

Natural Gas Bill Is Opposed

POLICE CAR WITH THREE LONDON DESPERADOES AS PASSENGERS TURNS TURTLE IN DITCH NEAR MELBOURNE VILLAGE; NO ONE HURT

Prisoners On Way To Court To Stand Charge of Murder. Make No Attempt To Escape When Car, Speeding At Twenty Miles An Hour, Is Wrecked One and a Half Miles From Melbourne.

[By Staff Reporter.] Melbourne, April 21.—The police car from London, containing Inspector Nickle, Detective Down, Sidney and William Murrell and Jack Williams, the three men charged with the murder of Russell Campbell in this village, April 11, turned turtle in the ditch a mile and a half east of this village shortly after 1 o'clock today. No one was hurt. The prisoners, who were handcuffed together, made no attempt to escape. The top and the windshield of the car were smashed completely. According to Russell Boyd, Advertiser reporter, who with Mrs. Collins, police court stenographer, were passengers, the speed of the auto was about 20 miles an hour. No explanations could be given for the accident, but the scribe admitted that they all had a very narrow escape.

A passing car conveyed the party to the village, where the Murrells and Williams will be tried for murder this afternoon.

THIRTY DOLLARS PER WEEK TOO MUCH FOR DESERTED WIVES

Piece of "Monstrous Extravagance," Says T. D. McCullough.

MOTHERS' PENSIONS

"About All I Make Some Weeks," Declares Major T. J. Murphy.

At a recent meeting of the mothers' pensions board of this city a number of recommendations were drawn up and sent to the commission at Toronto. One of the recommendations was to the effect that a deserted wife whose husband is legally dead be given an allowance the same as a widow. The local board suggested that the deserted woman's husband must not have been seen or heard from for five years instead of seven to make her eligible for the benefit.

LONDON ALDERMEN TO OPPOSE M'GRAE BILL IN TORONTO

J. C. Wilson, W. A. Wilson and P. J. Watt Will Speak Before Legislature Tomorrow.

Three aldermen, namely: Ald. J. C. Wilson, W. A. Wilson and P. J. Watt, will go to Toronto to fight the M'Grae bill, which comes up in the Legislature at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

Those who are opposing the bill say that such matters where the people's money is concerned should not be disposed of without an expression of public opinion. Those supporting the bill say that as the board has secured the information in the disagreements, it should be able to come to a fair conclusion without consulting the electorate.

ILLEGITIMATE HAS NO RIGHT TO ANY OF FIELD FORTUNE

Springfield, Ill., April 21.—Henry Marsh, son of Henry Field, of Chicago, and Peggy Marsh, is not entitled to inheritance of the Marshall Field fortune, the supreme court decided today in ruling that the Marshall Field will specifically exempts from inheritance any illegitimate offspring.

OFFICIAL COUNT OF REFERENDUM VOTES BEING MADE TODAY

Some Deputy Returning Officers Locked Boxes and Dropped Key Inside.

COL. GRAHAM IN CHARGE

Declaration Being Made at Court House in Presence of "Wet" and "Dry" Advocates.

Today the official declaration of the city referendum poll is being made at the court house. At 9 o'clock this morning the returning officer, Col. G. M. R. Graham, was on the scene, accompanied by Harold Lawson, official election clerk, and A. Pugh, assistant. The London Prohibition Association was represented by Capt. A. B. Dewberry, and B. C. Hertel was present on behalf of the Citizens' Liberty League.

The process of opening the ballot boxes and examining the vouchers sealed up therein by the deputy returning officers was immediately commenced, and continued the greater part of the day, the figures from the various polling subdivisions being carefully noted by the representatives of the local organizations, under the supervision of Col. Graham. At the conclusion of the work of examining the ballot boxes it is necessary to retain them for thirty days in case of a recount or other recording, under the supervision of the contents to Ottawa.

HOUSING COMMISSION MAY RENT HOUSES ON GARFIELD AVENUE

Applications for Loans Will Be Considered by Commissioners Tonight.

Renting houses to relieve the housing shortage will be a matter discussed at a meeting of the housing commission tonight. E. R. Dennis, a member of the commission, stated that the commission was not going into the real estate business, but merely wanted to help in the promotion of the city. On Garfield avenue, he said, there were a number of the commission's houses that could be rented.

GERMANS ATTACK AMERICANS.

