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HART TESTIFIES
Former Bank Clerk Admits Taking \$1,500 of Split.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Aug. 26.—Charles A. Matthews, former deputy provincial treasurer, arraigned in police court early this afternoon pleaded not guilty before Magistrate Edmund Jones to several charges laid against him by the crown.

In addition to the charge that he violated the secret commissions act of Ontario which was laid against him following his return from Santa Clara, California, where he was arrested, Matthews pleaded not guilty to a charge of conspiracy, and another alleging that he committed an indictable offence.

Teh former provincial official elected to be tried by a jury. The charges are the outcome of evidence submitted before the inquiry conducted last winter by the public accounts commission of the Ontario legislature into the financial administration of the former Labor government during the years 1919 to 1923.

When the committee were inquiring into bond transactions between the province and G. M. Hart, a bank clerk, and Alexander Ross, who at that time was manager of the Home Bank bond department, the former testified that Matthews had received a "split" on \$11,500 profits he and Ross had made on the sale of bonds. The story was corroborated by Ross, who told the committee "the tip came from Mr. Matthews."

Hart is first witness.
Shortly after the hearing the former deputy provincial treasurer disappeared and was located a few weeks ago in California. L. C. Mason, his step-son-in-law, who was mentioned in the affidavit, also left town and recently returned from Cleveland. He is held as a material witness in bonds of \$10,000 and is expected to testify at the preliminary hearing.

Matthews was defended by J. Seymour Corley, K.C.
Garnet M. Hart, the first witness today and he told his version of the bond transactions. He explained that Ross did not want the transactions to go through in his name. Asked if anyone else shared in the deals, he replied, "Mason, Matthews step-son-in-law." He declared that Matthews did not get anything.

Hart said he made \$1,500 on the bond transactions, paying \$1,200 for a car and spending the remainder on incidentals.

Mason Testifies.
Testifying as a crown witness, L. C. Mason, son-in-law of Matthews, stated that he had given Matthews \$3,300 worth of Victory bonds in recognition of his indebtedness to him.

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VENUS AND NOT MARS UP IN SKY WITH MOON

Two More Die At Crossing

Associated Press Despatch.
Worcester, Mass., Aug. 26.—Emile R. Allisch, 35 years old married, and the father of three children, a milk dealer in Webster and Walter Kuzdryal, aged 18, of Oxford, his helper, were killed today when a truck in which they were riding was struck by a New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad passenger train at an unprotected grade crossing in Webster.

SAYS WAR SPIRIT MUST BE KILLED

Secretary of Empire Parliamentary Delegation Speaks in Cape Town.

Cape Town, South Africa, Aug. 25.—The empire parliamentary delegation, headed by J. H. Thomas, colonial secretary, arrived here today and were very cordially welcomed to the Union of South Africa.

Secretary Thomas, replying to the official greeting, said the war spirit in the world must be killed and a spirit of reconciliation take its place not alone among the nations, but among all classes of people.

"Equality may be impossible," Mr. Thomas said in the course of his speech, "but equality of opportunity is not impossible."

When the MacDonald government laid down the seals of office the colonial secretary remarked, the members of Great Britain's first Labor ministry felt that they would be able to say that although the British office had been held by working men they had been none the less dignified on this account.

The colonial secretary's speech was received with hearty cheers. The empire parliamentary delegation which is on a visit to South Africa with the colonial secretary, J. H. Thomas, leader of the party, is comprised of representatives of all the parliaments of the empire except Newfoundland. The tour was arranged by the Empire Parliamentary Association, London. This is the first time M.P.'s representing the empire have met in any of the dominions. The British and Canadian delegations sailed from England on August 8 and they will be joined at Durban on September 1 by representatives of the other dominions. The party will visit Natal, Zululand, the Orange Free State, Basutoland, and Cape Province, and also Rhodesia and Southwest Africa.

SEARCH FOR UNKNOWN BABE IS CONTINUED

Police, So Far, Fail To Find Mother of Day-Old Child.

Search for the mother of the pretty little girl babe deserted and left on the doorstep of the Children's Hospital Saturday night continues. Two detectives were out on the search all day yesterday. At one time it was thought that a useful clue had been stumbled on and this was followed up closely, but turned out to be a blind alley. Further than that the police do not say they have any leads. They have gone, nor do they promise that the parentage of the child will be revealed.

In the meantime the babe is being cared for by nurses at the Children's War Memorial Hospital and it has been named "Florence Patricia."

D. L. MCCARTHY SECURES HOME BANK INFORMATION

Canadian Press Despatch.
Vancouver, B. C., Aug. 26.—Having spent four strenuous days in the endeavor to unravel the tangled skein of Home Bank financing in reference to its Vancouver Island timber loans and Howe Sound pulp mill projects, D. L. McCarthy, K.C., ducting the probe of the directors of the defunct institution of the charge of signing false returns to the finance department, left for the east last night.

SIX HUNDRED RETURN FROM LONG IDLENESS

Canadian Press Despatch.
Chicoutimi, Que., Aug. 26.—After months of unemployment, 600 men, formerly working for the Chicoutimi pulp and paper interests, returned to work this morning when the pulp and paper mills of the company resumed operations. It is understood that the output will be shipped to England.

Lonely Star in Sky Attracts Great Deal of Attention.

THERE EVERY DAY

Proximity of Moon Makes It More Conspicuous Than Usual.

Traffic was held up and hundreds of citizens got kinks in the neck this morning gazing at what was popularly supposed to be Mars. Some one discovered the white fringe of the moon showing plainly in the heavens at about 10:30 a.m. and the sight was pointed out to others. Then a tiny white speck close to the moon was seen.

"Oh, look, it's Mars," everybody cried. But they were all wrong. The Advertiser, speaking with the Dominion Observatory, Toronto, by long distance telephone, was informed that the bright orb that appeared just beneath the moon today was the planet Venus, commonly known as the morning star.

It is always visible during a considerable part of the day, the Dominion Observatory explained, but today the proximity of the moon made it more conspicuous than usual.

Had people not been peering into the blue on the lookout for Mars, it is probable that the morning star's flirtation with the moon would have passed unnoticed. Even so, it is striking resemblance to the ensign on the flag of Turkey. The star remained in the center of the moon's crescent for some minutes. By 1 o'clock, however, it had disappeared.

On every street, citizens were craning their necks to get a glimpse of what several believed to be a phenomenon. A weathered old man of the same phenomena is visible almost every day if they only knew where to look for it.

RUMANIA TO DECLINE DISARMAMENT PLAN

League of Nations Scheme Fails To Meet Cabinet's Approval.

Associated Press Despatch.
Bucharest, Aug. 26.—Rumania cannot accept the League of Nations disarmament plan embodied in the mutual guarantee pact, it was announced last night. A cabinet meeting had discussed the question. The plan was found unacceptable because: first, general disarmament was not proposed; second, satisfactory guarantees that neighboring nations would be compelled to disarm were not promised; and third, adequate safeguards were not provided for assuring the execution of the peace treaties.

Foreign Minister Duca, who is going to Geneva in a few days, will explain fully to the league Rumania's position.

West Wages War On Mosquitoes

Great Lakes Region Residents Made Uncomfortable by Pest.

Associated Press Despatch.
Chicago, Aug. 26.—Efforts to combat the mosquitoes swarming throughout the western Great Lakes region were under way today, as the winged pests invaded offices and homes, drove golfers from course, forced closing of suburban camps and resorts and brought discomfort to numerous outdoor functions.

The insects forced a high school football team to abandon its summer training camp at Fond Du Lac, Wis., the players being compelled to don their heaviest togs for protection.

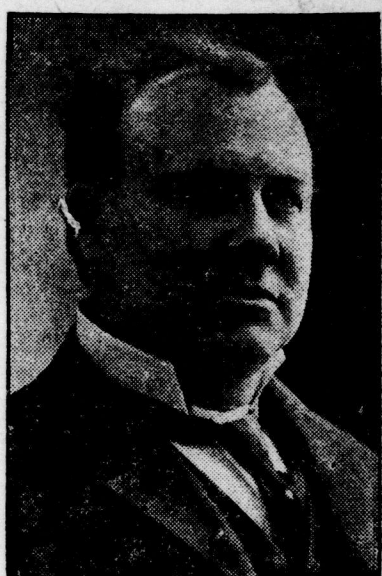
Only a few anopheles or malaria carrying mosquitoes are among the millions in the vicinity of Chicago, according to Dr. W. C. Allee, associated professor of zoology at the University of Chicago.

ATLANTIC STORM DOES LITTLE DAMAGE ON COAST

Associated Press Despatch.
Raleigh, N. C., Aug. 25.—The tropical storm which had been proceeding up the coast from the Bahamas for several days struck the North Carolina coast today, while from other points came reports of the heavy gale and of shipping in distress.

High winds, which in some places were of hurricane proportions, unrelenting rainfall practically all day, and tides being driven into coastal towns by the winds were reported.

At Norfolk, Va., a general warning was issued to shipping. Tonight the storm had passed out to sea, doing very little damage.



J. M. McEVVOY, K.C., well-known local lawyer, who is representing the attorney-general's department in the charges of sacrilege laid against George and Roma Garner arising out of the desecration of sacred hosts, the property of St. Joseph's Church, Sarnia.

SUCCESS IS SEEN FOR LOAN IN FALL

Ontario Issue Reception Augurs Well For Federal Bonds.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Aug. 26.—Success of the Ontario four and a half per cent loan is regarded here as auguring well for the loan which the Dominion government will float in the fall. This is to meet a five and a half per cent Victory issue of \$108,000,000 maturing on November 1. Decision as to the terms of the new Dominion loan has still to be reached, but it will probably be on a four and a half per cent basis and possibly divided between the domestic and the New York market.

THRESHER AND ROADMAKER TAKES PULPIT ON SABBATH

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Working on the road up between Grand Bend and the road that turns off to Dashwood, right near the spot that once carried the name of Port Blake.

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"Working on the road."

"Getting paid for it?"

"Yes."

"How much?"

"\$2.50 a day, and it's worth it."

"No joking?"

"No, sir, my name will appear for two months' work at \$2.50 per day on the minutes of the council of these parts."

The scoop dug deep again, and the pastor hanged to the handles and he augurs up great gobs of Huron County soil in the road-widening operation. The ratpavers are getting value for their money.

SACRILEGE CASE HELD OVER FOR ONE WEEK

Absence of Roma Garner Causes Postponement at Sarnia.

McEVVOY OBJECTS

Refuses To Proceed Until Man Detained in U. S. Is Present.

Special to The Advertiser.
Sarnia, Aug. 26.—A crowded police court was again disappointed today when court failed to proceed with the hearing of charges of sacrilege against George Garner, member of a party of wandering evangelists, and self-admitted supporter of the Ku Klux Klan, who is alleged to have sacrilegiously stolen hosts and other articles from St. Joseph's R. C. Church, Sarnia, in the course of a raid on the church.

The reason for adjournment was the non-appearance of Garner's brother, Roma, who is jointly charged in the desecration, and whose presence was promised by friends of the accused last week. There was no demonstration today such as when the proceedings last week, and when adjournment of a week was granted a police officer escorted Garner to the ferry dock without any ceremony.

J. M. McEvoy, K.C., of London at the instance of the attorney-general's department, represented the crown, and once objected to the proceedings in the absence of Roma Garner, maintaining that one brother could, if the case proceeded, place the blame on the other, who would not be brought to Sarnia unless he was willing to come voluntarily.

Archibald Weir, K.C., who is in charge of the defense, produced an affidavit to the effect that Roma Garner was detained at Muncie, Indiana, by the illness of his wife following which Mr. Weir said he would not be brought to Sarnia unless he was willing to come voluntarily.

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Italian Airmen Sing to Keep Up Their Courage As Plane Floats Helplessly On Sea

Discovery of Locatelli and Companions Regarded as Near Miracle.

HOPE WAS WANING

Aviator Merely Shrugs Shoulders When Danger Is Past.

Associated Press Despatch.

On Board the U. S. S. Richmond, Aug. 26.—The discovery late Saturday night of the missing Italian seaplane, piloted by Lieutenant Locatelli, and the rescue of its four occupants after tossing about for more than eighty hours on the bleak waters of the North Atlantic, came about in dramatic fashion.

The Richmond, flagship of Rear Admiral Macmillan, commanding the convoying squadron to the United States world fliers, was putting out to sea for the night after a fruitless all-day search along the Greenland ice pack, when at 11:34 o'clock flares were seen. Immediately there was renewed activity aboard, and the course was changed in the direction of the lights, which reappeared at intervals. It was after midnight when the plane, bobbing on the water, was "picked up" by the Richmond's searchlight.

Lieut. Marescalchi, one of Locatelli's companions, who had been taken aboard the Richmond during the Iceland-to-Greenland attempt was awakened and immediately rushed to the deck where he went for joy at the realization that his comrades were alive.

As the Richmond drew near the seaplane four men were seen in the cockpit. (Previous despatches said the crew, besides Lieut. Locatelli, consisted of Lieut. Crossin, relief pilot, and Giovanni Barocini and Bruno Farsenelli, mechanics.)

Decided to Destroy Craft.
A line was thrown to them, the plane was hauled astern, and the fliers were taken off. They were suffering only from fatigue and seasickness, and were soon restored after partaking of hot coffee and sandwiches.

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The Weather

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate winds; fair and warm.

Wednesday—Southwest winds; scattered thunderstorms, but mostly fair and warm.

The tropical storm now centered near the New Jersey coast is moving quickly northward, and will probably cause very heavy rains in the Maritime Provinces. The weather continues fine and warm throughout the Western Provinces.

Storm signals are displayed at all points in Eastern Canada.

TEMPERATURES.

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

Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	70	58	Clear
Calgary	42	42	Clear
Winnipeg	68	60	Clear
Port Arthur	66	56	Clouds
Port Sound	71	58	Fair
Thunder Bay	72	58	Clouds
Kingston	68	60	Fair
Ottawa	86	64	Fair
Montreal	78	62	Clouds
Quebec	74	64	Fair
St. Cath. Point	68	58	Fair
St. John's	60	42	Fair
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GERMAN NATIONALISTS DISAPPROVE PLANS
Berlin, Aug. 25.—Dr. Herget, German national party leader, today informed the Reichstag that the party disapproved the reparations agreement reached at the London international conference and would oppose all bills designed to put it into effect.

Three Large Fair Buildings Filled With Exhibits

BIG GAIN NOTICED IN INTEREST IN FAIR

Machinery Building Will Be Completely Filled With Exhibits.

SETS NEW RECORD

Secretary Jackson of the Western Fair announces that space in the Machinery Building is at a premium for this year's fair. All the best show space in the building has been taken up and only inside space is obtainable. Implement manufacturers and miscellaneous machinery makers are demanding most of the space, and large exhibits will be one of the leading features of the building. Out-of-town dealers are applying for a large amount of the space and many of these for the first time. The value of the fair becomes greater every year, and this is shown when this building is filled up as it will be the first time since it was built.

This makes the third large building at the fair to be filled up this year, as both the Crystal Palace and the Manufacturers' Building have been rented for several months.

CLUB NEWS

DAUGHTERS OF SCOTLAND.
Plans for a corn roast, to be held the 19th of September, were made last evening at the regular meeting of the Daughters of Scotland, held at Moose Hall. Mrs. Leonard Everingham was appointed convener, to be assisted by Mrs. John Lindsay, Mrs. F. Carter and Mrs. Fred Tulett. Arrangements were also made for a Halloween dance, to be held the end of October, with Mrs. Alex Munro as convener, assisted by Miss Elizabeth Taylor, Miss Bessie Higgins and Miss Mary Young. Initiation took place last evening, conducted by Mrs. Mary Haldane, chief and past chiefs, Mrs. Fred Tulett and J. Hendry. Refreshments were served at the close of the meeting.

WHITE OAK W. M. S. AND L. A.
The regular monthly meeting of the White Oak W. M. S. and L. A. was held at the home of Mrs. Charles Crinklaw, with a good attendance. Miss Flawn presided at the L. A. meeting, and Mrs. (Rev.) Steadman took charge of the W. M. S. meeting. The Scripture lesson was read by Mrs. Stanley McPherson, and the roll-call was responded to by verses from Psalm 1. Mrs. Robert McDougall and Mrs. C. B. McPherson were appointed pianists for the remainder of the year in the absence of Miss Evelyn Poole. After some business matters were discussed, Miss Poole read an interesting item on "Our Missionaries' Birthdays in August and September," and Mrs. Steadman read a report of the London Branch Auxiliary. After working on the quilt for some time, Mrs. Crinklaw served a dainty tea. It was decided to have the next meeting and quilting at the church on Friday, Sept. 5.

VESSEL MOVEMENTS.
Port Dalhousie, Aug. 26.—Up: Glenvegan, Howard, Glenafon, Birchton, Glenfarn, Yorkton, Dalrymple, Jolly nee, Keyvive, Brandon, Ashland.
Down: Glenlinde, Charles Horn, Glenafon, Glenvegan, Burlington, Locelle, Glenafon.

An Old-Fashioned Hairdress May Be Tastefully Modified



By MADAME LOUISE.
You have heard that old-time excuse which Madame X keeps giving while she keeps on looking as old as she is. "I've worn my hair this same way for ten or maybe twenty years," she says, "and I'm not going to change now."

Madame X, with her fine features, could be made to look years younger if only some one would show her how to "do" her hair becomingly. Well, some one has shown her, with the very happy effect attained in the illustration. The hair is arranged in a horseshoe wave, flat to the head, the ears half-covered, and the hair folded under at the nape of the neck. Now, hasn't Madame X gained youth?

WEDDINGS

KERR-COLE.
A quiet and pretty wedding took place at the Methodist parsonage, Springfield, August 13th, when Vera Cole, eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Cole, of Mount Vernon, was married to Jordan W. Kerr, second son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kerr of Harrietsville. Rev. W. Williams performed the ceremony. A wedding breakfast was served at the home of the bride's parents, following the ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Kerr left later on a honeymoon which will be spent in Galt, Hamilton and Niagara Falls. Upon their return they will reside on the groom's farm near Harrietsville.

PESTILL-WORRAL.
A pretty midsummer wedding took place at the home of J. H. Worral, 333 Victoria street, on Saturday afternoon at 2:30, when his only daughter, Hazel Montrose, was united in marriage to William Arthur Pestill, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Pestill, both of this city. The bride entered the room in a white gown, with a white veil, and carried a bouquet of white orchids and ferns. Miss Elsie Leitch was her sister's bridesmaid and wore a French gown of salmon pink georgette, beaded, with a knotted scarf falling down from the shoulders. She carried pink and white roses. Mr. Hugh McCallum, brother of the groom, acted as best man. Dinner was served from tables beautifully decorated with roses, asters and gladioli with streamers of yellow and white, and lighted by green candles. Four young ladies, friends of the bride, assisted. The groom's gift to the bride was a clock to the tune of the wedding march, played by R. Innis. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Versey. After the ceremony a large banquet was held. The bride was dressed in a flat Canton crepe dress trimmed with silver beads, with a white net veil and orange blossoms, and carried a corsage of roses and white lilies. She was attended by Miss Doris Young. The groom was attended by Charles Boyce. The bride's gift to the groom was a string of French pearls with a diamond clasp; to the bridesmaid, a fancy French vanity case, and to the best man a pair of gold cuff links. The groom's gift to the bride was a diamond ring. The bride and groom left on a honeymoon trip to Hamilton, Toronto, Sudbury and in the Northern Ontario district. On their return they will reside in London.

McCALLUM-LEITCH.
A pretty wedding took place at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, Aug. 20, at the home of the bride's parents, Kilmartin, when Elizabeth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Leitch, was married to William A. McCallum, son of Mrs. Margaret McCallum and Mr. W. A. Leitch. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dr. T. L. Fowler, pastor of the church. The bride wore a white gown, with a white veil, and carried a bouquet of white roses and white lilies. She was attended by Mrs. Margaret McCallum. The groom was attended by Mr. W. A. Leitch. The bride and groom left on a honeymoon trip to Hamilton, Toronto, Sudbury and in the Northern Ontario district. On their return they will reside in London.

KNIGHT-WORDEN.
Grace Methodist Church, St. Thomas, was the scene of a quiet wedding on Saturday evening, Aug. 23, when Miss Winnie Grace Worden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Worden, Fairview avenue, Yarmouth Heights, became the bride of Mr. Harry S. Knight of Westminster Township. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Percival N. Caven, B.A. Only the immediate relatives of the young couple were present. After the ceremony the wedding party returned to the home of the bride's parents, where a sumptuous wedding breakfast was served. Mr. and Mrs. Knight will reside at the groom's farm, "Wonderland," Westminster Township.

JOHNSTON-DELANEY.
St. Matthew's Church was the scene of a pretty wedding this afternoon at 2:15 o'clock, when E. Margaret Delaney, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Henry Johnston, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Johnston, Queen's avenue, was married to John Delaney, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Delaney, who returned from Onondaga, where he is spending his vacation, for the wedding. The bride wore a smart tailored suit of navy blue tulle, with a becoming black hat and a peacock blue blouse and black satin slippers. Her corsage was of Ophelia roses and sweet peas. The wedding march was played by Mrs. A. Short. Following the ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Johnston left on a honeymoon, which will be spent in Rochester, Detroit and Windsor, and upon their return they will reside in London.

MRS. JAMES FOSTER.
Mrs. James Foster, 42 Vauxhall street, passed away in Victoria Hospital last night, after an illness of several weeks. Mrs. Foster was born in Brantford, but had lived in London the greater portion of her life. The survivors are her husband, one daughter, her mother, Mrs. Craig, and three brothers, George, Harry and William, and one sister, Miss Elizabeth Craig, all of this city. The funeral will be held from her residence on Thursday afternoon, the services will be conducted by Rev. Quintin Warner of Cronyn Memorial Church. Interment will be made in Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

PRINCE TO SEEK WIFE AT END OF HIS TOURS

Report Heir to Remain Bachelor Is Classified as "Rubbish."

LIKES SCRAPBOOK

Keeps Lists of "Consorts-To-Be" Now Quite Lengthly.

By HAYDEN CHURCH.
Special to The Advertiser.

London, Eng., Aug. 26.—The Prince of Wales, now on the ocean en route to Canada, is making and saving money so fast that, if he keeps on, he is likely to be the richest King of England that ever ascended the throne.

Incidentally, he is going to marry. "You mustn't say rubbish," declared an important member of the prince's entourage, "the current report that his royal highness has decided to remain a bachelor permanently, and also those alleging supposed reasons why he will not or cannot marry. None of them has the slightest foundation."

"The prince does not feel at liberty to marry until he has completed his series of Dominion tours. But then he will do so as soon as he finds his ideal consort. Meanwhile he derives a good deal of amusement from the continuous reports that this or that lady is his destined bride. He has kept a list of all his supposed consorts-to-be, and it is now grown quite lengthy."

These highly interesting statements were made in the course of an interview given me at York House, the London home of the Prince of Wales, by the member of his household who, as it happened, was asked this question. He said that the prince's name should not be mentioned. Application had been made to him for authoritative information regarding the details of the visit which the prince is about to pay to his Canadian ranch, and his program during the brief stay which the all-conquering young ambassador of empire will make in the United States in order to witness the play for the International Polo Cup.

