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TOMORROW—SHOWERS, COOLER.

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LONGWOOD LINK WILL BE PAVED

Tax Rate Now 36 Mills; Last 3 Days Brings Building Boom

TAX RATE JUMPS UP ONE MILL

Mothers' Allowance Appropriation Overlooked Previously, Is Now Included.

OPINIONS ARE VARIED

School Question Main Item For Consideration at Meeting Tonight.

The tentative tax rate for 1925 today jumped to 33.31 mills and almost wiped out the possibility of a rate of less than 35 mills being definitely established. Inclusion of a necessary \$22,000 appropriation for mothers' pensions boosted the estimate by two-thirds of a mill today.

Strenuous efforts are being made by school trustees and members of the hospital trust to secure full amount of appropriations asked. It is understood that claims will be made at tonight's council meeting that the hospital trust cannot possibly get along, following an \$18,000 cut ordered by council committee.

Launch Program.

The board of education will launch a \$354,000 building program this year if success is met tonight. In spite of the high rate of taxation that will ensue, expectations today are held that opposition to the building program will not be sufficient to kill it. It is virtually impossible to have a tax rate of less than 35 mills and provide the school board with funds for building.

However, opinion in council circles today is that aldermen will tonight view the school question with much greater favor than previously. Just the same, aldermen are not discussing the matter to any great extent and are forming opinions without comment.

Beyond Reason.

"Taxes are going beyond all realms of reason," declared Ald. L. H. Douglass today, in striking a note of economy. "We ought to have a rate of 23.5 mills, and we can't have new schools if we have a rate that low."

The mayor declared that he wants very much to keep the rate down as low as possible, lower than 35 mills maybe.

It is not likely that the final rate will be struck tonight. The council has already dealt with most departments under city hall jurisdiction and cuts have been effected in almost every case. The school board's opposition will be the chief item tonight.

ITALIAN KING RECEIVES PREMIER MUSSOLINI

Rome, March 26.—Premier Mussolini was received this morning by King Victor Emmanuel, who congratulated him upon his recovery from his recent illness. The Italian sovereign and the Fascist premier remained in conference more than half an hour. Upon his exit Mussolini expressed satisfaction with his conversation with the king.

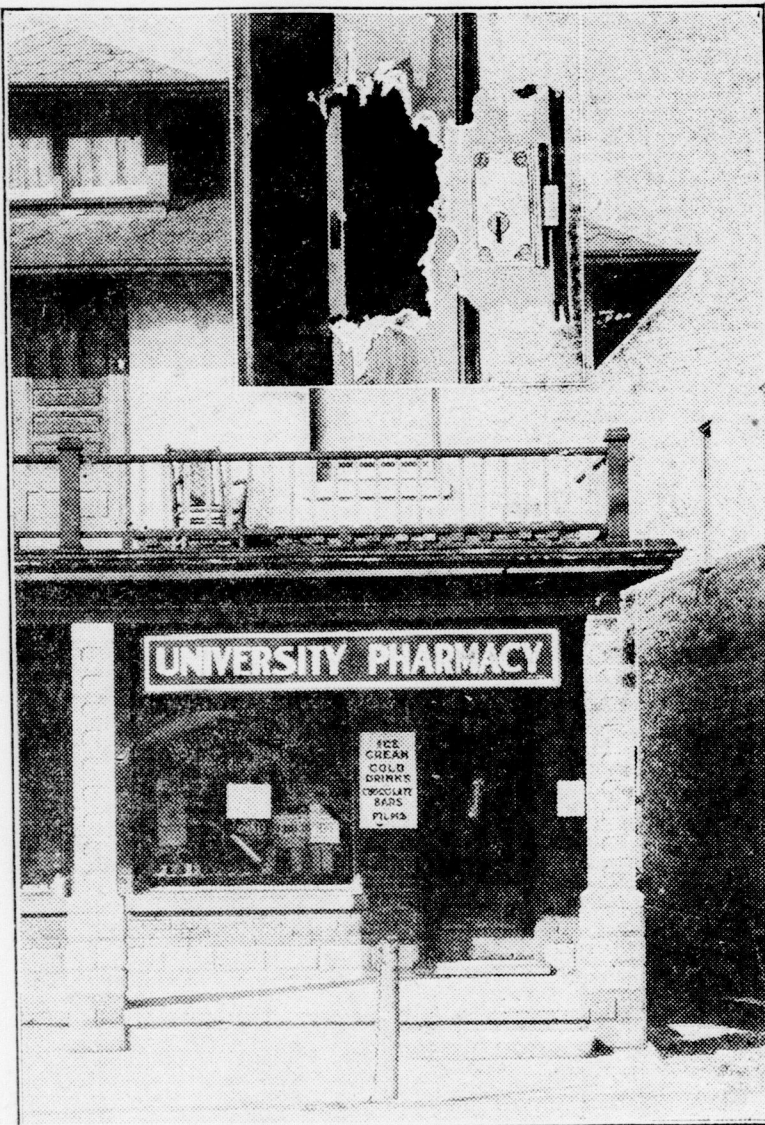
The Weather

FORECASTS.

Today—South-
erly winds; fair
and warmer.
Friday—Show-
ery at first, fol-
lowed by strong
westerly winds
and a change to
cooler.
A trough of low
pressure, which
now extends from
Hudson Bay southward across Lake
Superior to the Missouri valley, is moving
quickly eastward, while pronounced
high pressure is spreading over the
western provinces and northwest states.
The weather has become milder in
Ontario and Quebec and somewhat
cooler in the western provinces.

The highest and lowest temperatures
previous to 8 a.m. today were:
Stations. High Low Weather
Victoria 50 38 Clear
Calgary 38 24 Clear
Winnipeg 45 34 Cloudy
Port Arthur 58 38 Cloudy
S. S. Marie 50 32 Cloudy
Toronto 42 32 Cloudy
Kingston 44 34 Fair
Ottawa 50 32 Fair
Montreal 46 36 Clear
Quebec 42 32 Cloudy
St. John 40 24 Fair
Halifax 36 30 Clear

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest temperatures
recorded in London during the 24 hours
previous to 8 o'clock last night were:
Highest, 50; lowest, 32.
The official temperatures for the 12
hours previous to 8 a.m. today were:
Highest, 46; lowest, 30.
Sun rises at 6:11 a.m. and sets at
6:37 p.m.
Barometric readings.
Wednesday—5 p.m., 29.22.
Today—8 a.m., 29.11.



SCENE OF NORTH-END ROBBERY.

The United Pharmacy, 109 Richmond street, shown above, was entered last night by robbers, who stole more than \$200 worth of candy, tobacco and other supplies. From the manner in which entrance was gained, by boring holes with a brace and bit in the wood around the door lock, shown in the insert, and from the fact that no door nor money was stolen, police believe the robbery was committed by boys.

DOOR RIDDLED IN THEFT FROM NORTH-END STORE

Will Make Short
Ones Look Tall

Associated Press Despatch.

Chicago, March 26.—Wider trousers, tapering to the shoes, worn with suspenders bright and vivid colors, and suits so designed as to establish the illusion of extreme height in the wearer, will mark next fall's styles for men, according to advance models at a style show here.

TWO MORE ARE DEAD AS RESULT OF FIRE

Fourth Member of Quebec
Family Dying—Home
Destroyed Tuesday.

Canadian Press Despatch.
St. Philippe de Nerl, Kamouraska, Que., March 26.—Three are dead and a fourth is dying as the result of a fire here Tuesday. Marie Cressance Chamberland, aged seven, Cyprien Chamberland, aged 72, grandfather of the young girl, and Mrs. Wilfred Chamberland, the girl's mother, have all succumbed to their injuries, while another member of the family is dying. The fire was caused by pouring gasoline into a stove, and destroyed the house in which the family was living. Mrs. Chamberland died this morning, while the grandfather died a few hours before. The little girls having succumbed to her injuries a short time after the fire broke out.

CHAMBER OF MINES IS ORGANIZED IN ONTARIO

Canadian Press Despatch.
Fort William, Ont., March 26.—Organization of the northwest Ontario chamber of mines was completed yesterday at meetings here. H. Harkness was elected president, M. Hayne vice-president, and T. Owens secretary-treasurer. The chamber of mines will collect data on mineral properties in this locality and hold it available for those wishing to familiarize themselves with the natural advantages of the district. It was decided to invite Hon. Charles McCrea, minister of mines, to Fort William to address the chamber at an early date.

NEW PACT ASKED FOR RAILWAY

Smith Does Not Believe Rail-
way Board Will Be
Called In.

FARE SATISFACTORY

States Situation Has Become a
Joke and Calls For
Immediate Action.

Drafting of a new agreement with the London Street Railway Company is today advocated by Ald. Edwin Smith as the next move towards settlement of the city's transportation problem. He declares that the five-cent fares should hold for the time, but that the city ought to prepare immediately for a new agreement with the company, an agreement which would be for five, ten or fifteen years, but not more.

"We can't get anywhere by the present policy," declared Ald. Smith today. "The fare question has gotten to be a joke. The people don't mind paying five-cent fares. And we can't expect the company to promise anything definitely until we offer them a new agreement."

Ald. Smith was in Toronto yesterday with T. G. Meredith, city solicitor, and today the ward four representative expressed the opinion that the railway question here would be fixed up with satisfaction all round. He does not believe that the railway board will be brought in.

"I am going to bring in a motion for a new agreement with the company right away," said Ald. Smith.

First Straw Hat Graces Season

Comfort, Not Style, Is Sought
by Owner.

At least one straw hat in London has had its first outing this year. Not its first year, perhaps, but its first time in the open this season.

An elderly gentleman was observed in his garden, collecting rubbish and generally tidying up, and he wore a straw hat. It was old, sunburnt and a bit disreputable. The band was a moldy green, and the brim has a gas.

"Who's ahead of the season," he grunted when asked if he was not a bit premature in the matter of his hat. "Temperature is the only thing that makes a season. The date is nothing to do with it. I felt hot and I changed my cap for this old relic. That's all. If I'm out of style it cannot be helped. As long as I am comfortable, that's all I'm worrying about."

LABOR MAY COMPRISE ONE-THIRD PARLIAMENT

One of Proposals For Reform
of Italian Constitu-
tion.

Associated Press Despatch.
Rome, March 25.—One of the chief recommendations to be presented by the commission of eighteen for revision of the Italian constitution is that one-third of the parliament be composed of representatives of labor unions, it is declared in press reports on the commission's work.

Among the other changes reported to be in process of evolution is a provision requiring all workers to become members of a big union, divided only in categories such as metal workers, carpenters, etc. The proposition would also provide compulsory arbitration of all labor disputes.

MOTORISTS AT OWN RISK WHEN ON CHESTER STREET

Motor cars that travel on Chester street, ordering on Westminster township, do so at their own risk. Deputy Reeve Boler stated this morning, following a conference with City Engineer Near.

Chester street has been in a deplorable state for several weeks, owing principally to the fact that a sewer was laid along the street last fall.

Mr. Boler states that a number of motor cars have been badly mired that it was necessary to drag them out with teams.

"The engineer is dragging the road today and tomorrow, which should help a lot," commented Mr. Boler.

PARENTS MUST KEEP BOYSHOME

Delinquent Citizens Will Be
Brought Into Court and
Fined.

ACTION IS STARTED

Law States Youngsters Must
Not Idle on Street After
Nine o'Clock.

Action will be taken to punish parents who permit children to run at large late at night, according to a statement made this morning. The mayor has taken up with police and juvenile court authorities sections of the children's protection act and as a result steps will be taken to prosecute delinquent parents.

The section of the act to which the mayor and other authorities draw attention reads: "(1) No child shall loiter in any public place after 9 o'clock in the evening or be there unless accompanied by his parents or guardian or an adult appointed by the parent or adult to accompany such child."

SHOT DOWN BY MANIAC, DOCTOR NOT IMPROVED

Telegram States Dr. George
Wilson Still Lies in Critical
Condition.

Dr. George Wilson, formerly of this city, who was shot through the shoulder by a maniac at his home in Vancouver on Tuesday, remains in a serious condition at the Vancouver general hospital, according to a telegram received by his brother, Dr. James D. Wilson, of London, this morning.

Little change for the better has been reported, the telegram stating that Dr. Wilson was "struggling." Dr. James Wilson sent two telegrams to Vancouver this morning to gain further information regarding his brother's condition.

The shooting happened on Tuesday morning, when a crazed man called at Dr. Wilson's office and at close quarters fired a bullet through his shoulder. The maniac was immediately placed under arrest and remanded to jail.

Dr. Wilson is a very well known in London. He practiced here for a number of years prior to the war. After his return from France he took up his residence in Vancouver.

PICKS, SHOVELS AND RAKES AT WORK IN C.N.R. YARDS

The Canadian National railway yards are undergoing a thorough house-cleaning. This morning a work train hauled by one of the veteran engines of the old Grand Trunk steamed into the yards with a gang of men.

From several cars stepped the workmen, armed with picks, shovels and rakes. They will clean up the yards from one end to the other.

WITH THE PRINCE

G. Ward Price, Famous Foreign Correspondent, Will
Accompany the Prince of Wales on Tour as
Representative of The London Advertiser
—Watch for Mr. Price's Despatches.

Tour South Africa and South America with the Prince of Wales.
The world's most famous globe-trotter will leave England on Saturday on the fourth and last of his imperial trips to the vast empire he will some day rule. He will visit all parts of the British dominions he has not yet seen.

When the prince sets foot in West Africa on April 4 he will face a prospect as enchanting as any that ever befell a fairy prince out of Grimm or Anderson.

The tour will be graphically described for The Advertiser by G. Ward Price, famous special correspondent of the London Daily Mail. Through arrangements with the Daily Mail, readers of The Advertiser will be able to follow each step of the swing through two continents.

G. Ward Price's work as a war and foreign correspondent has won him an international reputation. He was with the Turkish army in the Balkan war of 1912, with the French army at the battle of the Marne, with the Belgian army on the Yser, and at the Dardanelles. He was appointed official war correspondent for the whole of the London press at the Dardanelles, and in Saloniki in 1915. His "The Story of Saloniki" is one of the outstanding books published on the war.



SWAM IN THAMES YESTERDAY.

Harold "Mickey" McIntosh (left) and Raymond "Red" Askew (right) couldn't wait until the 24th of May to indulge in spring's first swim. They are bathing enthusiasts and yesterday, at the rear of the Trafalgar public school, discarded all their clothes to plunge in the water of the Thames. They claim to have set a record in London for early bathing. "The water was cold," they said this morning, "but it sure was fun."

Spring Building Greets City With \$40,000 In Permits Issued In Last Three Days

Inspector Receives Twenty-
Four Applications as Spring
Boom Starts.

SOME IMPROVEMENTS

In the past three days 24 building permits have been issued from the office of the acting building inspector, eight of these authorizing the construction of dwelling houses. Nearly \$40,000 worth of building will become possible through these permits.

Dwelling houses authorized are: J. Hill, \$4,900, 14 Southgate; G. Burrows, \$3,500, 136 Adelaide; J. Cornwall, two at \$1,600 each, Hyla avenue; A. Livey, \$2,700, 50 Glenwood; Sid Jones, \$13,000, Regent; J. Murphy, two at \$2,000 each.

Other permits issued include: Sid Jones, \$250 garage, Piccadilly; Hyatt brothers, \$1,100 repairs, 238 Clarence; Hyatt brothers, \$300 re-roofing, 122 Carling; T. Copp, \$350 metal shed, 85 York; G. W. Baker, \$100, re-roofing, 372 Maitland; J. Welner, \$100 garage, 422 King; M. Kilmer, \$1,500 alterations, 360 Colborne; W. E. Dodd, \$400 addition, 289 Queen's; T. E. Clarke, \$150, garage, 750 Maitland; H. W. Chandler, \$125, window, 327 Ridout; R. Mitchell, \$200 veranda, 163 John; W. E. Dreaney, A. Wicks, \$150, veranda, 464 Pall Mall; O. H. Moxley, \$300, garage, 50 Glenwood.

Bachelors Are Taught to Cook

Associated Press Despatch.

London, March 26.—Bachelors are being taught to cook at a school opened recently at Battersea, one of the London boroughs. The purpose of the authorities is to show unmarried men how to help themselves and be a bit more independent of the restaurants. The teacher is a woman.

U. S. WARSHIPS FAIL TO HIT AIR TARGETS

Forty-Four Guns Fire Twenty
Rounds at Dummies Towed
by Planes.

Associated Press Despatch.
San Pedro, Cal., March 26.—Forty-four anti-aircraft guns on the eleven dreadnoughts, in twenty rounds of fire during practice yesterday, failed to hit the eight sleeve targets towed by aeroplanes at about 6,000 feet altitude, according to officers on the U.S.S. Aroostock, aeroplane tender. Seventy miles off shore, these mighty fortified floating cities, dashing in battle line at a speed of 18 knots (20½ miles) an hour, cut loose with all the gunnery power they had. It was the supreme test of their effectiveness, against an enemy fleet represented by towed targets simulating battleships, floating targets indicating destroyers, and aerial sleeves of cloth towed by bombing aeroplanes representing enemy aircraft.

WOMEN SEEK REMOVAL OF COMMERCIALIZED VICE

Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, March 26.—A representative delegation of ladies from the various societies of Montreal waited on Mayor Duquette yesterday at the city hall and presented a petition endorsed by some fifty-five societies, asking the city authorities to "remove the unsightly blot of tolerated commercialized vice." The delegation arose from the report prepared by Mr. Justice Coderre, who presided at the recent police investigation, and who made a pitiless condemnation of certain conditions existing in this city.

WILL PAVE 20-MILE STRETCH

Twenty-Mile Section From Del-
aware to Strathburn To Be
Constructed This Year.

DEPUTATION HEARD

Hon. G. S. Henry Tells Middle-
sex Officials Request Will
Gain Favorable Action.

