 1934	95⅝	95¼	95¼
5000 do, 1937	99¾	99⅝	99¾
Unlisted—			
20 B. A. Oil	32⅝	..	..
1 Macdonald	24¾	..	..
10 H. Smith, pfd	92	..	..
1000 Beaver	41	40	40
66 Holly	690	..	..
290 Brompton	50	49¾	50
25 Breweries	53	..	..

EXCHANGE RATES.

New York, Feb. 17.—Sterling exchange weak; demand, $3 89¼; cables, $3 90.

Canadian dollars, 13 per cent discount.

ALMOST LOST FINE PAIR OF HORSES

WARDSVILLE, Feb. 16.—Cyrus Smith almost lost his horses when, while drawing ice from the pond, they broke through. One horse was completely submerged in the cold water. By breaking all the ice to the edge of the pond, the animals were gotten out safely.

The union literary and social meeting held in the town hall was very largely attended. After some time had been spent in games superintended by Miss Atkinson and William Atkinson, a very interesting program was introduced by Dr. Hussar, who acted as the chairman. Choruses were given by the boys, two solos by Mr. William Mimna, a reading by Miss Dykes, a piano solo by Miss Levine Henderson, and three-minute addresses by Rev. R. J. Murphy, B. A. (Anglican), and C. D. Farquharson, B. A. (Presbyterian). Lunch and coffee was served by the ladies at the close of the program.

Miss Flora Alexander, who is conducting a first-aid nursing class, and who also is a returned missionary from India, gave a very interesting address to a large congregation in the Methodist Church. Miss Alexander gave an account of the great work being done by the hospital among the suffering women and children of that country.

The funeral of Christian Noble Winger, 8-year-old son of William and Mrs. Winger, who died in Detroit, was held from the residence of James Malack. Interment was made in Oakland Cemetery. Death was caused from an accident received when the boy was less than one year old. Having been left lying on the front seat of their automobile for a few moments, he fell off on to one of the levers and injured his stomach. Rev. Dr. Husser of the Methodist Church conducted the services. The following acted as pallbearers: Cecil Moore, Commie Moore, Elliott and William Whitlock.

HALF-MILLION DAMAGE.

SASKATOON, Sask., Feb. 16.—Fire which destroyed the Cahill block, a department store and other business places here today caused damage estimated at $500,000.

WILL GET ESTIMATES OF BUILDING COSTS

EMBRO, Feb. 16.—The meeting which was held in the town hall in connection with consolidated and continuation schools was well attended. The different schools in the township were represented by trustees. Some of the time was spent in discussion, and a committee of six was appointed to get all the information required in regard to the cost of building, etc. Almost all were in favor of consolidated schools.

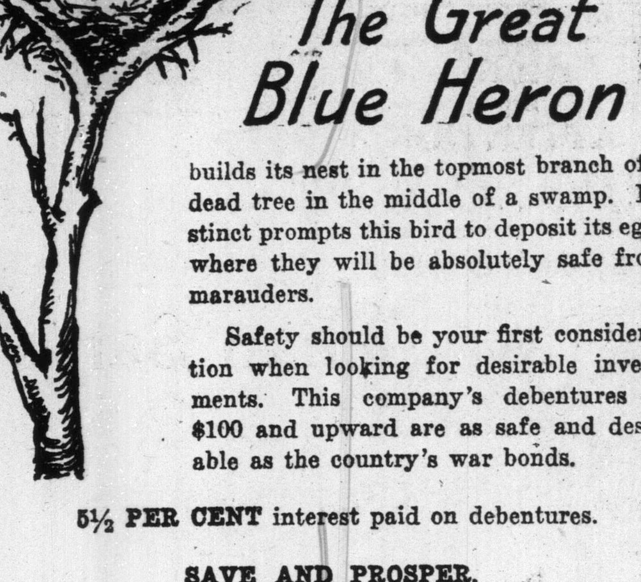
A Father and Son union service is to be held in Knox Church on February 20, under the auspices of the Trail Rangers' Beavers Club.

The Holiday Woman's Auxiliary, a branch of the W. M. S. of Knox Church, is holding a meeting on Thursday afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. Sutherland.

Yesterday morning, at 7:45 o'clock, Frank Holmes's chimney caught fire, and as there was rather a high wind, the cinders were going rather high over the roof. Assistance soon came, and with careful watching there was very little damage done.

MANHOLE EXPLODES BROADWAY IN PANIC

NEW YORK, Feb. 16.—One man was killed, and thousands of persons crowding lower Broadway during the noon hour were thrown into a panic today, when a manhole exploded. The cover, shattered by the blast, was hurled high in the air, raining fragments of iron and breaking a twelfth story window in a skyscraper.