Has Scrap Book.

It was, curiously enough, a scrap book that brought up the much-canvassed subject of the prince's marriage. This scrap book, which is one of the prince's most cherished possessions, is no ordinary one. About the size and weight of two family Bibles, it is made up entirely of articles and pictures from newspapers and magazines, and it contains a complete record of the prince's first visit to Canada and the United States in 1919, of which it constitutes a complete record. It was compiled and presented to the prince by the department of state at Washington, and it is a description in gilt letters on the sumptuous leather cover bears witness, and there are few of his possessions, the writer was told, that the prince prizes more highly.

Glancing through its pages, in which every journal of any importance in Canada and the United States must be represented, I found one article after another in which the possibility of the prince's marrying a Canadian or American girl was gravely discussed. I inquired what the prince himself thought of these articles and the suggestion made therein, and he told that they tickled him immensely, especially in view of the fact that a somewhat drastic change in the law of England would be made to enable the prince to marry a Canadian girl, or any other girl not of royal blood.

Present Visit, Private.

The member of the prince's staff interviewed was anxious that the private nature of his royal highness' visit should be emphasized. "The prince is anxious that it should be a private visit, and he will make in Long Island for the purpose of witnessing the international polo matches is merely incidental to his Canadian holiday, and that it will not be possible for him to make any public engagements," said the official. "America interests the prince very much, and he is anxious to make an extensive tour of the country when it becomes possible. He would have liked to fulfill his ambition recently to see America, and he is possibly would have done so had it not been for the postponement of his visit to South Africa, which is now to take place in 1925. He could not, of course, have traveled extensively in the United States this year in any case because of the presidential election."

"It was only because the prince suddenly realized that it would be possible for him to take in the polo matches on his way to Canada that he decided to alter his original plan of going direct to Calgary. Because his visit is an absolutely private one, he has virtually no 'plans' when he arrives."

Not To Visit New York.
"It is not likely that his royal highness will be in New York at all. He will be taken off the 'Beren-garia' at quarantine and will make the trip to Long Island on a steam yacht. As has been announced, he will occupy the country home at Syosset of James Abercrombie Burden, the iron manufacturer, and Mr. and Mrs. Roger Winthrop, the former of whom is president of the Piping Rock Club, will accompany him. The prince's stay will certainly not be of more than about ten days' duration, and he will not be able to accept public invitations, although these are now pouring in at the rate of about 50 a day. He will probably play a little polo while he is there, but he will not, as has been stated, take part in any of the practice games of the British team. He also hopes to get in a little golf, which is really his favorite pastime, hunting coming second to him in the matter of recreation. At the conclusion of his visit the prince will cross from Long Island to New London, Connecticut, and then will travel direct to Alberta by way of Montreal."

"The prince is not visiting his Canadian ranch because any particular detail of the arrangements requires his attention," stated the official in reply to a question. "He is going there because it is the only place where he can get a real holiday, which he now needs rather badly. He has been in London practically continuously for a year, and he has

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EIGHTY MEN FACE DEATH IN STORM

All Efforts To Reach Dredge Workers of Atlantic City Fail.

OTHER CRAFT SAVED

Associated Press Despatch.
Atlantic City, N.J., Aug. 26.—Eighty men face death aboard a stranded government dredge, the Solazar, in a mountainous sea half a mile off shore, as a result of being swept from their moorings early today by a wind and rain storm which struck this city with unusual intensity, crippling traffic, felling trees and fences, overthrowing beach patrol tents, tearing down telephone wires, flooding streets and heaping discomforts upon pedestrians.

All efforts on the part of coast guards to reach the side of the stranded dredge failed this morning because of the impassable breakers that were swept shoreward by a 66-mile gale driving a sheet of rain before it. Not a word could be gotten to or from the marooned men.

About 11 a.m. the dredge was listing heavily seaward as it ready to topple over and a desperate effort was made by an inlet tug to reach her and throw line aboard. The effort was successful, but the eighty men refused to abandon the ship and continued their frantic efforts to save her from destruction. Waves swept over her in unceasing procession, clearing her decks of unfastened objects.

TUG LOST IN STORM

Associated Press Despatch.
Norfolk, Va., Aug. 26.—The tug Mildred McNally, of Philadelphia, was sunk in Pamlico Sound last night when it was caught in the hurricane which swept the Virginia and North Carolina coasts.

The dredge was ripped from its moorings about 4:30 a.m., just before the wind reached its peak velocity. Had she not been grounded on the south sand bar about a half mile off the Connecticut avenue beach, it is likely she would have been swept far out to sea. The dredge is a giant craft, but it is feared she will not be able to withstand the battering of the sea in her present position.

Other craft were saved only by the timely warnings of the bureau.

ASSESSMENT COSTS CLAIMED LOW HERE

Commissioner Points Out the Expenses Drop \$5,000 in Two Years.

The cost of making London's assessment is claimed by Assessment Commissioner Harry Bennett to be lower than in any other city of the same size in the Dominion. He also claims that it is done at a lower rate than in any other city. Last year the cost to the city of making the total assessment of \$76,965.75 was \$14,000.

The figures for previous years are: 1921, cost \$26,615, and assessment, \$70,749.26; in 1922 the cost was \$13,265, and the assessment was \$72,023.

Mr. Bennett searched through all his assessment books and records from other cities this morning, but could not find any cost figures indicated for other cities, and inclined to the belief that there is a reason for this. He has an idea that his cost figures are much below the average, and would like to have figures from other cities to compare with his own department.

NOTED WESTERN BAND ARRIVES TOMORROW

Winnipeg Citadel Band of the Salvation Army To Give Concert Here.

Travelling in a special car, the Winnipeg Citadel Band of the Salvation Army will leave Niagara Falls tomorrow morning and arrive in London at 11:05 via Canadian National. There will be 40 members in the party, including 36 bandmen and officers.

Arriving here, the band will play from the auctioneer's stand in front of the Citadel. The route will be north on Richmond and east on Dundas.

From 2 to 3 p.m. the band will entertain the boys at the Westminster Hospital. At 3:30 Mayor Wemyss will welcome the "Pride of the West" band at Queen's Park. Following the mayor's address the band will give a concert.

While in London, the members of the Winnipeg band will be the guests of the Salvation Army London bands. At 6 p.m. the united bands will be the hosts at a dinner tendered to the visitors in the Clarence Street Citadel.

At 8 p.m. there will be a musical program at the Masonic Temple. Bandmaster Merritt is in charge of the band. Major-General Smith, Winnipeg division commander, and Lieut.-Col. Morehen are accompanying the band.

On Thursday morning the band will leave for Elm Mich. via Canadian National. While in the States they will give concerts at one or two other points before returning to Winnipeg.

The band played in the main bandstand at the Canadian National Exhibition, Toronto, on the opening day.

WILL VISIT LONDON

A distinguished officer of the Canadian Permanent Force and the Canadian militia, Col. R. J. Brock, C.B.E., D.S.O., is on his way from Sarcee Camp, Alberta, to London, where he will spend a few days visiting with friends.

The officer is at present on the staff of the Royal Military College, Kingston. He is on his way back to Kingston, following a visit to the west.

ENGLISH TEACHER COMES UNDER EXCHANGE PLAN

Miss Muriel Evelyn Letch Arrives From West Ham, London, England.

ONE-YEAR SCHEME

Miss Lottie Garrett, of City Staff, Now Filling New-comer's Place.

Miss Muriel Evelyn Letch of West Ham, London, England, arrived in London this morning in connection with the teacher exchange arranged by the board of education and the League of Empire. Miss Letch will teach in London public schools for a year, though it has not yet been decided at which school she will be stationed.

Miss Letch comes to London at the same time that Miss Lottie Garrett, Pottersburg school teacher, starts her duties at a West Ham school under the Empire teacher exchange system.

Miss Garrett left for England some weeks ago, and planned to start teaching in West Ham yesterday. Miss Garrett's place at Graysburg school has been filled temporarily, but a place will be found for Miss Letch in the new schools.

The teacher exchange is becoming popular in Canada and other parts of the country, though Miss Letch is only the third English teacher to come to London. Two were in local schools two years ago, while London teachers were in England. Teachers' certificates for mixed schools are recognized in all parts of the Empire.

Miss Letch visited the inspectors' offices this morning and called on the secretary of the League of Empire.

RUBBING ALCOHOL BRINGS \$200 FINE

"Bad Knee" Excuse Fails To Impress the Police Magistrate.

Hootch on the hip proved grounds for the arrest of two Londoners last night by P. C. Shaw on an east end street. The accused men appeared before Police Magistrate Gordon in police court this morning charged with breaches of the O. T. A. section H. of having liquor in other than a private dwelling house.

One tottering old man admitted having an ounce or two of rubbing alcohol on his hip, but this was for a bad knee and had caused a great deal of trouble. He had been "under the weather," and had just rubbed his knee and was walking down the street to buy some tobacco when the police constable appeared on the scene.

The court discarded his tale of woe and fined him \$200 and costs or take three months in the common jail.

A distinguished officer of the Canadian militia was found on his person a bottle of rubbing alcohol, but this was for a bad knee and had caused a great deal of trouble. He had been "under the weather," and had just rubbed his knee and was walking down the street to buy some tobacco when the police constable appeared on the scene.

The court discarded his tale of woe and fined him \$200 and costs or take three months in the common jail.

There was another plea that was discarded by the court. The man was admitted for bail of \$500, but will appear in another week, when he hopes to provide further defence evidence.

Romances End In Tragedies

Associated Press Despatch.
Lisbon, Aug. 26.—"Love me or die" appears to have been the motto adopted by the lovers of both sides in the Portuguese civil war. There will be nine cases of assassination of the objects of their affection by unrequited or deserted lovers are reported by the authorities.

MASON COMES TO RESCUE FOR CITY HALL SQUAD

There was much dispute this morning in the city hall as to whether it was Venus or Mars that shone so brightly close beside the moon. There was quite an argument about it. All the executives went out and looked the star over, and expressed some kind of opinion. None of them knew any more of astronomy than any else, and it was left to a passerby to decide the great question.

What is that star up there? they asked.

He stopped for a minute and shouted at it with one closed eye. Oh, that's easy, he volunteered. "It's Venus, of course."

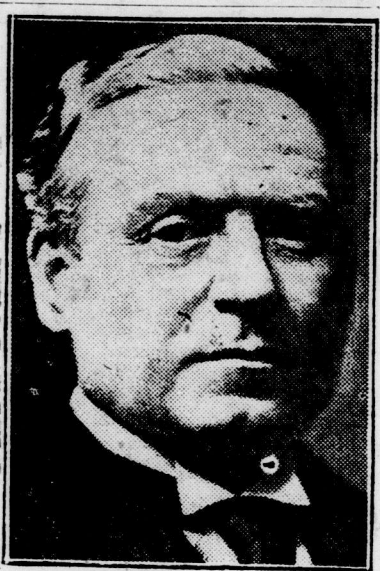
"Why Venus?"

"Well, you see the crescent of the moon and the star just where it is makes the insignia of the Shriners. Now, when you have to choose between Venus and Mars, and you have the signs of the Shriners to deal with, you can be quite certain it is Venus," and he went away rejoicing.

Several of the officials are Masons, and they appreciated the explanation.

MRS. ELIZABETH WEBSTER.
The death of Mrs. Elizabeth Webster occurred early this morning at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Kernohan, 352 William Street. Mrs. Webster was the widow of the late Robert Webster, who predeceased her several years ago.

The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon at 3 p.m. from her daughter's home. Interment will be made in Webster's Cemetery.



HERBERT H. ASQUITH, leader of the Liberal party in Great Britain and former premier, who will retire as chief of the party in the near future. His mantle is expected to fall on Lloyd George, who is rapidly gaining power in the Liberal fold.

PLUMBING CASE NOW POSTPONED

Counsel For G. Wright Asks For Enlargement on Technical Point.

Charged with a breach of the plumbing bylaw, Gordon Wright appeared in police court this morning, but when his legal representative, J. W. G. Winnett, argued for an enlargement on a technical point, the case was laid over until Thursday.

The board of health, represented by Sanitary Inspector Young and Mr. Davidson of Davidson & Davidson, St. Thomas, acting for the London city solicitor, was ready to go on with the case. At the same time the defence pointed out that some changes had been made in the wording of the bylaw, and on this technicality claimed an enlargement.

It was claimed that copies of the recorded charge had not been served to the defence until three or four days ago.

"I was under the impression that the city council was investigating the matter and it had been laid over until they had done so," Mr. Winnett explained in apologizing for his late arrival in court, after he had been plained in by police officials.

"The city council can't change the bylaw," Mr. Davidson pointed out. "We have instructions from the prosecution under the bylaw as it now stands."

It was stated that the board of health's bylaw came directly under the control of the provincial board of health, and the city council had no right to make amendments or draft new sections.

Magistrate Graydon consented to the adjournment until Thursday.

BRITISH COLUMBIA PLANS \$1,250,000 HIGHWAY

Canadian Press Despatch.
Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 26.—With a view to making a start on the completion of the provincial highway system, British Columbia will start a \$1,250,000 highway program, according to Hon. W. Sutherland, minister of public works, who announced yesterday that tenders for the work will be called immediately. The cost is placed roughly at \$1,250,000. The highway will follow the Fraser Canyon route, and will give a motor artery from Vancouver to Calgary by way of Cranbrook and Fernie.

PERSIANS PAY FULL HONOR TO SLAIN U. S. CONSUL

Associated Press Despatch.
Rushdie, Persia, Aug. 26.—The United States consul in Tehran left this port for his home today, after a month of mourning for the United States consul Robert W. Imbrie, who was killed last month by a mob at Tehran, the Persian capital. The body arrived here from Basra on Sunday night, and was received by the Persian authorities with full honors. It is being returned to the United States at the expense of the Persian government.

JUGO-SLAVIA'S WHEAT PRODUCTION INCREASES

Ottawa, Aug. 26.—A cablegram received today from the International Institute of Agriculture, Rome states that the production of wheat in Jugoslavia is 70,070,000 bushels against 61,944,000 last year; rye, 6,025,000 against 5,913,000; barley, 12,235,000 against 14,327,000; oats, 10,381,000 against 18,216,000.

"Mars" Signals Caused By Bell

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Aug. 26.—Another mysterious message from Mars has been solved. In the opinion of A. R. Gladden, wire chief of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, the message was a radio signal from the Shriner's temple, which today explained the bells or chimes which mystified Daniel Pelletier, radio specialist at Boston recently.

Mr. Gladden expressed the opinion that the bell heard was that rung by CNR, a local broadcasting station, where a train had been run before the commencement of each concert.

McKAY SCORES GOVT. ATTITUDE

Alderman Says Foreign Investment in Mines Should Be Stopped.

POSITION SERIOUS

The attitude of the federal government in encouraging foreign investment in the natural resources of the country, is adversely criticized by Alderman McKay, on the ground that it is not in the best interests of the community as a whole. He is criticizing the visit of Sir Robert Clough, the British capitalist, who is now in Toronto investigating the financial possibilities of the New Ontario mineral deposits. Mr. McKay said:

"If the natural resources of our country are so valuable as these outside capitalists tell us they are, that is all the stronger argument that they should be reserved to the use of the people, and not appropriated for the profit of any financial magnate."

Is Serious Enough.

The present position in the Ontario mining field is serious enough if what Sir Robert tells us is true. He says that 70 per cent of the capital invested there is American, about 3 per cent British, and presumably the rest is Canadian. The actual figures of the country from which the capital comes is unimportant. The serious feature is that we hear nothing of investment by either the Ontario or the federal governments in the Ontario mining field. Why should this be? If these governments are placed in power to represent the people, they should do so fully, and the development of natural resources is surely one of their duties. It is gross dereliction of duty on the part of government to allow or encourage foreign or any investment in what is after all fundamentally the birthright of the average Canadian."

Sir Robert Clough in Toronto stated that he was here as representative for a number of wealthy friends in the Midlands and west riding of Yorkshire who were interested in mining in Ontario and who wished for first-hand information as to possibilities of development.

He said that he had long had a belief in the value of the Ontario mining field, and that he had been impressed with the rapidly increasing gold output of Northern Ontario.

Large Sums.

Asked as to the possible amount of capital that might be invested, Sir Robert said it was a difficult question to answer, but many of his friends were very wealthy and were willing to invest considerable sums in the development of the Ontario mining field.

Sir Robert went on to say that he had been told at Winnipeg that the capital invested in mining in Ontario was 70 per cent from the United States and only 3 per cent British.

"There ought to be a different state of affairs from that," he complained, and expressed a hope that British capitalists would rise to the occasion.

On Thursday of this week Sir Robert starts on a tour of Northern Ontario, which will include the chief gold mining districts.

MAURETANIA GREETING IS RETURNED BY PRINCE

Indulges in Strenuous Exercises With Members of Own Party.

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Aboard the S. S. Mauretania, Aug. 26.—Strenuous exercises marked the Prince of Wales' third day at sea. He began with vigorous walking exercises about the deck of the liner, and then passed some time boxing with members of his suite.

He finished up the day's activities with a game of tennis on the Berengaria's handsome tank and a Turkish bath.

The prince, who enjoyed a smooth sea today, again disappointed the liner's passengers by maintaining the seclusion he has kept up since the start of his trip to New York. With constant idleness for a round of activities in which the prince's shipmates were anxious to have him participate, the heir to the British throne kept close to the members of his own party.

When it was disclosed today that the prince had acknowledged a greeting from the Mauretania's passengers as the liner passed by at sea last night, many on the Berengaria were heard to complain that those on the vessel had got a better deal from the prince than his own shipmates. They are beginning to ask if the prince will maintain the same strict privacy all the way to New York.

HARWOOD VILLAGE HAS 1ST COURT CASE IN 25 YEARS

Canadian Press Despatch.
Petersburg, Ont., Aug. 25.—The village of Harwood was the scene of considerable excitement on Saturday, when the first legal action in the past quarter of a century was tried in the town hall. It is twenty-five years since such an event took place in the village, and the hall was crowded with spectators from the surrounding countryside.

Teh decision by the judge resulted in a judgment of 15 cents being levied against the defendant, with costs divided between the plaintiff and the defendant.

The issue was an action for trespass brought by N. E. Merriam, grocer, of Harwood, against David Sinclair of Toronto.

COMES TO LONDON.

Lieut. W. C. Wurtle, formerly of the Royal Canadian Regiment, is at present in London for two weeks. The officer is taking the place of W. E. Smith, auditor, who is on leave from headquarters.

Holiday Days. The Picnic Drink.

GLUYAS WILLIAMS

GETS HIS ASSIGNMENT OF SANDWICHES STUFFED OLIVES AND HARD BOILED EGGS AND WITH SOME DIFFICULTY SETTLES HIMSELF ON POSITION OF RUG WITH FEWEST POSSIBLE ROCKS UNDER IT

IS IMMEDIATELY TOLD TO COME GET HIS GINGER ALE-IT'S ALL POURED

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INTEREST IS KEEN IN MEET AT FAIR

Best Athletes in City Will Compete For Prizes.

ON OPENING DAY

The opening day of the Western Fair in London will see the biggest athletic meet ever held here from the standpoint of the number of entries and interest in events.

What has been held annually at the M. A. A. A. meet, has been broadened out this year to take in commercial and industrial firms. This greatly enlarges the number of entries in each event. It creates keen rivalry for the firm trophy, which is donated to the firm scoring the highest number of points in the meet.

Seventeen events for men will be keenly contested. They will take in practically all the star athletics, including Gorman, who will be re-elected.

McClary Mfg. Co.; Corsey Mfg. Co.; young Reynolds of Kellogg Company; and Walter Dutton of Penmans.

Dutton has in the last few years won the individual honors, but this year will have to step his very best in order to continue his champion ship.

In the girls' events it will be harder to pick the winner, but judging from last year's meet every girl's event will be keenly contested, and with the London Life and Bell Telephone girls, as well as others, entering into the contest it will make the rivalry keenest that has ever been.

The executive who has the matter in hand are doing all in their power to make the meet a grand success. The prize committee is working on a list of

"Four Hour" Specials For Last Summer Half-Holiday

Wednesday Morning SPECIALS

MEN'S DEPT.	BOYS' DEPT.
Your choice, any \$3.00 or \$4.00 98c	Your choice, any of our Children's Straw or Laundered Hats. Regular \$1.50 to \$3.00 39c
Hat 21c	Cotton Jersey 29c
Wool Bathing Suits, Half price.	Khaki Bloomers, all sizes 89c
Work Socks, gray or brown	Cotton Bloomers, sizes 4 to 8 years 49c
Flannel Pants, cream or gray, half price.	

OAK HALL

156 DUNDAS ST.

4 REAL BARGAINS

For Our Wednesday Morning Sale

1,000 YARDS OF CRETONE Regular 45c to 60c a yard. Your choice for 25c a yard.	FINE FILET PANEL CURTAINS 2½ yards long, any width. 25c a panel.
300 YDS. MARQUETTE White, cream or eoru, perfect weave. 25c a yard.	CEDAR OIL MOPS Large size, complete with handle. Regular \$1.50, for 79c each.

KEENE BROS.

125-127 KING STREET.

LIQUOR FORCES UNITE FOR CAUSE

Brewers and Distillers Agree On Plebiscite Views.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Aug. 25.—A Toronto paper today publishes the following:

It is rumored in anti-prohibition circles that there may be a change in the four questions to be submitted to the electorate on October 23. It appears that the brewers and distillers, who have been at loggerheads for some time past, have buried the hatchet in order to be in better shape to face the common foe.

In council assembled they have decided that the fourth question in the list has no chance of getting a majority; also that it might prejudice public opinion against the other three. Consequently, they sent a delegation to Queen's Park last week to ask that the question be taken off the ballot. The question objected to reads: "Are you in favor of the sale of spirituous liquors in licensed premises?"

The government, of course, made no promise. It took the matter under consideration. But, as the temperance forces are hardly expected to press for the submission of the question, there appears to be every reason to believe it will be taken off the ballot paper.

FEELING AGAINST KLAN REPORTED STRONGER

Davis, Lafollette and Dawes All Denounce American Faction.

Associated Press Despatch. Washington, Aug. 25.—Widespread feeling is expressed here that the tide of public sentiment has turned decisively against the Ku Klux Klan. The victory of Mrs. Miriam Ferguson, anti-Klan candidate in the Texas primary, along with the denunciation of the Klan by John W. Davis, Democratic presidential candidate, Senator Robert Lafollette, Progressive candidate for president, and by Charles Dawes, Republican vice-presidential candidate, are looked on as clearly indicating that the anti-Klan movement is in the ascendant. There is strong feeling here that President Coolidge cannot remain silent on the Klan issues throughout the campaign.

WEST INDIES SOLDIER IN SEARCH OF FAMILY

A British soldier serving in the West Indies has written to The Advertiser saying that for years he has been out of touch with his relatives, who he believes to be in Canada. The soldier is Private Gillham, I. W. No. 5764152, First Battalion, Norfolk Regiment, Jamaica, B. W. I. The family originally came from

Hounslow, England. The mother's name is Mrs. E. Gillham. Any word of the whereabouts of Mrs. Gillham would be gladly received by Private Gillham, or A. J. Cockaday, 33 Blackfriars, London West.