Special to The Advertiser
by a Staff Correspondent.

Toronto, March 26.—Consideration for several requests bearing upon highways matters in Middlesex county, was promised by Hon. G. S. Henry, minister of public works and highways, to a deputation from the county council which waited on him at Queen's Park today.

The deputation, consisting of Warden Allan McPherson, ex-Warden William Ross and J. S. Cousins of Westminster township, asked for continuation of the "movement of the Longwood road to Strathburn; for the elimination of deep ditches in Westminster township, and for the extension of the suburban area through Hyde Park and the paving of the Sarnia gravel road in preference to the fifth concession road.

With reference to the Longwood road, Warden McPherson pointed out that if the full 20 miles were paved at once, detours would only be necessitated for one season, instead of being extended over two years.

"The deputation is thinking along that line," Hon. Mr. Henry admitted. The minister also announced that legislation is now being drafted, which will provide for the return to villages of 75 per cent of the expenditure on township roads, and to towns of 50 per cent of their expenditure.

In the matter of Westminster township drainage, Mr. Henry explained that the present deep ditches were in the nature of an experiment, and that the department's future policy would depend on how they worked out.

Speaking in support of the proposal to pave the Sarnia gravel road, Mr. Ross stated that public opinion in the district involved legislation is now being drafted, which will provide for the return to villages of 75 per cent of the expenditure on township roads, and to towns of 50 per cent of their expenditure.

GUELPH TAX RATE HAS BEEN SET AT 39.12 MILLS

Canadian Press Despatch.
Guelph, March 26.—The tax rate for the city of Guelph was definitely fixed at 39.12 mills at the council meeting last night. There was little opposition to the rate, the members of the council believing the increase of nearly three mills over last year as essential to meet the requirements for the current year. Recognition was given to the demands of the House of Commons and elsewhere, that the tax rate is considered high, but the demands of the provincial government that the city meet its proportion of the cost of provincial highways, which now aggregates \$73,000, is largely responsible, though it is expected debentures will be issued to cover this claim.

DAVID KIRKWOOD REFUSES PROTECTION OF THE POLICE

Associated Press Despatch.
London, March 26.—The Daily Mail says that David Kirkwood, Labor member of parliament, has received so many threatening letters in consequence of his attacks on the Prince of Wales in the House of Commons and elsewhere, that the Glasgow branch of the National Union of Railwaymen has taken up the matter with the home secretary. The latter is said to have promised Mr. Kirkwood full investigation of the threats and to have offered him police protection, which he has refused.

Today's Radio

Radio programs, which The Advertiser has been publishing one day in advance, are now being published for "today" in response to requests from subscribers.

Radio programs of all leading stations appear daily in the right-hand column of the comics page—see page 15 today.

Export Duty On Power To Be Protested :: Opposition To Attack Balance Sheet

MUNICIPALITIES TO FIGHT TAX PLAN SAYS MAGUIRE

President of Hydro Association Declares Imposition of Export Duty Unfair.

BACKED BY FOSTER

Fear Tax Cannot Be Passed Along To American Consumer.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, March 25.—Discussing the tax on the export of power this afternoon, C. A. Maguire, president of the Hydro-Electric Municipal association, stated that as far as the association was concerned an emphasis protest would be made against the impost.

The municipalities, he said, were opposed to the export of power, especially further export, and particularly against the export by companies established, especially to exploit Canadian waterpower and sell the energy to the United States to the detriment of this country. "Export by the hydro commission is an entirely different matter, however," said Mr. Maguire. "The only power that the hydro is exporting is what they are bound to export under long-term contracts, which had to be assumed when private companies were taken over."

"There would be no particular objection to the tax on hydro exports if it could be passed along to the consumer in the United States."

Mayor Foster expressed similar views, and declared that the people of Toronto should not be made to pay this export tax.

WOULD PAY \$160,000. Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, March 25.—Of the \$400,000 revenue estimated by Hon. J. A. Robb, acting minister of finance, as available to the Dominion in the new federal tax on the export of power, about \$160,000 will be chargeable to the Ontario Hydro-Electric Commission, according to the estimate made here.

At the hydro offices here today it was considered doubtful whether the proposed tax could be collected from the users of Canadian power exported to the United States, as contracts in this regard were on a long-term basis at fixed prices. It was stated that the tax would therefore have to be borne by the Canadian users in the Niagara power district, including the city of Toronto, whose power and light would cost \$60,000 more as the result of this export duty.

TWO COMPANIES EXPORT. Montreal, March 25.—The federal government will collect \$146,250 per annum from the province of Quebec through the new export tax of \$1.95 per horsepower on electric power exported, announced in yesterday's budget. From Ontario, the amount collected will be \$168,267.45.

The only company exporting power in the province of Quebec is the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company, and its affiliates, and their exports amount to 75,000 horsepower. Two Ontario organizations are exporting, the Ontario Power Company, the former having exported 52,204 horsepower in 1924, and the latter 34,087, a total of 86,291.

STOP TAMPERING. Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, March 25.—The tax on the export of electrical power will certainly, I should think, have the effect of discouraging Americans from tampering with Canada's natural resources," J. S. Norris, vice-president and general manager of the Montreal Light, Heat and Power Company, declared today, discussing the provisions of this year's budget.

For Colds, Grip or Influenza and as a Preventive, take Laxative BROMO QUININE Tablets. A Safe and Proven Remedy. The box bears the signature of E. W. Grove. 20c. Made in Canada.—Adv.

AUTO ACCIDENT FATAL TO MAJOR CARTWRIGHT

Major Otis T. Cartwright, father-in-law of Mrs. Jessie Bray of this city, died recently in Walter Reed Army hospital, Washington, D. C. Major Cartwright was injured in an auto accident at Norfolk, Virginia, more than a month ago, and it was thought he would recover, but complications set in and he failed to rally. Major Cartwright was a member of General John Pershing's personal staff during the war, and had gained a wide reputation as a military man in the United States. Interment was made in the national cemetery at Arlington, Virginia.



CONWAY TEARLE, who is co-starring with Alice Terry and Wallace Beery in that dramatic drama of the west, "The Great Divide," at the Capitol today.

Towns Prefer Rum To Police

Associated Press Despatch. Washington, March 25.—Townsfolk at points along the New York and Jersey Atlantic coast apparently prefer rum-runners to coast-guardsmen, reports reaching liquor enforcement headquarters here indicate. Because of their increased vigilance against rum-smuggling the guardsmen are being snubbed in stores and subjected to other forms of social boycott, they declare. Numerous threats are also being received.

FARMER IS KILLED BY FALLING TREE

James McLachlan at Work in Bush When Accident Occurred.

James McLachlan, Sen., was almost instantly killed Tuesday, when struck on the head by a falling limb from a tree he was cutting down on his son's farm on concession 8, Westminster township.

Mr. McLachlan and his son Dan had been cutting trees for firewood in the hardwood bush in the rear of the farm. The trunk of a tree had just been chopped in two, and in falling it struck a dead branch on another tree, and this crashed down on Mr. McLachlan's head. Mr. McLachlan died without regaining consciousness.

He was over 70, and had retired from active farming several years ago. Mr. McLachlan was a member of St. Andrew's church, Glenworth. He is survived by two sons, Dan and J. A., both at home, and two daughters, Mrs. (Dr.) Reid, Chatham, and Mary, at home.

The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon from his residence in Pont Mills cemetery. Rev. J. M. Crawford will conduct the services.

CHURCH TO SOLVE COLOR PROBLEMS

Geoffrey Wheable Discusses Race Questions Before First Presbyterian Club.

Speaking to the men's association of the First Presbyterian church last night, Geoffrey A. Wheable, B.A., M.C., declared that reconciliation of the white and colored races of the world is not an impossible task.

Mr. Wheable's address constituted itself a review of the book, "The Clash of Color," by Basil Matthews, in which the author asserts that the solution of the tremendous problem lies in the adherence to the church and abolition of war.

"What we need is more of King Arthur's idea and ideal," affirmed Mr. Wheable—"the gathering together of all races to defend the distressed and the weak and to fight for world peace. Men must be born into a new role, the Holy Church, since it alone, in its faith of the Holy Father, has the secret power to overcome racial difficulties."

Result of War. "The colored races, which were dragged into the last war, though really a white man's war, returning to their own countries imbued with the principles of self-determination, and what they had learned of the white man's life and activities brought about a new impetus. The result of that impetus is that some of the colored races want to fight the white man, a few are willing to work with him, but all decline to wholly submit to his reign as in recent past years."

Emile Bruce of Australia, Premier Massey of New Zealand, and Premier King of Canada, all said in 1923 that the raising of barriers against the wholesale entry of colored races into the three named countries was not a question of race or color, but one of wage competition and economic conditions in an attempt to maintain present standards of living.

"We do not instinctively feel repulsion toward the colored races; the repulsion is cultivated or comes in only when the adult mind becomes affected by the mob dislike of color."

Present Day Growth. "The present day racial superiority of the whites, in view of the newness of history, is comparatively of mushroom growth, and therefore the white race would do well to take advantage of it while it lasts, in order to prevent impossible domination by colored races in the years to come."

"To grant unchecked immigration into Canada of colored races," concluded Mr. Wheable, "would be to submerge western civilization, but to refuse indefinitely admittance to 1,000,000,000 of people is a task never attempted before and one which almost means world suicide."

The officers of the association for the ensuing year were named as follows: Archie McPherson, president; Gavin H. Highway, vice-president; J. W. Peart, secretary; J. W. Griffith, treasurer; team captains, Hugh Shuttleworth, Lorne Hamilton, R. D. Stevenson, Harry Hall, R. D. McDonald, G. A. Symes, T. W. Scandrett, promoter, J. W. Griffith, G. A. Wheable, Jared Vining, Rev. William Beattie, D.D., E. E. Reid, G. G. Lethbridge; general service committee, R. C. Ballfou, J. McArthur, Fred Granger, Ellis Hall, W. D. Jackson; membership committee, team captains and secretary.

TALC—DEMONIAC

The title of this puzzle is the solution to a word or group of words appearing in this puzzle. Can you find them? Each word reads from left to right (horizontal) or downward (vertical) according to position. Lettered in correctly, words that cross will interlock. Each number in the white squares also refers to a definition in the accompanying table. Each definition suggests a word possessing the exact number of letters to fit the white spaces allotted to it. Each white space is to receive one letter only. Words start only in numbered spaces.

THE ADVERTISER'S DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE NO. 139.

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HORIZONTAL. VERTICAL.

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|-------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------|----------------------------------|
| 1 Surrounding entirely. | 28 Pounds, shillings, pence (abbr). | 1 A printer's measure. | 24 Fastens, knots (abbr). |
| 7 Afternoon (abbr). | 29 Prince Edward Island (abbr). | 2 To contend. | 27 Fully paid (abbr). |
| 8 "I am" (contraction). | 30 A gait of a horse. | 3 A girl's name (abbr). | 31 Royal mail (abbr). |
| 9 A measure of area. | 32 Part of the verb "to be". | 4 To move away, leave. | 32 The atmosphere. |
| 10 A preposition. | 33 A note of the scale. | 5 Love of country. | 33 A chart. |
| 12 Possessed by an evil spirit. | 34 A little malignant spirit. | 6 A negative. | 35 A note of the scale. |
| 15 A small artificial elevation of earth. | 35 A prevaricator. | 13 A number. | 37 A narrow passageway of track. |
| 18 In a little while. | 36 To make a kind of noise. | 14 A negative. | 38 The capital of Nevada. |
| 21 To act wildly. | 40 Gives a keen edge to. | 15 Ancient two-wheeled vehicles (abbr). | 41 To spring. |
| 23 And (Latin and French). | 41 A preposition. | 16 Each (abbr). | 42 Correlative of "neither". |
| 24 A soft, whitish mineral. | 42 A negative. | 20 A boy's name (abbr). | 43 Similar to like. |
| 25 An organ of the head. | 43 Manuscript (abbr). | 22 A cardinal point of the compass. | 44 A possessive adjective. |
| 27 A tree allied to the spruce. | 45 In a more excellent manner. | | |

SOLUTION FOR NO. 138.

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LONE CRIMINAL FOUND IN MANHATTAN COMB

Thousand Detectives Get Only One Man With Long Record.

By EDNA MARSHALL. Special to The Advertiser. Copyright, 1925.

New York, March 25.—For a few days at least, and perhaps for the first time in the history of New York, Manhattan's streets are virtually free from criminals.

A thousand detectives loosed by Police Commissioner Enright Monday night, with orders to seize on sight every man they recognized as a criminal, have found so far on the tight little island just one man known to have a long record.

MANY ATTEND FUNERAL GODERICH CHURCH WORKER

Special to The Advertiser. Goderich, March 25.—North Street Methodist church was the scene yesterday of the funeral service of the late Mrs. Sanford Stokes, who died Saturday, March 21, in her 84th year, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. W. J. McEwen. The service was very largely attended.

Until recent weeks Mrs. Stokes had been active in her work in the church and particularly the Women's Missionary society, in which she had brought many life members.

The service was conducted by the pastor, Rev. J. E. Holmes, assisted by two former pastors, Rev. H. D. Moyer of Mitchell, and Rev. J. E. Ford of town. Interment was made in Maitland Cemetery.

Special to The Advertiser. Petrolia, March 25.—An organ recital and sacred concert was held in Christ church this evening. A large crowd attended the concert. A delightful program was presented by local talent. Organ solos were rendered by Miss B. MacAlpine, vocal solos by Hoarse McDougall, H. Greenlee and E. H. Gilroy. Mrs. Geo. Strieter gave a violin solo, and a reading was given by Rev. R. C. Pitts.

Special to The Advertiser. Rodney, March 25.—The death occurred on Sunday last of Mrs. Mary Ann Vanloon, wife of J. H. Vanloon of Aldborough. She was 71 years of age. The funeral was held on Wednesday from the family residence, Silver street, Aldborough, to Gillies cemetery.

Special to The Advertiser. Wyoming, March 25.—While at work John Grievie's sugar bush, Will Grievie was struck in the eye by a breaking bough. A tiny piece of a bud penetrated the eyeball, causing a painful wound. The sight of the eye was saved by prompt treatment by a London specialist.

RADIO AS AID TO PEACE FORESEEN BY HARBORD

Chief of United States' Largest Firm Declares New Understanding Is Already Noticeable—Wireless Transmission of Power Viewed as Possibility of Future.

UNIVERSAL LANGUAGE ALSO LOOKED FOR

This is the third of a series of interviews with foremost businessmen, secured especially for The Advertiser and the North American Newspaper Alliance.

By JOHN F. SINCLAIR. Economist, former banker, business man and university teacher, and author of the series "Can Europe Hold Together?" and "Can Your Taxes Be Cut?"

"There are 1,800,000,000 people in the world. If they could get together and shout as one voice, the voice-power thus produced would fall short of the strength of the single radio voice as it goes out every evening over the air from the modern broadcasting station. It would take thirteen times as many people as are now on the earth to equal the voice-power of the average station. For the voice is increased fifty billion times. Truly the radio broadcasting station can be called 'the voice of the world.'"

These words were spoken by Gen. J. G. Harbord, president of the Radio Corporation of America, the world's largest corporation dealing in radio activity.

"Gen. Harbord, what about the future of broadcasting?" I asked.

"We began five years ago," he declared. "Now look at it. In 1920 less than \$2,000,000 worth of radio receiving sets were sold. In 1924 it was \$300,000,000. In America, a quarter of a million persons are directly or indirectly connected with the radio industry. Three thousand manufacturers make apparatus, which reaches the public through 1,000 wholesalers, serving 25,000 retail dealers. And all that in five years."

But that is not the whole picture. "More than 1,000 newspapers print radio programs and thirty periodicals are devoted exclusively to radio. Two hundred and fifty books, popular and technical, have been published. And almost 600 broadcasting stations in the United States furnish daily and even hourly service to 18,000,000 Americans, listening through approximately 4,000,000 receiving instruments."

Boundaries Are Forgotten.

"Broadcasting is still in swaddling clothes. So far, not far away. International broadcasting will be an every minute occurrence with Europe, South America and the Asiatic shores of the Pacific. National boundaries will be forgotten, and the people of the earth will become united, independent, sensitive."

"What effect will radio have in developing a universal language?" he was asked.

"A universal world language is coming, I believe. It may be English, for America leads the world in broadcasting and the British Empire comes next. It may be a neutral or synthetic language like Esperanto or Ido. But of this we are sure, a universal language will necessarily follow international broadcasting."

The United States has 540 broadcasting stations in operation, of which about 40 are in class B. The cost of maintaining one of these class B stations is from \$100,000 to \$200,000 a year. Most of these stations are owned and operated by large business organizations. General Harbord was asked how the future expense of these stations could be met.

"The question of how to pay for upkeep, including programs, is hard to answer," he said. "I do not favor any tax on the owner of a receiving set, but I believe a satisfactory solution must be found, although I do not think the time has come for such a solution."

Many students of radio development, especially in the field of broadcasting, believe that when interconnection of powerful stations by radio or wire is so organized that every local station can deliver nation-wide events with regularity, this program of broadcasting expense will necessarily be much less, and thus be more easily met.

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TOR AMENDMENT TO BE CONFINED

Robb Steals Conservative Fire and Meighen at Sea On Tariff.

BOARD DOES TRICK

By E. C. BUCHANAN. Special to The Advertiser by Staff Correspondent.

Ottawa, March 25.—After having been submitted to the process of digestion for a day, the Robb budget is regarded as being pretty much what the doctor ordered. The consensus of considered opinions is that it is well calculated to meet the condition of the country, while admittedly it is suited to the situation of the government.

Politically, the strength of the budget lies in its moderation, in the absence of openings for effective criticism.