Berlin, April 21.—James E. Tobin and his wife of Chicago, were attacked by a crowd of German men, women and children Tuesday following the funeral of former Empress Augusta Victoria. They were mistaken for French people, it is explained.

HULL ALDERMEN HAVE NO DESIRE FOR LIQUOR TRADE

Ottawa, April 21.—The Hull City Council seems determined to wipe out the sale of liquor in Hull after May 1. At a special meeting held last night it was the intention to move for the abolition of liquor under government control in Hull. However, City Solicitor J. E. St. Marie advised the council that action could not be taken by motion. A bylaw was necessary.

MRS. PANKHURST TO ADDRESS NUMBER OF ONTARIO AUDIENCES

Noted English Suffragist To Speak in Western Ontario Cities.



Some day he will run out of hollow logs. —Hanny in the St. Joseph News-Press.

Negro That Sheriff Forgot To Hang; Not To Die Now

Shreveport, La., April 21.—The death sentence of Lonnie Eaton, the negro the sheriff of Ouachita parish forgot to hang, has been commuted by the state pardon board to life imprisonment, according to reports received here today from Baton Rouge. The board considered the negro's case on meeting there yesterday.

New Proposals To Be Presented by Berlin Not To Be Accepted

French Premier Will Outline at Hythe Conference On Sunday, Measures To Be Taken To Enforce Reparation Payments by Germany — Plan Includes 40 Per Cent Tax On All Exports.

Paris, April 21.—Germany's proposals relative to reparations had not been received by the French Government up till late last night, but officials here declared they expected they would be the same as those published in German newspapers. For this reason they said they believed the Berlin Government's terms would be "insufficient and unacceptable."

SLEEPING LEGISLATORS RUDELY AWAKENED WHEN M. M. M'BRIDE INSISTS ON AN ADJOURNMENT

Early Morning Session Characterized by Some Active Work On Part of Premier and Government Whip — Acting Speaker Diplomatically Refrains From Count Until Quorum Is Assured.

Toronto, April 21.—The Toronto Star says: "A joyous and rollicking session of the Legislature turned from comedy into near burlesque, when, at about a quarter past one this morning, M. M. MacBride of Brantford observed that there were only seven members on the floor of the House, and insisted that, since there was not a quorum, the assembly was automatically adjourned. The premier hastily awakened Andrew Hicks, the Government whip, and frantically waved in R. L. Brackin and other members who were peacefully dozing on the luxuriously upholstered chairs behind the speaker's throne."

THE WEATHER

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 67; lowest, 39. The official temperatures for the 12 hours from 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 60; lowest, 47.

WESTERN ONTARIO CITIZENS MANTAIN MEASURE GIVES RIGHT TO ALTER CONTRACTS

HICKS ADMITS HE SAID U. F. O. MEMBERS WERE OFFERED BRIBES

Investigation of the Ashplant Charges Is Commenced by Committee.

SUMMON ESSEX M. L. A.

Evidence Is Adduced That Offers Were Not Accepted.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, April 21.—Initial investigation proceedings regarding statements of H. B. Ashplant about the City Gas Company and the Ontario Legislature were commenced this afternoon by the committee on privilege and elections. A. C. Carty, correspondent in London for the Toronto Globe, was the only witness who appeared today. At 3 o'clock the committee could not hear all the evidence today. Other witnesses, including Mayor Little, several aldermen and H. B. Ashplant, will be called next Tuesday.

ATTITUDE OF AUSTRIAN GOVERNMENT NOT FULLY UNDERSTOOD BY ALLIES

Paris, April 21.—Reports received in official circles of continued agitation in Munich and other parts of South Germany in favor of the plebiscite which it is proposed to hold Sunday in the Austrian Tyrol, to decide whether the population desires to be annexed to Germany, are causing much anxiety here. The plebiscite is regarded by the Allies as being contrary to the treaty of St. Germain, and, if held, will be considered null and void.

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TOMORROW—SHOWERY.

Today—Easterly and southerly winds; cloudy, with occasional rain. Friday—Showery.

Temperatures. The highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: High, 60; low, 47. Weather: Fair.