FAIR DATE CHANGED.

The date for the United Indian Fair, which is to be held at Caradoc, has been changed to September 26, according to an announcement made by Thomas McGookin, Indian agent.

MANY TROOPS KILLED IN MOROCCAN BATTLES

Fight Ends With Moorish Rebels Fleeing, Leaving Dead and Wounded.

Associated Press Despatch. Madrid, Aug. 25.—Heavy casualties have been suffered by the Spanish troops and the Moorish rebels in a battle for possession of the heights of Lau, which were stormed by the Spaniards after intensive artillery preparation, says an official communication issued by the war office today.

The column operating in the Lau region, says the communication, "after intensive artillery preparation, launched an attack, and advanced until it reached the crest of the heights dominating Loma. Numerous casualties were inflicted upon the enemy, but ours also were considerable. Among our losses were five officers killed. The enemy fled, leaving his dead and wounded behind."

SWAMP FEVER DISEASE TO BE STUDIED IN WEST

New Laboratory Erected in Saskatchewan Will Probe Other Scourges.

Canadian Press Despatch. Saskatoon, Aug. 25.—A new research laboratory which will be devoted primarily to the study of swamp fever but which will investigate all the principal diseases to which domestic animals are subject, has just been opened by the University of Saskatchewan, with Seymour Hadwen, D. V.Sc., in charge. President W. C. Murray announced today.

Swamp fever has exacted a heavy toll from farmers of the three Prairie Provinces ever since the first settlers began to bring in horses from the east, and the outbreak this year is unusually severe, the university and the province sustaining a heavy loss in the death of Bonnie Jean, the Clydesdale mare, which won the international championship at Chicago last year as well as the Canadian championship at Toronto. Many of the farmers in Central and Northern Saskatchewan, especially in the Saskatoon district, have lost heavily from this mysterious disease which has puzzled the scientists of the world.

Yes Sir!

—at Orth's Shop

This being the last Half-Holiday for bargains you will certainly benefit your savings account when you invest at Orth's Wednesday morning.

Your choice of any Straw Hat in the store. Values up to \$4.50. 110 Hats in the lot. \$1.00 at	Shirts—Qualities that speak for themselves; values to \$3.50. Wednesday. \$1.59 at
Balbriggan Combinations in Egyptian yarns; best 98c \$1.75 quality	Every man needs Ties. Here they are including silk knit, Swiss silk, and the old reliable tie for Dad. Four-in-hand and Bow Ties, included. Wednesday 39c 3 for \$1.00.
Black Lisle Socks; regular 35c. 5 pairs for \$1.00	

MR. OUT-OF-TOWN CUSTOMER! If you enjoy wearing a cap, our English shipment will certainly be appreciated. Orth Price **\$1.98**

\$25.00 BUYS A Blue Serge Suit, indigo dye, 18-oz., guaranteed color, made to your measure, Wednesday morning only. Remember only \$25.00	To Our LONDON FRIENDS If you appreciate quality tailoring you will benefit by ordering an All-Wool Tweed Hobberlin Tailored Suit in a new fashionable English model. Wednesday \$25.00
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Garters 19c Rubber Belts 29c

ORTH, Limited

ORTH BLDG. — DUNDAS AT CLARENCE.

A SENSATIONAL CLEARING OF SUMMER STOCK

HOUSE DRESSES

In checked gingham and plaid lines. The color range is in sky, pink, green, brown and mauve. They're daintily made in the accepted styles and are a bargain. Regular \$3.00, for **\$1.98**

UNDERWEAR

Women's Vests—Odd lines. They're made from fine ribbed lisle, and are trimmed with lace. Regular 75c values. Special **39c, 3 for \$1.00**

Women's Knit Jersey Bloomers, in pink only. This is a broken line that regular **59c, 2 for \$1.00** is sold at 26c. Special

TOWELING

Two pieces only. Striped Cotton Toweling. This is a real bargain **20 yards for \$1.00**

All-Linen Toweling, white with colored border; also natural shade with white stripes. Special **17c, 6 yards for \$1**

TABLE DAMASK

All pure linen Table Damask, fully bleached and extra wide. Regular \$1.98 line. On sale **\$1.19**

PILLOWSLIPS.

They're slightly stock-sold, and that's the reason for this reduction. They're beautifully embroidered and are hemstitched. Regular \$1.75. On sale, pair **\$1.19**

SPREADS

White Crochet Bedspreads. They're of fine quality and large size, and are hemmed and ready for use. A regular \$3.00 value for only **\$2.19**

TABLE NAPKINS

Odd lines of Table Napkins, in assorted patterns and sizes. They're all of fine quality linen and are values up to \$3.50 per dozen. Special, each **19c**

FACE CLOTHS

10 dozen only of these fine Face Cloths. They are made from fine absorbent material. Special **6 for 25c**

SALE OF GINGHAMS

This is the same line that proved so popular last Wednesday morning. We have filled up broken lines and have thrown in many new patterns. There are checks, plaids and stripes in this lot. All are 29c values. Don't miss them at **19c**

SILKS

Canton Crepe, in a finely woven heavy weight. A full color range to choose from. Don't miss this value. Regular \$3.25, for **\$2.49**

Crepe de Chine in all the newest shades. This finely woven material has a rich finish. Special **\$1.89**

All-Silk Broadcloth, in plain shades. The colors are: Black, peach, smoke, Flemish and mauve. Regular \$1.50, for **\$1.00**

BLOUSES

Silk Tricotee Overblouses, well made and daintily trimmed. Colors: Sand, cocoa, gray, mauve, rose, brown, navy, black and white. Regular **\$1.98** \$3.25, for

SWEATERS

Women's Sleeveless Sweaters, in silk and wool mixtures. The colors are mauve, green and tomato. Regular value \$3.50. Special **\$1.98**

SKIRTS

Girls' Cream Serge Skirts with camisole tops. These are made from fine all-wool serge, and are in the popular pleated styles. Our regular \$3.50 line, reduced to **\$1.98**

PRINCESS SLIPS

A dozen Princess Slips. These are made from fine quality cambric and have hemstitched tops and straps. They are absolutely shadow proof. Regular \$1.50 values, for **98c**

FIBRE SILK HOSE

In plain and fancy stripes. They are perfect stock, and are well shaped, with reinforced heel and toes. Colors: White, tan, gray, cocoa, brown and navy. Regular \$1.00, for **69c**

HAND-BAGS

Made from fine soft grained leather, with heavily plated clasp and frame. They come in the following colors: Gray, tan, black and smoke. Regular \$3.00 value, for **\$1.98**

VOILE AND RATINE DRESSES

A clearing of Women's and Misses Ratine and Voile Dresses. They're in striped and fancy drawn patterns and are made up on the season's newest and most exclusive models. They come in the following colors: gray, sand, peach, sky, mauve, black and white, and are regularly sold at up to \$3.50. Wednesday morning at **\$3.95**

CORSETS

A very special value in Women's Corsets. They're boned with spiral wire and are non-rustable. The material is a heavy imported coutil and they have embroidered tops. Medium bust; sizes 22 to 32. Regular \$3.00 value, for **\$1.49**

THE LAST WEEK OF THE PONY CONTEST

Some boy or girl is going to be supremely happy on the last day of the month when the Pony is given away, and it might be yours. However, take no chances, so be sure you ask for your coupons. REMEMBER, every coupon counts.

BRASSIERES

These Brassieres are a special purchase from a well-known corset maker and are a high-class garment in every respect. They're regular 75c value in any store, so don't miss this bargain Wednesday morning **59c, 2 for \$1.00** Made from silk striped material with elastic ends.

SALE OF PONGEE SILK

300 yards of fine quality All-Silk Pongee with positively no filling or dressing whatever. It is of good heavy weight and passed as perfect by the Japanese Government. It regularly sells at 98c yard. Wednesday morning, only, yard **59c**

PURE WOOL WORSTED SOCKS

In lavats, fawns, heather and gray. This is a bargain in Men's Socks, as these are regular 75c value. Wednesday morning, pair **48c**

MEN'S KNITTED NECKWEAR

Men's Knitted Ties in all the season's newest styles and patterns. This is your chance to lay in a supply of Ties for Fall. Regular \$1.00 values **59c**

MEN'S SILK NECKWEAR

A very special value in some of the better lines of Neckwear. They are made from good heavy quality silk in the popular designs. This is a very special value, so don't miss it. Values regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 **95c**

SANDOW WORK SHIRTS

A Wednesday morning clearing of this popular line of Work Shirts, in blue and khaki. They come in good generous sizes and from 14 to 17. They both wear and wash well. Regular \$1.50 values. **98c** for each

IN OUR TWO STORES

Downtown. London East

Extra! Extra! MEN'S FINE DRESS SHIRTS

A special purchase of Fine Shirts made from extra fine cloths with woven stripes in all the new designs. The cloths include: Percales, Corded Madras, English Zephyrs, Repps, etc. Sizes 14 to 17. The colors are guaranteed absolutely fast, if not we refund your money. Regular \$2.50 and \$3.00 values.

\$1.55

2 for \$3.00

Men's Pure Wool SWEATER COATS

They come in Fawn and Heather shades, trimmed with contrasting colors, and are made V-neck style and two pockets. Sizes 36 to 44. Just the coat for outing or camping purposes. They're Penman make. Regular \$3.50 value, for

\$2.48

MEN'S CASHMERE HOSE

These Fine Ribbed Cashmere Hose come in Lavats, Fawns, Heather and Gray. A well-made hose that will give a world of hard wear. Regular 75c value; per pair **48c**

R. J. YOUNG & CO. Limited

142 DUNDAS ST.

The Best Place To Shop, After All!

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Free Circus Tickets With Wednesday Morning Specials

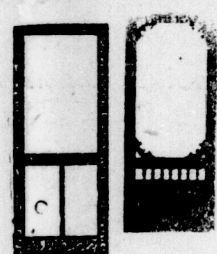
Are You Going to the Circus?

Sure! Then to the first Seven persons, whose purchases are over \$10.00 Wednesday morning,

WE ARE GIVING A FREE TICKET FOR THE CIRCUS!



Also Double Value Pony Coupons For Wednesday Morning Only

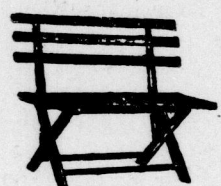


Screen Doors

All \$2.50 Doors, each \$1.55
All \$3.50 Doors, each \$2.50
All \$5.00 Doors, each \$3.98

Lawn Seats

To clear, regular \$2.50, at only .. \$1.75
Made in hardwood, will fold up.



Refrigerator Sale

SPECIALS FOR WEDNESDAY MORNING:

Regular \$17.50, at \$11.10
Regular \$23.00, at \$14.35
Regular \$40.00, at \$25.85
Regular \$45.00, at \$29.35
Regular \$75.00, at \$49.00

PERFECTION OIL COOK STOVES.

2-Burner, Reg. \$23, at \$17.25
3-Burner, Reg. \$28, at \$21.00
3 only 3-Burner, Reg. \$31.00, at \$23.25

Balance of HAMMOCKS

Values up to \$6.00, to clear at \$1.98

EUREKA VACUUM CLEANER.

PERFECTION OIL HEATERS.

Reg. \$8.50, at \$4.95

Slightly used, regular price \$60.00, on sale \$39.50

Purdum Hardware

124 DUNDAS STREET.

Advertise in The Advertiser



Meet me at Sparks' Circus, Fair Grounds, Wednesday, August 27.

Hundreds of Pretty Girls Present Egyptian Fantasy

Sparks' Circus Will Startle Patrons With Gorgeous Oriental Spectacle.

HAS MANY ANIMALS

Two Hours' Program of Skill, Daring and Comedy Will Follow.

Included among the many sensational feature acts which will be presented by the Sparks Circus tomorrow, Aug. 27, is the group of high school girls on high school horses, headed by Florence Harris on her Irish thoroughbred King George, in broad and high jumps and in fan-dances and "lay backs."

Besides this group there are imported acts from Europe and Asia, in which hazardous exhibitions of athletic skill are presented on the ground and in the air by famous circus performers.

In addition, there are trained seals, tigers, lions, llamas, camels, elephants, zebras, ostriches, and a mixed group of trained polar bears and Great Dane dogs. It was inevitable that the Sparks Circus should achieve absolute perfection in its performance this year.

In the menagerie will be found a splendid collection of wild animals from foreign lands.

What is probably the strongest appeal to the eye and to the ear that has yet been presented under canvas is the opening number of the program of the Sparks Circus. It is called "An Egyptian Fantasy." Taking part in it and raising their voices in a swelling chorus are several

Steam Shovel Hits Dynamite; Workmen Hurt

Canadian Press Despatch. Hamilton, Aug. 25.—When the scoop of the steam shovel in front of which they were working at the quarry of the Canada Crushed Stone Company this afternoon struck an unexploded charge of dynamite, five employees received severe injuries. That none was killed was remarkable.

The men were bowled over by a volley of rock splinters and small stones, and at the General Hospital, where they were rushed for treatment, it was discovered that their bodies were completely covered with small wounds.

All are expected to recover.

are the Ballerina troupe of bareback riders from the Argentine, presenting Flora Bedini, the world famous equestrienne; the Boston family in a thrilling acrobatic display; Frances Widner, Babe Pope and Stasia Carry, with their masterly trained elephants; Prince Sakato, with his daring and difficult backward slide while standing upright on a rope that is stretched the full length of the big tent; Naida Miller, young, dainty and pretty, in a series of feature dances on a wire high above the ground; Ernest Klose, with his sixteen thoroughbred horses, which, without a word of command, execute a series of drills and formations that is more than marvelous; the Mardo troupe of comedy acrobats; the Totsu Brothers; the Three Walters on the aerial bars; the high school girls with the high school horses; Florence Harris on her Irish-bred hunter in long and high jumps; the trained sea lions; the trained tigers of Franz Woske; the fighting lions of Steve Batty; the group of trained polar bears and great Dane dogs; more top-line numbers, and a troupe of clowns, headed by Paul Wenzel, that keep the audience in spasms of mirth. There is a fine rich flavor to the performance of the Sparks Circus. Then there is the menagerie, with its splendid collection of wild beasts from foreign lands. Children under nine years of age are admitted for 30 cents.

Elephants Will Pay Visit To Stores Where Tickets To Circus Are Given Free

Several Merchants Will Present Customers With Admissions To Big Tent.

100 WILL BE LUCKY

Wednesday Morning Marks Last Half-Day Sale of Season.

The circus is coming! These are the magic words that thrill the hearts of the youngsters and the grown-ups as well, for after all we are just overgrown children when the circus comes to town.

Who is there that can withstand the appeal of the bright-colored bands as they sway and play on the top

MEETING IS POSTPONED TILL THURSDAY EVENING

Owing to the absence of Chairman Douglass there was no meeting of the finance committee last night. It was postponed at his request to Thursday night. Among other things to be discussed were, the suspensions of Firemen Scott and Kerr, together with the hearing of the witnesses in a charge of assault in which they were concerned, and the London South branch of the public library, which the mayor was to have brought up. Both these matters will be presented to the Thursday meeting.

of the cage that is the temporary home of some wild animal? Or who can withstand the antics of the clowns as they grimace and make merry? These and a thousand and

one other things still appeal to young and old alike.

The stores advertising on this and other pages have combined to make the last Wednesday half-holiday a selling event long to be remembered. And to do this, they are offering as special attractions free seats to those trading with them during the four hours of selling on Wednesday morning.

In all there are about one hundred free tickets of admission to be given away. Read the ads and make your selections—kill two birds with one stone—purchase your requirements and see the circus without any extra cost. The Bicycle & Motor Sales, J. H. Chapman & Co., Agnew's Shoe Store, the City Gas Co. (commercial department), Hynd's, the hosiery store, Purdom Hardware and Ruttle's Men's Furnishing Store are all featuring the free admission tickets to the circus in their Wednesday morning's announcement.

Be out early and watch the elephants after the parade. They will visit each of these stores in turn, so that all may have an opportunity of watching and admiring them. Above all read the ads and secure free tickets.

Advertiser Classified "Want" ads are little human interest stories, brimful of the needs of the community.

Wednesday Morning SHOE BARGAINS



The First Ten Customers After 9 a.m. Purchasing \$2.00 or Over, will be Presented with a Ticket for Sparks' Circus.

69 Pairs Ladies' Patent Black Kid and Brown Calf Oxfords, broken lines, sizes 2½ to 7. Regular value to \$6.00. Wednesday \$2.95

38 Pairs Broken Lines Ladies' High Grade Oxfords, suede, brown calf, black calf and patent. Regular value to \$8.00. Wednesday \$3.95

Men's Goodyear Welted Boots, brown or black. Worth \$6.50. On sale at \$3.95

Men's Greb Work Boots, brown or black. These boots wear. On sale at \$3.95

Men's and Boys' Canvas Boots, leather soles. \$1.15 to \$1.45

Girls' Patent or Brown Calf Oxfords, heavy sewn soles, wide fitting, cushion sole.

Sizes 11 to 2, at \$2.95

Sizes 8 to 10½, at \$2.45

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Ladies' Patent or Kid Strap Slippers, French heels. On sale at \$2.95

Women's Suede Sandals, gray or fawn shades. Regular \$5.00 and \$6.00. On sale at \$3.95

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Men's Oxfords, brown or black; every pair on sale this season's newest styles \$2.95, \$3.95, \$4.95

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Sizes 1 to 5, at \$2.95

Sizes 11 to 13, at \$2.45

Women's Patent Oxfords and Strap Slippers, low heels. On sale at \$2.95

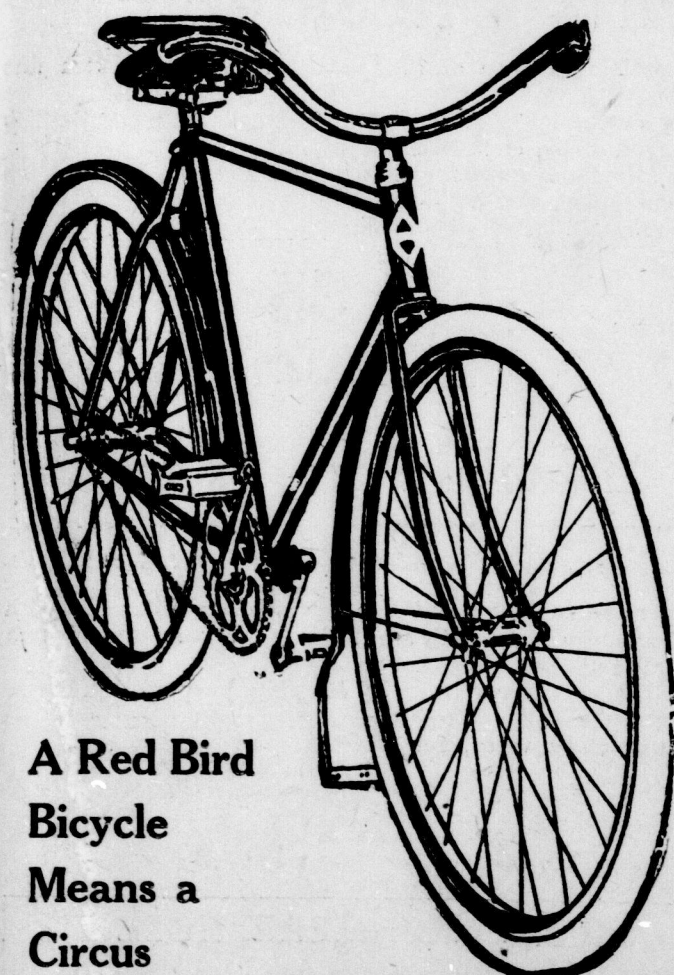
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To any reliable citizen we make this offer: We will take as low as \$1.00 deposit and deliver a Red Bird. Small weekly payments will take care of the balance. No excuse now. The last obstacle—money—swept away. The supreme opportunity to thrill your boy or girl—a free trip to the Circus and a Bicycle you can pay for as you would your car fare.

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SEE THE ELEPHANTS AT THIS STORE WEDNESDAY MORNING.

Meet Me At The Circus!



Fair Grounds, Wednesday.

Free Circus Tickets With Wednesday Morning Specials

TRAINED ANIMALS THRILL VISITORS

Remarkable Intelligence Displayed by Beasts in Show Ring.

A day that will probably linger with pleasant memories in the minds of most persons of this vicinity will be tomorrow, for the Sparks Circus will be here then.

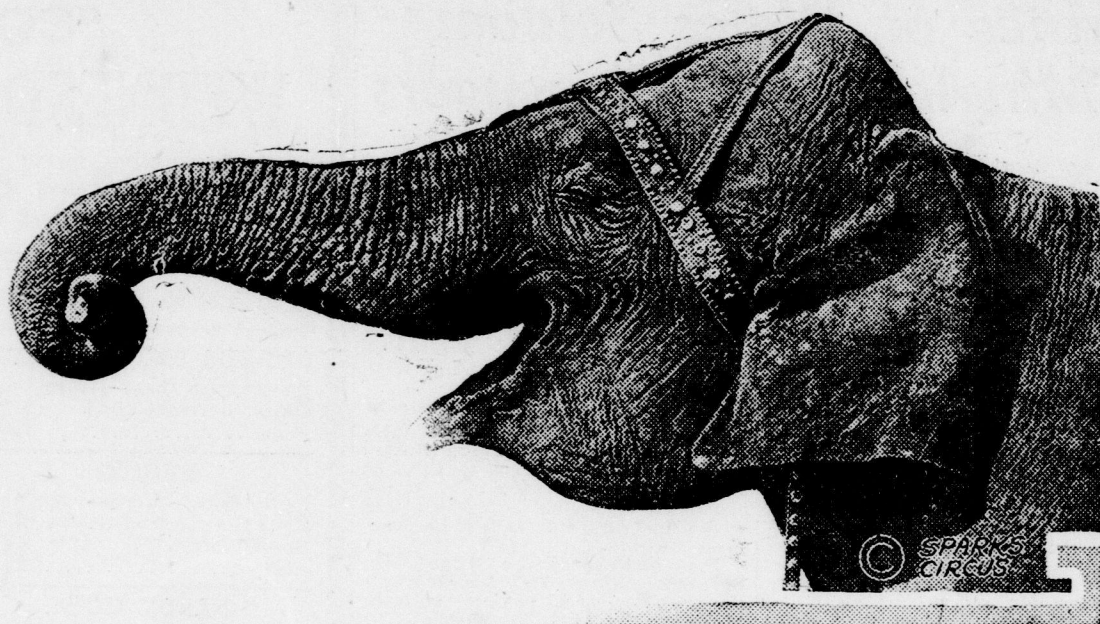
With the Sparks Circus there are trained sea lions, tigers, leopards, polar bears, lions, elephants and camels, whose intelligence has been developed to a remarkable degree through kindness and patience. While the Sparks Circus specializes to a certain extent in wild animals acts, the program is well balanced with aerial, equestrian and ground acts that are said to amaze and thrill the spectators by their skill and cleverness. Then there are the clowns, with their side-splitting antics, capers and travesties.