At the same time, Mr. Robb has succeeded in stealing some of the wind from the sails of the Opposition. He has undertaken to provide a scientific examination of the tariff requirements of the country by an advisory board, thereby doing without fuss what Mr. Meighen has been advocating in manifestos. Further, the really important part of the examination and on observation of the effect of the modifications made a year ago. This stand the government can easily defend against the higher tariff assaults of the Tories and the lower tariff demands of the Progressives.

May Attack Balance Sheet.

The situation, in fact, is such that it is considered doubtful that the Conservative opposition will attempt a tariff amendment. It may have to content itself with an amendment disputing the authenticity of the finance minister's balance sheet. Remembering its discomfiture of last session, when one of Mr. Meighen's numerous missteps was to let the two-member Labor party get in ahead of the government in endeavoring to so offset one of its own, the Conservatives will make an early offering. They are now busy devising it.

Their immediate task is to examine the customs tariff, the increase in the duty on slack coal and the draw back on bituminous coal, for coking, are designed to materially assist Canadian industry in the one case and to further an advantageous government policy in the other. Run of mine coal has been coming into Canada mixed with slack coal under the old 14-cent duty, and the local industry of Nova Scotia has considered it had a legitimate grievance. This has been removed. Bituminous coal for coking is coming practically free under the drawback as part of the government's policy for freeing Canada from dependence on the United States for its fuel supply.

Aids Coking Plants.

The cheaper bituminous coal is intended to assist the establishment of coking plants in Toronto. As Hon. Charles Stewart has already announced, the government is endeavoring to have the Ontario hydro electric commission establish such plants in connection with its proposed auxiliary generating system.

In their search for Ethiopians in the wood pile, some parliament hill cynics hit upon the export duty on power. They suggest that this has been devised as a means of enabling the government to permit the export of power from private developments. The suggestion is that private interests proposing large power developments on the Ottawa river and elsewhere and looking for a market in the United States have reached the ear of the ministry and that the export of this power may be permitted on the plea that it will provide revenue.

The prime minister stated some days ago that he desired to have the debate on the budget concluded by the government in two weeks. Whether this desire is realized or not depends to a large extent on the opposition. The question is as to how far the Conservatives will feel they can afford to go in blocking progress without exposing themselves to public censure for so doing.

If the Liberals would continue the debate with them no doubt they would carry on for weeks, but in view of the government's desire to get on with the session it is not likely that many speeches will be made on the right of the house and the Meighen group were it to again occupy the floor by itself for any considerable time as it did in the debate on the address.

To spare itself from the charge of deliberately holding up the session, the opposition may have to subside whether it wants to or not. Its strategy is to prolong the session as long as it can safely do so.

The Progressives, particularly those of the ginger group, will devote of the session the absence of further tariff reductions. No doubt some of them will vote against the government. But to the moderate members of the party, the course of the administration must appeal.

EXCHANGE MAIN BUSINESS OF MEXICO CITY BANKS

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Mexico City, March 25.—The banks in Mexico City are engaged almost exclusively in the exchange business, owing to the unprecedented rise in the quotation of Mexican gold pesos compared with the American dollar.

REV. TREVOR H. DAVIES TO GIVE LECTURE SERIES

Much interest is being taken by the public in the series of lectures to be given in Dundas Centre Methodist church by Rev. Trevor H. Davies, D.D., on "Great Christian Interpretations."

The series commences on Sunday night.

Dr. Davies won a name for himself as a speaker in England, and since coming to Canada has won country-wide fame as a speaker of unusual ability. Recently he conducted a series of lectures in Ottawa, and on every occasion the hall was filled to overflowing.

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FALL OF TORYISM AS POWER IS SEEN

Duke of Sutherland Tells Lords Tories in Power For Last Time.

LABOR MAY RETURN

Associated Press Despatch. London, March 25.—Reform of the House of Lords, one of the subjects which the Conservative party hoped to deal with when it obtained its unexpected huge majority at the last election was discussed today by the noble lords themselves.

All British parties are agreed that some sort of reform of the upper house at Westminster is needed but reform means different things with each party. In the minds of most Conservatives, reform of the lords means removal of the restrictions placed in the powers of the upper house by the Duke of Sutherland during the storm period of Lloyd George's earlier career in the Asquith administration during 1910-11. But even Conservatives find themselves unable to agree on any one policy of reform. Moreover, since the days of 1910 the great Labor party has arisen, has been in office and probably before many years will be in office again.

It was the Labor party that evidently caused today's query in the house of lords by the Duke of Sutherland who asked the government to indicate its policy on the reform issue. "An unreformed hereditary house of lords on the existing lines would not be endured six months by any labor government with a real majority," observed the duke, who further expressed his belief that the present was the last chance for a Conservative regime in England.

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The Astonishing Adventure of Jane Smith

By PATRICIA WENTWORTH.

INSTALLMENT XXVIII.

Jane turned her thoughts from Molloy to the more pressing consideration of her own immediate course of action. Embur would come in the morning, and would find Molloy gone, and no word to say where he had gone, or why.

The idea of following Molloy's footprints presented itself vividly before Jane's imagination. Why should she stay any longer at Luttrell Marches? The idea of getting away set her heart dancing.

And what was there to stay for? She had all the evidence necessary to procure Embur's arrest, and the smashing of the conspiracy. The sooner she was out of Luttrell Marches and with her precious papers in a place of security the better.

But on second thought she decided that it would be in the highest degree unwise to put Embur on his guard. His distrust of Molloy might be so great as to make him suspicious of the originals and to take the copies—but she had left the copies in her room pinned to the cupboard ceiling.

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Jane wanted to laugh, and she wanted to cry. She did not know which she wanted most, but presently she found that the tears were running down her face. She kept winking them away, because it is not at all easy to climb slippery stone steps by the light of a guttering candle if your eyes keep filling with tears.

The tears magnified the candle flame, and sometimes made it look like two or three little flames, which she drew back a shade, set her foot still, wiped her eyes with determined energy, and then climbed up more steps and back along the way that she had come.

At the headland exit she stood still, taking breath and thought. Nothing would induce her to pass that way again. She would keep to the main passage, and her foot still, wiped her eyes with determined energy, and then climbed up more steps and back along the way that she had come.

Thinking about things makes them worse, not better," said Jane to herself. "It's perfectly beastly; but then it's all perfectly beastly."

She blew out the candle and moved slowly forward.

It seemed ages before she came past the opening where she had run into Henry to the foot of the stairs. She went up three steps, raised her foot to take the fourth, and felt a hardly perceptible check. Instantly she drew back a shade, set her foot still, wiped her eyes with determined energy, and then climbed up more steps and back along the way that she had come.

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Social and Personal

Mr. Mel Brock left St. Catharines on Tuesday for London.

Mr. Floyd Hunter spent the week-end with friends in Hamilton.

Mr. Frank Tobin spent the week-end at his home in Woodstock.

Mr. Edward W. Grange of Montreal spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. Charles Robertson of Dorinda street, was a guest in St. Mary's this week.

Miss Anne Ward is spending a short time with sister, Mrs. William Madill, in Detroit.

Miss Margaret Coyne, of St. Thomas, addressed the Women's Canadian club in Guelph yesterday.

Mrs. J. J. Dew of Guelph is spending a short time with Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Robinson at the Ontario hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crouch, of Queen's avenue, are leaving this evening for Toronto for a short visit.

Mrs. McIlwraith and small daughter Jean of Woodstock, were recent visitors in London and Thamesville.

Mrs. Passey, wife of Major Passey, is leaving town next week to take up residence with her husband in Ottawa.

Miss Jean Wyatt of Wellington street left yesterday to spend a fortnight with Mrs. Warren Hastings in Toronto.

Mrs. J. G. Hunt, Victoria street, returned yesterday from Quebec city, where she has been a guest for the past ten days.

About the middle of May there will be a day to mark the graduation of the nurses from the Victoria hospital training school.

Miss Helen Rowat expects to go to White Plains hospital, New York, in June to take post-graduate course as a dietitian.

Miss Rose Smith, who has been spending the winter with her sister, Mrs. Robert Watt, has returned to her home in St. Thomas.

Mr. Thomas Devine has returned to Buffalo after attending the wedding of his brother, Mr. Cecil Devine, and Miss Frieda Pratt, both of this city.

Mr. and Mrs. James Neville of St. James street, have returned to the city from a pleasant visit in Jacksonville, Florida, of several weeks' duration.

Mrs. Gordon Rutledge and young son, John William Rutledge, of Toronto, are guests with Mrs. Rutledge's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Chapman, King street.

Mrs. T. H. Baker and the Misses Mildred and Marion Baker, who have spent the late winter months in Florida, have returned to their home on Central avenue.

Mrs. W. Jeffrey and small sons, Tom and Jack, of Detroit, are spending a short time with Mrs. Jeffrey's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William Ward, Mount Pleasant avenue.

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RIDGETOWN IS PROUD OF BEAUTIFUL LAWNS

Horticultural Society Takes Active Part in Town Beautification.

Special to The Advertiser.

Ridgetown, March 25.—The Horticultural society enjoyed an illustrated address by Mr. Moore, a specialist from the department. There is scarcely a lawn in Ridgetown that does not boast of a variety of roses and of other blooming shrubs.

The members of the chums and the Junior Bible class of the Church of Christ assembled at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Green to bid farewell to their daughter Isabel, who is leaving on a nine-months' visit to Saskatchewan. The evening was spent in games, after which Miss Green was presented with an ivory brush and comb as a small token of remembrance.

The funeral of the late Roy Betts took place this afternoon to the Greenwood cemetery. The service was conducted at the Methodist church by the Rev. Doan. Among those from a distance who attended the funeral of the late Roy Betts were Mr. and Mrs. James of Chatham, Miss Betta Betts of Oshawa and Earl Betts, Queen's University, Kingston.

Baroness de Hueck gave a very thrilling lecture, under the auspices of the high school literary society, to a large and attentive audience in the municipal hall on Wednesday evening. She gave an interesting account of her personal experiences in Russia. She is a Russian princess, who with her husband escaped from Russia during 1917.

AN ITALIAN SPAGHETTI DISH.

Spaghetti With Cheese.

Take a handful of the very long sticks of spaghetti and put one end of the bunch in a kettle of boiling water lightly salted. As the sticks soften bend the mass around in the kettle and so put it all in without breaking the spaghetti. Cook until tender, then drain and blanch.

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Mr. Mel Brock left St. Catharines on Tuesday for London.

Mr. Floyd Hunter spent the week-end with friends in Hamilton.

Mr. Frank Tobin spent the week-end at his home in Woodstock.

Mr. Edward W. Grange of Montreal spent the week-end in town.

Mrs. Charles Robertson of Dorinda street, was a guest in St. Mary's this week.

Miss Anne Ward is spending a short time with sister, Mrs. William Madill, in Detroit.

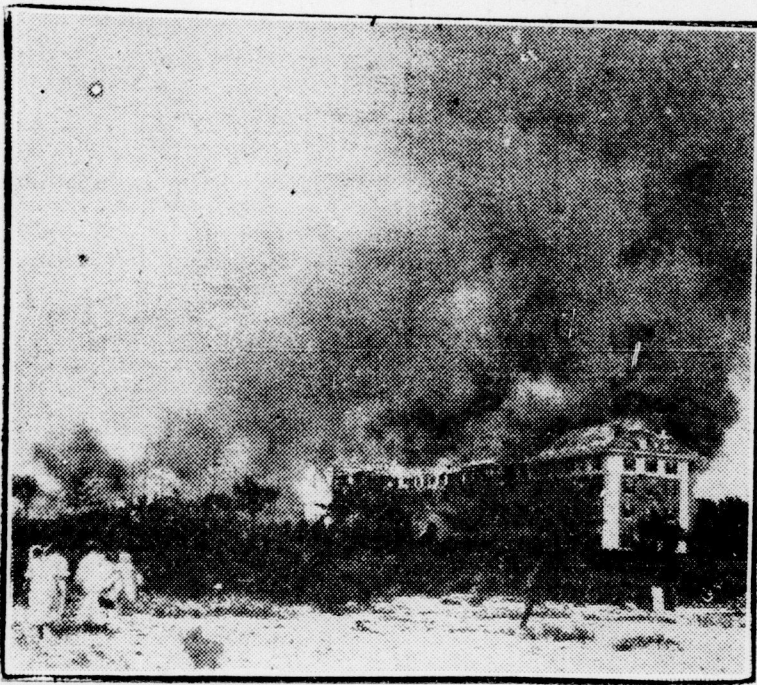
Miss Margaret Coyne, of St. Thomas, addressed the Women's Canadian club in Guelph yesterday.

Mrs. J. J. Dew of Guelph is spending a short time with Dr. and Mrs. W. J. Robinson at the Ontario hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crouch, of Queen's avenue, are leaving this evening for Toronto for a short visit.

Mrs. McIlwraith and small daughter Jean of Woodstock, were recent visitors in London and Thamesville.

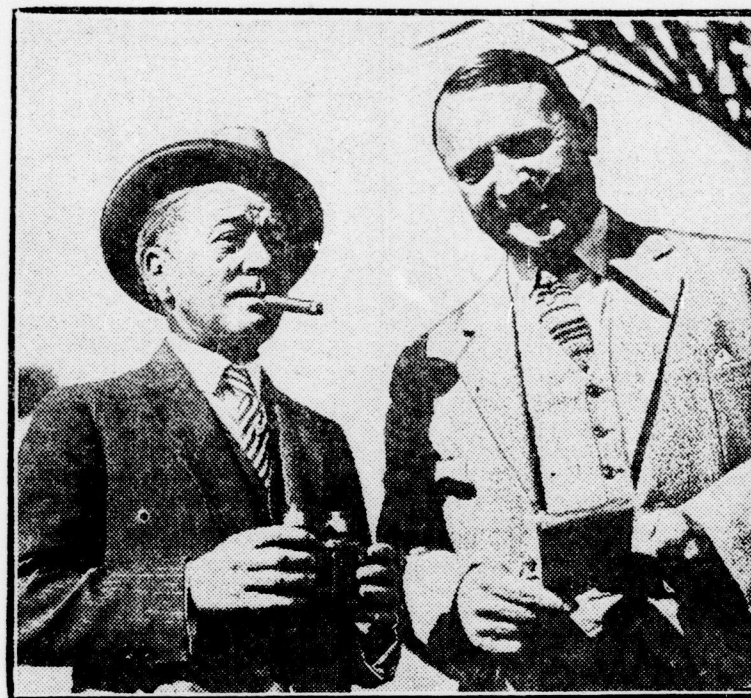
Find Tennyson Letter; Study Farming Here; Storm Destroys Town



This remarkable photograph was taken at the height of the fire which destroyed the Breakers Hotel at Palm Beach, Fla., known as one of the largest wooden structures in the world



A party of young men left Southampton, England, for Canada, where they are to take a six-months' course in farming. They are shown talking things over with the captain of the boat



Tod Sloan, famous jockey of another day (left) and Barney Oldfield, retired automobile racer, pick out a "winner" at the race course at Tijuana, Mexico



Competitors are shown "coming over" during the cross-country run recently when the Middlesex Ladies' Athletic Club met in the London Olympiades



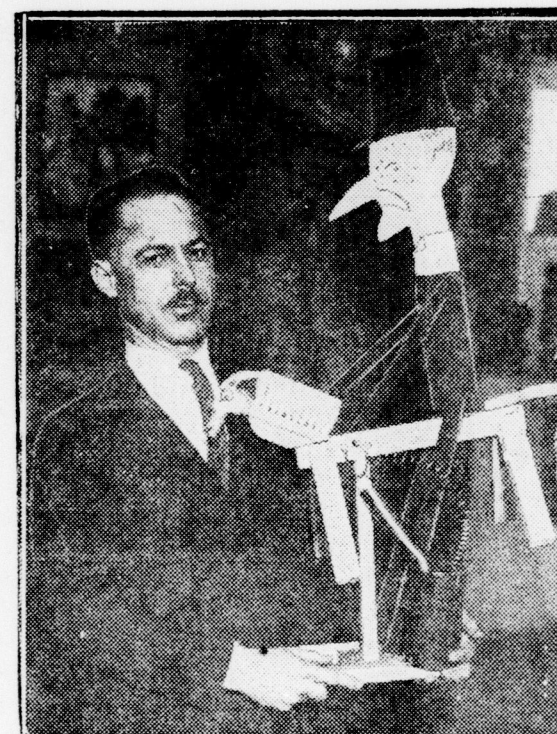
Queen Victoria of Spain poses for her photograph in the drawing room of the royal palace of Madrid



A new fad of the fair sex is to wear flowers on the arm, which are attached there by a ribbon. This young lady shows how it is done



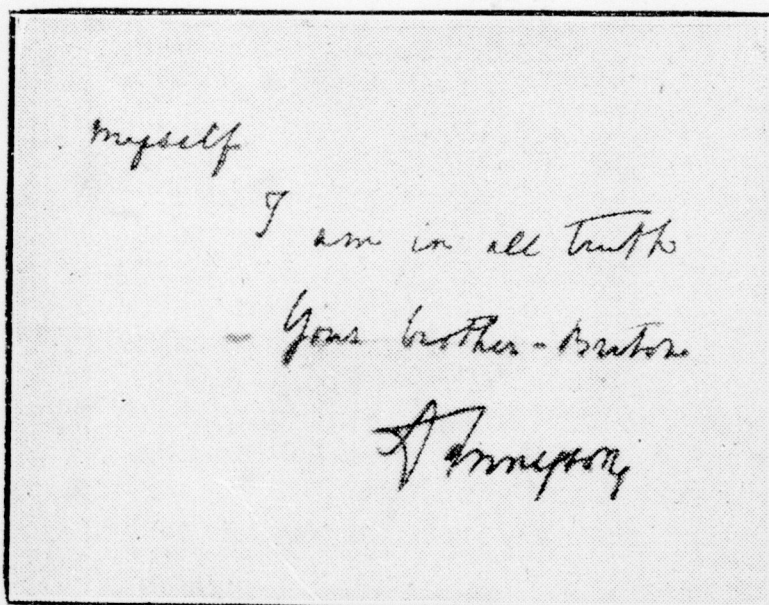
Here is a late study of Lady Coryndon, the wife of Sir Robert Coryndon, governor and commander-in-chief of Uganda, British South Africa. Recently she gave a ball and reception to the Duke and Duchess of York, who are now on a hunting trip