Legislature Committee, After Hearing Arguments of Delegates From Windsor to Hamilton, Approves Principle of Proposed Measure—Clauses Will Be Discussed at a Later Sitting—J. M. Pyke, K. C., of Chatham, Warns That There Will Be Serious Trouble if the Bill Is Forced Through.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Toronto, April 21.—Representatives from many municipalities from Hamilton to Windsor, spoke in opposition to the natural gas bill before the gas committee this morning. They opposed the principle of the bill inasmuch as it gave it the right to alter contracts. One Hamilton speaker bluntly suggested that if contractual rights were to be interfered with the Government had better take over the gas companies.

Y. M. C. A. AUDITORIUM TO BE TURNED INTO GYMNASIUM

Directors Decide On Important Move at Meeting Wednesday Night—Growth of Membership Made Action Absolutely Necessary.

The auditorium of the Y. M. C. A. will be turned into a gymnasium, the directors of the board of directors on Wednesday evening. This move has been under consideration by the board for some time. Late last year the gymnasium is 66 feet long and 38 feet wide. It will be necessary to lay a new floor in the auditorium. This will be level with the present gymnasium floor and will be built from the small gymnasium to the large one. There will be space under the new gym for additional locker room for the boys and senior men.

Finds Fortune While Working For \$1 Month

Salem, Va., April 21.—Henry Dameron, 25, descendant of pioneer Virginian settlers, who works on his uncle's mountaintide farm near here from sunup to sundown at \$1 a month, while plowing the other day found a small metal pot and silver coins valued at \$15,000. About \$13,000 was in gold, \$600 in silver, and the balance in currency so badly disintegrated that the denominations could not be distinguished. The latest date on any of the coins was 1823.

Blockade of Black Sea Is Maintained by Greek Forces

Bulgarians Lodge Strong Protest Against Seizure of Steamer. Constantinople, April 21.—The Greeks are maintaining a strict blockade of the Black Sea. A Greek destroyer seized a Bulgarian steamer repatriating Greek officers and men of the forces of Col. Jafar Tayer, former Turkish commandant in Constantinople. The Bulgarians have lodged a protest against the Greek action. The Turkish Nationalists are reported to be placing orders for tanks, rifles, and aeroplanes in Russia.

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OLDER THAN THE DOMINION OF CANADA

MODERN CULTS ALL BASED ON ANCIENT GREEK PHILOSOPHY

"The Reverence For Fact" Summed Up Hellenic View-point, Says Dr. Fox.

"The author of that preachment in verse which we know as 'The Psalm of Life,' exhorts us in a vigorous phrase to 'act in the living present,'" said Dr. Sherwood Fox, dean of Western University, speaking on "The Contribution of the Greeks to Modern Civilization," at a meeting of the Theosophical Society last night. "All too well has this contention, at least, heeded the word, and to all appearances it is the conscious policy of the rank and file of men to live as if there has never been any past, a result very different from that which the learned bard of Harvard desired to bring about. Modernism, which was once an affectation, has now become a religion, and every new 'ism' has become its ritual. One of the articles of the modernist's creed is omniscience, but, by a strange paradox, so partisan has he grown in upholding his belief that his mind has become closed as regards the facts of the past. It is bad enough to neglect the teachings of history, but to ignore in practice or in theory the very existence of history is on the same moral plane as the repudiation of one's mother."

Bluntness a Virtue. "Sometimes bluntness is a virtue, and we believe that we are not unvirtuous in stating at the outset that the type of civilization which we so proudly label modern is not modern at all, but Greek. In short, the Greeks were the first people on earth to have that point of view of man, of his material environment and of the universe, that characterizes the progressive societies of today. This point of view may be expressed very briefly in the words 'Reverence for fact.'"

He stated that from the Greeks' curiosity to know what matter and forces really are arose philosophy and the natural sciences; from his recognition of the great truth that nature of man is exceedingly complex came the development of the various forms of literature and the fine arts.

NO INQUIRIES FOR COAL. LONDON, April 20.—(Canadian Associated Press.)—Col. L. A. Amery, under-secretary of state for the colonies, replying to a question in the House of Commons today, declared that the British Admiralty had made no inquiries in regard to coal supplies, either from Canadian or United States sources.

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LEADING DOCTORS ADDRESS WESTERN ONTARIO ACADEMY

Crowded Attendance At First Meeting in New Medical School.

ENDOCARDITIS DISCUSSED

Dr. Connell of Queen's, and Dr. Case, Battle Creek, Speakers.