From press reports from other cities in which this big three-ring circus has exhibited, it is said that the Sparks Circus is as usual, made up of clean, up-to-date attractions. Favorable comment is also made on the beauty and length of the parade. Children under nine years of age are admitted for thirty cents. On circus day seats may be bought for the same price as at the show grounds at Strong's Drug Store.

GIRL KILLED WHEN THROWN FROM HORSE UNDER CAR

Canadian Press Despatch. Calgary, Aug. 25.—Thrown under the wheels of a moving street car when the horse she was riding slipped on the pavement here Saturday afternoon, Lillian Doran, popular young Calgary girl and the 19-year-old daughter of J. D. Doran, was almost instantly killed when the front truck of the street car passed over her body.

NEW COALFIELD.
Associated Press Despatch. Wellington, N.Z., Aug. 25.—The news of the discovery of a coal area on the west coast of South Island has been greeted with considerable satisfaction, more especially as a railway that has been projected will tap the new mines.



Meet me at Sparks' Circus, Fair Grounds, Wednesday, August 27.

THREE NEW MEN ADDED TO LOEW'S ORCHESTRA

Manager Jackson Announces Engagement of London Musicians.

The patrons of Loew's Theatre will be glad of the announcement of Manager Jackson to the effect that even better music is in store for them. Three new members have been secured to augment the present orchestra, under the direction of Joseph Tiri, who is known to London theatregoers as a very capable director.

The new members are: Fred Weeks, trombone; Mr. Conker, cello; Kingsley Ireland, pianist. The new Overtures will be presented every week, commencing next week, announced Manager Jackson today.

Don't wait for something to "turn up." Use Advertiser "Want" ads.

Circus-Day Program

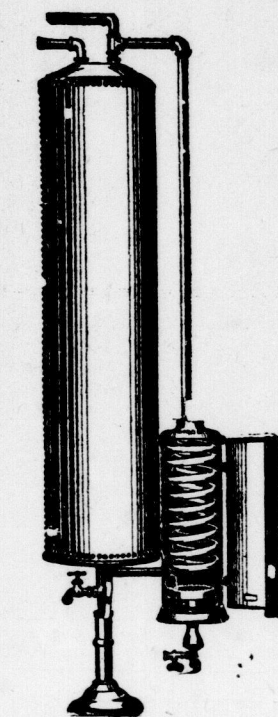
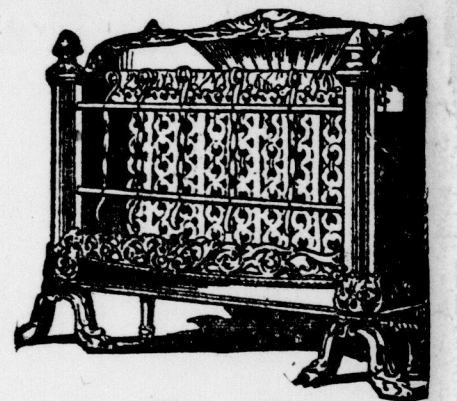
6:00 a.m.—Sparks Circus trains due to arrive from Brantford on the Canadian National Railway.
6:30 a.m.—Unloading and removal of tents, paraphernalia, wagons, animals, etc., to the circus grounds.
7:30 a.m.—Erecting kitchen, dining, dressing, menagerie, blacksmith and horse tents.
8:00 a.m.—Breakfast served to the 700 circus employees.
8:30 a.m.—Hoisting of mammoth white top in which main performances take place, a lesson in practical efficiency. Side show erected.
9:30 a.m.—The elaborate street parade will leave the Fair Grounds by the York street gate and will proceed to Rectory, to Dundas, to Adelaide, to Queen's avenue, to Talbot, to York, to Richmond, to Dundas, to Rectory, to York, to the show grounds.
1:00 p.m.—Doors open for leisurely inspection of menagerie. Band concert 1 to 2.
2:00 p.m.—Afternoon performance commences.
6:00 p.m.—Concert of popular and classical music played on the world's largest steam piano, which can be heard for five miles without the use of radiophones.
7:00 p.m.—Doors again opened to public. Menagerie. Band concert 7 to 8.
8:00 p.m.—Evening performance of the circus, complete in detail.
11:00 p.m.—Concerted night movement to circus train.
12:00 p.m.—Departure of circus trains for Sarnia.

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BOYS' SUITS

Commencing Wed. Morning On a New

75c PROFIT PLAN

MOTHERS!

We beg to announce to You, an entirely new plan, whereby You can Outfit Your Boys for School at almost factory cost.

One of the largest and best makers of Boys' Clothing in Canada has agreed to co-operate with Us in opening up Our New Boys' Clothing Department Wednesday Morning.

We have agreed to retail all suits regardless of size and price on a straight 75c profit margin to us. This new department costs Us nothing at all for Rent, and the 75c just barely covers the cost of transportation, and Our Salesman's time to serve You.

Just Figure This Out!

Take for example, a suit that costs \$8.00 wholesale would retail in the usual way with a fair legitimate profit at from \$11.00 to \$12.00; now our new system of selling, offers You this same suit for \$8.75. Is it worth while?

Free Circus Tickets!

With the first 10 suits sold here Wednesday Morning, We will give, Free of Charge, a Circus Ticket, good for Free Admission to the Big Tent Wednesday Afternoon.

One Ticket With Each Suit.

The prices range from \$6.75 up.

All snappy new styles and patterns.

RUTTLE, The Clothier

UPSTAIRS

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Over Miller's Shoe Store.

LICENSES FOR DRIVERS, NEW TAX ON MOTORING

Minister of Public Works Declares Move Is Under Consideration.

UP NEXT SESSION

Provincial Government May Also Demand Dimmer Lights On Cars.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Aug. 25.—Addressing a large gathering of representatives of the automotive industry who were the guests of the National Exhibition management at luncheon today, Hon. Geo. S. Henry, provincial minister of public works and highways, intimated that legislation would probably be brought down at the next session providing for the licensing of all motor car drivers in the province. Mr. Henry pointed out that this was a matter which has been engaging the attention of the government for some time, as there had been some agitation in that direction in the interests of safety.

Mr. Henry also threw out the warning that the time was not far distant when the owners of automobiles would be asked to make a large contribution towards the construction and the maintenance of the highways.

"The average contribution now made by the automobile owners is \$15 a year," the speaker recalled. "The average owner drives a car 4,000 miles, and with an operating cost of ten cents a mile, it will be seen that the percentage of the government for some time, as there had been some agitation in that direction in the interests of safety."

"Last year the province took in \$4,000,000 from automobile fees and we gave all of it to the various municipalities to help in their improvement, so there was nothing left for the maintenance and construction of the main highways."

The minister also forecasted legislation calling for a reduction in the candlepower of headlights.

T. A. Russell, vice-president of the Automotive Industries of Canada, speaking in behalf of the association, said there were objections to the government's proposal to issue all motor licenses from the Toronto office.

"The government contends that there will be certain advantages in that, but the automobile people feel that there are disadvantages which will more than offset the advantages," he said. "So when the time comes, the representatives of the automobile business will take occasion to point out to the government the disadvantages in the hope of impressing them with the fact that there should not be a centralization of license issuing."

FOUR-YEAR-OLD DROWNS.

Canadian Press Despatch. Sherbrooke, Que., Aug. 25.—A drowning accident occurred at North Hatley, yesterday, when William Earle Clark, aged 4 years, was drowned when he fell into Lake Massawippi. The young boy was the son of Dr. William Earle Clark of Washington, D.C.

Thinks Reports of Mars Signal Are Absurdities

Canadian Press Despatch. Vancouver, B.C., Aug. 25.—That different reports of communication having been attempted by the inhabitants of Mars by radio are "bunkum" is the opinion expressed by Prof. G. W. O. Howe, D.S.C., Glasgow, one of the distinguished British scientists now visiting Vancouver.

When questioned concerning the mysterious sounds reported by Vancouver wireless operators, he stated that he did not believe the sounds were signals from Mars. A great many radio stations were making experiments and signalling, and he believes that Vancouver simply picked up sounds from some other station.

EXHIBITION ATTENDANCE SHOWS LARGE INCREASE

Fifteen Hundred More People at Canadian National Ex. Than Last Year.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, Aug. 25.—Attendance at the Canadian National Exhibition today (Automobile Day), was 68,500, as against 67,000 for the corresponding day last year, an increase of 1,500, for the two days of 1924 the total is 151,000, as against 142,500, a gain of 7,500.

Tomorrow will be Young Canada Day, and, with good weather in prospect, a new record for the third day of the exhibition is expected.

MINERS FAIL TO RESPOND WHEN WHISTLES BLOWN

Associated Press Despatch. Owensboro, Ky., Aug. 25.—Reports received here from several Western Kentucky coal mines, which planned to resume operations today at a reduced wage scale, said that not a man responded when whistles blew in three counties this morning for the first time since last April.

BOARD OF CONCILIATION APPOINTED IN DISPUTE

Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, Aug. 25.—A board of conciliation has been appointed in the dispute between the Canadian Pacific Railway and the Brotherhood of Railway Steamship Freight Handlers and Station Employees of the C. P. R. western lines. Travers Sweatman of Winnipeg has been appointed to represent the employers and David Campbell will represent the employees. A chairman of the board has not yet been agreed upon.

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36 pieces of Beautiful French Ratines, all 38 inches wide. Formerly sold at \$1.50 and \$1.95. To clear at, yard **69c**

Free Tickets To the Circus

Here's a real chance for ten thrifty buyers to see the circus on Wednesday—FREE. We are offering Children's and Young Ladies' Fall and Winter Coats in sizes 2 to 14 years, at extremely low prices. Every coat a dandy, just received for current season selling. The first ten persons participating in this offer will be given tickets of admission to the Circus, free.

Sale Price on Coats, \$4.50 to \$14.75

Factory Cotton

One bale of Unbleached Cotton will be offered for sale Wednesday morning at 15c a yard.

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VESTS	BLOOMERS	HOUSE DRESSES	Children's Gingham Dresses	CORSETS	NIGHTGOWNS
25 dozen Ladies' Summer Vests, 19c	Ladies' Fine Pink or White Bloomers, 3 PAIRS FOR \$1.00	5 dozen Ladies' A P O N House Dresses, each, 98c	One lot, sizes 6 to 12 years, all to go at, each, 98c	5 dozen Ladies' summer weight Corsets, per pair, 98c	A very nice lot of White Cambric Nightgowns, each, 98c
CHILDREN'S HALF SOCKS.	HATS.	ROLLER TOWELLING.	SILK REMNANTS		
About 14 dozen, a collection of broken lots and sizes. Wonderful value at, pair 15c	A complete clearance of Ladies' and Misses' Summer Hats at, each \$1.00	One lot of Pure Linen Roller Towelling at 5 yards for \$1.00	at 1-3 to 1-2 off Wednesday Morning Only.		

John H. Chapman & Co.

Free Circus Tickets With Wednesday Morning Specials

TOMORROW'S RADIO

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 27.

Wednesday's Features.
WCAP—United States Navy Band.
WEAF—Haeckle-Berge Trio.
WOS—Old-time barn dance tunes.
KRL—Art Hickman's Orchestra.
WOO—WOO Orchestra and Soloists.

(Eastern Standard Time.)
WEAF, NEW YORK—42.
 5 p.m.—Dinner music from the Waldorf.
 6 p.m.—Synagogue services.
 6:30 p.m.—John Brerly, tenor.
 6:40 p.m.—Hein Hulsman, pianist.
 6:50 p.m.—Talk, Lieut.-Gov. Lunn.
 7 p.m.—Lawrence Gardner, cornetist.
 7:10 p.m.—John Brerly, tenor.
 7:20 p.m.—Hein Hulsman, pianist.
 7:30 p.m.—Joint recital, Poyet Sisters.
 8 p.m.—Haeckle-Berge Trio.
 8:45 p.m.—Charles Gesser, violinist.
WJZ, NEW YORK—45.
 6 p.m.—Cafe Boulevard Ensemble.
 6:30 p.m.—Wall Street Journal review.
 6:50 p.m.—Cafe Boulevard Ensemble.
 7 p.m.—Talk, George L. Chester.
 7:15 p.m.—Joel Coffey, pianist.
 7:30 p.m.—Sava Tcherny, violinist.
 8:40 p.m.—Charles Peters, pianist.
 9 p.m.—Sport talk, Fred Fletcher.
 9:30 p.m.—Billy Wynne's Orchestra.
WHN, NEW YORK—360.
 5:30 p.m.—Oleott Vail, violinist.
 6 p.m.—Paul Specht's Orchestra.
 6:30 p.m.—Studio musical program.
 8 p.m.—Strickland's Orchestra.
 9 p.m.—Clever Gardens Orchestra.
WNYC, NEW YORK—326.
 6:30 p.m.—Police alarm, etc.
 7:30 p.m.—Musical program.
WOR, NEWARK—405.
 5:15 p.m.—Bandstand's Orchestra.
 5:35 p.m.—Bill Steink's sport talk.
 7 p.m.—Gene Ingraham's Orchestra.
 7:45 p.m.—Zell Jacobs, pianist.
 8 p.m.—Marcella Craft, soprano.
 8:20 p.m.—Wallace Irwin, author.
 8:40 p.m.—Marcella Craft, soprano.
 9 p.m.—The Manhattan Serenaders.
WIP, PHILADELPHIA—509.
 5:05 p.m.—Eddie Ekins' Orchestra.
 6 p.m.—Uncle Wip's bedtime stories.
WOO, PHILADELPHIA—509.
 6:30 p.m.—A. Candelario's Orchestra.
 7:30 p.m.—Harriette Ridley, organist.
 8 p.m.—WOO Orchestra, assisted by Ronald Miles, baritone.
WFI, PHILADELPHIA—395.
 5:30 p.m.—Meyer David's Orchestra.
WDAR, PHILADELPHIA—395.
 6:30 p.m.—Dream Daddy.
 7 p.m.—Arnold Abbott's Conversation Corner.
 8 p.m.—Travel talk, Herman Keitner's Orchestra.
 9 p.m.—Pennsylvania Male Quartet: talks by winners of beauty contest.
KDKA, PITTSBURGH—326.
 5:30 p.m.—Scizor's Orchestra.
 6:30 p.m.—The Children's Period.
 7:15 p.m.—Literary program.
 7:40 p.m.—Stockman market reports.
 8 p.m.—Rudy Dunn, Meurdy, contralto; Mrs. A. B. Zerbe, reader; Earl C. McCurdy, pianist; William M. Brennan, tenor; Josephine Childs, violinist.
WCAP, WASHINGTON—468.
 7:30 p.m.—United States Navy Band.
 8 p.m.—Haeckle-Berge Trio.
 8:45 p.m.—United States Navy Band.
 9:15 p.m.—Program from WCAP Studio.
WRC, WASHINGTON—469.
 Silent night for WRC.
WGY, SCHENECTADY—380.
 5:30 p.m.—Adventure Story.
WGR, BUFFALO—319.
 5:30 p.m.—Lopez-Statter Orchestra.

8 p.m.—Evening concert program.
 10 p.m.—Lopez-Statter Orchestra.
WJAR, PROVIDENCE—360.
 6:30-7:30 p.m.—John Brerly, tenor; Helen Hulsman, pianist; Lawrence Gardner, pianist.
 7:30 p.m.—Recital, Poyet Sisters.
 8 p.m.—Haeckle-Berge Trio.
 8:45 p.m.—Charles Gesser, violinist.
WGI, MEDFORD—360.
 6:15 p.m.—Markets, police reports.
 7 p.m.—Evening musical program.
WBZ, SPRINGFIELD—337.
 5 p.m.—Dinner music program.
 6 p.m.—Baseball news, markets.
 6:40 p.m.—Lenox Bigelow, baritone.
 8 p.m.—Concert, Minerva Trio.
 8:30 p.m.—Program to be announced.
 10:30 p.m.—Leo Reisman's Orchestra.
WNAC, BOSTON—278.
 5:30 p.m.—WNAC dinner dance.
 7 p.m.—Evening concert program.
WSAI, CINCINNATI—309.
 Silent night for WSAI.
WLW, CINCINNATI—423.
 8 p.m.—Virginia Gutterman.
 9 p.m.—Donald Bain, whistler.
 9:15 p.m.—Walker's original compositions.
WJAX, CLEVELAND—390.
 Silent night for WJAX.
WTAM, CLEVELAND—390.
 6 p.m.—Hotel Statler dinner music.
 8-10 p.m.—Evening concert program.
WWJ, DETROIT—517.
 7 p.m.—Detroit News Orchestra.
 8:10 p.m.—Schumann's Concert Band.
WCX, DETROIT—517.
 6 p.m.—Hotel Statler dinner music.
 8:30 p.m.—Concert program.
CKAC, MONTREAL—425.
 Silent night for CKAC.
PWX, HAVANA—400.
 8:30 p.m.—Cuban Army Band.
 (Central Standard Time.)
KVW, CHICAGO—536.
 Late news every half hour.
 5:45 p.m.—Children's bedtime story.
 6 p.m.—Jaska de Babary's Orchestra.
 7 p.m.—KVVY Studio program.
 8:45 p.m.—Good Roads report.
 9:15 p.m.—Midnight review.
WMAQ, CHICAGO—447.
 8 p.m.—Chicago Theatre organ.
 8:30 p.m.—Studio for children.
 8:15 p.m.—Oscar Williamson, tenor.
WEHB, CHICAGO—370.
 6:30 p.m.—Louis Perlman, violinist.
 7:30 p.m.—Drury Lenington, tenor; Marie Kelly, readings; Langdon Brothers.
 8:30 p.m.—Paul Looker, tenor; Langdon Brothers; Orlova Orchestra.
WJQ, CHICAGO—448.
 6 p.m.—Helen Hulsman, soprano; Dorothy Davis, soprano; Lancaster Smith, bass.
 7 p.m.—Ralph Williams' Orchestra; Sandy Meek, tenor; The Harmony Singers; Will Rossett, tenor.
 8:30 p.m.—Drake Concert Ensemble.
 9:30 p.m.—Classic hour.
WGBD, ZION—345.
 Silent night for WGBD.
WLAG, MINNEAPOLIS—417.
 6 p.m.—Baseball scores; sport hour.
 8 p.m.—Farm lecture program.
 8:45 p.m.—Concert program.
 11 p.m.—George Osborn's Orchestra.
KSD, ST. LOUIS—516.
 8 p.m.—Silverman's Orchestra.
WOAW, OMAHA—526.
 Silent night for WOAW.
WOC, DAVENPORT—484.
 7 p.m.—Sport news and weather.
 8 p.m.—Organ recital by Edwin Swindell, assisted by Edwin R. Ball, tenor.

GERMAN DUTIES BILL TROUBLES IN ENGLAND

Discrimination Against Foreign Flours Is Now Feared.

Associated Press Despatch.
 London, Aug. 25.—Some disquiet has been created here by a bill passed by the German council of state giving the government the right to impose such duties as it thinks fit on imported flour and agricultural prospects generally.
 It is believed this may result in discrimination against foreign flours.
 The bill obviously has been brought forward to placate the agricultural interests and help the Nationalist party to secure their support in passing bills necessary to effect the provisions contained in the Dawes report.
 German millers have been taking advantage of the present conditions to press for a higher duty on flour, but without success, apparently, until the opposition to the decisions of the conference in London has made it necessary for further concessions being made to the Nationalist element.

Advertiser classified "Want" ads are an important adjunct to many homes in renting rooms, securing servants and buying and selling.



Meet me at Sparks' Circus, Fair Grounds, Wednesday, August 27.

WONDERS OF MINING SHOWN TO TEACHERS

Business Girls' Club Fetes Party on Arrival at Sudbury.

Canadian Press Despatch.
 Sudbury, Aug. 25.—The Ontario teachers touring the northern section of the province under the auspices of the Ontario Educational Association, reached here before 7 o'clock this morning, and were met on the station platform by a deputation from the Business Girls' Club under guidance of the president, Miss Guyborough, and escorted to breakfast.
 After studying the geography of Sudbury, they proceeded by train via Copper Cliff to Creighton. Here they were welcomed most cordially by the officials of the International Nickel Company, were shown the workings of the huge plant above ground and then descended into the mine. Though the teachers knew that Ontario leads the world in nickel production, it was an interesting revelation to them to see the actual process. Perfect weather added greatly to the enjoyment of this lesson in nickel mining.

SPANISH GOVERNMENT TROOPS WIN BATTLE

Associated Press Despatch.
 London, Aug. 25.—The Spanish government announces officially today that the Spanish troops have attacked the heights commanding the Lau sector and have driven out the enemy after fighting in which heavy losses were sustained by both sides, according to a News Agency despatch from Madrid. Five Spanish officers were killed.

CANADIAN PACIFIC EXHIBIT AT CANADIAN NATIONAL EXHIBITION CONTAINS MANY ORIGINAL FEATURES.

A full-sized model of a huge Canadian Pacific engine apparently coming through the wall of the building with whistle blowing, bell ringing and a sound of movement made by compressed air, together with a hunting scene with a painted background of 16 by 60 feet so realistic as to make the visitor to the Canadian Pacific display in the Railway Building at the Canadian National Exhibition immediately consider a trip into Northern Ontario, are a few of the features that greet one on entering the building.
 Characterized as always by artistic skill and educational value, the Canadian Pacific display this year promises to elicit more than ordinary approval.
 No expense has been spared to make the display an attractive one. Illuminated models of the cruise of the Empress of France around the world, leaving New York, January 14, 1925, and the Empress of Scotland to the Mediterranean occupy prominent space, the indirect varicolored lighting from the ceiling harmonizing with the dimming of the lights in the models making a most realistic impression of day and night. A huge revolving globe map arm of the world in the center with the routes of the trains and steamships of the company impresses the visitor with the right of the company to its motto "Spans the World."
 But the attention of the visitor is mainly held by the Northern Ontario hunting scene with its miniature waterfall, river, moose and deer moving before one's eyes and with all the equipment used by the hunter including tent, camp utensils, etc., in the foreground. In all the Canadian Pacific display this year is one that thoroughly convinces the Exhibition visitor of the vast size of the company, the success of which has been built upon a continual high standard of service to the public.

Prince of Wales Seldom Mingles With Passengers

Associated Press Despatch.
 On Board the S. S. Berengaria, Aug. 25.—The Prince of Wales is managing to keep much to himself, notwithstanding the eagerness of fellow passengers on the voyage to New York to keep in his proximity. Thus far the prince always has been in earnest conversation with some member of his party when he has appeared in the public rooms or on the decks of the steamer. He has not given anyone outside his own party a chance to have a word with him. The passengers are disappointed at not seeing the prince where they most expected him to be, for he has not frequented the ballroom nor any of the lounges. Last night the prince dined with members of his party and, afterwards retired to his quarters, where he played man with his kinsfolk, Lord and Lady Mountbatten.
 The prince is continuing on shipboard his habit of taking exercise of some kind every morning. He has

arranged with George Mason, a former English featherweight boxer, who is in charge of the ship's gymnasium, for a little work with the gloves daily. To a crowd of passengers who flocked into the gymnasium after the prince had departed today, Mason said the prince was not a potential champion, but that he was up to the average of a majority of the amateur boxers. He had a good knowledge of footwork and of distance.