President Coolidge and his "mechanical horse" are modeled by this New York artist, not in plaster and bronze, but in household tools, in order to carry out "Cal's" economy scheme



"Papa Jiggs," prize leader on an ostrich farm in California, loses some of his fine feathers. But, of course, he doesn't mind as long as he has his eyes covered



One of the few letters in Canada written by Lord Tennyson was found recently among the papers of William Kirby, author of the "Golden Dog," to whom it was addressed. The part reproduced above reads: "I am in all truth your brother-Briton. A. Tennyson"



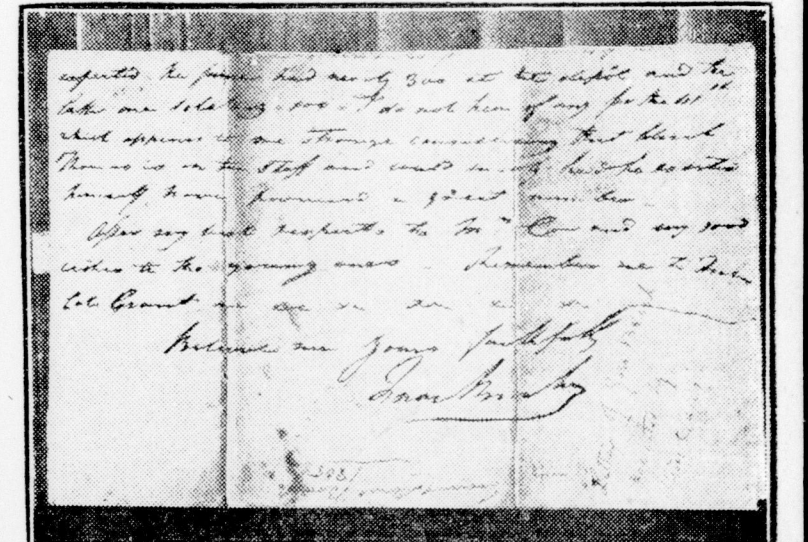
Dr. Rudolf Siefhart, former chancellor of the Austrian exchequer, who is on this continent to study banking, says that his country is slowly gaining its prestige in the business circles of the world



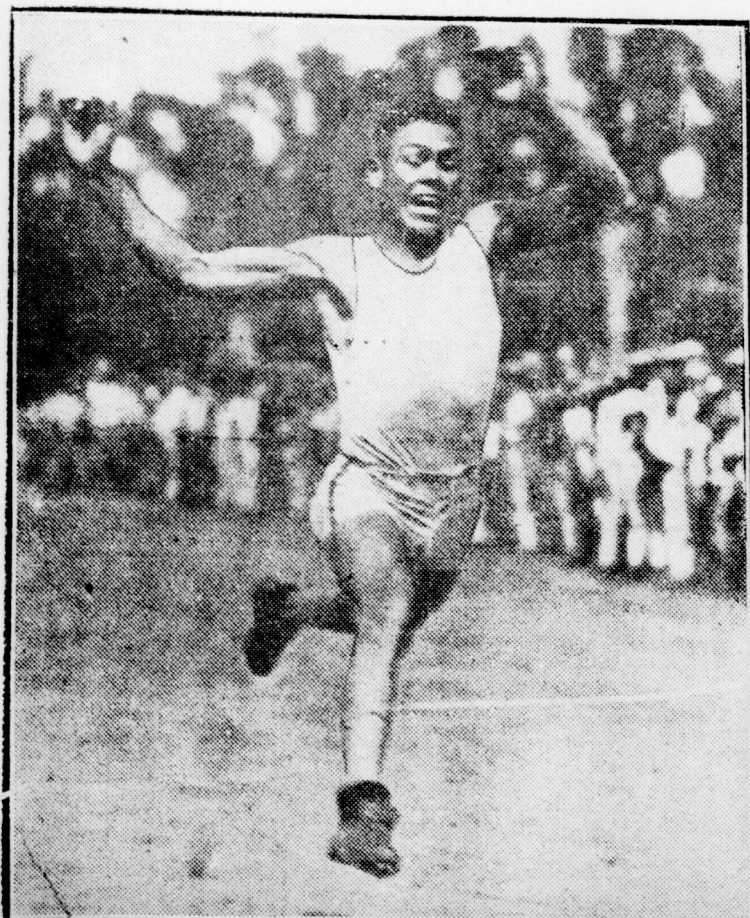
A general air view is shown of tornado and fire-swept Murphysboro, Illinois, which was practically reduced to kindling wood by the devastating storm which swept several middle-west states recently



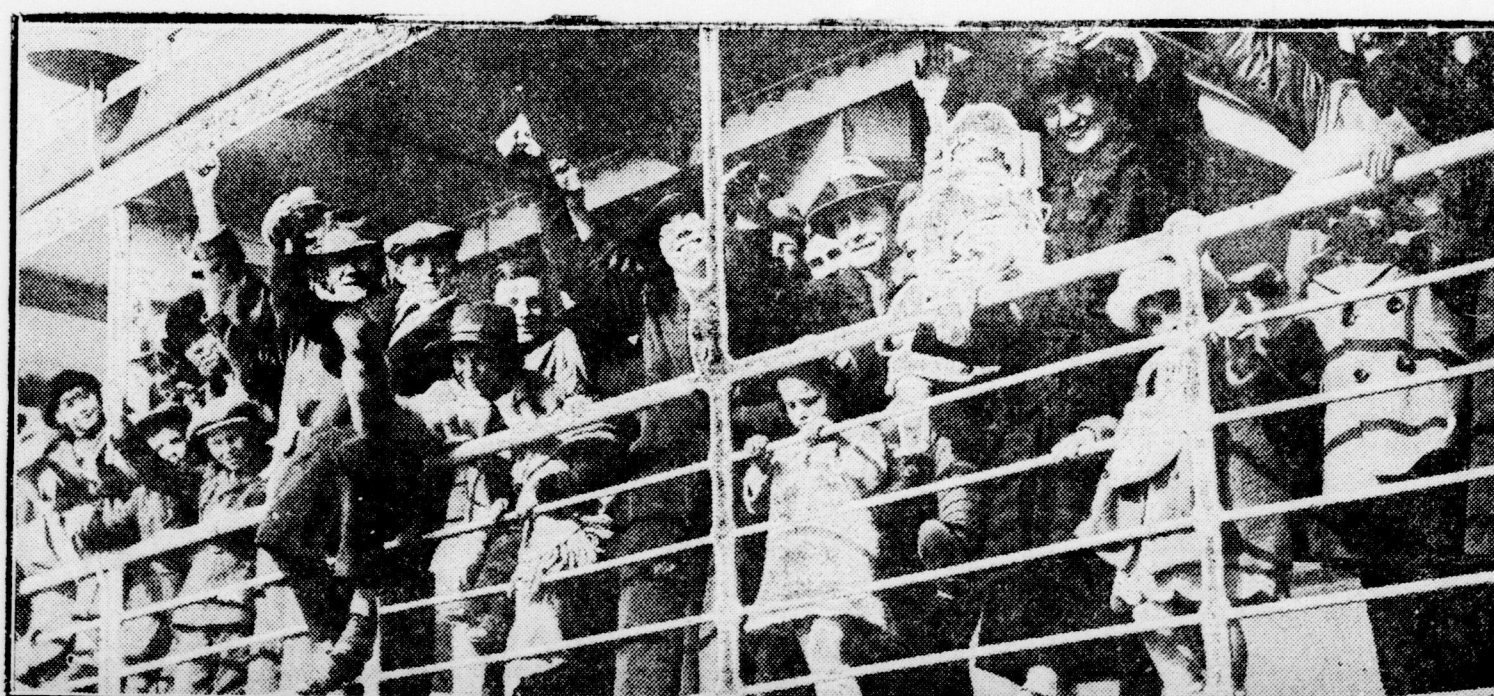
Here is a recent photograph of Mrs. John G. Sargent, wife of the new United States attorney-general, taken at her home in Ludlow, Vt., the other day



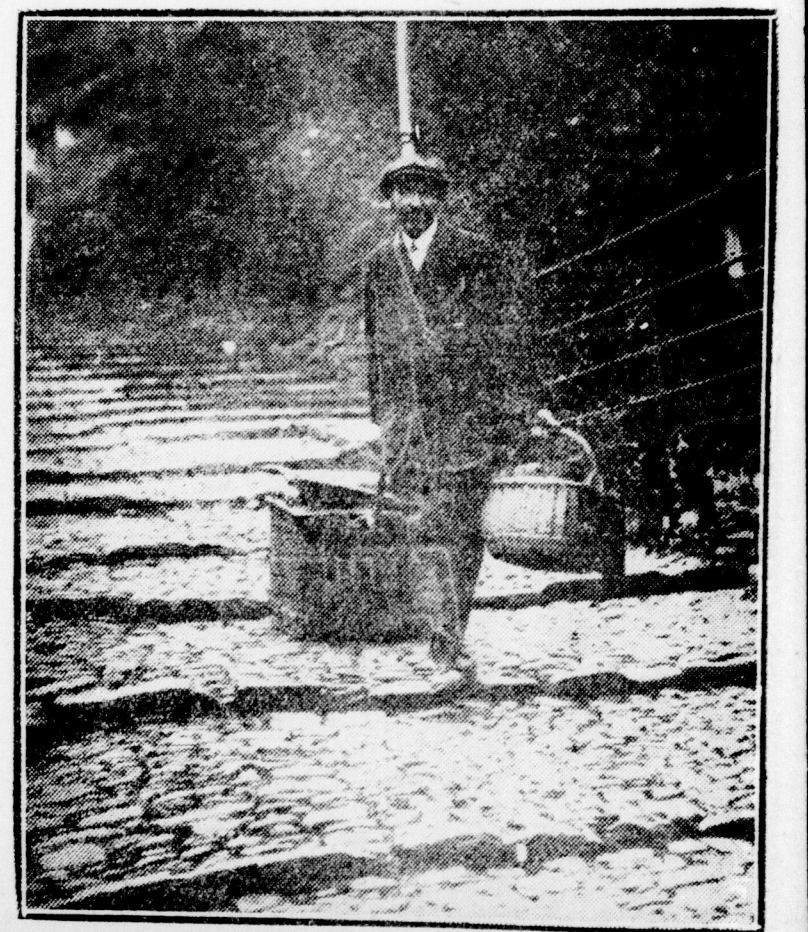
Above is a reproduction of part of letter believed to be the first written by Sir Isaac Brock in Canada. It was found recently among many other original manuscripts at the old home of William Kirby, well-known Canadian author and poet of the last century



Willie Roy Arenas, Indian, is the man that California has picked to compete against Paavo Nurmi in Los Angeles. C. Paddock is his trainer and has taught him many tricks of the cinder path



English families are embarking almost daily for Canada under the joint scheme of the Imperial and Canadian governments. A group are shown waving goodbye to friends at Southampton



The baker at Clovelly, Devon, has to carry his bread in a basket on runners, which he pulls behind him, as the peculiar step-like street makes it impossible for a cart to negotiate it

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Thomas D'Arcy McGee.

Canadians of today accept Confederation as matter of fact. We are almost fifty-eight years removed from the date when it was consummated, and it is not often that we pay serious attention to it—at best our celebration of the first of July is rather listless and perfunctory.

We know little of the men whom we refer to as the fathers of confederation, and it is for that reason that the coming centennial of the birth of Hon. Thomas D'Arcy McGee should be fittingly observed. In his early years one would not have looked upon D'Arcy McGee as a man who would have heralded the coming of a united Canada, in which there would be room for race, religion and creed. It is even more remarkable to recall that the idea of Canadian unity under the British crown was first declared by D'Arcy McGee, a citizen whom a short time before had been regarded as undesirable by the British government of that day—yet he was one of the fathers of confederation.

Born in Ireland on April 13, 1825, schooled as a journalist, D'Arcy McGee's fiery oratory was heard at the early age of seventeen, and when he was twenty-three he had been an exile for participating in a rebellion. When he was thirty-two he came to Canada, but there was no Canadian sentiment.

Few men possessed a more marked ability for speech that awakened the imagination and spurred the sluggish vision. D'Arcy McGee saw confederation before it arrived. He was one of the spies who in fancy ran on ahead into the new land and, returning, told what he had seen. And this was his report:

"I see in the not remote distance one great nationality bound like the shield of Achilles, by the blue rim of ocean. I see it quartered into many communities, each disposing of its internal affairs, but all bound together by free institutions, free intercourse and free commerce. I see within the round of that shield the peaks of the western mountains and the crests of the eastern waves, the winding Assiniboine; the five-fold lakes, the St. Lawrence, the Ottawa, the Saguenay, the St. John and the basin of the Minas. By all these flowing waters, in the valleys they fertilize, in all the cities they visit in their courses, I see a generation of industrious, contented, moral men, free in name and in fact—men capable of maintaining in peace and in war a constitution worthy of such a country."

Canadians can well pause and mark the centenary of the birth of D'Arcy McGee. Hon. Charles Murphy has originated the idea, and the names of hundreds from Atlantic to Pacific are on the committee he has brought into existence. From these we select a few to show the representative character of the committee: Hon. Thomas White; Bishop M. F. Fallon; Rev. J. T. Foley, editor Catholic Record; Major T. J. Murphy; Hume Cronyn; Philip Pocock, London; Hon. George P. Graham; Gabriel Maguire, of Westmount Baptist church, Montreal; Rev. James Smith, principal Wesleyan Theological college, Montreal.

One utterance of D'Arcy McGee's supplies ample reason why Canadians, regardless of race or religion, can join in honoring the memory of this patriot. Speaking to Protestant Irishmen in Quebec city in 1862, he said:

"We Irishmen, Protestant and Catholic, born and bred in a land of religious controversy, should never forget that we now live and act in a land of the fullest religious and civic liberty. All we have to do is each for himself to keep down dissensions which can only weaken, impoverish and keep back the country."

And this plea made sixty-three years ago is broad enough to seriously engage our attention today.

The New City Council.

There will be no more aldermen from ward one on the city council. Neither will there be any more spokesmen from ward two, councillors from ward three or representatives from ward four. In their place there will be simply eight aldermen of the city of London, and they will be in their seats for two years.

Last December the people of the city voted in favor of these changes and yesterday they were given legal authority when the city of London bill passed the private bills committee of the legislature. The changes will become an actuality at the next municipal elections in December.

The purpose of a reduced council with a longer term of office is to secure greater efficiency in municipal affairs. Abolition of the ward system is intended to discourage ward patronage and petty politics and to give the aldermen a united interest in serving the city as a whole. The longer term is intended to eliminate the annual campaigning which often begins very soon after a candidate is elected to office, and to preserve a continuity of policy on the council by having the terms overlap.

There is no question that the theory of these changes is sound. Their effect in actual practice must be regarded now as an experiment, but The Advertiser believes, as it believed last December, that they will produce a distinct improvement during the next two years. The experience of the board of education, and more particularly of the public utilities commission, appears to demonstrate clearly that a smaller body, less disturbed by annual electioneering activities, is more independent, more decisive, and therefore more efficient in serving the city.

The success of the experiment depends ultimately, of course, upon the voters. If the new

system creates sufficient public interest to assure careful selection and election of competent men, the changes will be a success. If there is public indifference no theory and no system, however excellent it may be in itself, can bring good government.

London East Entitled To School.

There is an inclination on the part of some of the aldermen to keep the tax rate at what it was last year even if it is necessary to cut off the proposed east end collegiate.

This would not be good economy; it would not be playing fair with the residents of the east end of the city; it would not be fair to the scholars who are at present attending the so-called east end collegiate.

Care should be taken not to re-enact the performance of 1924, the result of which was that nothing at all was done in the way of solving the collegiate problem in London. The board of education has agreed on one collegiate this year, in the east end, and the addition to the technical school, of which the government pays half. The latter addition will mean no increase in school rates, because the technical school is now paying as much for gymnasium privileges as will carry the charges on the new addition, in which provision will be made for gymnasium accommodation.

The people of the east end have every reason to expect a start will be made on a collegiate for the use of their children; they have been given to understand right along that the work would be undertaken this year and carried through to completion. They have put up with a great deal of inconvenience in sending their children away out of their district to an old rattle-trap of a school that was passed up years ago as unfit for use.

The school must be built, and it should be started now. By no token will the council be justified in seeking to strike out of the estimates the amount necessary for the erection of the east end collegiate.

Let Him Proceed.

Premier Ferguson's speech in the legislature, closing the budget debate, brought forth the story of a deal alleged to have been made between J. C. Ross, former editor of the Farmers' Sun, J. E. Mackay and Aemilius Jarvis, Jun., for the purchase of \$15,000 worth of stock in the Oshawa Reformer, the idea being to make it into a paper that would reflect the views of the Drury following in the province.

Premier Ferguson charged that the Drury following desired to secure control of the Farmers' Sun, but they had not been successful in getting it away from those who were friendly toward J. J. Morrison. Mr. Jarvis, according to the premier, had stated that the shares in the Oshawa paper were bought and the money put up by Peter Smith, and the interest in the paper purchased for Peter Smith.

Premier Ferguson advanced the theory that the \$15,000 was part of the mysterious \$42,000 that was secured from Home Bank commissions, but that hardly holds true because these commissions, according to the records in the Home Bank, were paid on the 12th of September, 1919, and on the 23rd of September, and at a time previous to the date when Peter Smith came into existence as treasurer of Ontario.