A session of the Western Ontario Academy of Medicine, at which practically every doctor in the district was in attendance, marked the first public function held in the auditorium of the new Western University Medical School, Ottawa avenue, Wednesday afternoon. In addition to physicians, nurses from city hospitals and medical students all assisted in the session. The guest speakers delivered by Dr. W. T. Connell, professor of medicine at Queen's University, and Dr. James T. Case, Battle Creek, Mich., president of the American Roentgen Ray Society, and editor of the American Roentgen Ray Journal.

To Dr. Connell was accorded the honor of being the first person to give a public address in the new building. In opening the session, Dr. George McNeill, president of the Academy of Medicine, said: "This meeting, in our new medical school, marks an epoch in the progress of our city and Western University. Our only regret is that the late Dr. H. A. McCallum was prevented from seeing the opening of his school, for which he worked so hard. I will ask Dr. Connell to give the first paper. Contrary to the old custom, our universities are now working in co-operation. They have all struggled as it were to the detriment of one another in the past. It is a good omen to see a professor of Queen's University here to address us."

Conveyed Queen's Greetings.

Dr. Connell, who addressed the session on "Sub-Acute Bacterial Endocarditis," first thanked those present for the honor accorded him, stating that he was well known to the majority of Western Ontario physicians, having met them while presiding as an examiner in medicine each year on examinations for the Ontario Medical Council. He conveyed the best wishes of the faculty of Queen's University, and stated that his colleagues would reciprocate this honor by inviting a London medical man to address them this year.

Dr. Connell stated that his subject was a term used to apply to a group of conditions, due either to infection or rheumatic fever. "There are cases of the clinical type recognized for years by physicians," he began. "We have become more numerous on this subject, which has assisted in the study of it. It is regarded as so important that the British Medical Association at the Cambridge last year discussed it. Sub-Acute Bacterial Endocarditis is not uncommon, yet it often escapes recognition. It should be recognized, as it presents a very grave prognosis and is extremely fatal. The general symptoms are loss of tone and weight, fever, anaemia, cardiac failure, clubbed fingers, and areas of redness on hands and feet and back. All of these give evidence and blood cultures show the presence of bacteria, most likely streptococcus. The course of the disease is slow, but progressive. There may be remissions, but it invariably proves fatal. Its course may run three months to two years, but death usually ensues in six months. It is only exceptionally that heart symptoms appear primarily. The onset is very insidious, the patient experiencing fatigue and fever, especially at night. It may be mistaken for tuberculosis.

Follows Previous Troubles.

"I have three cases of this disease. There is almost always evidence of previous damaged valves with a history of rheumatism, corns, typhoid, influenza and less often pneumonia. The four cardinal signs in order of their importance are: arterial embolism, enlargement of the spleen, enlarged spleen, nephritis and anaemia also manifest themselves. The arterial embolism is in the bones and joints, but may be anywhere in the body. Look for the attack that it was of the fingers and clavicles and in the axilla region. Fresh patches appear daily and the patient complains of a prickling sensation. The joints very seldom show definite signs of effusion. There is slight swelling with a little pain, going down in a few hours or days. The embolic condition progresses and becomes more serious, involving the coronary arteries, hepatic, pancreatic and renal vessels.

Not Easy To Diagnose.

"The endocarditis present nearly always a previously damaged valve, and

is not easy to diagnose. Note the change in heart sounds, day to day, thus noting the progress of the disease. Isolation of the bacteria confirm the diagnosis.

"Repeat the attempts until the culture is positive. Unless you cast your net at the psychological moment you will not catch your fish. Fever is a constant feature of the disease early, and in delirium is also peculiar with the progress resembling pulmonary tuberculosis."

Dr. Connell then cited several cases which had come under his observation in military and civil practice, and both in military and civil practice, dealing particularly with the progress of the disease, stating that of the 12 cases ten proved fatal, and the remaining two are now on their death beds.

Moved Vote of Thanks.

In moving a vote of thanks to the speaker, Dr. Clifford H. Reason of this city said: "What we need is an up-to-date research department in medicine for Canada. It is too great for one university, and I think the results would gratify the expense incurred with men like Dr. Connell on the job."