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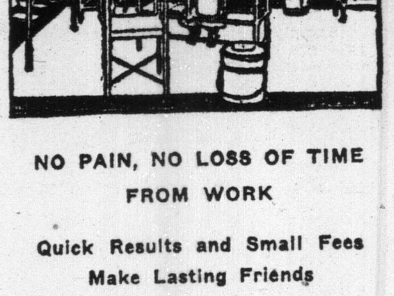
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Lecture Postponed
The lecture on Western Canadian Peoples, which was to have been given by Prof. Sissons in St. Andrew's Hall this (Thursday) evening, has been postponed to March 3. b

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BORN, MARRIED, DIED

BORN.

BAWDEN—To Mr. and Mrs. I. A. Bawden, on February 16, 1921, in Victoria Hospital, a son. b

DIED.

BARLOW—At her last residence, 858 Queen's avenue, on Wednesday, February 16, 1921, Alice Welch, dearly beloved wife of W. A. Barlow.
Service at above address on Friday at 2 o'clock. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. Friends and acquaintances please accept this intimation. 49u

HOSSACK—At Lucan, on Tuesday, February 15, 1921, Thomas Hossack, M. D., aged 76 years.
Funeral on Friday, February 18, at 1 p.m. Service at the house at 12:30. Burial at Mount Pleasant Cemetery, London. 48u

POGGIOLINI—At 372 St. James street, on Wednesday, February 16, 1921, Lillie, beloved wife of Louis Poggiolini, in her 70th year.
Funeral service at Oatman's funeral parlors, 115 Dundas street, on Friday at 2 p.m. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. Funeral private. 49u

RICE.—At Wnnipeg, February 14, 1921, Dr. A. T. Rice, beloved husband of Harriet Gillam Rice.
Funeral private from the residence of Mr. H. S. Wilcox, 311 Dufferin avenue, on Friday at 2 p.m. Interment Woodland Cemetery. 48u

THOMPSON—In Christina, on Wednesday morning, February 16, 1921, Mary Ann Carroll, beloved wife of Thomas Thompson, in her 73rd year.
The funeral will be held from the family residence at Christina on Friday afternoon, February 18, 1921, at 2:30 o'clock. Service at the house at 1:30 p.m. Interment in Strathroy Cemetery. Friends will please accept this intimation. b

IN MEMORIAM.

BULL—In memory of Loetta May Bull, who died February 17, 1920.

In proud and loving memory
Of the one who has gone to rest,
And those who think of her today
Are the ones who loved her best.
—Husband, Children, Mother, Father and Sisters. b

MONTEITH—In loving memory of our dear son and brother, William James Monteith, who died one year ago today, February 17, 1920.

Days of sadness still come o'er us,
Tears of sorrow often flow,
Memory keeps our loved one near us,
Whom God claimed one year ago.
b —Father and Brother.

CARD OF THANKS.

The family of the late Malcolm Falconer wish to thank their many friends for the sympathy and kindness shown them in their recent sad bereavement. b

MEETINGS

AN EMERGENT MEETING OF ST. George's, 42, A. F., A. M., will be held this Thursday, 17th inst., in Masonic Hall at 7:30 o'clock. Visitors welcome. First and second degrees to be conferred. Chas W. Heaman, W. M.; A. Ellis, secretary. b

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$2,500—1½-story six-room frame cottage on Simcoe street between Clarence and Richmond, fully modern, basement, lot 27x198 feet. $500 cash. Balance arranged. Possession 30 days.

$2,500—1-story double frame cottage on Adelaide street between King and Dundas streets, five rooms each side, paved street, sidewalk, lot 45x 140 feet.

$3,100—1-story, six rooms, white brick cottage on Ontario street between Elias and Princess avenue, sidewalk, gas, toilet, new roof. Possession 30 days. Terms.

$2,800—Five-room frame cottage, Gammage street, between Cheapside and Grosvenor, good basement, hydro, lot 34x136 feet, four blocks from Oxford car. $500 cash. Balance $20 per month.

$3,500—2-story white brick house, on High street, near Tecumseh avenue, seven rooms, fully modern, fireplace, basement, lot 30x160 feet. Possession April 1. Terms.

$4,000—2-story, nine-roomed brick house on King street, between Burwell and Maitland, paved street, sidewalk, basement, lot 28x106 feet. Terms. Possession in 30 days.

$4,500—1½-story, seven-roomed white brick cottage on Pall Mall street near Maitland, sidewalk, fully modern, hot air furnace, 3-part basement, one block from Normal car line. Terms.

$5,000—1½-story, seven-roomed white brick cottage, sidewalk, fully modern, furnace, basement, lot 33x124 feet, one block from Hamilton road car line. Terms.

$6,200—2-story, eight-room, white brick house on King street, between Colborne and Burwell street, fully modern, two fireplaces, hot air furnace, basement, one block from Dundas car line. Possession 30 days. Terms.