The favorite blow of the prince, according to Mason, is a left hook. Mason said the prince landed it often on him, but he added, "I hit him several times on the jaw." Mason concluded by saying that the prince would make a good boxer if he practiced steadily.

The passengers on board the Berengaria are looking forward to a masquerade and boxing matches which are to be held Wednesday. The prince has accepted an invitation to attend.

ONTARIO TO INCREASE FALL WHEAT ACREAGE

Favorable Land Condition Will Increase Sowing by One-Third.

Canadian Press Despatch.
 Toronto, Aug. 25.—According to this week's report of farm conditions published by the Ontario department of agriculture, the farmers in many parts of the province are preparing for a greatly increased acreage of fall wheat this year. It is claimed by some representatives that the acreage may reach about one-third more than that put in last season. The land was never in better condition for fall plowing and cultivating, and a good seed bed seems to be assured for the crop.

LEAVE SEPTEMBER 3.
 The next harvesters' excursion to leave for the west is on September 3. The train was scheduled to leave on

August 26, but due to the late harvest in the west it was cancelled and made one week later. This applies to both railroads.

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Going camping or taking a long motor tour this summer? Then you will need ABSORBINE, Jr.

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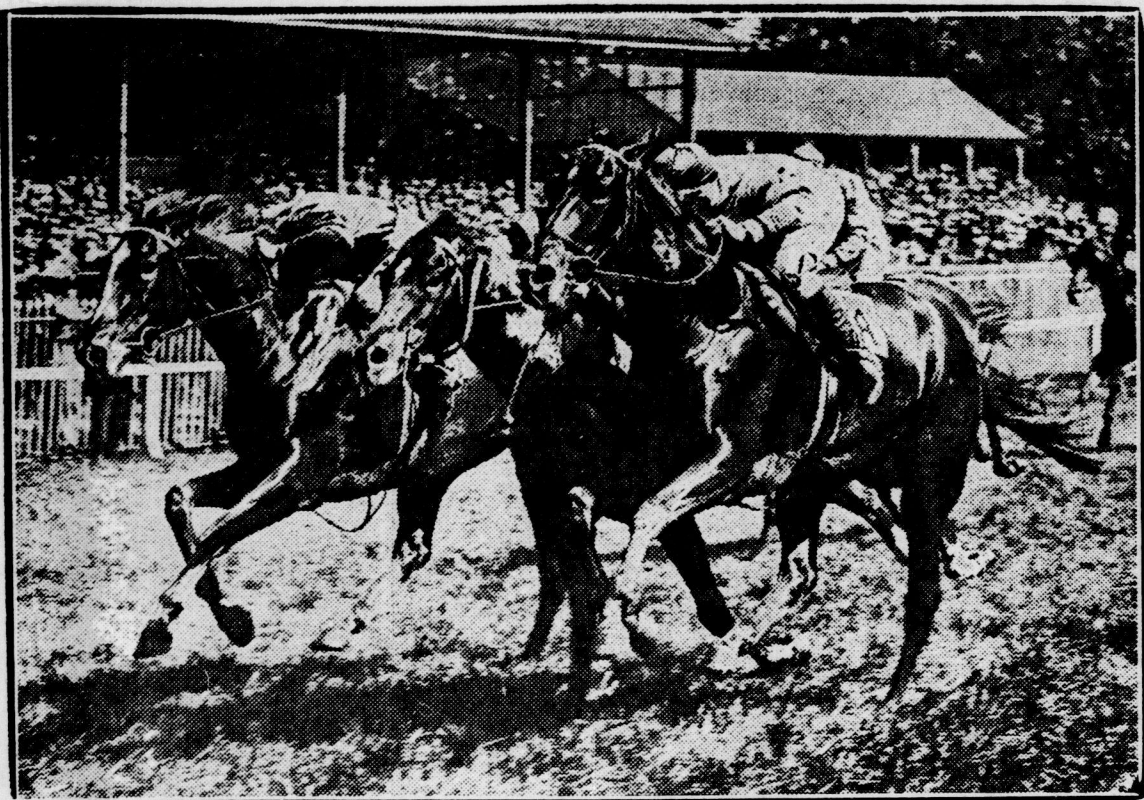
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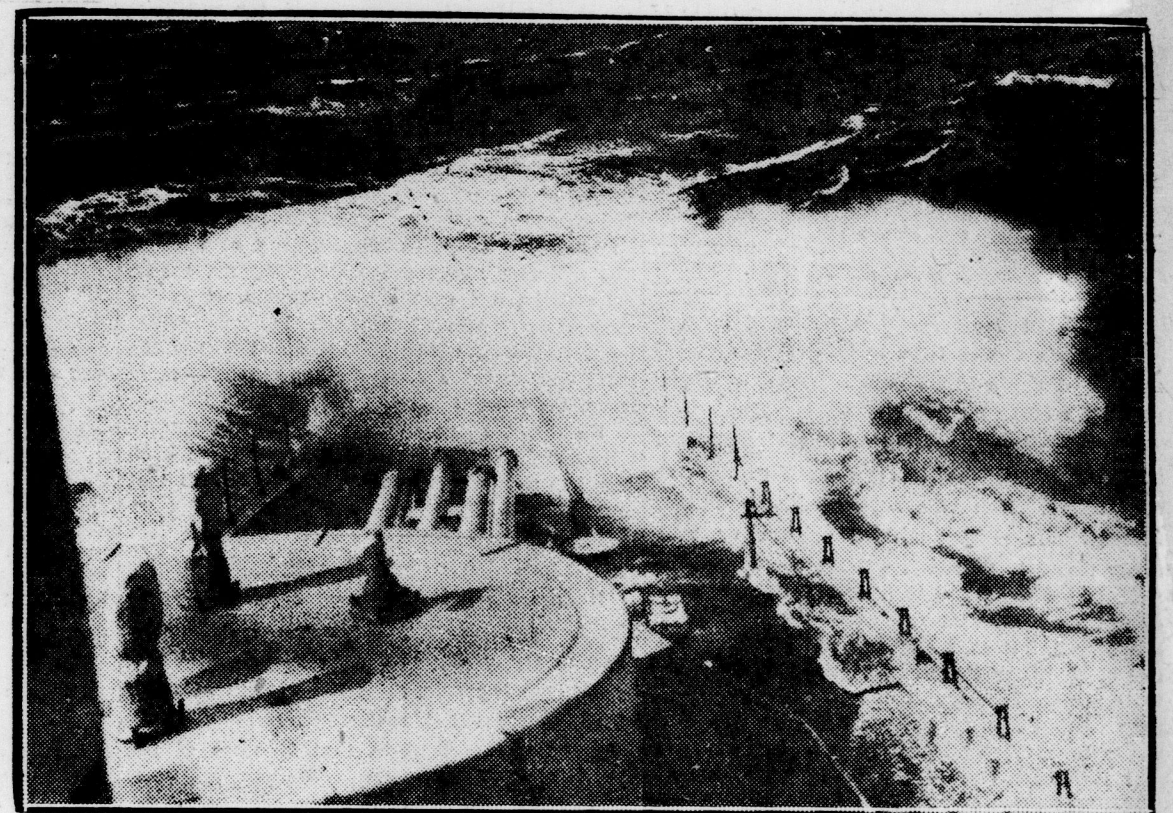
Like Father, Like Son; Will Sit Next Prince; A Tragic Homecoming



Neck to neck, Gipsy Queen, Racla and Soma tore down the straight-of-way at the Kingfield meet for the Jack's Bridge Maiden, but the decision went to Gipsy



One misplaced step and the little child would be crushed to death, but they are the best of friends. The scene is at London's Sunlight League Farm at Kenwood



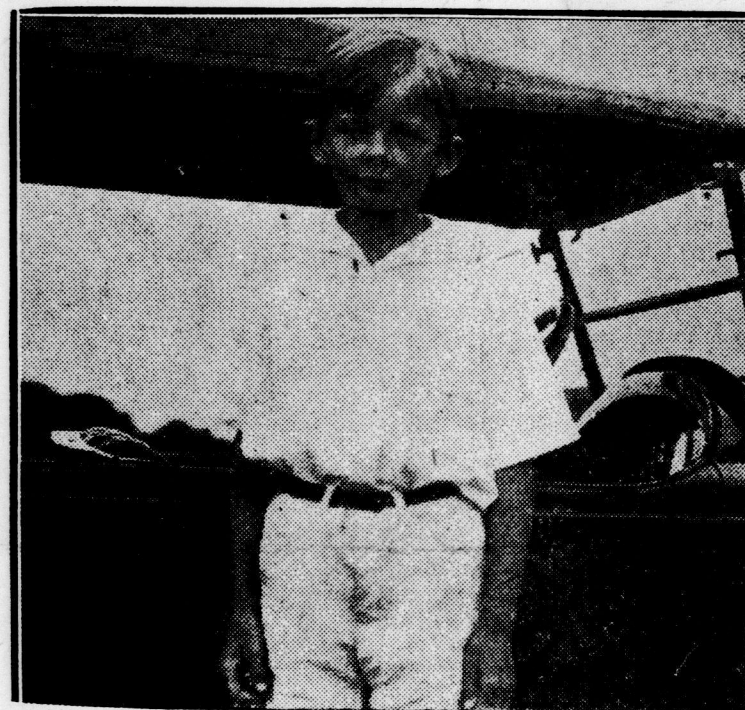
"Dark, heaving, endless, boundless and sublime—" after finishing her European cruise, the U.S. battleship Colorado buries her adamant nose in a gigantic sea when crossing the North Atlantic



Charming Mrs. Dudley Ward is said to be the Prince of Wales' favorite dancing partner. She will sit next to him during the international polo matches at Meadow Brook



Far from downhearted at the prospect of the pending international polo matches, Major F. B. Hurdall, who will captain the British team, is looking forward to a reasonably easy win



Five-year-old Prince Miguel De Braganza, whose mother was formerly Anita Stewart, may become the Royalist pretender if Portugal ever returns to a monarchist form of government



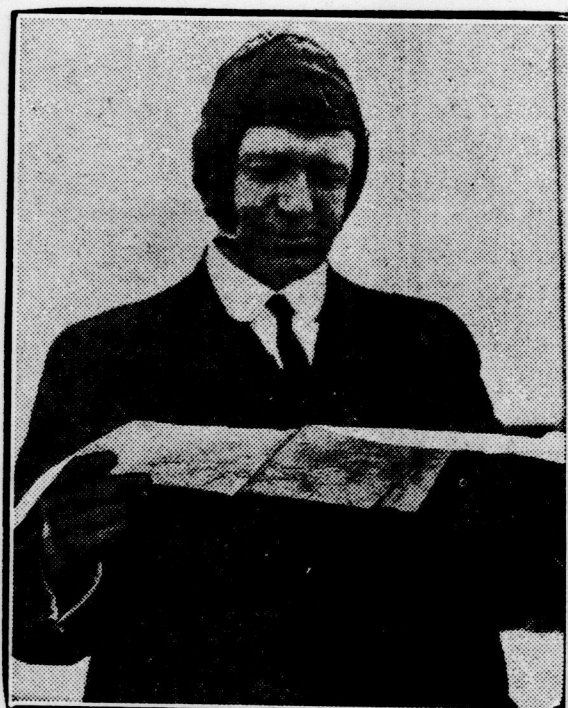
After walking the boards with Warfield, Belasco, Barrymore and many other famous personages of the stage, Marie Reinhardt, aged 80 years, lies dying in a New York rooming house. She was always a staunch woman suffragist



One of the most popular shapes being shown for fall wear is this abbreviated plug style draped with ostrich plumes



Few motorists could put on a better look of innocence than did John Daniel, Ringling Bros.' famous trained gorilla, when the speed cop caught his mistress going too fast



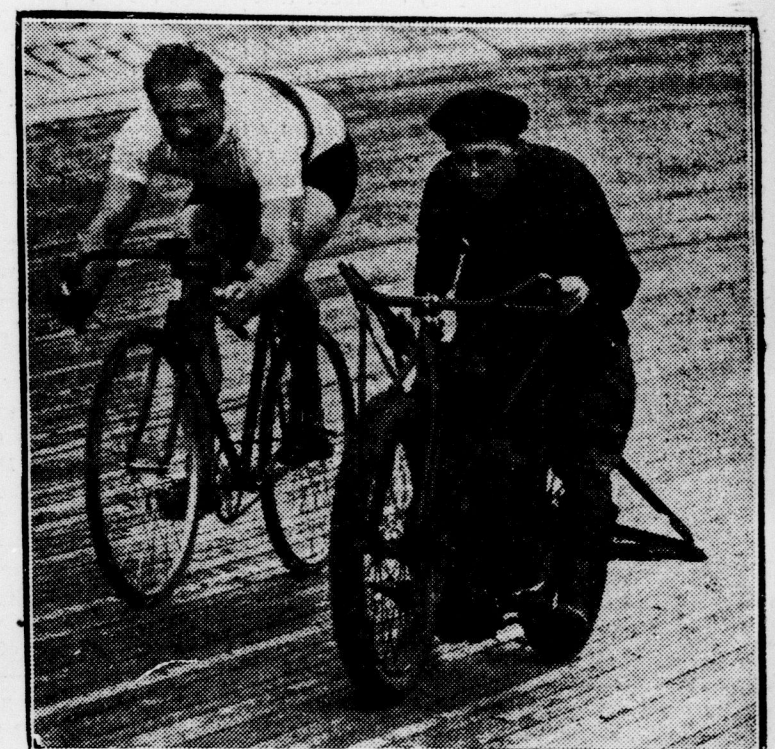
The first man to greet the U.S. 'round-the-world fliers on their arrival at Pictou, Nova Scotia, will be Major James MacEachern



When it comes to fighting with his fists Firpo is there, all right enough, but his success against Canon Wm. Sheafe Chase of Brooklyn, N.Y., who is trying to have him deported, is a different matter



Visitors at the Canadian National Exhibition, this year are showing great interest in Richard O. Marsh's much-discussed White Indians of Darien. Two of the boys are shown



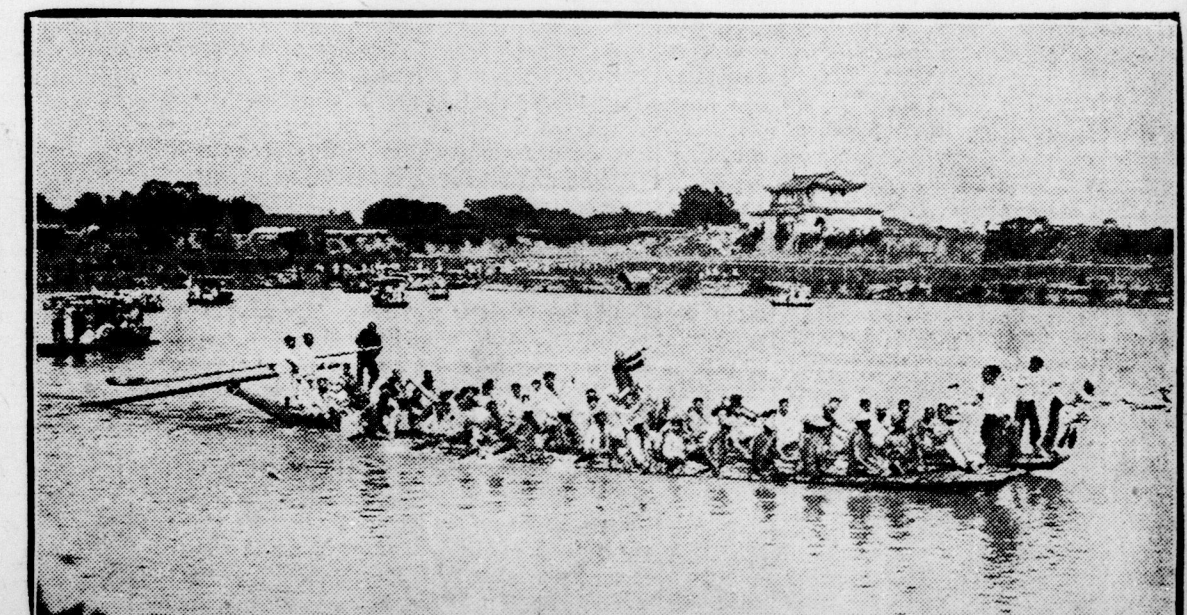
The world's champion bicycle rider, Peter Moebkops of Holland, may race in Canada shortly if arrangements can be completed. Here he is in the wooden bowl being paced by a motorcycle



When Marcel Rapid, a young French airman, recently went to call on his mother, his plane suddenly crashed and, falling on top of his own house, injured his mother and himself and killed several spectators



Like father, like son—Eddie "Rip" Collins is raising his youngest son to be a baseball player like himself. Eddie is still holding down second for the Chicago Americans



Boat racing in China is in a class by itself. Here's an exciting moment during the annual classic on West Lake, Foochow, which is held on the fifth day of the fifth moon each year

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Mars Has Kept Its Secret.

Mars has swung close to this earth, and has started off again in its path away off to fraternize with other stars.

The reported "messages" at receiving stations are now scouted as being a case of nervous expectation. Men who sat all night squinting through our most powerful glasses, or with finely tuned instruments waiting for a signal—well, they simply had to hear something. They do not know whether there are people on Mars, but they had it all mapped out that there were, and of course they would be sitting up all night trying to send some sort of a message to us. If they wouldn't do that much then the Martians would be a measly lot of people.

Now comes one of the observers who says that there are no canals on Mars. Years ago some person wished a canal system on that dazzling star, and they did it without asking the people up there if they had canals or if they wanted them at all. The canal system in Mars has about as much foundation in fact as the pot of gold at the end of a rainbow.

Nor with all the peering that the world has done at Mars in recent nights, it has not been established that there are any people living there. The most powerful telescope has not seen the front door of a moving picture house nor the billboards of a circus. Nor have the observers seen the people of Mars hopping out of the way of cars, or the non-hoppers being carried off on a shutter to the morgue.

Mars came close to pay us a visit—a mere trifle of 35,000,000 miles away. We did our best—we squinted, photographed, sketched and listened. It may be that we have added something to the sum total of our knowledge, or at least whittled a few splinters from our heap of ignorant delusions. In 120 years the planet will be around again, and it will shine with its golden brilliance and challenge the students of the year 2044. So far Mars has guarded well its secret.

They Can Do Their Own Fighting.

It will not be easy to stage another commercialized prize fight in England. The Gibbons-Bloomfield affair will hang like a millstone around the efforts of promoters for months to come.

Carpenter started the business in England, and he bowled over their best men like nine-pins. That started the promoters, and ever since they have attempted to foist the commercialized prize fight on the British public.

Gibbons was to get £10,000 for his latest fight. The wily Brits looked on from a poorly-filled lot of seats and saw Gibbons strike ten blows at £1,000 each. They concluded that it wasn't worth it, and have turned again to their cricket and football.

The British may be regarded as a bit slow in falling to stand in line and pay fabulous prices for a ringside seat, as is done in United States. The sons of John Bull have had so many scraps in all parts of the world that they fail to thrill at the sight of two men punching each other for a few minutes after all the documents have been signed.

These men have had ringside seats, too, close up to the guns of the enemy and the trenches of the foe.

Their refusal to rush in and make money for soft-handed promoters of prize fights shows that there's a heap of common sense and good sportsmanship left in the British Isles.

A Quiet Spot by an Old River.

It is a quiet spot beside a river that any time is muddy. Today it is more so than ever. Once it might have been a great stream, for its clay banks speak of provision that was made for the coursing of a mighty river. Years ago it may have been very deep and very wonderful. Today the brindle cow comes down to dip her nose into its shallow depths, and as she walks she leaves hoofmarks deep and well formed along the clay bank.

A gray, slime-covered stone pokes an inviting flat surface above the water level. A mud turtle, scaly of shell, signifying its origin in the tribe of snappers, crawls out of the water. With lumbering motion it mounts the stone for a sun bath. Its sturdy neck comes from the shell, and its deep-set eyes watch closely for possible danger or prey. It must be a quiet day in Turtleville, for this resident appears to have not a care in the world. He is the counterpart of the man who sits on the back porch until his wife calls him to carry a pail of water, and then when called he moves from a sense of duty rather than from a spring of pleasure.

Another visitor arrives. He comes flying low along the river bed. His legs are straightened out behind, not drawn up. A few strokes of fine, well-spread blue and gray wings, and a landing place is decided on. Just before the newcomer lights his long, slender legs come down, not straight, but in advance of the body, as a jumper lands. The neck seems as long as the legs. This crane, like all others of his tribe, is equipped with a peculiarly long bill, and the head turns so far in its range of vision as to suggest that it could turn all the way around without any disturbance.

Another flash of the same blue-gray wings and his mate arrives. Together they wade into the muddy stream. First one head, then the other, dips down after some lesser form of life. It is eating time again, and with cranes this period seems indefinitely extended. Such fish as are to be found in the place, the small frog

that does not hop fast enough or far enough, they are all on the bill-of-fare.

A motor approaches on the other side of the river. It is of the type that goes chug-chug and tells all and sundry of its approach. It is sadly out of place in this quiet spot where turtles have sunned and cranes fished for centuries back.

The turtle does not approve. His lumbering stride gets in motion; he waddles to the side of the rock and between a slide and a broken step at the edge slips back into the water.

The cranes take in the situation. The great spread of wings moves, the neck bends forward and the legs go back. There is no chug-chug, no changing of gears, no honking of a horn. Not five feet above the water they fly, easily, yet swiftly, and with a grace that must be the envy of every winged creature. Perhaps farther up the stream, where it bends and leaves the road, they found a safer fishing ground—more frogs, more fish.

No doubt there was indignation in Turtleville and in Craneville that day, for what business has a motor car pushing its nose into that secluded spot?

When Parental Control Fails.

Reeve Rycraft of Biddulph, in a letter to The Advertiser, questions the need of a juvenile court as far as the County of Middlesex is concerned, holding that there are enough agencies now to do all this class of work.

Mr. Rycraft believes that if some of the delinquent parents of delinquent children were brought before court there would be a real corrective force released. He doubts if there are many cases where the children of God-fearing parents cause the courts of the land much trouble.

The idea of parental responsibility is fundamentally sound, and there should be no attempt to move away from it. Parental instruction, guidance and warning are responsibilities that must be recognized.

The trouble is that this agency has broken down in many cases. As a theory it is excellent and almost unanswerable. As a practical fact it does not go on all fours.

There are children today who have not the wholesome influence that makes it easy for them to do right regardless of consequences.

What are we to do with them? That is the question that brought the juvenile court into existence.

It is easier to deal with children than with adults. The ways of adults are fixed. Parents who have not measured up to their opportunities are not likely to become ideal custodians of children because they appear in court. Such a change can be worked only by a complete transformation of the parent, a new mental attitude and a general housecleaning, and the replacing of old habits by new desires.