At present Mr. Ferguson is throwing a great deal of dust in the air, putting it up to the leaders of the Liberals and Progressives to say who got the \$42,000, yet knowing all the time he is the man himself to go ahead and furnish the answer.

If the premier is able to show that funds taken from the province were afterward used to purchase newspaper property, or if he is able to show that they went into a campaign fund, it is his duty to go ahead and make the exposure, regardless of whether it involves U. F. O., Liberal or Conservative.

Note and Comment.

California has brought out a coreless apple, giving rise to a new problem for the worm to stake a claim.

Dancing masters are now trying to keep dancers farther apart in the interests of morals as well as corns.

Some Londoners have been taking out "pers," and the officials are doing nothing to stop them. They are building permits.

It's a lucky man who has a wife with gumption enough to ask a milliner friend in to spend the evening about this time of year.

The Port Dalhousie was the first boat to enter Toronto harbor this season and the captain got a plug hat. A weapon like that is a dandy for growing bulbs in the house in winter time.

The bottom fell out of the wheat market the other day, and, unlike washday, it couldn't be patched up with a rag and a bit of soap.

Hon. J. A. Robb says the tax was put on exported hydro power because "we need the money." Showing that running a government is much the same as financing a family.

Can't help but marvel at the nerve of that Toronto driver who ran into a policeman. Around here we occasionally take a shunt at the silent policemen on the corners, but never at the real six-footers.

Count Michael Karolyi, former president of Hungary, is in United States, but is not allowed to answer charges made against him while in that country. He plans to visit Canada, and when here will answer the attacks made on him while in the land of the free.

Brantford Expositor and Woodstock Sentinel-Review are busy discussing the new drinks. The Expositor looks for a revival of the old "What'll you have?" and the Woodstock paper wants to know who told the Expositor there would be any choice. Of course there will be a choice. Didn't these papers ever hear of pop?

They Don't Go Now

I used to spin as good a yarn as any old grandad could toss, but now the youngsters laugh at me and say it's just plain apple sauce.

Time passes on, of course that's so, it's always worked about that way, and customs that were new last week have mellowed on their brow today. The paper collar's gone its way, the dickle rests along with him, we don't put tallow on our boots or grow red whiskers on our chin.

My grandson climbs upon my knee and begs for stories of the past, of days when life was rough but good, when pace was not so all-fired fast. 'Tis then I settle back with ease, and wiggle stories from my tongue, of risin' when four bells had struck, 'twas then the day's work was begun.

He grins a cynic at his age, and says he wants a tale more rough, how what I've been a-tellin' him is nothin' but some slobber stuff.

I tell him of the time when once I shot a wolf and grizzly bear, and how next day behind the barn I counted six more wolves out there. How I had took a pitchfork then and batted them upon the eye, and took the hides from off their frame and hung 'em on the fence to dry.

I reckon how a bit like that he wild as any man could toss, the cynic smiles again and says a yarn like that's plain apple sauce.

Once more I spin a fable out that smacks aloud of country air, of ridin' fifty-seven miles and bouncin' on the old gray mare—of camping in the woods at night and eating bark from off a tree, while ninety-seven Indian men were hurling tomahawks at me.

That one's a sizzler so I know, of all my yarns it's far the best, the grandson ought to cheer for me and pin a medal on my chest.

Instead he heaves a weary sigh and strides across the kitchen floor. "Old bunk is all that rot to me. I've heard you tell that one before."

He says he wants a yarn that's new of auto bandits and the like, where Steve he pulls a sawed-off gun and drills six bullets into Mike—he wants an eighty-horse-power car a-holdin' up the village bank, he wants the pirates in a ship a-watchin' while ten women sank.

My yarns of yesterday don't thrill, no more my grandson comes at night, a-beggin' that I tell of how me and Chief Flat Face used to fight. I use to hold him easy like, but I'll be blued if I know how to spin the yarns to please the kids they're raisin' up around here now.—ARK.

To the Editor

He Has His Doubts.

Londoner Fails to See How Travelling Baroness Is Giving Assistance to Unemployed at \$50 Per Lecture.

Editor of The Advertiser:
Sir,—In this morning's issue you print an account of the meeting held in the Capitol theatre Sunday afternoon by one calling herself Baroness de Hueck. You state that she assisted the unemployed. I would like to point out for the information of your readers that she does not assist anybody but herself, and that with as little work as possible. This woman was brought here at a price of \$50 for the afternoon and you will have to show me where that is assisting the unemployed. From the size of the meeting, it is doubtful if \$50 was collected, so I do not know whether she collected her full pound of flesh or not, but in any case it was the unemployed assisting the "baroness" and not her assisting the unemployed.
Yours truly,
L. R. MENZIES.
London, March 23.

Used To Live There.

F. A. Steven of China Inland Mission Was at One Time Stationed at Place Where Earthquake Has Brought Suffering.

Editor of The Advertiser:
Sir,—On Saturday last I received from the headquarters of the China Inland Mission in Toronto a copy of the cablegram from our secretary in Shanghai, forwarded by Reuter's agent in that center, and reproduced in your columns on the same day. The sad news of the destruction of Ta li fu by earthquake and fire was sent to Shanghai headquarters by Mr. George Booth, who is working at a station some ten days' journey from the center of the disaster. Presumably all the wives were down and Mr. Will Hanna had to send a messenger on foot over the mountains to Mr. Booth's station.

It was in the spring of 1884 that I first arrived at Ta li fu, our most westerly station at that time, and it became my home for two years. The city contained only some 10,000 people at that time, for it was only eight years after eight or ten thousands Moslems had been slaughtered in the city as the closing scene in a Moslem revolution which had erected a separate kingdom with Ta li as its capital, and had withstood all the imperial power of China for 18 years.

The population is considerably larger at the present time. For many years there was scarcely any success in gospel work among the natives in this and other stations in the province, but in the past twenty years there has been a remarkable change, and now there are some thousands of good converts, both among the Chinese and among the aborigines.

At Ta li fu there has been a good house and also a school, a dispensary and the Huston memorial chapel with library and bookroom behind it. We fear that this property has shared the fate of the city in general, but we are very thankful to learn that Mr. and Mrs. Hanna and their fellow-workers are safe and well. The telegram says that relief funds are urgently needed.

We hesitate to give prominence to exceptional cases of need caused by drought, flood, earthquake, fire, etc., because the spiritual need of the people is immeasurably greater and it is continuous. As is well known, the China Inland Mission makes no appeal for funds directly to man, but seeks everything from God in prayer. Nevertheless, if any of your readers are minded to send gifts for relief of the suffering and destitute people, I will be glad to receive and forward the same without any deduction for costs of transmission.
F. A. STEVEN,
China Inland Mission,
595 Princess Ave., London, Ont.

If bathing costumes are cut down as much as 1925 frocks for the ladies it won't even need a clothespin to hang them up to dry.

Naturally Curious



Mr. Raney: "If it's such a good umbrella, why don't you open it up in a rain?"

WALLACEBURG VETERANS PLANNING CELEBRATION

Special to The Advertiser.
Wallaceburg, March 25.—There was a good attendance at the special meeting of the Wallaceburg G. W. V. A. to make preliminary arrangements for the Victoria Day celebrations. Committees named: Grounds, Secretary Shirley, Treasurer Glendinning and Charles Warwick; lacrosse, A.

Ronson, J. P. Glendinning; baseball or softball, T. Sherwood, A. Benson; football, D. G. Findlay, J. Pearson; boys and girls races, E. A. Franklin, J. P. Miller; horseshoe tournament, J. McIntosh, Rev. J. S. Leckie; band, Charles Warwick, A. Benson; dance, F. Harrington, R. Sutherland.

It was decided to hold a bazaar on May 23 and a dance in the evening, and to engage the Wallaceburg Concert band to play during the celebration.

Upon a motion of Sherwood and Findlay, Secretary Shirley was instructed to make application to the necessary authorities for permission to sell 4.4 beer in the club. An amendment by Glendinning and Carter, that the matter be laid over for further consideration, was lost.

E. A. Franklin and D. G. Findlay were appointed captains of the membership contest teams. This contest will close on Monday, May 18.

Are You Tortured With Eczema?

Eczema, or Salt Rheum, as it is commonly called, is one of the most agonizing of all skin diseases. The intense burning, itching and smarting, especially at night or when the parts are exposed to heat, are almost unbearable and relief is greatly welcomed.

The most reliable and effective remedy for this trouble is

BURDOCK BLOOD BITTERS

Mrs. J. R. Johnson, R.R. No. 1, Oshawa, Ont., writes:—"For years I was troubled with eczema, and had that terrible itching and burning sensation, and could find no relief for it. Finally, I was advised to use B.B.B. and after my second bottle I began to see a great difference, and I can now advise anyone troubled as I was to use this wonderful remedy." For sale at all druggists and dealers; put up only by The T. Milburn Co., Limited, Toronto, Ont.—Adv't.



—Evans Studio.

MRS. ANNIE FAGAN

London, Ont.—"My kidneys have always given me a lot of trouble, and I would suffer from severe backaches. Dr. Pierce's Anuric is the only medicine I have found that gave me any relief. It relieved me of all my kidney trouble and I do not have the severe backaches from which I suffered for so long. 'Anuric' is a splendid medicine, and those who suffer from faulty kidneys will do well to try it."—Mrs. Annie Fagan, 64 Holman St.

Dr. Pierce, president of the Invalids' Hotel in Buffalo, N. Y., manufactures Anuric (kidney-backache) tablets and you can obtain a trial package by enclosing 10c, and addressing Dr. Pierce's Laboratory in Bridgeburg, Ont.—Adv't.



PHONE ALL YOUR FRIENDS TO "GET IN" ON THIS SALE

SHIRTS, SWEATERS, UNDERWEAR, SOCKS, CAPS, TIES, WORK GOODS, Etc., All Go As We Clear Our Second Floor.

Owing to a change in our store policy and layout, we are clearing out at unheard-of prices, our entire stock of men's wear. There is no reserve—everything will be out where you can see it and inspect it. Every item is our regular stock—no sale goods or "specials" being brought in. Look over this partial list and come prepared to buy many months' supply for Dad and the Boys.

SALE STARTS FRIDAY MORNING 9 A.M.

Aratex Collars
35c

4 for \$1

\$1.25 Work Shirts 79c
\$2.00 Khaki Pants \$1.00
\$4.00 Men's Sweaters \$2.49
\$2.00 Boys' All-Wool Jerseys \$1.39
Men's Cotton Work Socks 15c pair
Men's 25c Handkerchiefs 2 for 25c

\$5.00

Odd Trousers

\$2.88

75c Suspenders 44c

Men's
\$2.50 Gloves
\$1.00

HYND'S
211 Dundas St. Next Gas Office.

\$2.50
Fine Shirts
\$1.19

Men's \$1.00 Neckwear 69c
Men's 75c Belts, Marathon 25c
Men's \$4 Natural Combinations \$2.19
Men's \$6 Hats \$2.98
Men's \$10 Bath Robes \$5.00
Men's \$3 Pyjamas \$2.19
Men's \$1.25 Natural Shirts and Drawers 79c

\$1.25 Athletic Underwear, 79 Suits, 2 for \$1.50



LONG-DISTANCE PHONE AN ECONOMY



SPRING HOSIERY SALE

If you can't come in, phone in for the wonderful Hosiery Bargains offered this week. Here are two items as samples of what we are offering:

LADIES' FULL FASHIONED KATSEY SILK HOSE, all shades. **\$2.00**
Per pair

FIRST QUALITY LADIES' PURE THREAD SILK HOSE, fiber reinforced, the most marvellous bargain of the spring season, thrush, grain, cork, sky, sand, dark gray, pearl gray, log cabin, brown, black and white. **79c**
A regular \$1.25 hose. Per pair

CHAPMAN'S
THE HOSIERY STORE

ANYONE COMING INTO THE CITY AND WISHING AN APPOINTMENT, PLEASE PHONE 5605.

WELCOME TO LONDON FOR "JOY WEEK"

We have seven veterans on our London staff, and through them we extend to all visiting veterans a hearty welcome.

Make our store your headquarters and our rest room yours during your stay in our city.

Let Joy Week in London be one of the happiest weeks you have spent since that 10 days' furlough in "Blighly."

The Original Genuine

Gerhard Heintzman Piano

Will make every week "Joy Week" in your home.

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THE STORE WITH THE MOST COMPLETE STOCK IN WESTERN ONTARIO.

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TELEPHONE SPREADS AREA OF TRADE FOR LONDONERS

Out-of-Town Buyers Have Same Opportunities as Citizens.

COSTS REDUCED

Station-to-Station Call Economical Way To Do Business.

Out-of-town buyers will find London stores ready to give the most careful attention to telephone orders. Advertised bargains can be bought from out of town almost as readily as by local householders.

It is so easy to telephone—and so inexpensive and satisfactory! Central will look up for you the number of the distant store, and you can take advantage of the lower station-to-station rates.

Surrounding the city of London, within a radius of 32 miles, inside which any phone owner can talk to London for three minutes for a minimum of 25 cents, are 25,000 Bell telephones. Without counting the innumerable small independent lines with their several thousand phones, a 1 of which may obtain Bell connection to the city.

Built on Machinery.

Man is the one tool-using animal and the busy world today is built on machinery, the outcome of his scientific discoveries. The locomotive, the steamship, the telegraph, the printing press, the automobile, the aeroplane—these all were invented to speed up communication. Quicker than them all is the telephone. Today citizens are adjusting themselves as fast as they know how to new conditions. They are finding new and better ways of doing things to supersede the old.

Right here is a great opportunity for long distance to demonstrate its usefulness and economy.

There are many of us who fail to take advantage of the most wonderful and useful invention of the age. We do not all as yet seem to appreciate how almost magically long distance annihilates time and space.

Long distance telephone users have been hearing a good deal recently about person-to-person and station-to-station telephone service.

Distinction Clear.

The distinction between the two kinds of messages is quite clear. When you ask for a particular person, you make a person-to-person call. When you ask only for a certain telephone number, and are prepared to talk to any person who may be available, you make a station-to-station call. Of course central will look up the distant number for you.

The rate for station-to-station calls is substantially lower than for person-to-person calls.

Here are a few pointers in the use of long distance telephoning that are worth remembering:

If "anyone" will serve your purpose, tell the operator so. The rate is much lower.

Woodstock Man Came By Wagon

Special to The Advertiser. Woodstock, March 25.—A resident of this city for eighty years, Robert R. Clark, today celebrated his eighty-seventh birthday. Born in Thurso, Scotland, Mr. Clark came to Canada with his parents when seven years of age. The party sailed across the Atlantic up the St. Lawrence and across Lake Ontario to Hamilton, from whence the family came to this city by wagon. Mr. Clark's father conducted a drygoods store here for years, and was followed in the same business by the son, who is now the only surviving member of a large family.

From midnight till 4:30 a.m. night rates apply on station-to-station calls at about one-quarter day rates.

On a 32-mile long distance talk the rate is on station-to-station business, 25 cents for three minutes; on a person-to-person basis 30 cents for three minutes. Note the advantage of station-to-station service.

A little arrangement beforehand makes it easy to take advantage systematically of the low evening and night rates on station-to-station calls.

BARN BURNS TO GROUND WHILE FARMER SLEEPS

Fourteen Head of Livestock Are Incinerated in Flaming Building.

Canadian Press Despatch. Petrolia, March 25.—Fire totally destroyed the large frame barn and all its contents, of Dan McCaw, well-known farmer, of the tenth line, two miles east of here, while the owner slept unaware of the destruction.

About 4 o'clock this morning Mr. McCaw was awakened by a heavy crash, and on looking out he saw the barn, a mass of smouldering ruins.

The fire was one of the most disastrous in this district. At 6 o'clock the previous evening Mr. McCaw completed his chores and everything appeared in good order. This morning the building was a total ruin.

The loss was estimated at \$8,000. Three horses, eight head of cattle and three sows were burned, while 50 tons of hay and 300 bushels of grain, as well as implements, bugles, harness were destroyed.

The cause of the fire remains a mystery. It is supposed that the building was struck by lightning.

The barn was insured for \$3,000.

MOBS IN TOKIO ATTACK SUFFRAGE BILL OPPOSERS

Associated Press Despatch. Tokyo, March 25.—Crowds this morning attacked the residences of certain peers who were prominent in opposition to the universal suffrage measure during yesterday's session of the upper house.

Only slight damage was done, but the attacks have caused serious complications in the situation of the upper house, which refuses to continue discussion of the suffrage measure until the honor of the minister has been satisfied by the home minister.

The season of the year when country roads are a good time to let us work on your car.

Phone 1863W

and tell us what you want.

GOODBYE OLD TOP!

When the top on your car needs attention you will find it pays to have us do the work. It has given its service, bid it goodbye.

Tops—Curtains Cushions

Are Our Specialty.

High-standard, quality work that stands up under service.

Let us give you an estimate.

LONDON AUTO TOP
170 MAPLE STREET.
PHONE 1863W.

SENATOR COMING TO INSPECT HYDRO

Will Attempt Organization of Similar System, Using Muscle Shoals.

Associated Press Despatch. Washington, D.C., March 25.—Senator Howell, Republican, Nebraska, plans to visit Canada this summer to inspect the hydro-electric systems in the dominion with a view to having a similar system organized in this country with Muscle Shoals as one of the units.

In Canada, he said today, cheap power rates are available because a number of cities have pooled their electric energy into one giant system. The senator asserted that rates in this country as a rule are too high, adding that the Canadian system would serve to lower rates generally.

Current Carries Dog Over Falls

Animal Wounded When It Goes Mad With Hunger.

Canadian Press Despatch. Niagara Falls, Ont., March 25.—Marooned on a small island in the upper river for over a week and maddened by hunger, a mongrel dog was today shot by a United States coastguard. As the bullet hit him, he entered the water in an attempt to make the opposite shore, but was caught in the current and carried over the falls.