$6,500—2-story, nine-room, frame house on Riverview avenue, near Wharncliffe road, fully modern, fireplace, basement, hot air furnace, sidewalk, lot 44x110 feet. Could be made into a duplex. Terms.

$8,000—Five-roomed fully modern red brick cottage on Windsor avenue, between Ridout and Wortley road, paved street, sidewalk, hardwood floors, basement, hot air furnace, lot 40x117 feet. Possession in 30 days. Terms.

$9,500—2-story, nine-room, white brick house on Evergreen avenue, near Wharncliffe road, paved street, sidewalk, fully modern, hot air furnace, two fireplaces, ash finish, basement, garage, lot 125x117. Suitable for a physician. Possession in 30 days. Terms.

$9,900—2-story nine-roomed tapestry brick and stucco house on Wharncliffe road, near Evergreen avenue, paved street, sidewalk, fully modern, hot air furnace, fireplace, chestnut finish, oak floors, basement, on Normal car line. Possession April 1. Terms.

$12,000—2-story, nine-roomed white brick house on King street, near Waterloo, paved street, sidewalk, fully modern, hot air furnace, basement, hardwood finish, lot 40x165 feet. Terms.

$12,000—2-story white brick duplex, six rooms each side, on Princess avenue, between Waterloo and Colborne street, sidewalk, fully modern, hot air furnace, fireplaces, basement, newly decorated, one block from Normal car line. Terms.

$15,000—2½-story, thirteen rooms, two halls, white brick house on Grand avenue, near High street, sidewalk, fully modern, hot air furnace, gas fireplace, basement, garage, barn, lot 120x505 feet. Immediate possession. Terms.

$20,000—2-story, nine-roomed white brick house on Wellington street, near Regent street, fully modern, furnace, fireplace, basement, walnut and white enamel finish, maple floors, lot 132x160 feet. Immediate possession. Terms.

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$3,700—1¼-story white brick, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, bath, cellar, driveway, hydro, gas, water, large lot.

$3,200—White brick cottage, hall, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, 2 bedrooms, toilet, full size basement, hydro, gas, water, driveway, fruit trees. Immediate possession.

NORTH.

$6,700—2-story red pressed brick, reception hall, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, complete bath, floored attic, full size basement, furnace, hydro, gas, water, large veranda, cement driveway, brick garage, large lot.

$5,500—2-story white brick, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, summer kitchen, pantry, front and back stairs, 4 bedrooms, complete bath, full size basement, furnace, hydro, gas, hard and soft, hot and cold water, veranda, lot 53x150 feet, chicken house.

$3,500—White brick cottage, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, summer kitchen, pantry, 3 bedrooms, full size basement, hydro, gas, water, driveway, deep lot.

EAST.

$4,600—1¼-story white brick, on paved street, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, summer kitchen, 3 bedrooms, complete bath, front and back stairs, full size basement, furnace, hydro, gas, water, veranda, driveway, deep lot, garage.

$4,000—White brick cottage, double parlors, dining-room, kitchen, 3 bedrooms, bath, furnace, hydro, gas, water, driveway, extra deep lot.

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$2,900—$1,000 down, frame cottage, 3 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, chicken coop, driveway, large lot.

$7,600—North 2-story red pressed brick, 4 bedrooms, fully modern, hydro, gas, water, nicely decorated, floored attic, lot 42 by 150, drive.

$5,500—South, 1½-story red pressed brick, 3 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, hydro, gas water furnace stationary tubs newly decorated.

$4,100—East, 1½-story white brick, 3 bedrooms, new furnace, verandah, 3-piece bathroom, lot 33 by 124, driveway.

$3,500—Brick cottage, 3 bedrooms, parlor, living-room, dining-room, kitchen, shed, hydro, gas, water, driveway.

$2,500—North, brick cottage, 3-piece bathroom, hydro, gas, water, veranda.

$3,300—East, brick cottage, 3 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, hydro, gas, water, fruit trees, grape vines, lot 36 by 134, drive.

$2,500—$1,000 down, frame cottage, 3 bedrooms, parlor, dining-room, kitchen, veranda, newly decorated.

$3,900—South, 1½-story brick, 3 bedrooms, hardwood floors, fully modern, lot 37 ft. 6 in. by 106 ft. Porch.

$4,500—South, 1½-story brick, 3 bedrooms, fully modern.

$3,400—$500 down, central, 3 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, hydro, gas, water.

$5,000—East 1½-story white brick, 3 bedrooms, 3-piece bathroom, new furnace, slate roof, veranda and balcony, hydro, gas, water, lot 37 by 104, driveway.