The matter of a juvenile court dealing with children has the advantage of meeting a present-day condition—due, perhaps, to wrong methods of living—in the most direct manner. The court deals with the parents as well, and does it to the best of its ability, and it deals with the children too.

Mr. Rycraft's idea of parental responsibility is good, but in actual practice it has been found lacking in many cases. The logical thing is to make up this deficiency in the simplest and most direct manner, and that is why the juvenile courts of the world exist. Were we able to approach the ideal condition of a full appreciation and practice of devoted parental control there might be no need whatever for a juvenile court. The fact that we have fallen short on that important count has called the other agency into existence.

Note and Comment.

The best part of the holiday is having \$1.15 left in your pocket when you get home.

Prince of Wales' sheep carried off eleven first prizes in a show at Victoria. Truly 'tis a woolly, if no longer a wild west.

Too bad that the Canadian Parliament was not in session when Mars came so close to this earth. It was our one best chance of getting a message across.

Forty children were lost and returned to their parents first day of Toronto Fair. The youngsters naturally got tired of waiting for father to come out of the side shows.

When the farmer gets \$1.20 for his wheat it is good news for the cities. The man in town has learned by a very real experience that he can't go ahead one bit faster than the man on the land.

A woman has invented a machine that will wash the dinner dishes as they are being taken to the kitchen from the dining-room. The job of filling them up again for the next round still remains.

A despatch from Jerusalem says a car has done in four hours the distance that it took the children of Israel 40 years to make—130 miles, across the Sinai desert. In one case it was making a fast trip, but in the other it was building and schooling a nation, and that takes time.

U. S. authorities have put a high power motor boat at Niagara to chase run runners. It will go 30 miles per hour. The next item of news from that point will be that the run runners have placed an order for one to make 35. Unfortunately the same means are at the disposal of law breakers and law enforcers.

Hon. John Oliver has been returned to the British Columbia Legislature for the seat at Nelson. This makes it certain that he will not retire from public life. Mr. Oliver is the type of man that British Columbia needs. He has given his full measure of service; has fought for better freight rates in the coast province as no other man ever has. His record has been such as to confirm the names Honest John Oliver.

Rarebits By Rex

INFATUATION.

I did not know the beauty's name,
Nor where she lived, nor whence she came,
'Twas said, and yet
Was I so very much to blame
That all my heart should start to flame
And flare and fret?

She was so sweet, so passing fair,
With such a smile, with such an air,
What could I do?
A glance as shy, as debonair,
An eye as blue, a smile as rare
I never knew.

And so I smiled across the aisle
And met the winsome, merry smile
She sent so bold;
At last she laughed, and after while
She cooed aloud friendly style:
'I'm five years old!'

A COLUMN FOR MEN.

Encouraged by the popularity of the woman's page, this newspaper has the honor to present the first strictly man's column ever offered a thirsting public. This is it.

INVESTMENTS.

(By Semi Colon)

With regard to investments, some do and some do not. There is much to be said on both sides of the question, especially in view of the fact that the results are so much alike. However, one should be very patient and investigate thoroughly, but at the same time act without delay.

THE LATEST BOOKS.

(By Booksnake)

Every man should have a few books on the table. Some prefer books with red bindings. The cultural value of books such as Bertha M. Clay's "Shriek at Midnight" and Edgar Guest's "Bud the Bloodhound" is almost beyond estimate. Nothing takes their place in giving a room a proper tone. Their practical value should not be overlooked, however, simply because their principal value is aesthetic. In the event of nocturnal serenades by cats, they are much more effective than shoes and far less expensive.

ADVICE TO THE LOVESHORN.

(By Daniel Daring)

Dear Daniel Daring: I am a tender-hearted lad, ninety-six years of age, and I love a blonde who is only seventy years younger. She never talks of marriage, but sometimes she likes to pull my beard. Do you think this is dignified? I must admit I love her. What shall I do?

MOONSTRUCK.

Answer: In a case like this it is always best for a lad like yourself to ask your mother's advice. The first thing to think of is your future. Are your prospects good? A man in his dotage, as you are, must be sure of himself before he ruins his career by throwing himself away on a girl he only thinks he loves. We advise you to go easy. In any event, don't write any love letters that juries might like to read.

CARE OF THE SHIRT STUDS.

(By Clarence)

Millions of men waste millions of minutes hunting their shirt studs. They should not do this. A much better system is to say: "Wipe my shirt studs." Some add "please," while others add a short upercut. Both or either will usually prove effective.

HOW TO MIX A COCKTAIL.

(By T. N. T.)

Into a glass of whatever it was you paid seven dollars a quart for, pour an equal quantity of prune juice. Sweeten with carboic acid. In a few minutes it should come to a boil. Antidote: White of egg.

LATEST LONDON FASHIONS.

(By Monsieur Snicker)

Fashions for the well dressed man are running to stripes this season. These stripes were popularized at both Kingston and Sing Sing and are said to give the wearer a singularly singular appearance. Shirts are all yellow for the busy businessman this year in order to blend well with spilled yoke of egg during breakfast hour. Latest styles in golf suits for tennis players are minus fours trimmed with skunk cabbage leaves.

Dr. Frank Crane

FALLING IN LOVE.

Falling in love is one of the unaccountable phenomena of the human race. The Orientals explain it by claiming that we have had a previous existence and that those in the present existence touch us who have some hold on us due to a life that is past.

Whether we accept this explanation or not there is no doubt that falling in love is one of the inexplicable peculiarities of our race. It is connected also with the creative instinct, and it is safe to say that those who are not capable of falling in love with anything are not capable of creative work either in the liberal arts or elsewhere.

It is a well-known fact that many famous men have been reputed famous lovers; this has been set down in their disfavor as proving that they were loose morally, when, as a matter of fact, morals had nothing to do with it.

Love was simply an essential demand of their nature. They had to be in love with something in order to do their best work. Much of the vagaries of those who have achieved fame can be thus explained.

It is not that they lack a sense of the responsibilities of life, or that they are not willing to undertake them, but that they need for their sustenance an enthusiasm that is only bred in them by the presence of affection.

It is a mistake to think that any person is too old to need the fire given him by love. While there is life there is love, or should be.

It is well for those who are supremely endowed with the capacity for affection if they are endowed also with those moral inhibitions which prevent them from indulging their capacity in forbidden directions.

It would be well also for the friends of great men to remember this need of their nature and to feed it properly. No one can exist in a constant atmosphere of negation, and fire that is suppressed in one direction will break out in another.

Press Comment

Winding up the clock and putting out the cat as bed-time preliminaries have given place to putting the key under the mat for sister—Kitchener Record.

A young girl called by the defence in the Chicago murder trial is charged by the prosecution with "deliberate perjury." It looks as if Chicago's younger set needs a bit of overhauling.—Kitchener Record.

To the Editor

Try Delinquent Parents.

R. T. Rycraft Believes the Parents Should Be Brought to Court Instead of Their Children.

Editor of The Advertiser:
Sir,—In the course of my visits to the city with regard to municipal and county duties, I have been asked what I thought of the so-called juvenile court, and the amount of good which has been accomplished by it.

I can't say that I got very much interested in it, beyond being a county representative, and having the pleasure of listening to the Rev. Mr. Warner propound the virtues of establishing such a court. Being anxious for its establishment, he offered to shoulder the responsibilities of being the judge. Later on we were confronted with the fact that it was absolutely necessary that some salary should be attached, something that our county councillors didn't take very kindly to, when the judge said, or at least made it plain to me that the performance of the duties of that office would cost nothing.

I have no doubt he was conscientious in his endeavor to create such a court, or in other words, bring into being an institution to deal with juvenile delinquents. I am not going to find any fault with the judge of the juvenile court, nor upbraid him for any of his actions.

Perhaps the city's needs require that kind of legislation. If they do, it is their privilege to have it. Why should the County of Middlesex bother their heads with it? In my estimation the whole thing should be summed up in a far different light.

Take, for instance, all the welfare and charitable institutions carried on at no mean cost to the County of Middlesex. If all the different branches for the care and welfare of the delinquent or erring juvenile counts for nothing, what in the world is the use of paying more salaries for?

I feel it my duty to say that

example is better than precept. If the fathers and mothers were brought into the juvenile court and tried, instead of their erring children, we would get to the bottom of a whole lot of the trouble that is now causing the attention of the judge and juvenile court.

There are very few cases to be pointed out where children of parents who did their honest duties toward their God and fellow man ever caused very much trouble. But the fact is, and should not be winked at, if the wages are not just to suit, positively refuse to work. If such things were tolerated in our forefathers' time, what kind of country would this be now? A half a loaf is better than no bread.

I know a case where a man received admittance to the house of refuge at Sturthroy because he would not accept less than \$3.00 per day, when he could get \$1.50 per day for work suitable, or work which he could do without hurting himself. Now, I am not wishing to convey the idea that bad boys or girls should go unpunished, but I do want to impress upon every father and mother, the absolute necessity of being responsible to a very great extent for the action and future welfare of their children, and if they would get busy as fathers and mothers should do, there would be no necessity of juvenile courts or anything of that sort, being a burden on the honest taxpayers of our beloved city of London or county of Middlesex.

My experience in municipal and public life is the more places we allow to be established whereby some appointment must be made to carry on the intended work the more we encourage laziness as well as a big salary attached. Thanking you, Mr. Editor, I am, yours truly,

R. T. RYCARAFT.

Lucan, Aug. 25, 1924.

WRIT IS ISSUED.

J. W. G. Winnett, local solicitor, has issued a writ against J. A. Hughes on behalf of L. McCallum, who claims unstated damages for alleged assault. The case will be heard in county court next month.

SEVENTY DELEGATES ATTEND CONVENTION

Telephone Association Opens Rally at Winnipeg and Are Warmly Welcomed.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—With seventy delegates in attendance from all parts of Canada, the annual convention of the Telephone Association of Canada opened here this morning, and was welcomed to the city by Hon. F. M. Black, former minister of telephones, and J. E. Lowry, commissioner of government telephones, and president of the association. Most of the morning was taken up with routine matters.

A feature of the convention which will continue for five days is that all business sessions will be held in the morning and evening, leaving the afternoon free for the delegates to visit various plants and to allow for sight-seeing.

MAURETANIA ESTABLISHES TIME RECORD FOR PASSAGE

Associated Press Despatch.

Cherbourg, France, Aug. 25.—The Cunard line steamer Mauretania arrived here at 5:42 o'clock this afternoon from New York, establishing a new time record for the eastbound passage.

The trip of the steamer from the Ambrose lightship to Cherbourg breakwater, a distance of 3,098 miles, was made in five days, 2 hours and 43 minutes. The average speed of the vessel was 26.25 knots an hour. The old record, made by the White Star line steamer Majestic in 1923, was five days, five hours and 21 minutes.

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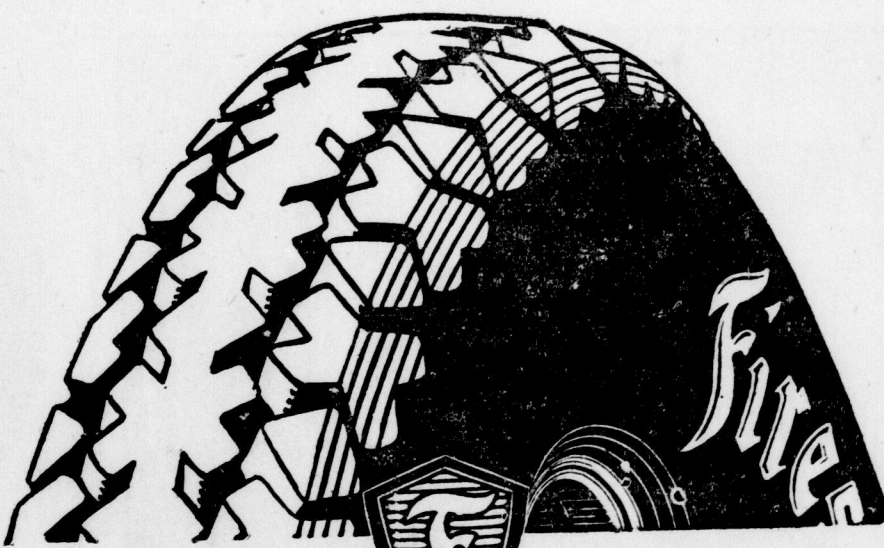
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Victoria Board Receives Books

Women's Auxiliary Acknowledges Generous Gifts For Library.

The members of the women's auxiliary board of Victoria Hospital are again appealing for books for the hospital library. Many citizens have made generous donations, but a great many more books are needed to keep the patients supplied with reading material, which is a source of great pleasure to the sick people. Donations may be made to the convener, Mrs. H. A. Winnett.

The board gratefully acknowledges the following contributions: Miss Betty Macgregor—Little Prudy, Little Prudy's Story Book, Cousin Grace, Captain Horace, Sister Sue, Dotty Dimple, Tom Swift in the Caves of Ice. Mrs. Madge—Bessie on Her Travels, Elsie and the Raymonds, Elsie Yachting with the Raymonds, Ruth Fielding with the Red Mill, Mildred's Boys and Girls, Mildred's New Daughter, Girls and I, A Thoughtless Seven, Gulliver's Travels, The Puppet Crown, Boy Hunters, Alice Barlow's Trust, Wildfire, Kenilworth, More Tish, A Mesalliance, Hunting the Lions, Playtime, Jessica's First Prayer.

N. E. Armstrong—Don, The Girl Philippa. Mrs. Rowley—Arthur's Birthday Present, A Conquering Heroine, Guild Court, Your Uncle Lew, and two children's books.

PERSONALS

Miss May Clendennan of this city left for Toronto this morning.

Mrs. R. P. Pearce, Wellington street, is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Eric Glibberd, Brooklyn.

Mrs. H. M. Connor, Moose Jaw, is visiting her daughter, Miss H. A. McEwen, St. James' street.

Mrs. James Anderson of Cleveland is visiting her sister, Mrs. W. Wright, Duchess avenue.

Miss Ruth Williams of El Paso, Texas, is visiting her mother, Mrs. John Williams, Elmwood avenue.

Mrs. Amy Patterson, Oxford street, has returned home after an enjoyable visit at Agincourt and Toronto.

Miss Grace MacRae, Maitland street, is visiting her uncle, Mr. A. M. MacQueen, Warren road, Toronto.

Mr. and Mrs. James Coleman of Sutherland, Fla., are visiting the latter's mother, Mrs. Tolhurst, Thornton avenue.

Mrs. McClelland, Parkview drive, Chicago, is the guest of her sister, Mrs. A. J. Morgan, Wellington street north.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Noblett, Grand Rapids, Mich., are in the city.

Mr. J. R. De Wolfe, 652 Elias street, Mr. and Mrs. W. Leslie and son Murray of Detroit are guests with Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson, College avenue.

Mrs. J. J. Roache has returned home after spending the past three weeks in Quebec City, Montreal and Toronto.

The evening was spent in Progressive euchre, the first prize being won by Miss Lena Henstridge and Mr. Walter Cook.

Brigadier Macdonald and Mrs. Macdonald and Adjutant Spooner have returned to the city from Port Franks camp.

Miss C. Fitchett has returned to her home in London after an enjoyable holiday spent at Limerlost Lodge, Muskoka.

Miss Doris Huffman has returned to her home in Waterloo street after visiting Dr. C. L. Huffman and Mrs. Huffman in Forest.

Mr. Fred Grigg, Wharfedale road, left last night for Toronto where he was called owing to the sudden death of his brother, the late Edward Grigg.

Mrs. A. J. Morgan, Wellington street north, entertained informally at the tea this afternoon in honor of her sister, Mrs. McClelland, of Chicago.

Mr. J. W. Cawse, Wharfedale road south, returned yesterday from a two-month holiday trip to the Canadian West, Pacific coast states and the southern states.

Mr. Norman McEwen and sons, George and John, returned from a week-end guests with Mr. McEwen's sister, Miss H. A. McEwen, St. James' street.

Miss Florence Armbrust of Buffalo has returned home after spending her vacation with Mr. and Mrs. B. Miners, Dufferin avenue, and with other London friends.

Mrs. H. V. Eckert was the hostess today of a charming luncheon given at her home in Wolfe street in honor of Miss Lula Porte, a bride-elect of next month. Covers were laid for ten.

Mrs. Charles Hobbe and daughter Vera, of 565 Talbot street, and Mrs. (Dr.) Mitten and daughter Shirley are spending the remainder of the season at Henrietta Cottage, Port Stanley.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Meek and their daughter Mabel, accompanied by Mr. C. W. Kay, have returned home after a delightful motor trip through Hamilton, Toronto, Niagara Falls and Buffalo.

Mrs. H. D. McCorquodale of High River, Alta., accompanied by her son

My Best Recipe

By Mrs. C. E. Chambers,
27 Adelaide Street.

LEMON PIE AND TARTS.

Pasty (for pie)—1½ cups flour, two-thirds shortening, ½ tea-spoon salt. Mix together and add cold water to make stiff dough. Fill pans and bake. (For tarts, twice the above.) Filling: 1 cup sugar, 3 (rounded) tablespoons cornstarch. Stir well together and add 1 cup of boiling water. Cook slowly over fire until clear, stirring continually. Stir together in separate dish the following: 1 tablespoon butter, grated rind of one lemon, juice of one lemon, yolks of 2 eggs well beaten. Stir well together and add to cornstarch, but do not cook a second time. The heat of the cornstarch is sufficient to cook yolks. Fill shells. Beat whites of eggs stiff and put on top. Place on top shelf of oven and brown top.

Murray, is coming to town today and will spend some time with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Elliott, at "Lilac Dale," Westminster.

Mrs. A. H. Clinger, Dundas street, is holidaying at Grand Bend. Mrs. Roy Clinger is spending a few days in town before returning to Grand Bend, where she will spend the remainder of the summer.

A very pleasant evening was spent last week at the home of Mrs. Alex. Smith, Horton street, when the Ladies' Club entertained in honor of Miss Lena Henstridge, a bride-elect of next month, and Miss Ethel Brainard, who is leaving the city.

Miss Dorothy Whitehead of Detroit has returned home after spending a month with friends in the city. She was accompanied home by her cousin, Miss Eleanor Singleton, who will spend a month in Detroit, the guest of her aunt, Mrs. A. D. Whitehead.

A smart affair of next month will be the wedding of Miss Lula Porte whose marriage to Dr. F. R. Miller of Western University, is taking place at the home of the bride's uncle, Mr. E. H. Johnston and Mrs. Johnston, Colborne street, Sept. 4th.

The Misses Wright and Miss K. Munday, Wellington street, have returned home after spending the summer in the British Isles and on the continent. They were accompanied home by Miss E. Lee of London, Eng.

Miss Jean Walker, teacher of dramatic art, has returned to the city after a visit in Toronto. While there she appeared in "The Arrangement of Paris," presented at Hart House Theatre, under the direction of Bert Ram Forsyth.

After a dainty lunch was served, the wedding march was played, and a bride and groom entered, carrying a beautiful silver basket, which was presented to Miss Henstridge with the best wishes of the club. To Miss Brainard was presented a book as a token of remembrance.

Miss Amy Porte and Miss Lula Porte have returned from Toronto where they were guests of their aunt, Mrs. William Porte. During their visit a number of charming parties were arranged in honor of Miss Lula Porte, whose marriage takes place next month.

Misses Ada and May Fairbairn, 18 Evergreen avenue, and Miss Margaret Kennedy and Mrs. McVicar of Patricia street left yesterday on an eight-day trip up the St. Lawrence and Saguenay rivers. They will stop over at Montreal and Quebec.

The nurses at Victoria Hospital will be guests of a jolly outing on Thursday afternoon, when they will be entertained by the members of the women's auxiliary board at the summer home of Mrs. Harry White. The afternoon's program will include tennis, swimming, baseball and other sports.

Mrs. Angus Graham and Mrs. Frank White are conversers of the affair.

An interesting affair of next month will be the wedding of Miss Elizabeth Henderson of Kitchener, formerly of this city, daughter of the late Rev. Alexander Henderson of London and Mrs. Henderson of Kitchener, whose marriage to Mr. John Stanley Gartshore of Toronto is taking place at Knox College, Toronto, September 4th. Mr. Gartshore is nephew of Col. W. Gartshore of this city.

An interesting newcomer in town is Miss May Stuart Clendennan of Winnipeg, who has come to London to act as editor of the women's department of the Farmer's Advocate and Home Magazine. Miss Clendennan was formerly on the editorial staff of the Winnipeg branch of the Advocate. She is at present national secretary of the Women's Press Club.

In pre-war days, Miss Clendennan was secretary of the Winnipeg Women's Political and Equality League.

Miss Margaret Pawlitzki, a bride-elect of this month, entertained at a trolley tea recently at her home in McClary avenue. The room was decorated with quantities of pink and white gladioli and snap dragon. Tea was poured by Mrs. John Pawlitzki, Jun., assisted by Miss Ella Rindellhard, Miss E. Jones, Miss R. Taylor, Mrs. Chester Johnston, Little Miss Ruth Vincent, niece of the bride-elect, made a charming door attendant. The guests numbered fifty.

A happy event took place on Saturday, Aug. 23, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Cundick, 404 avenue, when 50 of the relatives gathered to celebrate their silver wedding anniversary. The rooms

WOMEN and THE HOME

Dorothy Dix's Letter Box

Advice to All College Boys About Proposing.
Can His Little Girl, Whom He Deserts, Cure His Heart-Sickness? What to Do With the Girl Who Puts Off the Wedding Day.

Dear Dorothy Dix—For the last two years I have gone with a certain girl at home and have corresponded with her during my absence. I am now a sophomore in a co-educational college, and am much attracted to one of my girl fellow students. I don't know which of these girls I care the most for, but I have reached the conclusion that I do not yet want to be tied to one girl. What line of action do you recommend?

A COLLEGIAN.



Answer: "Friendship with all; entangling alliance with none," is the only motto for a boy in college. Wait before you tie up with any girl. Then you can pick out the sort of wife you want, instead of having to marry a girl you have outgrown. There will always be plenty of attractive women. Don't worry about the supply giving out before you are ready to make your choice for keeps.

Once upon a time, I lived in a college town, and on the occasion of the commencement ball I met a youth of my acquaintance sitting on the campus wall in the dark. "Why are you here instead of inside dancing, I asked. "Well," he responded, "I have been taking over with sentiment and regrets about parting from my dear alma mater and all of that. There is a girl in there that I will propose to just as sure as I dance with her, and we take a stroll in the moonlight, and I am not going to be ready to marry for four or five years, so I am taking no chances on myself."

"Wise boy," quoth I. And when he did marry years later, after he became a power in his state, he married a brilliant and wealthy woman of the world, who was the wife he needed.

Think that story over, son. There is a moral to it. DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—I am a man twenty-five years old. When I was twenty, I married a girl of eighteen. We were happy for a while, but then things began to go wrong, and we quarreled until I thought I couldn't stand it any longer. A little girl was born, and I stuck it out for a time. Then I left.

I worried about the baby until I had a nervous breakdown, and my doctor told me that I would go insane unless I could put away my troubling me of my mind. So I sent all of my baby pictures back to my wife, and have not seen either since. Do you think that I should try to see the baby when it upsets me so?