Dr. James T. Case, Battle Creek, Mich., gave a lantern slide, X-Ray demonstration, on "Diagnosis of the Upper Right Quadrant of the Abdomen." He presented scores of X-Ray plates to the audience, explaining in detail, dealing particularly with duodenal and gastric ulcer. An interesting fact brought out by the speaker was the fact that the X-Ray rarely discloses the presence of gall stones. He stated that statistics five years ago showed that the X-Ray detected 49 per cent of them, but this has been reduced to 32 per cent in operative cases. Dr. Case, who has been engaged in X-Ray work in the United States Army and who will address the American Medical Association in the near future, answered queries propounded by members of the academy, concluding, ending a grilling which demonstrated his knowledge of the subject to be that of an expert.

The next meeting of the Western Ontario Academy of Medicine will be held on May 24, when prominent men in medicine and surgery on the North American continent will address the members.

At the conclusion of the meeting, the visiting doctors spent some time looking over the new school.

LABOR COUNCIL TO OPPOSE DROPPING DAY LABOR SYSTEM

Will Fight City's Proposed Reversion To Contract Construction Policy.

Any attempt on the part of the city to turn from day labor to the contract system of carrying on civic work will be strenuously opposed by the local trades and labor council. After considerable hot discussion on the subject the meeting of the trades and labor council on Wednesday night No. 1 committee of the council was instructed to lay the objections of the council before No. 2 committee of the city council at its meeting on Tuesday night next.

The day labor system was declared superior in every way by the several delegates who spoke on the matter. It assured better prices and a saving of money to the city. It guaranteed better wages and good working conditions to the workmen. Besides these advantages the quality of the work was sure to be better under the day labor system. To bear out their arguments the delegates cited many cases. In conclusion one of the delegates claimed that civic day labor was the sheet anchor to the workmen in their fight for fair wages.

Garbage Issue Discussed.

In reporting for the committee appointed at the last meeting Alderman John Ashton said that the matter was to be threshed out again, and that the committee of city council No. 2, he had no doubts that the garbage collecting would still be operated under the present system. He claimed, however, that the collection was not being done as cheaply as it might be done, and he suggested that the work should be taken from the hands of the city engineer. A man should be appointed to look solely after the work and to see that it was done properly. If this was done it might be why the collecting could not be done as cheaply under civic as under private contract.

Delegate H. G. Hothersoll, following a rather heated outburst, moved a resolution setting aside fifteen minutes of each meeting to political discussion.

When President J. McGuire ruled him out of order on the grounds that the subject could not be discussed in the council, he appealed against the chair. On the vote the president's decision was supported by a large majority.

J. G. Hothersoll and E. H. Monette were appointed to represent the council on the provincial committee of the National Council Combating Venereal Diseases.

Mr. Mould Explains.

Because of a resolution passed at the last meeting, while he was absent, apparently censuring him for neglect of duty as chairman of the unemployment advisory committee, A. Mould, after explaining his position to the satisfaction of all, tendered his resignation. The resignation was not accepted, however, as every delegate opposed it. Mr. Mould explained that he had not met the chairman of commerce, because he had received no invitation from the body. Some confusion resulted at the last meeting over a letter received from the chamber of commerce in which the secretary had been asked for information.

Invite C. B. R. E. Back. The local branches of the C. B. R. E. will be invited to be affiliated with the council. Some time ago connections between the C. B. R. E. and the trades councils throughout the country were severed, except in a few cases, because of the action of the Canadian Trades Congress in revoking its charter. It has since been proven that the congress had no right to cancel the charter.

A new number one committee was appointed. It consisted of E. H. H. H. chairman; H. J. Hooper, E. H. Menefee, J. Medland and F. H. Swadling. A. Stewart was added to No. 2 committee.

DEATH OF E. H. BETTS.

RIDGETOWN, April 20.—The death took place yesterday of Mr. E. H. Betts, one of the most prominent businessmen of this place, at the family residence, Erie street north, after an illness of one week. Mr. Betts was taken suddenly ill Monday, April 11, with an attack of appendicitis, and so acute was the attack that it was found necessary to operate at once.

About ten years ago Mr. Betts came to Ridgetown and purchased the bakery and confectionery business of the late Edward Mitton.

He is survived by his wife, two daughters and three sons, all at home; his aged mother, who lives near Toronto, and one brother, who lives in the United States. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

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Miss' Dress of Navy Taffeta, with cording trimmings; short sleeves, trimmings jade green; georgette skirt hemmed, corded pockets and girdle. Price\$42.50

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Habutai Silk Petticoats, with fancy insets, in pleated flounce. Prices\$8.50 and \$10.50

Fancy Silk Jersey Petticoats, with novelty insets on flounce at bottom. Price\$10.50

Heatherbloom Petticoats, having deep flounce trimmed with tucking and pleating, all shades. Prices\$1.98 and \$2.50

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Court of Revision Reduces Figures To Estimate of City Engineer.