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FORDNEY BILL PASSES SENATE, MUCH AMENDED

Many Commodities Affected Under Measure.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 16.—Loaded down with a score or more of amendments the Fordney emergency tariff bill tonight passed the Senate. The vote was 43 to 30. The bill was sent to conference immediately for consideration of the amendments made since the measure passed the House.

Action on the bill, which was designed and rushed through the House as an "aid to the farmers of the United States," came after a long session and hard fight, during which four Republican senators broke away from their party alignment.

House May Hesitate.

The bill has been so amended in the Senate that it was believed tonight that the House would hesitate to accept it as it now stands. A committee was appointed by the Senate to meet a similar committee from the House on this phase of the situation, and it is expected that the combined committees will start to work tomorrow.

As the measure passed the Senate it carried the following import duties, among others:

Some of Duties.

Wheat, 40c a bushel; flaxseed, 30c a bushel; wheat flour and semolina, 20 per cent ad valorem; corn and maize, 15c a bushel; beans, 2c a pound; potatoes, 25c a bushel; peanuts or ground beans, 3c a pound; onions, 40c a bushel; cattle (except for breeding purposes), 30 per cent ad valorem; sheep, over one year old, $2 per head; sheep, under one year, $1 a head; fresh and frozen meats, 25 per cent ad valorem; cotton manufactures, 7c a pound; unwashed wool, 15c a pound; washed wool, 30c a pound; scoured wool, 45c a pound; butter and butter substitutes, 8c a pound; cheese and cheese substitutes, 23 per cent ad valorem; fresh milk, 2c a gallon; fresh cream, 5c a gallon; condensed or preserved milk, 2c a pound; sugar of milk, 5c a pound.

Mixed wrapper and filler tobacco, if from two or more countries (unstemmed), $2.85 a pound; stemmed, $3.30 a pound; hides, 15 per cent ad valorem; apples, 30c a bushel; cherries, 4c a pound.

GOOD RUN OF SAP IN ARKONA DISTRICT

Many Trees Have Been Tapped and Yield Is Very Satisfactory.

ARKONA, Feb. 16.—The local basket factory is very busy making fruit baskets for next summer's trade. In addition to the baskets required for tomatoes and peaches the firm will make at least two and a half million berry boxes.

Fearing that if they do not harvest it immediately they may not get any, those who need ice are cutting it on the river. It is of good quality and ten inches thick.

Maple syrup making will soon be in progress. Some have already tapped their trees and report a good run of sap.

The Warwick village hockey team defeated the Arkona hockey team, 15 goals to 7.

The public library board has been reorganized with the following officers: president, Mr. Fred Eastman; vice-president, Rev. J. Ratcliffe; secretary, Miss Moore, treasurer; Rev. L. E. Cousens; librarian, Miss L. Jackson; advisory board, Rev. H. I. Jones, Mrs. Fred Nelson, Miss M. Jackson. The board has purchased over 30 new volumes.

Mrs. Robt. Fitzsimmons, aged 57, died last Friday, and was buried Monday. Rev. Mr. Whalen conducted the services which were held in the Anglican church. Interment was made in the Arkona Cemetery.

At the Bethel Church of the Arkona Methodist circuit at the February quarterly meeting, thirteen adults were baptized, fourteen were received into membership on confession of faith and five by letter. This ingathering was the result of the special services for the past two weeks, the pastor, Rev. L. Cousens preached every night and the people worked.

At the third quarterly official board of the Arkona Methodist Church, Rev. C. L. Couzens was unanimously invited to remain as pastor for the second year. The meeting was largely attended and many words of appreciation were spoken of the pastor's services.

Mrs. Niles Eastman, aged 59, was buried on Wednesday. Rev. Mr. Jones, Baptist clergyman conducted the funeral. Interment was made in the Arkona Cemetery.

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3. The special assessments are to be paid in ten annual instalments.

4. Petitions against the works named above will not avail to prevent their construction, but parties may petition the council, and their petitions will be considered.

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S. BAKER,
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No. 139—Two-thirds vote. b

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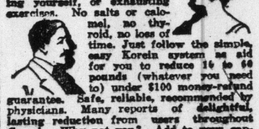
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The puzzle appeals to all Advertiser readers. Many letters have been received asking for charts, and scores of letters show the interest being taken in solving the puzzle. One party writes: "Inclosed find my subscription and solution. I certainly hope that you will run another contest like this, for I have enjoyed it very much." Another lady, Sherbrooke, Quebec, says: "I find the puzzle very interesting, and whether I am allowed to enter it or not I can work and enjoy it just the same." A soldier in barracks writes: "It is not only an interesting thing to work on, and maybe profitable too, but it certainly helps me pass the time. Many thanks for puzzle."

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A. D. Jordan Announces Contest for Children Attending Orchestral Rehearsal.