Answer: If you love your baby as devotedly as you seem to, why can you not, for her sake, become reconciled to your wife? You were two children when you were married and you quarreled as foolishly as children do. Now you are grown. You have had a hard and bitter life. You can't not make up, kiss and forgive, and enter into marriage seriously and soberly, and make a success of it?

It is idle to talk about forgetting a child that is bone of your bone and flesh of your flesh—your first born. As long as you live you will feel the cling of the little arms about your neck and ache for them. Nor can anybody but God cast a father's duty to the child he has brought into the world. Many women whose husbands fail them find their consolation in their children, and it seems to me that your little girl will be your only permanent cure for the heart sickness of which you almost died.

DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Dorothy Dix—What do you think of a girl who will accept expensive gifts from a man; help him spend his money; who wants to monopolize all of his spare time, but who still will not consider marriage when I talk to her about it, although she is always saying something about "my future" that seems to indicate that she intends to marry me eventually?

Answer: I should say that she was Foxy Fanny, Sam, and that she wanted to have her cake and eat it, too. She wants to have the perquisites of a wife, without any of its drawbacks. She wants to have a man's love-making, his attentions and devotion and his money, without having to give anything in return. Pretty selfish.

The common belief among men is that every woman is dying to get married. Every woman is dying to have some man in her life with her; some man who wants to marry her, and whom she can flaunt before her friends' faces, and show them that she could step from any day she desired to; some man who will take her about, and give her a good time. But as for actually getting married, that's another story, and plenty of women dread the wedding day, instead of looking forward to it.

You see, women are pretty wise these days. The unmarried woman, and especially the one who has a good job, looks around at her sisters who have taken the fatal step, and what they have got doesn't look very good to her.

DOROTHY DIX.

THE SEA HAWK

By RAFAEL SABATINI.

SYNOPSIS.

Sir Oliver Trevellick, renowned for his exploits on the Spanish Main, is betrothed to Rosamund Godolphin; but because of personal enmity against her, he is forced to marry her.

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Gray's End-o'-Season Sale

WEDNESDAY MORNING FEATURES

Clearance Prices In All Departments

WEDNESDAY MORNING BARGAINS

CHILDREN'S SCHOOL MIDDIES, white with self collar, also red or open collar, made from fine middie twill, sizes 6 to 14 years. Wednesday morning bargain price \$1.00

Third Floor.

BLOUSE BARGAINS

DIMITY BLOUSES, all new styles, long sleeves, new collars. Wednesday morning bar- gain price \$1.95

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SILK SLEEVELESS SWEATERS

All good shades and color combinations. Regular to \$4.00. Wednesday morning \$2.95

Third Floor.

SALE OF SKIRTS

15 only, WHITE FLANNEL SKIRTS, band or cam- isole top. Regular to \$7.95. Wednesday morning sale \$2.95

Third Floor.

Last Chance at Such a Low Price

15 only, WASH DRESSES, of crepe, voile, gingham or ratine, popular colors, prettily trimmed. Regular to \$12.00. Wednesday morning out they go at \$3.95

Third Floor.

PRINCESS SLIPS, colors sand, gray, mauve, rose and green. Regular \$2.00. Wednesday morning \$1.49

Third Floor.

A BIG BARGAIN

HOUSE DRESSES (apron style), of gingham, percale and chambray, sizes 36, 38, 40, 42. Wednesday morning bargain price... 89c, 2 for \$1.65

Third Floor.

MILLINERY BARGAINS

20 LADIES' AND MISSES' SUMMER HATS (all model hats). Regular to \$13.00. Wednesday morning to clear \$3.95

Fourth Floor.

EXTRA

Pure Gum Rubber Aprons, tape bound; five colors; extra special at each... 45c

Third Floor.

Gray's Limited

140 DUNDAS STREET. PHONES 115-116

EXTRA

D. & A. CORSETS of pink or white coutil, low and medium bust; sizes 21 to 30. Extra special at, a pair 89c

Main Floor.

ENGAGEMENTS

A charge of 75 cents for one insertion, or \$1 for two insertions is made for notices under this heading.

Orders for insertion of engagement notices must bear the name and address of sender, and will not be taken over the telephone.

The engagement is announced of Elizabeth only daughter of the late Reverend Alexander Henderson of London and Mrs. Henderson, Kitchener, to Mr. John Stanley Gartshore, son of Mr. and Mrs. John J. Gartshore, Toronto, the marriage to take place in the Chapel, Knox College, Toronto, Sept. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Rankin, Waterloo St., announce the engagement of their only daughter, Madelyn S. to Royal S. Kennerly of Toronto, the wedding to take place the middle of September.

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WESTLAND BROS.

156 WORTLEY ROAD. PHONE 1380.

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75	high mark, and was fairly steady
50	the close, which was unchanged
25	October and less lower for Dec.
00	and May futures.
75	Wheat—No. 1 northern, 1.36½c;
50	northern, \$1.36; No. 2 northern,
25	No. 1, \$1.20; No. 5, \$1.09; No.
00	feeder, \$1.00.
75	Outs—No. 2 C. W., 52½c; No.
50	W., 50½c; extra No. 1 feed, 50½c;
25	extra No. 2 feed, 46½c; No. 1
00	jected, 42½c; track, 82½c; No.
75	2, 80½c; No. 1 N. W. C., \$2.58;
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25	Rye—No. 2 C. W., 82½c.
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75	WINNIPEG GRAIN MARKET
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25	by Jones, Esq., Winnipeg, Aug.
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75	CHICAGO
50	Associated Press Despatch.
25	Chicago, Aug. 10.—More
00	reports from the Canadian
75	west, the easier tone in Winnipeg
50	market has been reflected in the
25	market here an easy undertone
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He estimated the wheat yield in three provinces would be about 100 bushels in excess of the

ment's August returns. Opening which ranged from unchanged on Oct. 1 to a low of 10¢ on Oct. 2 and then a drop to well below the previous close.

On Oct. 3 favorable weather for new corn weakened the deferred prices of corn. After starting lower to 16 higher, the market was again 10¢ lower on Oct. 4, followed by a setback in the deliveries.

Prices started at 1/2¢ decline to advance, and held near the range.

Future opened:

Oct.—Sept., \$1.23 1/2; Dec., 1/2.
Nov.—Sept., 1 1/2; Dec., \$1.05
Oct.—Sept., 45¢; Dec., 51¢.

CHICAGO GRAIN MARKET
Reported for The Advertiser

Wheat—		Chicago, Aug.	
Open	High	Low	
Sep. \$1 24	\$1 24	\$1 20	

Dec.	1 28%	1 28%	1 24%
May	1 34%	1 34%	1 30%
Corn—			
Sept.	1 12%	1 15	1 11%
Dec.	1 05½	1 08½	1 04%
May	1 07	1 09½	1 06%
Oats—			
Sept.	48	49	47½
Dec.	51	52	50½
May	54%	56	54%

LIVERPOOL.
Associated Press Despatch
Liverpool, Aug. 26.—Wheat—S.
1 northern. 12s 7d; No. 2, 12s.

TORONTO.
Canadian Press Despatch

American corn—No. 2 yellow

on track, Toronto.
Ontario oats—No. 3 white, 10c.
Ontario wheat—No. 2 winter
to \$1.15; No. 2 winter, \$1.08 to
No. 1 commercial, \$1.05 to \$1.10.
Barley—Maltine, 75c to 78c.
Rye—No. 2, 77c to 80c.

MONTREAL.
Canadian Press Despatch
Montreal, Aug. 25.—Domestic
in cash oats was quiet today.
Oats—Canadian western, No.
to 62c; do., No. 3, 59½c to 60½c.
No. 1 feed, 59c to 60c; No.
white, 58c to 59c.

MINNEAPOLIS.

northern, \$1.267% to \$1.317%; of
\$1.26; new Sept., \$1.267%; ol
\$1.2016; new Dec. \$1.305%;

6 1/4	\$1.35 1/2; new May, \$1.35 1/4.
5 1/4	Corn—No. 2 yellow, \$1.11 1/4 to
12	Oats—No. 3 white, 44 1/2c to
10	Flax—No. 1, \$2.55 to \$2.60.
10	LINSEED
8	Duluth, Aug. 25. — Close:
0	Sept., \$2.36; Oct., \$2.26; Nov.
25	Dec., \$2.23 1/2; May, \$2.50.

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Railway Increases Prizes And Risk In Unusual Event

If It Rains Labor Day at Port Stanley Inside of Five-Hour Period \$2,500 of Prizes Will Be Distributed To Lucky Ticket Holders.

The London & Port Stanley Railway, which on Civic Holiday amazed the pleasure seekers of Western Ontario with its extraordinary offer to give \$1,000 in prizes to its patrons in its novel "ain't gonna rain contest," today places before the people of London and St. Thomas the detail of a new and greater event to feature the big holiday celebration to the provided at the Coney Island of Western Ontario on Labor Day, Monday, September 1.

On Civic Holiday the London & Port Stanley Railway guaranteed to distribute the free prizes to its patrons if rain fell in any measurable quantities—namely, one-tenth of an inch or more—between 2:30 and 5:30 p.m. in Port Stanley.

This time the railway renews its proposal on a generous, stupendous scale, for the period has been increased from three hours to five hours, and the value of the prizes from \$1,000 to \$2,500.

The proposition has created immeasurable interest in the territory served by the London & Port Stanley Railway, and already this great event

and the other notable attractions already provided for are certain to attract a crowd without parallel in the history of such holiday entertainment at the lakeside.

The proposition is as interesting as it is generous. Everyone who goes to Port Stanley via the L. & P. S. on that day will receive with his railway ticket a free coupon bearing a number and a list of the prizes in the order for which they will be drawn if rain comes between 2:30 in the afternoon and 7:30 in the evening at Port Stanley. The people for once are hoping for rain on the holiday; so are officials of the railway, for if it rains it rains the richest prizes that any holiday merrymaker was ever lucky enough to win.

Topping the list is a magnificent \$8-note Heintzman & Co. player-piano, the value of which is \$1,050. It is not alone an instrument designed to grace the richest home in London; it is a marvel of musical perfection. The winner will have his choice of oak, walnut or mahogany case. The instrument is fitted with the patent aluminum action found

only in players of the highest price and quality. It has also the distinctive feature usually found only in grand pianos. This capital prize is now on display in the windows of the Heintzman Co. stores in London and St. Thomas. It is well worth going to see, particularly in view of the fact that it may be in your own home next Tuesday morning.

A \$450 Hudson Seal Coat.

But that has awakened an equal amount of enthusiasm, especially among the ladies, is the \$450 Hudson seal coat, trimmed with sable collar and cuffs, and lined with blue canton silk, richly hand-embroidered in the latest mode with a number of floral baskets to ornament the 70-inch sweep. The lady who comes back from Port Stanley with such a gift free will probably count Labor Day the greatest day of her life. The coat is selected from the beautiful stock of the Artistic Ladies' Wear Co. of Dundas street, London, and will be on display in that company's windows this week.

But that is only the edge of the rich list of prizes. One of the finest of all is a magnificent cabinet type McClary's electric range, of the very finest and most beautiful design, finished entirely in white enamel with nickel trim. The range will be installed complete with necessary wiring in the home of the lucky winner. This model has four top burners, frying or boiling, a seamless, round-cornered oven, with compensating thermometer, a warming cabinet, reflecting light, indicating switches and many other features. This prize is now displayed in the windows of London and St. Thomas Hydro Shops.

Aynsley Dinner Set.

There will be a thrill for some lucky lady or for some boy's or man's mother or sister or wife or sweetheart in the \$150 Aynsley dinner set procured from Johnson & Barbour of London. This set is the very latest product of the celebrated English manufacturers of fine china, and is complete in 96 pieces, with a dozen cups and saucers, bread and butter plates, tea plates, dinner plates, soup plates and fruit saucers, together with two covered dishes, gravy boat and stand, cream and sugar salad bowl, and 10-inch and 14-inch platters. With this wonderful set you could lay a table for the Prince of Wales.

And while speaking of the prizes that will thrill the winner, it is well to mention here the beautiful \$125 diamond ring supplied by C. H. Ward & Co. of Richmond street, London. The sparkling stone alone would have been a prize to swing a great big contest, but the London & Port Stanley Railway decided to do it on a grand scale for its patrons. The winner will have his or her choice of a ring for lady or gentleman. Both models are now on display in Ward's windows.

The men are also wonderfully well taken care of in the prize list with a \$45 gift set of four genuine BBB brier and amber pipes in case, from Pyle's cigar store at Dundas and Richmond streets. There is also a genuine Glenkeith blue serge suit in the latest fashion for men, from Dowler's, London and St. Thomas, who likewise provide as a prize a dandy suit for some lucky boy.

J. P. Cook & Co. of London give the winner of another draw his or her choice of a pair of fine shoes, either from the famous Florsheim for men or the Barrymore for ladies.

All on Display. The list from London stores is rounded out with a magnificent collection of prizes from Strong's Drug Store, including ivory and ebony mirrors and brushes, olive wood brushes, Boncilla and Three Flowers beauty sets, thermos bottles, Parker and Waterman fountain pens, safety razor sets, travellers' equipment, etc. All of these prizes will be on display this week in the windows of the stores named.

In St. Thomas duplicates of the Heintzman player-piano will be shown at the Heintzman store, of the electric range at the Hydro Shop, and of the man's and boy's suit at Dowler's.

But there are other prizes also from St. Thomas stores of outstanding value and merit. Andersons, Limited, an outstanding departmental store, will supply a \$45 junior floor lamp, with beautiful base and artistic silk shade of novelty pattern; a \$25 set of table linen, including a cloth two by two and a half yards and twenty-two-inch napkins; a lady's green silk umbrella worth \$10; a pink elder kimono of similar value, and a snappy little chappie coat worth \$9. These will be displayed this week.

For Golf Enthusiast.

The golf lover who wins the prize from the Davey Hardware Company of St. Thomas will have something to tickle his notions. There is a splendid bag, with balls and four first quality clubs; a brassie, a mid-iron and a putter, everything needed for a round on the links. Each ticket will be good for every

draw; if you don't win on the first there will be further chances on all the rest, thirty-three principal prizes with others added. And the added prizes are not the least attractive. For instance, there will be a six weeks' pass for two to the Capitol Theatre, London.

Labor Day at Port Stanley will be filled with big features and special sports. The final judging will be held in the competition to discover the grand champion baby of the 1924 season, the winner of which will receive Northern Life investment bonds which will insure the child for twenty years, and at the end of that time pay him or her \$500 in cash. The judging will be entirely in the hands of the spectators, who will back their candidate with the volume of their applause. Those who have not yet qualified for the finals will have an opportunity to do so in a show before the final judging is held.

There will also be a fine program of novelty holiday sports with splendid prizes, day and night fireworks, and beach movies. Arrangements are well advanced to secure a final game between the reinforced London Browns and the Cleveland Favorite Knits, and it appears probable that a definite announcement of the coming of the Ohio State champions will be available within twenty-four hours.

FARMER AT WINDSOR

FACES SERIOUS CHARGE

Bernard Brunner of Colchester Township Pleads Not Guilty of Seduction.

Special to The Advertiser.

Windsor, Aug. 25.—Arrested by provincial police on a charge of seduction preferred by a young woman living in the same neighborhood, Bernard Brunner, 25 years old, a farmer of Colchester Township, was arraigned by Police Magistrate Smith at Sandwich this afternoon. He pleaded not guilty and was released under \$3,000 bail to appear for trial August 30.

FASHIONABLE POLO CLUB

AWAITING THE PRINCE

Associated Press Despatch.

Locust Valley, L. I., Aug. 25.—The fashionable colony here is awaiting the Prince of Wales, for limelight surrounding the prince's stay on Long Island will center largely in this and the Meadowbrook section. The first large fête in honor of the prince will be held at the Piping Rock Club in the form of a polo dinner on the night of Sept. 3.

One hundred and fifty well-known men will be present, and the officers and board of governors of the club will act as host, with the prince and members of the British embassy staff and the visiting British polo team as guests. This dinner will be followed by a dinner dance at Clarence H. Mackay's place at Roslyn the night of Sept. 6.

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Another Greater "Ain't Gonna Rain" Contest! Marvellous Prizes. Don't Miss It!

\$2,500 IN PRIZES FREE!

How Would You Like To Win One of These Rich Prizes? Every Ticket Carries 33 Chances!

LABOR DAY'S WONDERFUL RAIN PRIZES

\$1,050 HEINTZMAN PLAYER PIANO

A magnificent \$8-note instrument in oak, walnut or mahogany, now on display in Heintzman & Co. windows in London and St. Thomas. See it! Picture it in your home. It may be there next Tuesday.

\$450 HUDSON SEAL COAT

with sable collar and cuffs, blue canton silk lining, ornamented in the last-minute fashion with floral baskets. From the Artistic Ladies' Wear Co., London.

\$215 McCLARY ELECTRIC RANGE.

Beautiful white enamel model, installed complete. See it at the

HYDRO SHOP, London and St. Thomas.

\$125 DIAMOND RING from C. H. WARD & Co., LONDON.

A beautiful solitaire in latest setting. Choice of lady's or gent's.

GLENKEITH GENT'S SUIT in blue serge and a fine Boy's Suit from DOWLER'S, London and St. Thomas.

\$45 SILK SHADE ELECTRIC FLOOR LAMP

125 Set of Table Linen, Lady's Green Silk Umbrella, Chappie Coat and Elder Pink Kimono. See these beautiful prizes at ANDERSONS, LIMITED—ST. THOMAS.

Gent's "FLORSHEIM" or Lady's "Barrymore" Fine Shoes from J. P. COOK & Co., London.

GOLFER'S OUTFIT Bag, Balls, Brassie, Mashie, Mid-Iron and Putter from DAVEY HARDWARE CO., ST. THOMAS.

IVORY AND EBONY MIRRORS AND BRUSHES

Boncilla and Three Flowers Toilet Sets, Thermos Bottles, Fountain Pens in a marvellous selection from STRONG'S DRUG STORE, LONDON.

33 PRINCIPAL PRIZES AND OTHERS ADDED.

See Them on Display in Windows of Stores Named.

FRENCH DEPUTIES APPROVE TREATY

Pact Is Ratified by Overwhelming Majority After Long Debate.

VOTE IS 410 TO 171

Associated Press Despatch.

Paris, Aug. 25.—The Chamber of Deputies tonight ratified the Lausanne Treaty after a fourteen-hour debate. The vote was 410 to 171.

The treaty of Lausanne was signed at Lausanne, Switzerland, July 14, 1923, by the representatives of Turkey on one side and Great Britain, France, Italy, Japan, Greece and Rumania on the other.

The treaty re-established peace in the Near East. It required eight months of tedious, dramatic negotiations. The general treaty comprises 143 articles, divided into five parts. Features of the pact are: Constantinople goes definitely to Turkey; peace between Greece and Turkey; compulsory exchange of populations; the Greeks in Turkey return to Greece and the Turks in Greece to Turkey.

Great Britain, Greece and Turkey have already ratified the treaty. Joseph C. Grew, United States minister to Switzerland, and now under-secretary of State, represented the United States at the peace parley at Lausanne.

The United States later negotiated a separate treaty with Turkey, but it has not been ratified.

FORMER PEGGY JOYCE

SEEKS SEPARATION

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, Aug. 25.—Separation suit papers finally have been served upon Countess Maria of Sweden and Chicago by his countess of a few months the former Peggy Joyce. It became known today.

It also became known that the count had withdrawn the complaint in his action seeking an annulment of his marriage to the actress, which took place in Atlantic City last June. It was said that this was the result of warnings of the countess' attorneys that some of the allegations against her in the papers served on him were punishable in court. The progress of the count's suit now awaits filing of revised complaint.

Service of papers in the separation suit, in which the actress charged non-support, was effected yesterday as the count alighted from a motor car at Forest Hills, L. I.

Most everybody will find something of interest in Advertiser "Want" Ads, so it's a good plan to keep in touch with them.

DIVERS SALVAGE MORE GOLD FROM HIDDEN VAULT OF LINER

Associated Press Despatch.

London, Aug. 25.—The discovery of an unexpected storing place in the forepart of the liner Laurentic, which has been lying in 90 feet of water since she was sunk by a German submarine in 1917 at the mouth of Lough Swilly on the Northern Irish coast, has enabled divers to rescue \$250,000 worth of gold bars which had been given up for lost.

The divers have been working intermittently for six years to recover from Davy Jones' locker the consignment to United States bankers of \$7,000,000 in gold and silver bullion. Operations by divers had about suspended, as it was supposed only a few gold bars were left which were not worth the cost of another season's work. But at the last moment another storage place was discovered.

The whole consignment of treasure in the Laurentic has been now recovered and, despite the perils attending what is claimed to have been the greatest salvage feat on record, there was only one accident in which a diver suffered a broken leg.

For All Patrons of the L. & P. S., Men, Women and Children, If It Rains One-Tenth of An Inch or More Between 2:30 and 7:30 p.m.—A Big Unbroken 5-Hour Stretch—In

Port Stanley—Labor Day

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 1

A Stunt that's a knockout with a glorious chance to turn your holiday fun to tremendous profit.

Everyone going to the Big Holiday Celebration at the Coney Island of Western Ontario on Labor Day, will receive with ticket, whether adult's or child's, a separate ticket for the rain contest FREE. We hold duplicates of the Rain Ticket numbers.

If It Rains A Tenth of an Inch—just a passing shower—as gauged by the official weather bureau in Port Stanley between 2:30 and 7:30 p.m. it rains rich prizes you will be thrilled to win—One worth more than a Thousand Dollars, others in the hundreds—33 in all. Drawing, if it rains, will be held in Beach Theatre at 9 p.m. Winning numbers will be published in Tuesday's papers.

WATCH FOR LATER BIG ANNOUNCEMENTS

See the prizes in the windows of London and St. Thomas stores named in this advertisement.

Hope for rain and book yourself now for your biggest day's fun, rain or shine, at Port Stanley, Labor Day.

Fast Electric Trains Every Hour, Each Way, Every Day. Lowest Summer Excursion Fares in Effect Daily. No Advance on Labor Day. Round Trip from London—Adults 50c, Children 25c. From St. Thomas—Adults 30c, Children 15c.

THE LONDON & PORT STANLEY RAILWAY

A Tale of Two Roasts



Mrs. Smith bought a fine, eight-pound roast at her butcher's. She roasted it in the oven of her Moffats Electric Range and it came forth, a picture to the eye and a joy to the palate—delicious, tender, juicy and wondrous wholesome.

Mrs. Brown, who lived next door, also bought a very fine roast. She baked in an ordinary kitchen range. After a whole morning's hard work and constant care, the roast came forth, very much shrunk, wizened and wasted. A pity, too, because Mrs. Brown is a careful cook.

The splendid Moffat oven, heated to the precise degree Mrs. Smith wanted, roasted the beef evenly all through. It did not waste the meat away. In fact, the roast seemed as big when it came from the oven as it did when it was first put in.

You can put your whole Sunday dinner in the Moffat oven and go off to Church, knowing that on your return the food will be ready to serve, cooked to perfection. What do you think of that?