HORTICULTURAL BODY IS ACTIVE IN ST. MARYS

Enthusiastic Meeting Hears of Work To Beautify Towns and Cities.

Special to The Advertiser. St. Marys, March 25.—An enthusiastic meeting of the St. Marys Horticultural society was held last evening and listened to an illustrated talk by Mr. Moore of the Ontario Horticultural society, Toronto, on the work which the societies are doing and the results accomplished, as demonstrated by the many beauty spots in Ontario, pictures of which were shown. The speaker outlined the best means of increasing the membership, stressing the importance of horticulture, and the beautifying of a place as an attraction to American tourists.

St. Marys already has a well-organized and growing society, and, as stated by the president, Mrs. Hugh Thompson, it has a foundation of great natural beauty. In the past two years considerable headway has been made in the way of beautifying many public places.

TRAPPER IS SUICIDE

Canadian Press Despatch. Winnipeg, March 25.—Investigation into the death of J. Perry, trapper, whose body was found lying on the open prairie, 30 miles northwest of Sturgeon Landing on March 11 last, showed that the man had committed suicide.

Bicyclist Kills One, Injures Two

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, March 25.—A man was bicycling past a group of policemen in a suburban street today and when hailed by them as a suspicious character, circled, drew a revolver and fired six shots without dismounting. He killed one policeman, probably fatally wounded a second officer with three bullets in his abdomen and brought down a third with the two remaining shots in his pistol. The assailant then pedalled off safely.

C. P. R. REFUSES LOWER COAL RATE

Traffic Manager Declares Charges Now at Lowest Possible Point.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, March 25.—Government assistance to coking plants, which are expected to be established at strategic points is not likely to make any difference in Canadian Pacific Railway freight rates on Canadian coal shipped from mines, either in the east or the west.

A statement was made this morning by E. N. Todd, freight traffic manager of the Canadian Pacific Railway, that the rate for carrying coal was now at a point where it could not be lowered and that no change was contemplated.

MILLION FOR MISSIONS.

Associated Press Despatch. Tulsa, Okla., March 25.—A million dollars were pledged for missionary work at a convention of the council of the Methodist Episcopal church south, which closed here last night.

TEACHERS' ALL EXPENSE TOUR TO THE PACIFIC COAST, INCLUDING CANADIAN AND AMERICAN NATIONAL PARKS.

A complete thirty-day All-Expense tour is being arranged from Toronto to the North Pacific Coast, special trains leaving Toronto via Canadian National Railways July 9th next.

Westbound, the party will pass through some of the most important cities of Western Canada—Winnipeg, Saskatoon, Edmonton, stopping over at Jasper National Park, thence to Prince Rupert and via Canadian National Pacific Coast Steamers through the wonderful scenic seas of the North Pacific Coast to Vancouver, returning via Portland, Yellowstone National Park, Salt Lake City and Estes National Park, through Chicago, thence back to Toronto.

The tour is being arranged under the direction of Mr. E. E. Bryson, principal of Silverthorn school, Toronto, and Mr. Martin Kerr, principal of the Earl Kitchener school, Hamilton, Ont. Full information may be secured from Mr. Bryson, 44 Silverthorn avenue, Toronto, Junet. 2543W, also from Mr. Kerr, 4 Beulah avenue, Hamilton, Regent 842.

While primarily designed for the benefit of teachers in the province of Ontario, the tour is open to members of the general public who are interested to join the party will be most welcome.—Adv.

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SAVE THE TIME
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Call One of Our Service Trucks No Matter Where You Are Stalled

ANY TIME **Phone 534** ANYWHERE

Our speeding auto service trucks await your call, no matter what time of the day or night. Always expert mechanics are in charge who can fix you up on the road if possible.

24 Hour Service

EXPERT WORKMANSHIP.
REASONABLE PRICES.

No car so badly wrecked that it is beyond rebuilding, as we have a department for the repairs to bodies, fenders, straightening of frames or axles, welding frames or other parts.

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Complete stocks of Field, Garden and Flower Seeds on hand at all times.

Prompt service to all trains and buses.

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119 DUNDAS STREET.

You Citizens Surrounding London Are As Close To London Merchants As Your Telephone

Within a Radius of 32 Miles You Can Talk to Any London Merchant Three Minutes For 25c.



TELEPHONE POINTERS WORTH REMEMBERING

When you use Long Distance, if "anyone" will serve your purpose, tell the operator so. The rate is much lower. There are "Midnight" rates from midnight to 4:30 a.m. These night rates apply on station to station calls at about one-quarter day rates.

On a 32-mile long distance talk the rate is, on station-to-station business, 25 cents for 3 minutes; on a person-to-person basis, 30 cents for 3 minutes.

Note the advantage of station-to-station service.

THE REPORT CHARGE.

When you place a call for a particular person or persons and for any reason they cannot be reached the same day at the address given, or will not talk, or if you make a call and you are not ready to talk when the other person is ready within an hour, a REPORT CHARGE is made. The report charge is about one-fourth the station-to-station rate. It is intended to cover part of our expense of handling the uncompleted call.

EVERY ARTICLE ADVERTISED ON THIS PAGE IS AS CLOSE TO YOU—FOR ORDER—AS YOUR TELEPHONE. DO NOT WAIT FOR TRAINS OR FOR YOUR CAR; SAVE THE TIME AND EXPENSE—USE LONG-DISTANCE TELEPHONE—IT'S ECONOMICAL.

Always think of long-distance in terms of time and money saved.

The classifications on long-distance telephone calls in effect now are of interest to all users of that service.

PERSON-TO-PERSON SERVICE.

When you make a call specifying that conversation is desired with a particular person at a given number, PERSON-TO-PERSON service is used. As this service requires greater operating labor and circuit time than a Station-to-Station call, the rate is about 25% greater.

APPOINTMENT AND MESSENGER SERVICE.

Appointment calls and messenger calls are special kinds of person-to-person calls.

An APPOINTMENT CALL rate, which is about 50% higher than the station-to-station rate, is quoted for service when an appointment is made by the calling party to talk at a particular time.

When a person who does not have a telephone is called over long-distance and a messenger must be sent to summon the party to the telephone, the MESSENGER CALL rate, which is about 50% higher than the station-to-station rate, is charged, and to this is added the necessary charges.

STATION-TO-STATION SERVICE.

Station-to-station service should be used when you are willing to talk to ANYONE at a distant telephone—that is, when you do not need to get a particular person on the line.

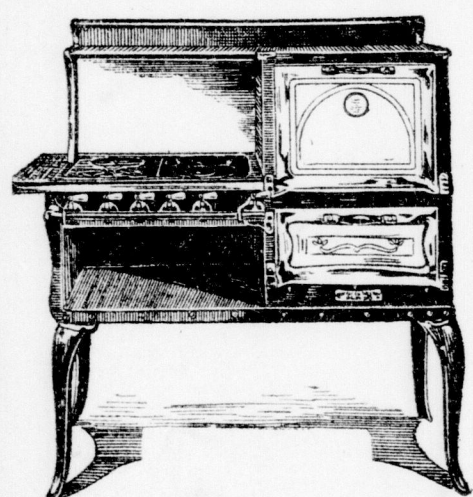
SPECIAL EVENING AND NIGHT RATES.

THE EVENING rate, between 8:30 p.m. and 12 midnight, on station-to-station calls, is about one-half the day rate. The NIGHT rate, between midnight and 4:30 a.m., is about one-fourth the day station-to-station rate.

However, no evening or night rates are quoted on station-to-station calls where the day rate is less than 25 cents. On such short-haul calls the day rate applies. For longer distances special evening and night rates are quoted.

Because it is difficult to reach particular persons at night, when many are away from their homes and places of business, there are no special evening or night rates quoted for person-to-person calls. They apply only on station-to-station calls.

USE THE BELL TO BUY AND SELL



Porcelain Trimmed Gas Ranges

FROM \$20 UP

Come in and see the wonderful display in all sizes and styles and sold on the easiest of terms.

\$4 Down, \$4 Month

PUTS A GAS STOVE IN YOUR HOME—CONNECTED FREE.

RUUD GAS WATER HEATER

We have Gas Water Heaters suitable for the humble cottage or the palatial residence. Estimates given on complete hot water installation. We can arrange terms agreeable to any pocketbook.

\$29 Installed, \$2.50 Down, \$2.65 Monthly

Let us estimate on your hot water requirements.

JUST PHONE

—835—

We will do the rest. If you are unable to come to us, we will go to you.

CITY GAS CO. OF LONDON
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THE BELL TELEPHONE CO. OF CANADA
C. H. BEARD, Manager.

F. UTTLEY SHOWS IMPROVEMENT

Assault and Robbery Victim Has Passed Crisis, Physician Believes.

Frank Uttley of Zurich, victim of an assault and robbery alleged to have been made upon him at No. 9 Front street early Tuesday morning by three colored men now in custody, has shown considerable improvement in his condition, according to his physician, Dr. W. J. Tillmann.

At St. Joseph's hospital, where he was taken soon after figuring in a fracas at the Front street home, where he was struck over the head with a heavy bottle, he is reported to be resting comfortably. He has a deep cut over his forehead, and his face and body are bruised and battered. His condition is not considered serious, however.

One of the three colored men now being held by the police on charges of robbery with violence, John Johnston, was arrested in Guelph last fall on a similar charge in connection with an assault made upon John Goetz of that city.

Police on Wednesday searched the Front street home in an effort to find a revolver which, it is said, was fired during the fight. They have come to the conclusion that the shot or loud report heard by neighbors was caused when an electric light bulb was smashed.

JUDGMENT RESERVED

Associated Press Despatch.

London, March 26.—Argument by counsel on the legal points of the jury's verdict in the case, Dorothy Muriel Dennistoun's suit against her former husband, were concluded today. Judge McCordie reserved judgment.

WALKED THE FLOOR FOR HOURS NERVES WERE SO BAD

Wherever there are people who are troubled with deranged nerves they will find in Milburn's Heart and Nerve Pills a remedy that will restore the equilibrium of these deranged centers and bring back the shattered nervous system to a perfect condition.

Mrs. W. W. Aulhouse, Woodruss, Ont., writes:—"After having a severe attack of bronchitis I was left in a very weak, run-down condition; my nerves were all broken up; could not sleep at night, and would have to get out of bed and walk the floor for hours."

"After using a box of

MILBURN'S HEART AND NERVE PILLS

I began to feel much better, and after taking a few more boxes I could enjoy my rest as well as I ever did. I always recommend them to all my friends."

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CANADIAN PACIFIC SAILINGS

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To Liverpool.

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St. Thomas Plans Season's Blooms

25,000 Plants Await Distribution Throughout City.

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, March 25.—Superintendent Joseph Clark at the city's greenhouse, Pinafore Park, has a stock of 25,000 plants for distribution throughout the city this spring. Allotments are: Waterworks department, 2,500; board of education, 2,500; horticultural society, 5,100; with 1,500 appropriated for the beautification of the city hall grounds, and 7,500 retained for the decoration of the park itself.

OFFICIALS NAMED PARTY TO FRAUD

Are Implicated by Armenian Charged With Attempt to Fake Pass.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, March 26.—Letters produced at his trial yesterday by George H. Alexander, an Armenian charged with conspiring to obtain a passport under false pretences, implicated officials of the Canadian department of immigration. Alexander is acting as his own counsel.

It is generally understood that the case involves the traffic in Armenian immigrants to Canada and the United States.

Questioned last night, officials of the immigration department said that yesterday's revelations seemed to prove what the department has been trying to lay hands on.

"Many people considered our methods were too restrictive," said one official, "but we have had for years a constant battle with unscrupulous people who sought to trade in the admission to Canada of foreigners who were banned by ordinary provisions of the law. Most of these intending immigrants were relatives of foreigners already resident in the United States."

It was learned that Alexander and R. Forbes, a witness in the proceedings, have been known to the department of immigration for a long time, during which time they have been trying to obtain special dispensation for a number of Armenians seeking admission to Canada from Europe.

The department has always insisted, it is understood, on payment of a bond of \$250 each for any such immigrants admitted. The terms of the admission certificate were that the immigrant must within a week or so find employment on a Canadian farm.

AGED ST. MARYS RESIDENT, ROBERT RADCLIFFE, DIES

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Marys, March 25.—Robert Radcliffe, 76 years old, a lifelong resident of this district, died at his home here on Tuesday morning, after illness of some months' duration. He was born in 1848 on the 10th concession of Blanshard, where he spent the greater part of his life as a farmer, retiring about ten years ago with his wife to St. Marys. He was a liberal in politics, Presbyterian in religion, and always keenly interested in questions of the day. Survivors are the widow, three brothers, two sons, James H. and David H. Radcliffe, and a daughter, Mrs. J. H. Radcliffe, all of Indian Head, Sask., and Jane of Toronto. The funeral will be held on Thursday afternoon.

ITCHY ECZEMA ALL OVER FACE

In Pimples and Blisters. Healed by Cuticura.

"Eczema broke out in pimples and blisters and spread all over my face. It itched and burned causing me to scratch which made it worse. I could not sleep on account of the irritation, and could hardly talk because the sore eruptions were all around my mouth. The trouble lasted several months."

"I tried everything I could get but nothing helped me. I began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment and got relief. I continued the treatment and in about eight weeks I was completely healed." (Signed) Wm. J. Romanchuk, Samburg, Sask.

Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum are ideal for daily toilet uses. Sample Size Free by Mail. Cuticura Soap, 25¢; Ointment, 25¢; Talcum, 25¢. Cuticura Shaving Stick, 25¢.

WORN OUT MEN AND WOMEN SOON REGAIN STRENGTH

The nervous system is the vital force of your body; the force that gives energy to every organ and every muscle. So great is the power of the nerves that a tremendous shock, such as fear, may cause death.

A lesser nerve shock will pale the cheeks, make the knees tremble, cause the heart to beat wildly or almost paralyze breathing.

To keep our vitality and strength we must nourish the nervous system. When we restore lost nerve power we quickly regain lost strength!

Nervous, exhausted men and women can soon regain their nerve force and as they rebuild their nerve

they see the signs of returning vigor.

Wincarnis gives to the nerves the very elements they must have to be nourished back to energy. For fifty years this nerve restorative has reinvigorated those who were weak, thin, pale and so discouraged that life seemed to have no real happiness.

If you need more nerve power go to your druggist today, obtain a bottle of Wincarnis, and begin the safe Wincarnis treatment. Wincarnis is so effective that only three table-spoonful a day need be taken.

Try Wincarnis and see the difference just a few days will bring—Adv't.

JOBLESS SHIFT FEET BY HOSTEL

Spring Movement Is Mostly to West—S. A. Shelter Overcrowded.

The spring movement of unemployed toward the lake ports is being felt here. There is a continual stream of jobless men moving east to west, and west to east, according to Adj. Lewis of the social department of the Salvation Army.

"The out-of-work are making for the ports now," said the officer today. "Many are passing through the city on their way to Sarnia, Windsor, and other points where ships are being outfitted for the opening of navigation. Some are going to Toronto, but the movement for the most part is to the west."

This has been noticeable at the Army hostel on Horton street. Two weeks ago the building was comfortably filled each night. Many of the men were Londoners in destitute circumstances.

Now Overcrowded.

Since then the quarters have been filled to overflowing, each night with transients from out of town, men on the way to shipping centers.

Although the hostel has but 22 beds, nearly thirty men have been taken in each night during the last ten days. When the beds have been filled, the late comers plead for a chance to sleep in the chairs in the little reading room. When the five or six chairs there are filled no more can be taken in. They must seek refuge elsewhere.

Adj. Lewis says that the men who have applied for beds in London are well behaved. This is the first winter that the hostel has been in operation. The character of the men has been distinctly above the average. The officer had considerable experience in hostel work in Vancouver, Halifax, Winnipeg and other points.

Seaport Real Test.

"It is in the seaport that an Army officer has his tact and his muscles tested," says Adj. Lewis. "Some of the port cities an officer is at his wit's end every night. Gangsters, crazed with dope and drink, get in the hostel for a bed. They start a riot, and the man in charge of the place cannot keep the upper hand, he is apt to go to the hospital along with some of the weaker participants in the melee, while a barracks full of broken furniture is left to be cleaned up and repaired."

No such trouble has been had here. The Horton street building has had no worries from the salvationalists except that of handling a number of men which overtaxes the building. Practically none has applied for a bed when intoxicated, and only one or two men under the influence of drink have gone to the hostel, and they made no trouble.

ASSOCIATION TO PLAN CHARITY FUND DRIVE

United Welfare Society Will Hold Annual Meeting Tonight.

The annual meeting of the United welfare association will be held in the Indian room, Tecumseh hotel, at 8 o'clock tonight, at which plans will be discussed for the campaign for funds for the fourteen London charitable organizations which benefit from the funds raised.

James Gray will preside at the meeting, which will be attended by representatives of the fourteen institutions, and committees from the various service clubs, church organizations and employees of the larger industrial concerns.

The executive had hoped to carry on the campaign during the week of April 20, but it is now believed that it will be held later, possibly early in May.

MRS. EMMA ROOT DIES AT HOME IN TOWNSHIP

Mrs. Emma Root, a resident of London township for the past 14 years, died at her home, Edmonton street, last night. She was born in England.

Besides her husband, Samuel, she is survived by three sons, Albert, James and Sidney, and four daughters, Emma, Jessie, Alice and Daisy, all of this city.

The funeral will be held on Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with interment at Woodland cemetery.

MISS LOUISE CREIGHTON IS BURIED IN CITY

The funeral of Miss Louise Creighton, who died on Monday, was held this morning from E. C. Killingsworth's funeral home, at 8 o'clock, to St. Peter's cathedral. Solemn requiem high mass was sung by Father Quigley of Tillsonburg. Interment was made at St. Peter's cemetery, with Father Quigley also conducting the services at the grave.