A. D. Jordan announced last night that a scholarship worth $25 will be awarded for the best essay or report on the matinee performance of the London Symphony Orchestra this afternoon, written by a child, and giving the writer's impression, first, of the individual instruments in the orchestra; second, of the combination of instruments, and in the third place of the program music. The scholarship will be good for tuition at the London Institute of Musical Art on any instrument the winner desires.

In conversation with E. W. Goethe Quantz, musical director of the public schools, Mr. Jordan says he learned that the average pupil knows very little about a symphony orchestra, and he is offering the scholarship to encourage greater interest in the matter on the part of pupils in the London schools. Local newspaper editors, along with Mr. Quantz, are to be the judges, and the essays, which must be written without assistance, and not over 800 words in length, must be in the hands of Mr. Quantz not later than February 25.

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STEVENSON SEEKS TO APOLOGIZE FOR ACTS OF EDUCATION BOARD

London Labor Member Feels Called On To Apologize To Minister of Education Because of Alleged Improprieties of Members of London's Board While in Toronto—London Bill Gets First Reading.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Because of certain alleged improprieties committed by the London Board of Education when that body was waiting on Hon. R. H. Grant, minister of education, in his office several days ago, Dr. H. A. Stevenson, Labor member for London, has felt called upon to apologize to the minister.

While the member for London was not inclined to discuss the nature of the alleged transgressions of the school board, he felt that necessary London educational legislation might receive a "black eye" in consequence. Evenly divided on the issue as to the proper site for a new school building in London, the board came down to Toronto twelve strong to seek the minister's advice. He told them, it seems, to build the school where public opinion demanded that it should be built.

Left Minister's Office.

Having left the minister's office to visit another Parliament Buildings office, it is said, the board members returned to Hon. Mr. Grant's office, and when they found him not in, demanded of the secretary, it is said, that he be sought and brought back to the office. When informed that the minister was in executive council, board members are said to have exclaimed: "Get him out. They are only farmers in there."

When the minister of education afterwards heard of the incident, he is said to have expressed extreme indignation over the board's actions. Dr. Stevenson, the London member, said today he would, if necessary, apologize on the floor of the Legislature. He thought some London public body ought to apologize on behalf of the city.

London Bill Introduced.

London's bill authorizing a commission form of municipal government was introduced into the Legislature today by J. A. Calder, Liberal, North Oxford, and was given first reading. The preamble of the bill sets forth that the electors of the city of London have already passed on the proposal. From the year 1922, according to the measure, the council shall be composed of a mayor and eight commissioners, the mayor to be elected by a general vote and to hold office for a two-year term; the four commissioners receiving the highest number of votes for two years, and the other four commissioners for one year.

Included in the city of London bill is a definition of the duties and powers of the commission, and the request for legislation to borrow various sums of money for storm sewers, extension of waterworks and electric light plant, for London railway commission, for memorial hospital for children, home for incurables and children's hospital.

That $800,000 Deficit.

That the $800,000 deficit which Hon. Peter Smith had smilingly presented to the Ontario Legislature would be treated very seriously by the people of the province, was an opinion advanced by Charles McCrea, Conservative, Sudbury, in the budget in the Legislature today. He charged the provincial treasurer with covering up an actual deficit of $1,700,000.

W. E. Sinclair, Liberal, South Ontario, continuing his address, declared that either the U. F. O.'s big noise about lawyers legislating for the province was political propaganda, or else the farmers had proven themselves unable to legislate for farmers. He gave the farmer members in the House full credit for having introduced the greater part of all measures dealing with agriculture—"the 2½ per cent, or 6 out of 254 bills."

The member for Sudbury contended that the provincial treasurer's bookkeeping system was in error. To the ordinary expenditures submitted by Hon. Mr. Smith, he added the sum of $444,934, made up of three items which he said had been wrongly put in capital. These items were: Railway annuities, $240,505; training veterans as teachers, $164,429, and Soldiers' Aid Commission, $90,000. Railway expenditures, he said, had always been treated as current expenditures under the old Government.

Both Mr. McCrea and Mr. Sinclair were firmly convinced that the Farmers' Government would have to ease up in the matter of expenditure of public funds.

RAPS RANEY REGARDING O. T. A.

TORONTO, Feb. 16.—Resuming the debate on the budget in the Ontario Legislature today W. E. Sinclair criticized the attorney-general for the way he had undertaken to give instructions to magistrates concerning the Ontario temperance act. He suggested that the attorney-general apply his energies to investigating the high price of coal, the reason why Ontario bacon is being sold at twenty cents a pound less in England than it is in Ontario, the question of combines and juvenile crime.

The member for North Ontario attributed rural depopulation to several causes, fall in birth rate, the desire of farmers' sons to come to cities for educational purposes and the introduction of machinery. Despite the large number of commissions already appointed by the Drury cabinet, he thought it would be a good idea for the Government to appoint a commission to investigate the causes of rural depopulation and the general agricultural depression.