Of course, the Browns blamed the butcher, but really the old range was to blame. But Mr. Brown finally took a tip from Smith, one Anniversary, and gave Mrs. Brown a shiny, beautiful Moffats Electric Range, which made Mrs. Brown very happy. And now the Browns don't blame the butcher any more.

Perhaps you are struggling along, too. Just see a Moffat at work in your local electrical store. Then you will want one, too. If you'd like a fine little book on electric cooking—free, of course—write us: Moffats, Limited, Windsor, Ontario.




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MOFFATS Electric Ranges

For Sale by The Hydro Shop

GRAIN EXPORT DECREASE. week totalled 5,663,000 bushels against Washington, Aug. 25.—Exports of 6,985,000 bushels for the previous grain from the United States last week. United States and Canadian wheat flour in transit was 276,000 barrels against 152,000 barrels.



For Quality & Value
SMOKE
WHITE OWL CIGARS
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THE NATIONAL leaves Toronto every night at 10:45 through famous lake regions in the Highlands of Ontario via the new and picturesque Longlac Route to Winnipeg and Western Canada. Standard and Tourist Sleeping Cars—Compartment, Observation and Dining Cars. Colonial Cars with lunch counter and kitchen.

Through Sleeping Car, Toronto-Sudbury

AT 8:45 every night a through sleeping car leaves Toronto passing through the world-renowned mining districts of Northern Ontario, connecting with the Continental Limited for Western Canada and all Pacific Coast points.

Visit Jasper National Park in the Heart of the Rockies

Very low fares to this "World's Largest Game Sanctuary" and the Pacific Coast still in effect valid to return until October 31st.

Triangle Tour—The Finest Trip in America

1,800 miles of rail and ocean travel round trip: Jasper National Park to Prince Rupert, 3 days by boat through inland seas to Vancouver, by rail to Mount Robson and Jasper National Park.

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Membership limited for each cruise. Canadian Pacific management afloat and ashore. Each ship a gigantic private yacht with all the luxury and comfort of a modern hotel—at your disposal. These will be extraordinary cruises next winter and reservations should be made early.

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EXCRUCIATING
PAINS, CRAMPSEntirely Remedied by Lydia
E. Pinkham's Vegetable
Compound

"Eberts, Ont.—'I started with cramps and bearing-down pains at the age of eleven years, and I would get so nervous I could hardly stay in bed, and I had such pains that I would scream, and my mother would call the doctor to give me something to take. At eighteen I married, and I have four healthy children, but I still have pains in my right side. I am a farmer's wife with more work than I am able to do. I have taken three bottles of Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound and I feel that it is helping me every day. My sister-in-law, who has been taking your medicine for some time and uses your Sanative Wash, told me about it and I recommend it now, as I have received great relief from it.'—Mrs. NELSON YOTT, R. R. 1, Eberts, Ont."

Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound is a medicine for ailments common to women. It has been used for such troubles for nearly fifty years, and thousands of women have found relief as did Mrs. Yott, by taking this splendid medicine.

If you are suffering from irregularity, painful times, nervousness, headache, backache or melancholia, you should at once begin to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. It is excellent to strengthen the system and help to perform its functions with ease and regularity.

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Wherever
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IS DANGEROUSRecommends Daily Use of Magnesia To
Overcome Trouble Caused by Fer-
menting Food and Acid
Indigestion.

Gas and wind in the stomach accompanied by that full, bloated feeling after eating are almost certain evidence of the presence of excessive hydrochloric acid in the stomach, creating so-called "acid indigestion."

Acid stomachs are dangerous because too much acid irritates the delicate lining of the stomach, often leading to gastritis accompanied by serious stomach ulcers. Food becomes sour, creating the distressing gas which distends the stomach and hampers the normal functions of the vital internal organs, often affecting the heart. It is the worst of folly to neglect such a serious condition or to treat with ordinary digestive aids which have no neutralizing effect on the stomach acids. Instead get from any druggist a few ounces of Bisulphate of Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This will drive the gas, wind and bloated right out of the body, sweeten the stomach, neutralize the excess acid and prevent its formation and there is no sourness or pain. Bisulphate of Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and the best form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion.

"TIZ" FOR ACHING,
SORE, TIRED FEETGood-bye, sore feet, burning feet,
swollen feet, sweaty feet, smelly
feet, tired feet.

Good-bye, corns, callouses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "Tiz" is magical, acts right off. "Tiz" draws out all the poisonous exudations which puff up the feet. Use "Tiz" and forget your foot misery. Ah! how comfortable your feet feel. A few cents buy a box of "Tiz" now at any drug or department store. Don't suffer. Have good feet, glad feet, feet that never swell, never hurt, never get tired. A year's foot comfort guaranteed or money refunded—Advt.

SPECIAL TRAIN SERVICE VIA
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY TO
THE CANADIAN NATIONAL
EXHIBITION, TORONTO.

Special train from Toronto Union Station, August 30th, at 3:00 p.m., making all stops to London.

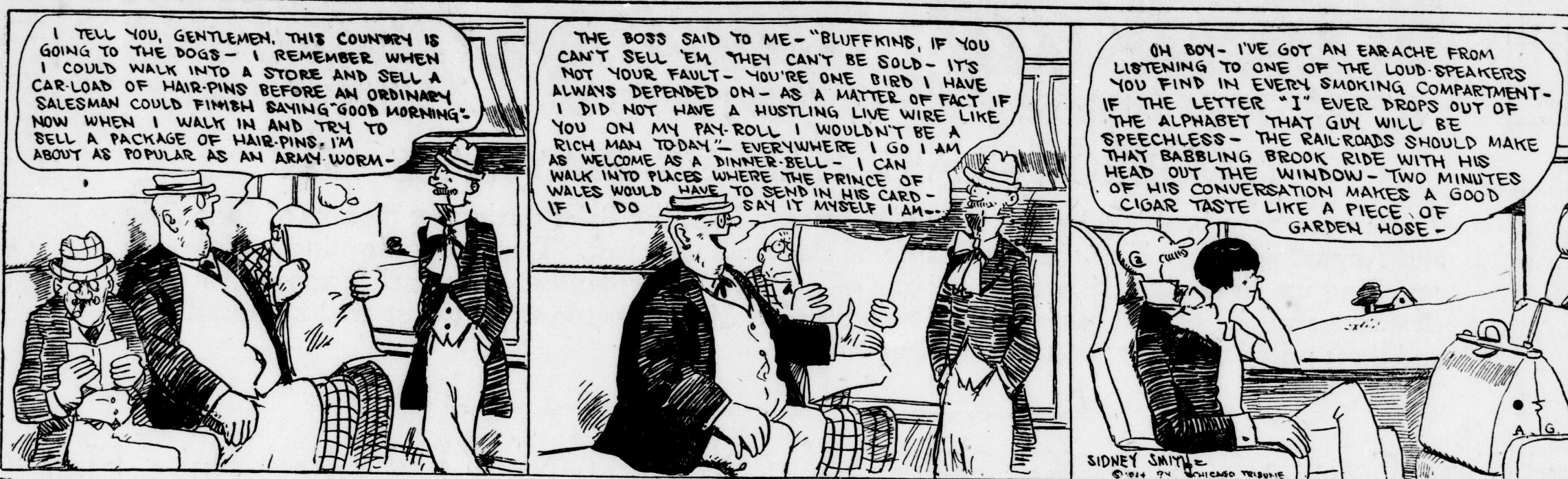
From Parkdale, September 1st, at 10:10 p.m., making all stops to London.

From London, at 4:50 a.m., August 30th, September 1st, 2nd, and 3rd, to Toronto Union Station, stopping at Woodstock, Galt, Guelph Junction, Milton, Strathville Junction, Cooksville, West Toronto, and Parkdale.

From Toronto Union Station, September 1st, at 6:00 p.m., making all stops to London.

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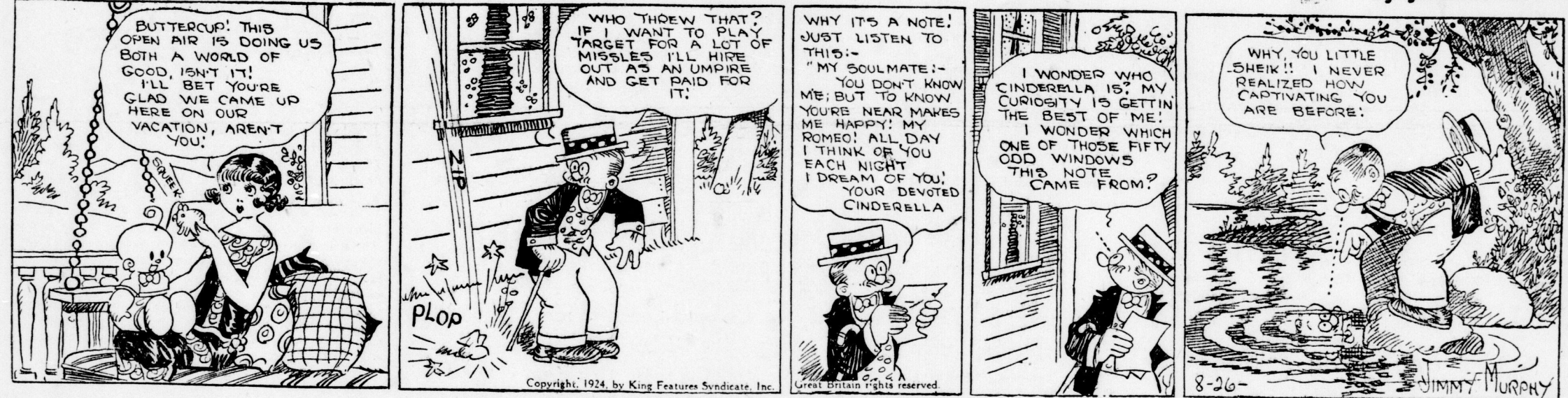
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Something Casper Never Knew Before.

By JIMMY MURPHY



MUTT AND JEFF

Jeff's Uncle in Cincinnati Was Glad to See Him.

By BUD FISHER



REG'LAR FELLERS

Introducing Blabbermouth.

By GENE BYRNES

The
Fun Shop

IN GOOD SHAPE.

Income tax collector (to theatre owner)—"I believe your statement, but I must see your figures."

Theatre Owner—"Then you should have gone to the dressing rooms—not to the box office."

A Probable Exception.

"A scientist says, here in the paper," remarked Mrs. Fumblegate, in the midst of her reading, "that in five years more we'll all be flying."

"Maybe some folks will be, but not my hired man," responded Farmer Fumblegate. "He'll do well to crawl, let alone fly."

Etiquette for Eaters.

Folks at table are not lonely—Park your legs on your side only.

One's appetite, one sees.

One's heart-beats start to miss, When someone near one uses His knife for emphasis.

Some table cut-ups are all right.

But I am apt to get the fits When someone cuts his meat in bits.

You Never Can Tell.

Man—"Now I don't know much about you flappers, but when I was your age—"

Flapper—"You never were my age. I'm fifty-seven and a grandmother!"

Air mail aviator (to pilot)—"Slow down over there Jim. My girl lives on that farm, and I want to drop her a line."

The Fun Shop Hall of Fame. We nominate for the Hall of Fame Mrs. Rosalie Barker, because she has attended thirty-five wedding receptions in her life, and never once has she lifted up a piece of silver to see how heavy it was.

John Martin Cowley, because though he has been an after-dinner speaker for eighteen years, he has never once begun his speech by remarking that the previous speech has reminded him of the story of the two Irishmen.

Walter Torrey because, when, on June 28, 1924, his wife departed for the country, he remembered to see that all the electric lights were turned off, the telephone disconnected, the milkman notified to stop bringing milk, the windows all locked, the iceman ordered to bring no more ice, the cereals and other perishable food taken over to "mother's," and the neighbors' children bribed not to mark up the fence during the summer.

A Matter of Degrees.

A friend who congratulated Farmer Dicks upon his son's graduation from college.

"So Frank has come out at Ph.D., has he?"

"Mebbe so," replied the fond parent, "but, ye know, things sometimes gets turned around. Seems to me like he's come out a D-P.H."

The meaning of S.O.S. on an excursion boat:

Save Our Seats.

Along Came Ruth. "What will my little Ruthie do when grandma is very old and is taken away by the angels?"

"I won't let the angels take you, granny," replied five-year-old Ruth. "I'll tell 'em to have you stuffed."

The Gabber.

"Half of the pleasure of a vacation is in telling about it afterwards," said Tarkington, who had just got back from a jaunt.

"Hm," returned J. Fuller Gloom. "You appear to be a regular glutton for fun."

THE JINGLE-JANGLE COUNTER. Youth is bound to have its fling; Shutters have a wicked swing.

Ships their harbors try to win; Fighters spar and sail right in.

The melancholy days have come, the saddest of the year, My summer days are all worn out, and winter isn't here!

Worries hurt and vex and harry; Moving vans have loads to carry.

Into the grinder fell our pup; You never sausage cutting up!

Rings of Smoke.

Anna—"What sort of a smoker is Kate?"

Belle—"Not so good. I can smoke rings around her."

It Doesn't Pay.

Helen—"Do you believe in marrying for money?"

Jane—"No—it's bad business."

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The Like-Stuff Heroines Are Made Of—

Hair like gold.
Eyes like stars.
Lashes like fringe.
Ears like shells.
Teeth like pearls.
Lips like rosebuds.
Skins like cream.
Hands like snowflakes.
Feet like fairies.
Figures like syrihs.

Kind Judge.

Judge—"What have you to say for yourself?"

Prisoner—"I say I wish I was in a place where there were no traffic cops."

Granted. Thirty days.

Some men have a dual personality—one in which they borrow money and one in which they forget to pay it back.

The Rape of the Locks.

Gertrude—"Barbers certainly cut a lot of women's hair these days."

Phil—"Yes, they've got their hands full."

Readers are requested to contribute. All humor: Epigrams (or humorous mottoes), jokes, anecdotes, poetry, burlesques, satires and bright sayings of children, must be original and unpublished. Accepted material will be paid for. All manuscripts must be written on one side of the paper only, and should be addressed to the Fun Shop, The London Advertiser, and Parkdale. Manuscripts can be returned. The rates are \$1 to \$10 for accepted material, and 25 cents to \$1 a line for poetry.

An Opportunity for Out-of-Town Customers

If you intend coming to the Circus tomorrow, come in the morning and take advantage of the wonderful list advertised for the last Wednesday morning sale of the season.

STORE OPENS AT 9 A.M. AND CLOSSES AT 1 P.M. TOMORROW

STEP-INS, 49c

Step-ins of white cotton and colored voile and crepe, trimmed with lace; pink, blue and honeydew. Special 49c Princess Slips of fine white cotton, with embroidery flounce and lace-trimmed camisole top. Special \$1.39

WHITEWEAR, 98c

White Cambric Gowns, slipover style, kimono sleeve and sleeveless, trimmed with lace. Special 98c White Cambric Princess Slips, strap shoulder, finished at bottom with three-inch hem; sizes 36 to 40 98c



Tweed and Twill Coats In Late Summer Clearance, \$12.50 To \$37.50

In the between-time seasons an autumn coat is essential. The Wednesday morning sale will include fifteen models for early fall wear. Style features of each are outstanding. Fine pin tucking or radio-pleated collars. One model richly embroidered in golden brown on sand. In the new zinc shade of gray or in sand. In tricotines and poret twills. Sizes, two 16, three 18, one 20, three 38, one 40, five 42. Sale prices \$22.50, \$25.00, \$26.00, \$27.50, \$32.50, \$37.50

HALF PRICE—A few Tweed Coats, in checks and plaids, at half price \$12.50, \$17.50, \$18.75

Second Floor.

Water Sets, \$1.29—Sherbet Glasses, \$1.39 Half Dozen

50 only Cut Glass Water Sets in various patterns, such as grape and star cutting. \$1.29 set of 7 pieces Sherbet Glasses, in grape design, daintily cut and attractively shaped. 25c each or \$1.39 for half dozen

Basement.



HALF PRICE CLEARANCE OF CHILDREN'S SOCKS Wednesday Morning, 20c to 50c

Holiday time and rollicking hours of play draw heavily upon the children's supply of socks. The Wednesday morning sale, with clearance at half price, gives you splendid opportunity to re-stock in this important department. Fine quality in the half and three-quarter length hosiery, in sizes 6 1/2 to 10; three-quarter length black, white, gray or pongee; half length, gray, yellow, green, cardinal, brown. Over 300 pairs in this clearance. Prices 20c, 25c, 32c, 37c, 42c and 50c

Main Floor.

Umbrellas, \$1.35

A splendid school Umbrella, 23 and 25-inch sizes; union taffeta tops, assorted handles with leather strap, ring or crook. Wednesday morning \$1.35 each

IN THE BASEMENT GARDEN HOSE, 9c AND 11c FT.

300 feet of Corrugated Garden Hose, half inch. To clear Wednesday morning at 11c foot 400 feet of Plain Rubber Garden Hose, in half and three-quarter inch. To clear at 9c foot

CORN POPPERS, 29c

Eight dozen large size Corn Poppers. Special for Wednesday morning 29c

CANNING RACKS, 29c

Two dozen only Round Wire Canning Racks to hold six of any size jars. Very specially priced 29c

CLOTHES BASKETS, \$1.19

Eighteen only Large Size Strong Willow Clothes Baskets at a great reduction, being slightly soiled. Wednesday morning \$1.19

Basement

IN THE LINEN SECTION TOMORROW—KITCHEN CLOTHS, CRASH TOWELING, GLASS, AND TEA TOWELS

SEVERAL WEEKS LATE IN DELIVERY—PRICED FOR EARLY CLEARANCE.

A shipment that should have featured in our July sale has just now arrived, and priced so attractively as to make the last Wednesday morning's buying very interesting to thrifty housewives. Some lovely qualities in imported pure linen crashes and glass checks. You should see these tomorrow and you'll need no urging to buy.

900 Yards 17-Inch All-Linen Crash, 17c Yard

Lovely weight and guaranteed every thread pure linen, assorted borders, also gray and white stripes. Tomorrow only 17c yard, 6 yards for \$1.00

600 Yards 17-Inch All-Linen Crash, 29c Yard

Superior Quality Pure Linen Crash, a splendid weight and so evenly woven, assorted borders, also all white. Tomorrow special 29c yard

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50 Children's Dresses of gingham and chambray. Some have bloomers. Just the thing for school. These are trimmed with embroidery work, pipings and fancy stitching. Some have white organdy collars and narrow sash at waist; 8 to 14 years. Wednesday, special \$1.59

Second Floor.

The BREATH of the AVENUE

A GRANDSTAND VIEW OF FASHION FROM THE SARATOGA RACE TRACK

Watching fashions at the Saratoga summer races is rather like following the ponies from a grandstand seat. First you see approaching fashions, new touches and new features getting bigger every minute, swinging down the race track in the distance. Then you see present fashions, those of summer, and the present midsummer day. At last, you notice passing fashions, disappearing rapidly.

The season is the reason that one occasion can give such a panoramic view of fashion. Summer is past its crest, yet cool weather is a long way off. So the fashionable crowds cheering at the race track, dancing at the Brook Club, or even motoring through the leisurely, tree-lined streets of Saratoga, make a pageant of fashion that reaches in days all the way from July to October.

Very new fall-forecasting fashions are the fall tunic dress, the tube dress and the high-crowned hat. There are a number of tunic dresses worn. One is an autumn version of the tunic silhouette. The knee tunic is beige, with cutout embroidery of brown. The skirt and matching scarf are brown. And the costume with its autumn leaf tones and embroidered blouse is very new.

The tube dress with a flounce at the bottom is a graceful silhouette for formal dresses. It is seen in half a dozen interpretations at the Brook Club. Worn in black satin with tulle knee flounce by Mrs. Chauncey Olcott. Mrs. Al. Smith, wife of New York's governor, wears a directoire hat with a black-and-white bow placed high at the front of the crown.

August fashions, receiving midsummer approval by the majority of the women, and printed dresses, wide-brimmed felt or straw hats, and chiffon dancing dresses, with clusters of flowers at the shoulder and waist.

A July fashion that receives such substantial support that it promises well for next summer prominence is the hand-made imported dress. Many of these informal dresses come out at each day's races. Mrs. W. K. Vanderbilt is one of the women who wears a pink silk and cotton frock of this type. And she demonstrates, as many women have done this summer, that the summer cotton dress is worthy of formal accessories and formal fashion acceptance. For Mrs. Vanderbilt wears with her dress a matching scarf and hat in pink and mauve tones, and a necklace of black and white pearls.

The Breath of the Avenue, New York.

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White Broadcloth Fugi Silk 98c Yard

An exceptionally fine Pure Silk, Japanese make, for dress or blouse or lingerie wear, 23 inches wide.

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Fancy knits, in fine quality Tricolettes for dress wear, in Porcelain Blue, Cocoa and Nigger Browns.

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Ladies' Suits Half Price, About 40 Suits From \$13.75 To \$24.75

Lengthening nights make the suit more than ever an indispensable feature of the wardrobe.

No single costume, with the approaching cool days, has greater opportunity to justify its existence.

Wednesday morning sales list a last clearance of the trim, tailored styles which meet the autumn mode so well.

In navies, or sand, or black. In Tricotines or Tweeds. With pencil stripe or the faint, smart hairline. In sizes from 16 to 40. All Half Price To think of autumn is to think of a suit. And to think of a suit is to think of these. Priced at \$13.95, \$17.50, \$18.75, \$22.50, \$23.75, \$24.75.

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NEMO JUSPUL BRASSIERES, 39c

Six dozen Juspul Brassieres; the lacing device adjusts them to the figure each time they are put on. A wonderful opportunity for full figures; sizes 42, 44, 46, 48 and 50. Sale price Wednesday 39c

Gingham House Dresses \$1.59

Among the labor-lightening devices are the crisp House Dresses. Comfort in autumn canning demands the loosely-cut, cool House Dress. This Wednesday morning sale will include several dozen newly arrived dresses, developed in the crisp ginghams and chambrays, which emerge from repeated tubbings with the fresh daintiness of a new garment. Prices are set for each at \$1.59, but sizes range from 36 to 44, and colors from a sunny yellow and white in pin-checked gingham to a practical cocoa brown, with mauves and pinks and blues included. You'll find the choice of either one or several a convenient path toward lightening the load of "three meals a day and the dish washing." Each of these dresses has been given its deft touch of white embroidery as trimming—and in consideration of its mission in life, has been cut freely and amply. Wednesday morning, sale price \$1.59

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GINGHAM DRESSES FOR THE LITTLE GIRL, \$1.59

For the little miss who runs errands and looks after rubber rings and sealer tops while mother cans plums and pears and peaches—there are piles of pretty Gingham Dresses waiting on the Second Floor for Wednesday morning clearance. Dainty styles to supply the "clean dress" demands for quickly approaching school days. Blues and tans and pinks to make a bright little figure for the sunny autumn days. For every little girl who is not more than twelve—your own little girl will love one! Wednesday morning sale \$1.59

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50 lbs. of fresh Turkish Delight, on Wednesday morning.

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SALE OF COMFORTER CHINTZ, 24c YARD

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