TOURS DISTRICT.

County Engineer Charles Talbot is conducting members of Westminster township council on a tour of county roads in the township tomorrow afternoon. Included in the party are Reeve J. S. Cousins, Deputy Reeves Wm. Boler and Harvey Davis, councillors Grives and McMillan.

Pheasant Seeks Man's Aid To Escape Hawk's Talons

A striking example of bird intelligence comes from Delaware township where a cock pheasant escaped the talons of a hawk by a wonderful display of feathery instinct.

Raymond Smith, civil engineer, was walking through the woods three days ago when, without warning, a pheasant thudded to the ground and quivered at his feet. As all the pheasants in the district are terrified of human beings, Mr. Smith could not

understand for the moment why he had been so honored. A few seconds later the reason was apparent.

A large hawk swooped down and would have seized the pheasant had not Mr. Smith waved his arms and made a run at it. The hawk flew away and the pheasant darted to a pile of underbrush a few yards away.

"I realized for a few minutes just how Jack Miner must feel when the birds fly to his sanctuary at Kingsville," said Mr. Smith in relating the story today.

LUCAN GIRL SAYS SHE FLED TO ESCAPE TASKS AT HOME

Found Working As Domestic In Courthouse Home Apparently Happy.

SEEN BY PARENTS

Tells Magistrate at Sarnia Story of Her Flight.

Special to The Advertiser.

Sarnia, March 25.—Too much work and not enough recreation made Isabel Rebecca Hodgins of Lucan a dissatisfied girl, according to a statement she made today to County Magistrate Woodrow.

About two weeks ago Isabel disappeared from the quiet village of Lucan, where she had been taken one morning, according to custom, by her father, to attend the high school. Diligent search by relatives and police failed to locate the girl until yesterday she was found at the home of Mr. Leach, manager of the salt works at Courthouse home, where she was working as a domestic and declared that she was perfectly happy.

County Constable Whiting brought the girl to Sarnia, and she was questioned by Magistrate Woodrow, who was endeavoring to effect a reconciliation between the girl and her parents. Isabel said she had read in the newspaper about the disappearance of her father, but she did not appear to regret having caused her parents so much worry.

"I had to work in the morning before I went to school and then had to work when I came home, so I just left," she quietly told the magistrate, and she added that she was not anxious to leave the home in which she has been working for two weeks. She said she secured the employment by answering an advertisement.

The parents were here today and were present at a conference with the girl and the magistrate. The parents said they were not averse to Isabel being employed away from home, but would rather she were closer to them, while the girl seemed determined that she was not going to return to the parental home.

The arrangement was made, and Isabel will seek employment as a domestic in some good home in London, where she will be close enough home that the parents may see her often. She left tonight with her parents for the home in Lucan.

JUVENILES ARRESTED FOR TORTURING CATS

Three Will Appear in Juvenile Court to Answer Charge of Cruelty.

Three juveniles who have been cruelly pouring turpentine on unfortunate cats in London North were rounded up by Inspector George Tustin of the humane society last night, and, after making a confession, were bailed to appear in juvenile court tomorrow morning.

Inspector Tustin received a call from the home of John A. Nash, Grosvenor and Waterloo streets, last night at 8 o'clock, where the family cat was dashing around the house in a terrible state.

The animal bit the inspector twice through the right hand before he was able to place her in a basket and take her from three little kittens to the humane society shelter.

Mr. Tustin managed to get a description of three boys who had been seen in the neighborhood earlier in the evening, and by 9 o'clock had the trio rounded up.

One boy, according to the inspector, confessed to pouring the turpentine on the cat while the other two held her. He also confessed that he had treated other cats in the same way.

The youngsters come from respectable families and their parents can give no reason for their actions.

PREFER WAR VETERANS FOR CIVIL SERVICE JOBS

Board at Ottawa Will Give First Chance to Returned Men.

Preference will be given to war veterans in the applications for civil service jobs at Ottawa, according to information received by Secretary Gordon Phillips of the chamber of commerce from the civil service commission today.

Competitive examinations will be held for two such accounts, who will receive \$3,600 a year. Other positions open are statistical clerk, \$1,800 a year; junior trade commissioners, \$1,800; senior clerk, \$1,320; forestry assistant, \$1,320; and seven plant disease investigators at \$1,050 per year.

Applications should be sent to the civil service commission, Ottawa, not later than April 16.

NEW PARTY FORMED FOR SASKATCHEWAN

Provincial Political Organization Will Strictly Oppose Present Dunning Govt.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Regina, Sask., March 26.—A new provincial political party, in strict opposition to the present Dunning government, was organized at a convention held at Theodore, Sask., in the Yorkton provincial constituency yesterday afternoon when over seventy delegates consisting of former members of Liberal, Conservative and Progressive parties gathered together. While no name was given to the new party the opinion was expressed that the most suitable name would be the "Progressive Liberal Party." No candidate was selected, nor were the names of possible candidates mentioned at the meeting. It was, however, decided that the delegates would return to their own districts and thoroughly organize the various polling districts in preparation for the election of the Liberal Party. No meeting will be held when the candidate of the new party will be selected.

NEW COMET DISCOVERED

Associated Press Despatch.

London, March 26.—The morning Post reports that Professor Richard Schorr, director of the Hamburg University observatory at Bergedorf on Monday discovered a comet of the eleventh magnitude in the neighborhood of the constellations Leo and Virgo.

BIRTH CONTROL SEEN AS WAR END

League of Nations Is Favored at Conference in New York.

PROMOTE HARMONY

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, March 26.—Establishment of a League of Nations favoring birth control for defence against high birth-rate peoples was advocated as a means of promoting international harmony and of preventing war by Dr. Charles V. Drysdale, president of the sixth international Neo-Malthusian birth control conference, which opened last night.

"The final great aim of the Neo-Malthusian philosophy," Dr. Drysdale said, "is to promote international harmony and eliminate the scourge of war. Its cure for war is simple. It would consider the various nations as families in a community and say to each of them: 'Limit your families to your present resources. Enter into friendly alliances with the nations who are adopting the same course in order to defend yourself against high birth rate aggressive nations. Remove all barriers between the nations who are adopting the same course in order to defend yourself against high birth rate aggressive nations. Where countries will appear as states of the union and frontiers will cease to be barriers.'

The speaker said that the whole of western Europe, the British dominions and the United States have already reduced over-population to a point where an effective beginning can be made towards the accomplishment of a federation which would be strong enough to render attack from high birth rate peoples impossible.

It should be emphasized," the speaker said, "that this proposal is not antagonistic to each individual nation. Birth control strengthening each nation for defence while removing the need for offence."

The conference, the first international meeting of birth control advocates to be held in this country, was attended by 500 delegates, including representatives of many foreign countries. It will last three days.

R. C. R. BAND TO PLAY DAILY AT ARMORIES

Promenade Concerts Added to Attractions of Joy Week.

Promenade concerts have been added to the attractions of Joy Week. The band of the R. C. R., by permission of Lieut.-Col. A. E. Sealey, and under the direction of L. K. Harrison, I.R.A.M., will play in the armories every afternoon from 3 to 4, and every evening from 8 to 10.

On Friday night the leather pushers will hold the stage after the regular evening performance. Cy Pook, the St. Thomas heavy, will meet Loney of St. Catharines, Curtis, a hard-hitting youngster, and Smiling Gardner of St. Thomas will enter the ring against Scotty Wilson of St. Catharines. A. T. Taylor will act as referee, and judges will be Thomas Cook and Tommy Wallace. Goldie Rodgers and Bill Friend will act as timekeepers.

Ingersoll citizens band, one of the bands competing in the Joy Week competition for bands under fifteen members, entertained an appreciative audience last night in the armories. Under the direction of W. H. Eden the band played a long program that kept the large crowd happy.

Announcement of the winners of the cups, both in the large and small band contests, will be made Saturday night at the armories. The cups will be presented at the same time.

TENDERS ARE CLOSED FOR REMOVAL OF PIER

No Contracts Yet Awarded in Connection With \$90,000 Port Stanley Project.

In connection with the \$90,000 that is to be spent at Port Stanley this year by the federal government for the repairing of the docks and the widening of the harbor, tenders have been closed for the removal of the old east pier, which is an encumbrance to the widening of the harbor.

Notices were sent out from Ottawa to Port Stanley and other ports as the lake explaining the necessary requirements to prospective contractors.

Although the time limit for submitting tenders closed last Monday at 12 o'clock noon, the contract has not been awarded as yet.

The repairs that are to be made on the harbor at Port Stanley will greatly increase its popularity with steamers and launches which will seek the port as a pleasure resort if the harbor conditions are favorable.

Instead of sending direct to Ottawa, the contractors submitted their tenders to the branch office of the department of public works, in the Royal Bank building, city.

TEN LONDON BOYS WILL ATTEND HAMILTON PARLEY

Ten London boys will go to Hamilton on April 15, and other ports as the lake explaining the necessary requirements to prospective contractors.

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Notice to Creditors

The Bankruptcy Act.
In the Estate of J. A. McLAREN,
Trading as The Peerless Radiophone
Co.

Authorized Assignee.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT J. A. McLaren of London, Ontario, did on the 25th day of March, 1925, make an authorized assignment of all his property for the benefit of his creditors, and that Edmund Weld, official receiver, has appointed me to be the assignee of the estate of the debtor until the creditors at their first meeting shall elect a trustee to administer the estate of the debtor.

Notice is further given that the first meeting of creditors in the above estate will be held at my office, Room 10, Greene-Swift Bldg., Carling Street, London, Ontario, on the 5th day of April, 1925, at 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

To entitle you to vote thereat proof of your claim must be lodged with me before the meeting is held.

Proxies to be used at the meeting must be lodged with me prior thereto.

And further take notice that if you have any claim against the debtor for which you are entitled to rank, proof of such claim must be filed with me within thirty days from the date of this notice for, from and after the expiration of the time fixed by subsection 37 of section 27 of the said act, I shall distribute the proceeds of the debtor's estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which I have then notice.

Dated at London this 25th day of March, 1925.

F. W. RAYMOND,
Custodian,
Box 171, London, Ontario.

Notice to Creditors

Re ALEXANDER BROOKS, late of the City of London, Traveller.

Creditors and others having claims against the estate of the said deceased are required to send full particulars of such claims to the undersigned executor of the will of the said deceased, on or before the 15th day of April, A. D. 1925, after which date the executor will proceed to distribute the assets of said estate, having regard only to the claims of which notice shall then have been given.

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FISH CREEK RESIDENCE

DESTROYED BY FLAMES

Special to The Advertiser.
Prospect Hill, March 25.—The fine brick residence of Mr. Buggs of Fish Creek was completely destroyed by fire Tuesday noon. The fire, which started in the upper part of the house, was noticed by neighbors who gave the alarm. The fire was well under way when aid arrived. The furniture in the lower part of the house was saved with great difficulty.

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ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

Create Gas, Sourness and Pain How to Treat.

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sours, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.

Artificial digestants are not needed in such cases and may do harm. Try taking aside all digestive aids and instead get from any druggist a few capsules of Bismarck Magenta and use a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas or pain. Bismarck Magenta (in powder or tablet form) is never liquid or milky) is harmless to the stomach, it is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion. —Advt.

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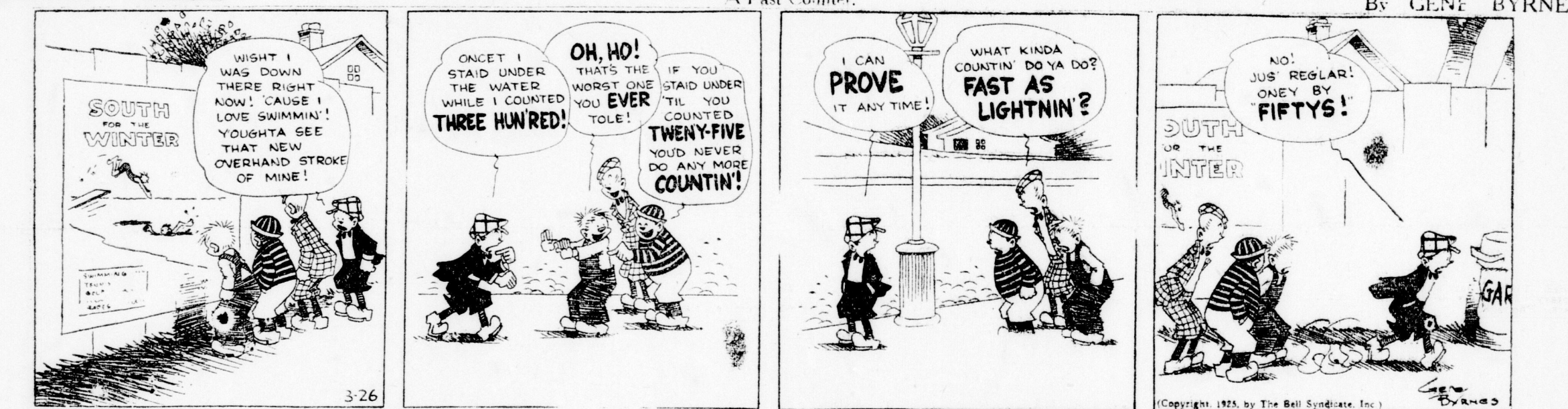
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LESLIE OKE IS TAKEN TO TASK FOR TELLING PARTY SECRETS

Takes Exception To Clarke's Remarks Though Name Not Mentioned.

TALK EMPLOYMENT

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, March 25.—Unemployment was debated in the legislature this afternoon on a resolution proposed by Peter Heenan (Labor, Kenora) that the government should take urgent measures for the better relief of unemployment. Mr. Heenan asked the government to find out who was responsible for advertising in Old Country papers for hundreds of men to come to Canada. He said that the railways, Toronto Terminal Company and the steamship lines denied that they were advertising, and declared it was up to the government to find out who was doing it and stop them. Mr. Heenan put forth a vigorous argument for unemployment insurance which he said did not prevent men from seeking work and was working satisfactorily in several countries. He asserted that industry could not live with unemployment. He advised every member to see that he bought made-in-Canada goods. He also declared that there should be a 100 per cent tariff to protect Canadian industries.

Arbuckle Hits Marital Snag

Associated Press Despatch.

Los Angeles, Calif., March 25.—Roscoe Arbuckle and his bride-to-be, Miss Deane Deane, may make another start toward the marriage altar about April 8, but they are not tempting fate by announcing their date as definite.

The portly former film comedian yesterday thought he had everything arranged for a wedding at Miss Deane's suburban home in San Marino, but at the last moment he was advised that the Parisian divorce of his wife, Minta Durfee, would not become effective until April 8, so it was decided to wait.

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CARPENTERS RAISE PAY.
Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, March 25.—Carpenters here, members of the International Brotherhood of Carpenters, have announced a wage rate of 75c an hour for the season. The rate of 65c has prevailed since last August.