Takes Slap at Tolmie.

R. M Warren, U.F.O., North Renfrew, said that the O. T. A. was a law that had received the undoubted approval of the electors of the province and, therefore, should be firmly enforced, despite the opposition of a thirsty minority. "Bootleggers, operators of illicit stills and unscrupulous doctors should be not only fined but given a stiff jail sentence," he said. The member for Renfrew said he had not expected that the member for Windsor (Major J. C. Tolmie) because of his calling, would have criticized the O. T. A.

Major Tolmie promptly denied that he had uttered one word of criticism of the O. T. A. He had simply objected to the way it was being administered, he said.

Dealing with the question of unemployment, the member from Renfrew said that the member from South Brant (M. M. MacBride) in his speech the other day had "almost incited men to pillaging and looting," and that such utterances ill-became a member of the Legislature.

MacBride Replies.

"The honorable member has suggested that my remarks possibly savor of sovietism," said Mr. MacBride. "My reputation throughout Canada is that of a moderate labor man. I ask that the honorable member withdraw his remarks."

"I have repeated the honorable member's own words as I remember them," said Mr. Warren. "I have interpreted them to the best of my ability."

"That's not the point," said Hon. G. Howard Ferguson, intervening. "The honorable member for South Brant has denied a statement attibuted to him, and the member for North Renfrew is bound to accept the denial."

"I want to make it plain to every member of this House that when an honorable member denies a statement his denial must be accepted," said the speaker. "That is only what can be expected of gentlemen."

Attacks Biggs' Policy.

Hon. George S. Henry, Conservative, East York, bitterly attacked the highways policy of Hon. F. C. Biggs as wasteful and inefficient. He said it was a "crying shame" that the Government should be paying 20 per cent in some municipalities doing their work under statute labor. Costs of road work performed in York County, he said, were unreasonably high. And there was absolutely no justification for issuing bonds for 20 years on gravel roads in the province. They should be paid for out of motor license taxes.

The member of East York criticized the action of Principal Reynolds of the Ontario Agricultural College at Guelph, who "could not get away from the narrow groove he was brought up in and was talking party politics." Hon. Mr. Henry condemned the minister of agriculture for apparently not reprimanding Principal Reynolds.

"Do you make an assertion?" asked Hon. Manning Doherty.

"Apparently the minister did not speak to him or else Professor Reynolds would have sufficient good sense to obey orders," said Hon. Mr. Henry.

Dealing with the embargo on Canadian cattle, Hon. Mr. Henry said it would be more "along the lines of agricultural development to do our live stock finishing here."

J. C. Brown, North Middlesex, moved the adjournment.

MANY CORNICES IN CITY UNSAFE; ENDANGER LIFE

Labor Council Wants Building Inspector To Make an Investigation.

Because it was believed by the local Trades and Labor Council that there are many insecure parapet walls and cornices in this city, dangerous to the public, a resolution was passed at a regular meeting of the council Wednesday night, calling upon the city to make a thorough inspection of all such walls. This action was the outcome of the death of Ira Burtch, who was killed recently by a falling cornice while working on a Dundas street store.

One of the delegates claimed that he knew of several parapets overhanging Dundas street, which could be pushed over with little effort. He said that he would be willing to tell Building Inspector Piper of the location of several of these walls if Mr. Piper so desired. The meeting was unanimous in the belief that some action should be taken immediately by the city to prevent any further accidents of this nature.

Would License Electricians.

The council decided to indorse a request of the Electricians' Union of this city that all persons or firms engaged in doing electrical work in this city should be licensed, and that they first should be required to pass an examination to prove their ability to do such work. Delegate E. Ingles, in giving a brief outline of the purpose of such a bylaw, said that it would protect the public from faulty workmanship, and it would also protect competent electricians engaged in the business from "scab" workmen.

It was proposed by the electricians, he said, to copy the laws of Manitoba in regard to licensing the electrical trade. The Ontario Government would be asked to draft similar laws to form a provincial protection to the trade, while the municipalities will be requested to copy the Manitoba provincial law as a bylaw, with changes in the wording necessary to bring this about.

Delegate Ingles said that the law in force in Manitoba had worked wonders in the trade, and that it was ideal in every way. He did not think that licensing would cause hardships to any man, for no one who was competent would be barred from trying the examinations. The proposition received opposition form only two delegates, who believed that licensing would prevent a man from wiring or doing electrical repairing in his own home. It was pointed out that such would not be the case.

Clothing Workers' Dispute.