Assessment for the Knoxwood sewer system was reduced from \$73,418 to \$62,366 by the court of revision last night. A large deputation of residents of that district with J. M. Donahue for spokesman appealed for the change. T. J. Murphy, one of the members of the court, expressed the opinion that the high cost of the sewer system was due to the work being done in winter. He thought the residents were entitled to some reduction. On inquiry from the city engineer, Mr. Murphy found that the contract price for the construction was \$73,418, while the tender submitted by the city engineer was \$62,366.

Mr. Donahue stated that the city engineer had said he could do the work even more cheaply than that. He claimed that the ratepayers had al-

lowed the construction to go on as a result of a misunderstanding of what their share of the costs would be. While doubtful of the legality of the assessment, Mr. Murphy suggested that the assessment be reduced to the city engineer's estimate of \$62,366, thus cutting off \$11,000. The city council would be able to appeal against this, if it did not approve it. Mr. Donahue did not think this would be likely, as he asserted all the aldermen were of the opinion that the charges were excessive.

Jared Vining Objects.

Jared Vining, another member of the court, objected that a reduction of this kind would have to be borne entirely by the older section of the city, and that the annex district would pay none of it.

He contended that it was foolish to lay the sewers there, but that the people had asked for them in order to make their property more saleable. He suggested recommending the reduction to the city council, but finally agreed to settle it at once.

No change was made in the assessment of Quebec and Egerton street sewers. A number of appeals against statute labor tax were allowed.

TO ATTEND GAS MEETING.

LENHEIM, April 20.—At a special meeting of the town council yesterday it was decided to have Mayor Clinis and Solicitor R. L. Gosnell attend the meeting in Toronto on Thursday. In connection with the proposed gas act.

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 Sugar Shells, each\$1.35
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NEW TREATMENT HAS GIVEN GREAT HELP WAR WORN PATIENTS

Occupational Therapy Proves of Great Assistance in Treatment.

The regular monthly meeting of the London branch of the Ontario Society of Occupational Therapy was held on Monday evening at the Veterans' Workshop, Ridout street. This society was inaugurated in Toronto last October, when a provincial charter was obtained. Largely attended and enthusiastic meetings have been held by the local society during the winter months, at which many of the members of the medical profession gave interesting addresses. Among those who spoke were Dr. W. H. Hill, Dr. Douglas, Dr. Young of the Ontario Hospital, and Dr. McDermid and Dr. McGhie of Westminster Hospital.

Professor Haultain, formerly director of vocational training for the province of Ontario, under whose direction occupational therapy was first introduced in the military hospitals states that it has proved a great aid in finding an outlet for the energies of the soldiers who had been a long time in hospitals and in that it touched the forces of which they knew nothing. The ward alder, he said had responded nobly under organization in helping a man to find his "soul." Physicians state that this work has been of tangible, measurable assistance, in the recovery of the patient from his illness and that it has specifically reduced the length of time that he remains in hospital.

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HOT ELECTION FIGHT

Majority Candidates for Boys' Community Council Address Meetings.

Harold Richmond and Allan Kay, the two nominees for the majority chair of the Boys' Community Council, addressed a meeting of about 100 Trail Rangers in the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening. Four commissioners who are seeking election also spoke. Each candidate approved strongly of more inter-church group games and proposed approaching several Sunday school superintendents, asking their co-operation in this scheme. One candidate said that if elected, he would help the boys in the art of public speaking.

City Briefs

ACTING MAYOR.—In the absence of Mayor J. E. Little, who is out of the city, Ald. F. E. Harley is acting mayor today.

NEW POST BOX.—In response to a petition of residents of the vicinity, a mail box has been placed at the corner of Bank and Edward streets.

BANK CLEARINGS.—The bank clearings for this week amounted to \$2,467,777. For the same week last year they were \$2,448,896. This is a decrease of \$18,881.

ATTENDING CONVENTION.—Secretary Ed Lance of the local branch of the soldiers' aid commission, is attending a convention of the provincial secretaries in Toronto. It is expected he will return on Friday.