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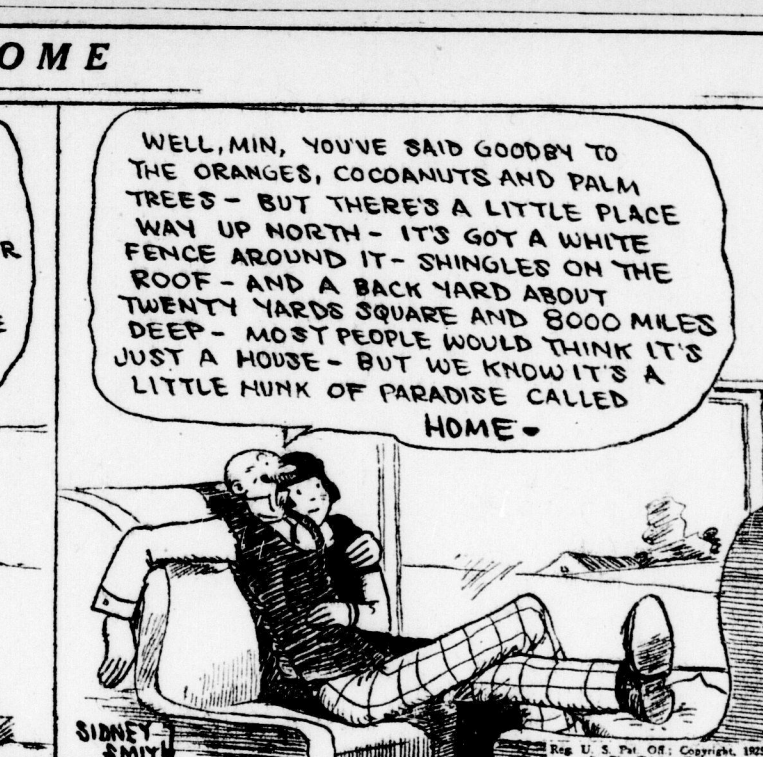
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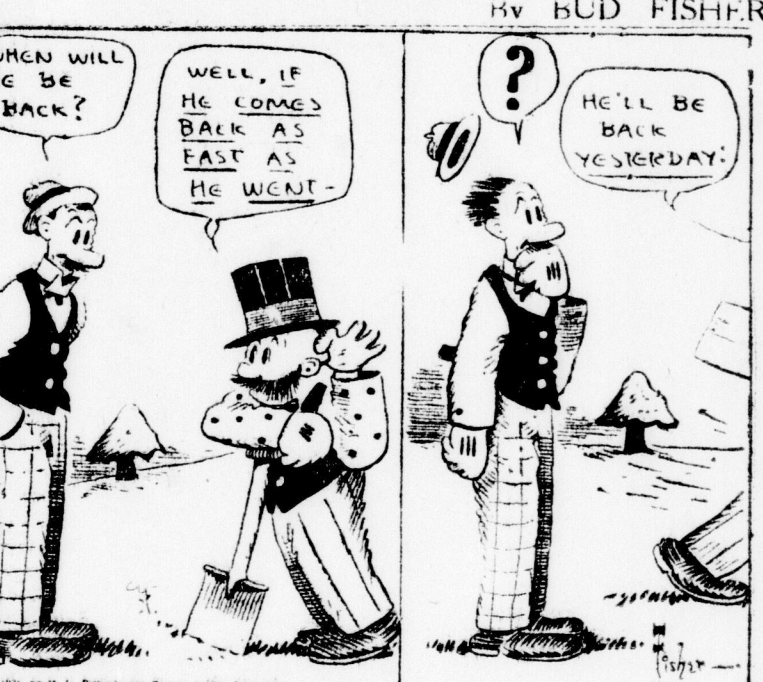
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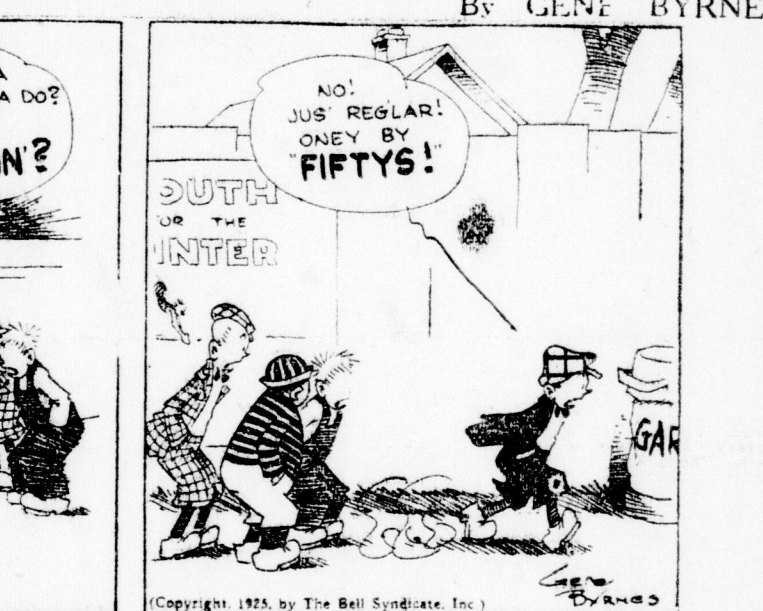
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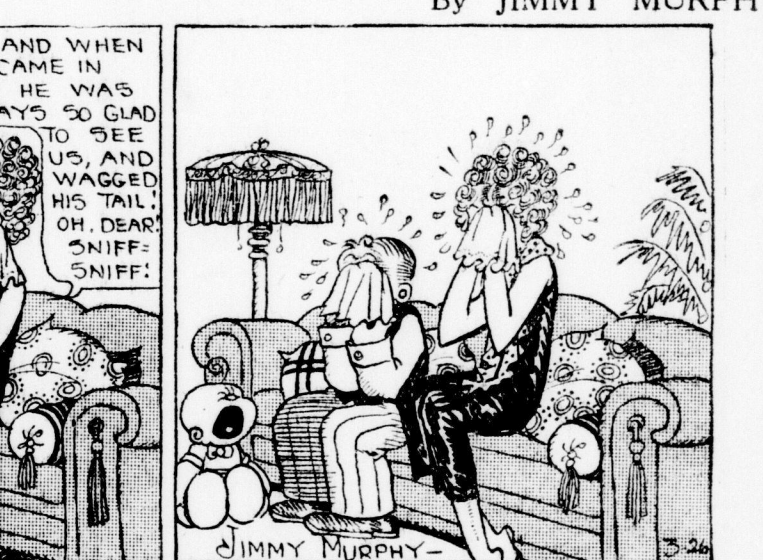
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RADIO

TODAY'S LIST

THURSDAY, MARCH 26.
(Eastern Standard Time.)
WEAF, NEW YORK—491.5.
6 p.m.—Mid-west services.
7:30 p.m.—Scott Blackie, Scotch comedian; Columbia lecture.
8 p.m.—Old-time favorites.
8:30 p.m.—Cooley's tour.
9 p.m.—Victor hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
10 p.m.—Silvertown orchestra.
11 p.m.—Vincent, Lones orchestra.
WJY, NEW YORK—405.2.
7:30 p.m.—Franklin orchestra.
9:15 p.m.—Talk; song recital.
WJZ, NEW YORK—454.3.
7 p.m.—Commodore orchestra.
7:55 p.m.—Talk; review; N. Y. U.
8:30 p.m.—Phil, Slavak and Godfrey Ludlow, violinists.
8:45 p.m.—Fosdick's orchestra.
9 p.m.—Travel talk; recital.
10:45 p.m.—Green's orchestra.
WNYC, NEW YORK—526.0.
6:30 p.m.—Blondie orchestra.
7:20 p.m.—Sports, police alarms.
7:55 p.m.—Alma, McNeill, basso.
8:15 p.m.—Municipal trio.
8:30 p.m.—Joint recital.
8:30 p.m.—The Sevenstars.
WGSS, NEW YORK—315.6.
6 p.m.—Uncle Geebe's orchestra.
7:25 p.m.—Talk; review; N. Y. U.
8:30 p.m.—WGSS studio features.
9:30 p.m.—Pleasantly theatre.
11 p.m.—Tenor and contralto.
WIP, PHILADELPHIA—308.2.
12 p.m.—Russian Eagle orchestra.
3 p.m.—Amherst Musical club.
6 p.m.—Weather; Franklin orchestra.
7 p.m.—Uncle Wile's roll call.
8:10 p.m.—Pittman male chorus.
9:15 p.m.—John Oram, boy soprano.
9:30 p.m.—Talk; George, violin.
11 p.m.—Marburger's orchestra.
WFL, PHILADELPHIA—394.5.
6:30 p.m.—Concert orchestra.
7 p.m.—Bedtime stories.
8 p.m.—Concert from WEAF.
9 p.m.—Victor hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
10 p.m.—Silvertown orchestra.
WCAE, PITTSBURGH—461.3.
6:30 p.m.—William, Lones orchestra.
7:30 p.m.—Uncle Kaybee.
8 p.m.—WEAF's studio recital.
9 p.m.—Victor hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
10 p.m.—Silvertown orchestra.
KDKA, PITTSBURGH—309.1.
6:15 p.m.—Brody's orchestra.
7:15 p.m.—Markets.
8 p.m.—Stockman-Farmer program.
8:30 p.m.—Sacred cantata, "Come, Holy Ghost" (Palestrina), St. Peter's 22, L. choir.
11 p.m.—Post studio concert.
WRC, WASHINGTON—468.5.
6:45 p.m.—Fosdick's stories.
7 p.m.—Women's city club dinner.
8:30 p.m.—Concert program.
10 p.m.—Mayflower orchestra.
WGY, SCHENECTADY—379.5.
6:30 p.m.—Ten Eyck trio.
7:30 p.m.—Book chat; WGY orchestra.
8:15 p.m.—Charles, Coupland, organist.
9:15 p.m.—Comedy, "Caste," players.
11:30 p.m.—Bicycle, organist.
WCX, DETROIT—516.3.
4:15 p.m.—Dance orchestra.
6 p.m.—Joliet's ensemble.
7 p.m.—Concert program.
WVJ, DETROIT—352.7.
6 p.m.—Dinner concert.
8 p.m.—WEAF's studio recital.
9 p.m.—Victor hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
10 p.m.—Silvertown orchestra.
WEAR, CLEVELAND—389.4.
6 p.m.—Victory hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
9 p.m.—Victory hour.
WTL, CLEVELAND—389.4.
6:30 p.m.—Gill's orchestra.
9 p.m.—Karnival Club frolic.
(Central Standard Time.)
CNRW, WINNIPEG—450.
8 p.m.—Markets; bedtime tales.
8:30 p.m.—Transcona brass band; The Winnipeggers sextet.
11 p.m.—Frank Wright's orchestra.
WSA, CINCINNATI—285.9.
7 p.m.—WEAF's studio program.
8 p.m.—Victor hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
9 p.m.—Silvertown orchestra.
WLW, CINCINNATI—422.3.
6 p.m.—Dinner hour concert.
10 p.m.—Concert orchestra and male quartet; Robert Melody boys.
WCCO, MINNEAPOLIS—ST. PAUL—116.4.
5:30 p.m.—Children's stories.
7 p.m.—Studio recital (WEAF).
8 p.m.—Victor hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
9 p.m.—Silvertown orchestra.
WGN, CHICAGO—370.2.
8 p.m.—Victory hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
10 p.m.—Don Bestor's orchestra.
WQJ, CHICAGO—447.5.
7 p.m.—Dinner concert program.
10 p.m.—Rainbow skybirds.
1 a.m.—Topsy-Turvy hour.
WMAQ, CHICAGO—447.5.
6 p.m.—Organ orchestra; daddies.
8 p.m.—Garden talk; finance.
8:30 p.m.—Edward, Galt, violinist.
9:15 p.m.—Orpheus Choral society.
KVM, CHICAGO—535.4.
6:45 p.m.—Children's stories.
7 p.m.—Congress dinner music.
8 p.m.—Studio hour.
10 p.m.—Evening at Home.
1 a.m.—Insomnia club.
WLS, CHICAGO—344.6.
6 p.m.—Weather; markets.
6:25-8 p.m.—WLS specialties.
WGBB, CHICAGO—344.6.
8 p.m.—Mixed quartet; male quartet; celestial bellet, soloists.
WHAS, CHICAGO—344.6.
7:30 p.m.—Musical program.
WOC, DANFORTH—483.6.
6:30 p.m.—Sandwich stories.
7 p.m.—WEAF's studio concert.
8 p.m.—Victory hour; Reinald Werrenrath, baritone; Shannon quartet; Victor orchestra.
9 p.m.—Silvertown orchestra.
11 p.m.—Lone Connor's orchestra.
KSD, ST. LOUIS—545.1.
4 p.m.—The home hour.
8 p.m.—Concert, YMHA orchestra.
WDAF, KANSAS CITY—365.6.
6 p.m.—School orchestra.
11:45 p.m.—Nighthawk frolic.
WHB, KANSAS CITY—365.6.
7 p.m.—Men and boys.
8 p.m.—Special rebroadcasting.
WDA, DALLAS—475.9.
6:30 p.m.—Lone Star Five orchestra.
8:30 p.m.—S. M. U. faculty recital.
11 p.m.—State and Morgan.
WBAP, FORT WORTH—475.9.
7:30 p.m.—Mansfield municipal band.
9:30 p.m.—Lone Star Five orchestra.
GJCA, EDMONTON—517.
8:30 p.m.—Children's half-hour.
10:30 p.m.—Studio program.
CNRC, CALGARY—423.
8 p.m.—Bedtime travel tales.
10 p.m.—Aeolian quartet; George MacBeth, bass; David Morgan, tenor.
(Pacific Coast Standard Time)
KGO, OAKLAND—360.5.
7:30 p.m.—Franklin orchestra.
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9:15 p.m.—Golf lessons, Joe Novak.
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KFI, LOS ANGELES—467.
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KHA, LOS ANGELES—504.1.
6 p.m.—Hickman's orchestra.
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7:30 p.m.—Art and beauty talks.
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10 p.m.—Foggy-Waggy girls.
10:30 p.m.—Hickman's orchestra.
KPO, SAN FRANCISCO—348.6.
5:30 p.m.—Selger's stories.
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OSHAWA PAPER CHARGE MERE BEDTIME STORY

Progressive Leader Asks Premier To Withdraw Statements Made Yesterday.

DRURY DENIES CLAIM

Former Premier Declares He Knows Nothing of Alleged Deal.

OKE TELLS MORE

Ferguson Reiterates Claim That Government Will Find Where Money Went.

Special to The Advertiser
by a Staff Correspondent.

Toronto, March 25.—The Tory mace's nest, arising out of the alleged investment of Peter Smith, of \$15,000 in the Oshawa Reformer, came again to the fore in the legislature this afternoon, and precipitated several lively passages between Premier Ferguson and W. E. Raney, Progressive leader.

The latter emphatically disclaimed any knowledge of Smith's investment, or of an attempt by the Drury government to gain control of the Farmers' Sun, which brought a further spilling of party secrets from L. W. Oke, the insurgent U. F. O. member for East Lambton, who declared that a committee of U.F.O. members had been appointed to deal with this matter three years ago.

Premier Ferguson reiterated his declaration of yesterday that the money involved in this transaction had come from illegal operations on transactions which had passed the treasury board, of which Mr. Raney was a member, and again voiced the government's confidence of "finding where more of this money went to."

Debate Unemployment.

The balance of the afternoon the House devoted to debating unemployment. The issue was raised in a resolution moved by Peter Heenan, Labor member for Kenora, calling for an adequate policy to remedy industrial conditions.

The discussion brought forth, among other things, a homily from Dr. Forbes Godfrey, minister of health and labor, on the importance of keeping Canadian money in Canada. The minister extolled, in particular, the merits of a Canadian-made toothbrush, which he flourished before the eyes of the House, and paid a tribute, typical of Tory chivalry, to Sam Clarke, the father of the House.

"It's a toothbrush,—you don't need one," he taunted the veteran member for West Northumberland.

RANEY REPLIES.

Canadian Press Despatch.

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"The whole thing is fiction, as far as I am concerned, and perhaps the premier will be generous enough to retract, though I hardly expect it."

The premier objected to the language of Mr. Raney, accusing him of taking advantage of the rules of the house.

Mr. Raney stated that it was true that at the council meetings his seat was next to that of Mr. Smith, but he never discussed Mr. Smith's private affairs with him and knew nothing of them.

Drury In Dark.

"I never heard of the purchase by him or Mr. Jarvis of stock in the Oshawa newspaper until the premier spoke of it yesterday. I have telephoned Mr. Drury and he says he never heard of it. Members of the late government, I have consulted, knew nothing of it."

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WHOLE CREW LOST AS SHIPS COLLIDE

Fishing Vessel Hits Schooner and Is Almost Demolished.

Associated Press Despatch.

Crisfield, Md., March 25.—Captain Carroll Marshall and all members of the crew of the fishing vessel "Southland" were drowned early today when their craft collided with the three-masted schooner, "Lorena Clayton," off the Fox Island buoy in Tangier Sound.

The Southland was almost completely demolished. Larger than the usual type of fishing vessels, the craft carried a personnel of three or four men. No bodies have been recovered and the exact number who met death or their identity will not be known until the fishing fleet returns tomorrow and a checkup is made. Captain Marshall's home was at Saxis Island, Va.

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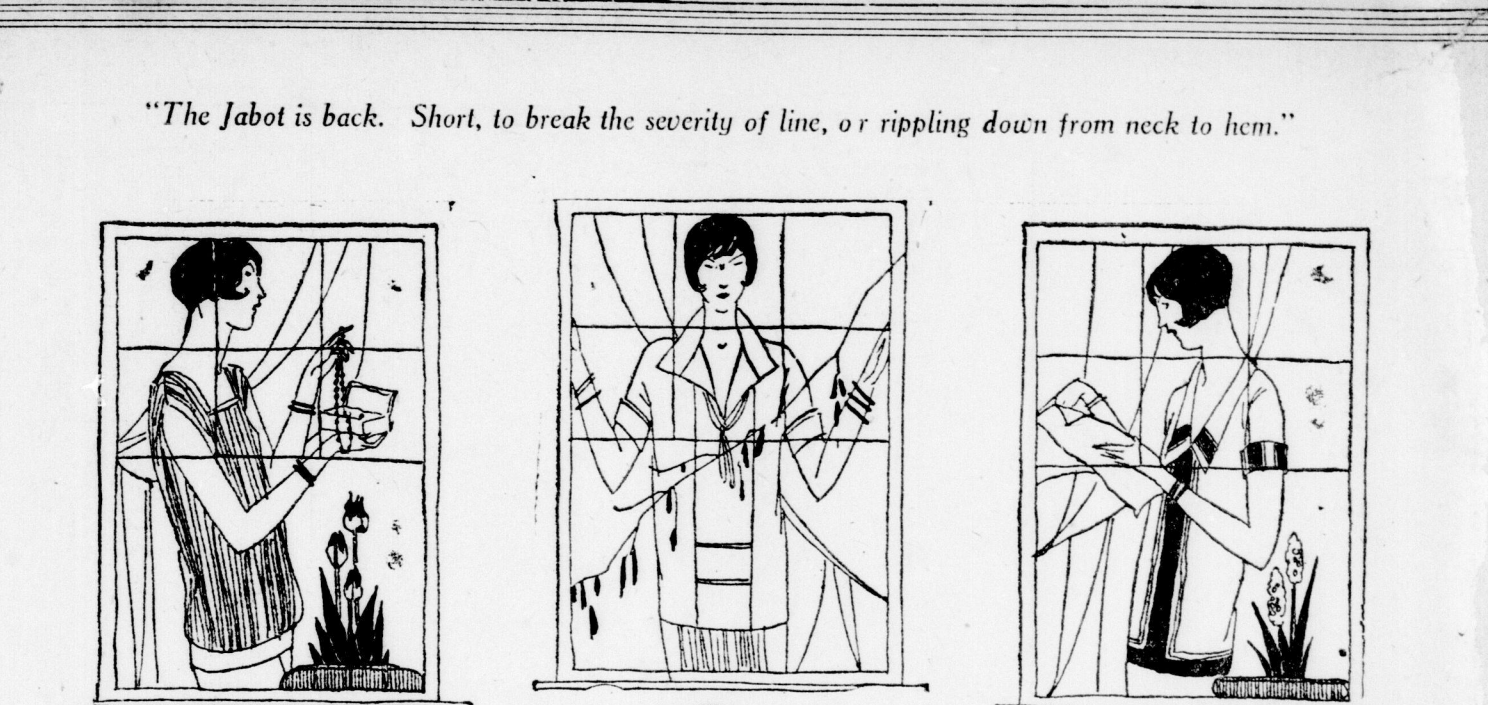
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