Much discussion centred about a fight which is being waged in this city at the present time between the Amalgamated Clothing Workers, considered an outlaw organization, and the United Garment Workers, which is affiliated with the A., F. and L. Mr. MacDougall, representing Selak's of this city, appeared before the council to ask aid in a fight against the Amalgamated workers, who were endeavoring to destroy the United Workers' organization in his store. Such aid possible will be given, it was promised.

Hot arguments ensued as the result of a claim made to the effect that the G. W. V. A. had awarded a contract for the making of caps to a non-union factory. The matter will be left for the Musicians' Union to take up with the G. W. V. A.

A communication was received from Dean Sherwood Fox of the Western University, stating that if assurance could not be given that a suitable room could be provided for the extension lectures given each Monday evening, and unless protection could be given to the equipment of the lectures, the lectures would have to be discontinued, in so far as the professors of the university were concerned.

Apparatus Disconnected.

The dean took this action as the result of the experiences of Professor R. C. Dearle on Monday night last. The professor and his assistant had spent all Monday afternoon in setting up apparatus for experiments. When he arrived in the evening to give his lecture he discovered that the apparatus had been moved and disconnected. Because the equipment could not be readjusted in time, the lecture was cancelled.

It has since been discovered that the apparatus had been moved by the janitor, who did not know why it had been installed. To patch matters up, apologies will be made to the dean and to Professor Dearle. Assurance will be given that the room will be properly guarded in the future.

To spread propaganda in favor of the blue label and organized labor, the following committee was appointed: H. Wray, E. Ingles and F. L. Burk. The committee will discuss the advisability of putting a tent or booth in the Western Fair to carry on the work.

Organizer Appointed.

A communication was received from Hon. W. Rollo in answer to a request of the local council that action be taken by the Ontario Government to enact legislation for an eight-hour day for woman workers. Mr. Rollo stated that as Labor had only 12 members in the House it would be impossible to pass such a bill at the present time. He believed that by education, the way for laws covering an eight-hour day generally would be paved.

James Hevey, 70 Albion street, was appointed paid organizer of the council for one month. His salary will be fixed by the executive committee.

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Red Currant Jelly, 1-lb. jars...60c
Pure Raspberry Jam, in 4-lb. tins, each $1.50
Pure Strawberry Jam, in 4-lb. tins, each $1.50
Pure Black Currant Jam, in 4-lb. tins, each $1.50
Raspberry and Apple Jam, in 4-lb. tins, each 89c
Strawberry and Apple Jam, in 4-lb. tins, each 89c
Pure Maple Syrup, per bottle, 50c
Chocolatta, package 10c
LOBSTERS—¼ tins, each 20c; ½ tins, each 38c

COFFEE SPECIAL
Clark's Economy Brand, worth 60c per lb. Our price..... 49c

CANNED SALMON—Tip Top Brand, ½-lb. tins, 2 for 25c
O. K. Brand, 1-lb. tins, each 25c
SARDINES—Brunswick Brand, 2 for 15c
Jutland Brand, per tin 10c
Albatrose Brand, per tin 15c
Norse Bird, per tin 20c
PRUNES—Sunsweet Quality, lb. 15c
Larger size, pound 20c
Canned Tomatoes, Corn or Peas, per tin 15c
DOMESTIC SHORTENING—1-lb. cartons, each, 20c; 3-lb. tins each 55c
CRISCO—1-lb. tins, each, 28c; 3-lb. tins, each 83c
Challenge Oleomargarine, lb. 35c
H. A. Oleomargarine, lb. 35c
PURE FAMILY LARD—1-lb. cartons, each, 24c; 3-lb. pails, 70c
CORNSTARCH—2 packages for 25c
Laundry Starch, 2 pounds 23c
Minute Tapioca, 2 packages ...25c
Jelly Powders, 2 packages 23c
Carnation Milk, small, dozen, 90c
Carnation Milk, large, 3 tins ...50c
2-lb. tins Corn Syrup, each ...23c
5-lb. tins Corn Syrup, each ...53c
10-lb. tins Corn Syrup, each $1.00
Holbrook's Custard Powder, 2 for 25c
Tomato Catsup, large bottle 25c
Toro Tablets, 5 for 25c
Quickwash Tablets, package ..20c
Mack's No Rub, 6 for 25c
Gold Soap, 11 for $1.00
Surprise Soap, 11 for $1.00
Sunlight Soap, 11 for $1.00
Comfort Soap, 11 for $1.00
P. and G. Soap; 11 for $1.00
N. P. Soap, per bar 25c
Ammonia Powder, 3 for 23c

BLACK TEA SPECIAL
Clark's Economy Blend. It has strength and flavor. Per lb.... 43c
Two lbs. for 85c.

CREAMERY BUTTER — Tipperary Brand, fresh churned and the quality is right, per pound,..63c

4--ECONOMY Cash and Carry STORES--4
719 Richmond St. 574 Adelaide St. 754 Dundas St.
152½ Wharncliffe Road, South London.

PARKHILL YOUTHS GET INDETERMINATE TERM FOR THEFT

Donald McIntosh and Daniel Steele of Parkhill were sentenced to an indeterminate period of not less than three months and not more than two years less one day in the Ontario Reformatory for entering and robbing stores in Parkhill, by Judge Talbot Macbeth at the courthouse yesterday afternoon.

Albert Burling and William Badour, merchants, whose stores were entered, said that they had known the boys for ten years and had always found them honorable. They did not wish to press for a sentence.

Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop stated all the facts of the case to Judge Macbeth, after which the judge said that if the offence had been a second one, or the boys had had any black marks against them he would have sent them to the penitentiary. Suspended sentence, he thought, was out of the question. It was a more aggravated offence when a crime was committed in a small municipality where there were no police to cope with it than in a large city where an efficient police force was stationed.

Both War Veterans.

Both boys had been overseas, one of them having served with the Canadian Siberian Expeditionary Force in Russia.

Albert Burling, a clothing merchant, stated that early Saturday morning $45 worth of goods had been taken from his store. Entrance had been gained to the building by the breaking of a window.

William Badour, a shoe merchant, said that $35 worth of shoes had been taken from his place. The thieves had got into the store by breaking the window in a rear door.

Provincial Officer Arthur Palmer said that he had arrested the youths, and that they had admitted to him that they had committed the crime, but were sorry for it. He found some of the stolen goods at their homes.

JANUARY WITNESSED DECREASE IN TRADE

OTTAWA, Feb. 16.—(By Canadian Press.)—Although the grand total of Canadian trade for the ten months of the fiscal year ending January 31 was $2,150,232,774, an increase of $217,538,464 over the total for the same period a year ago, comparative figures for the month of January alone show that there has been a falling off in trade as compared with January, 1920. The total value of Canadian exports and imports for the month of January, 1921, was $154,186,081. For January, 1920, this figure was $225,096,920, so that a comparison between the two months shows a decrease in trade value amounting to $70,910,839.

ROSS' —LIMITED— Manufacturers
FURS
At Clearing Prices

HUDSON SEAL COAT, with large roll collar and deep cuffs of Australian opossum, full belt, slash pockets and lined with brocaded silk. Regular $550.00. SALE PRICE $360.00

1 ONLY CANADIAN BEAVER COAT, with large roll collar, deep cuffs and border, full belt and lined with brocaded satin. Regular $594.00. SALE PRICE $450.00

MUSKRAT COAT, with large roll collar, cuffs and six-inch border of seal, half belt, slash pockets. Regular $320.00. SALE PRICE $165.00

MUSKRAT COAT, lined with brocaded satin, with large roll collar and deep cuffs of seal, half-belt, slash pockets. Regular $360.00. SALE PRICE $185.00

Ladies' Wear Department THIS WEEK
Final Clearing of Salt's Plush Coats at Prices That Will Save Every Buyer Many Dollars

Salt's Plain Silk Plush Coats
2 Coats, regular up to $50, clearing at $33.00
1 Coat, regular $46, clearing at $33.50
1 Coat, regular $52, clearing at $36.00
5 Coats, regular up to $55, clearing at $39.00
7 Coats, regular up to $60, clearing at $40.00
4 Coats, regular up to $63, clearing at $42.00
6 Coats, regular up to $65, clearing at $44.00
1 Coat, regular $68, clearing at $45.00
2 Coats, regular up to $80, clearing at $52.00
1 Coat, regular $150, clearing at $99.00

Salt's Fur-Trimmed Silk Plush Coats
1 Coat, regular $43, clearing at $33.00
3 Coats, regular up to $46, clearing at $39.00
2 Coats, regular up to $58, clearing at $43.00
1 Coat, regular $60, clearing at $44.00
3 Coats, regular up to $62, clearing at $45.00
6 Coats, regular up to $65, clearing at $48.00
1 Coat, regular $67, clearing at $48.50
1 Coat, regular $70, clearing at $52.00
3 Coats, regular up to $75, clearing at $55.00
2 Coats, regular up to $78, clearing at $59.00
1 Coat, regular $160, clearing at .. $112.00

BLOUSES
Flannel Blouses, striped and plain white, made in tailored styles, regular $9.00, for..... $4.75
Voile Blouses, with short sleeves, regular $2.00, for..... 98c
Odd sizes in Voile Blouses, reduced to clear at 25 and 50 per cent reductions.

Pullover Sweaters
Pullover Sweaters, in rose, nile, orange and sky, regular $13.50, for $7.50

HOSIERY
Lisle Hose, in brown, navy, grey, black and white. Price 65c
Pure Silk Hose, special..... $2.00

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