BRIEF SESSION.—No. 2 committee of the city council will hold a brief session at the city hall at 4 o'clock this afternoon to open tenders for a pump required by the public works department.

ORGAN RECITAL.—Tonight at the First Presbyterian Church, W. H. Hewlett, an old London boy, will give an organ recital under the auspices of the London Organists' Club. He will be assisted by Mrs. Harold Hamilton, soprano, formerly soloist of Dundas Centre Church. A fine program will be given, and a rich musical treat assured.

NEXT BRITISH MAILS.—The next mail for Great Britain and Europe will close at the local postoffice on Friday, April 22, to be forwarded via S. S. Haverford, sailing from Halifax, N. S., on April 25. The mail will consist of all classes of mail matter. Letters and registered matter are collected at 10 a.m., and parcel post and newspapers at 2 p.m.

RETURNS FROM TORONTO.—Rev. T. D. McCoughlin was in Toronto attending a meeting of the Ontario Social Service Council executive on Wednesday. A tentative program was drawn up for the annual convention of the Ontario Council to be held in Peterboro on May 8, 9 and 10. Child Welfare will be one of the principal topics under discussion.

SERVICE OF PRAISE.—St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church is presenting its annual service of praise in St. Andrew's Church on Monday night, April 25, when the visiting artists will be J. Cameron McLean, eminent Scottish baritone, and Miss Muriel Kyle, soprano of Detroit. The choir itself will present a program of ensemble numbers under the direction of Chas. E. Wheeler.

FIVE DRUNKS.—Five Londoners decided that after Monday's vote there was no time like the present to get into five long-necked bottles until the bottom could be discerned. However, the well-known "arm of the law" got exceedingly busy, and the five all appeared before Magistrate Graydon today. They were assessed the usual "ten or ten."

BUILDING PERMITS.—In the last few days, Building Inspector A. M. Piper has issued building permits representing \$12,400 worth of work. The bulk of this amount is accounted for by three brick veneer dwellings, which are being built for H. Wolfe & Son on Waterloo street. B. Collins is building a kitchen at 2 Lansdowne avenue, at a cost of \$100. J. H. Buckle, a brick addition on Dufferin avenue, \$500, and D. H. Gillies, repairing home at 729 Dundas, \$100.

MEET NEXT MONDAY.—The United Welfare Fund Association of the city of London will have a meeting next Monday evening at 8 o'clock in the Tecumseh House, for the purpose of hearing the reports of the budget committee and other campaign committees, and otherwise preparing for the work of collecting. The various clubs and other city organizations which are assisting in the campaign will also hold meetings at various dates until all the preparations for the most intensive drive in the history of the fund will have been completed.

REAL ESTATE CONVENTION.—Bert Weir, president of the Real Estate Board of London, and F. W. Renwick, the vice-president, will leave next Monday for New Haven, Connecticut, to attend the convention of the National Association of Real Estate Boards, being held in that city next Tuesday and Wednesday. G. J. Thompson, secretary of the London board, has been appointed to attend the convention of the national association, which is expected that the attendance at this meeting will total between 5,000 and 7,500. Several speakers of international fame will address the delegates.

RUSSIAN INTERFERED WITH CONSTABLE AND IS FINED "TEN SPOT"

John Bizzcomb Didn't Mind His Own "Bizz."

RED HOT ARGUMENT

Ringleader Escaped, But John Landed in the Toils.

John Bizzcomb, who lays his weary bones to rest in Little Russia each night, didn't mind his own "bizz" last night, and as a result was parted from a "ten spot" when he appeared before Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon in police court this morning.

It seems that when Constable John Meyers walked around the corner of Adelaide and Ottawa avenue at the witching hour of midnight, loud, boisterous and offensive language greeted his sensitive ears. He hustled along and at the corner of Webb and Ottawa avenue landed right in the middle of the argument.

Constable Meyers singled out the ringleader and started on the long trek to the police station. This is where Mr. Bizzcomb injected himself into the immediate scene. He followed the constable and his prisoner for a couple of blocks, voicing general indignation at the police station. He was both English and Russian. From words he proceeded to action, which resulted in the escape of the prisoner and in John's own detention.

"How do you spell your name?" inquired the court when John stood up sulkily in the prisoner's box today.

"I dunno," was the reply. "Why did you interfere with the constable?" pursued the court. "I dunno," said John, and the magistrate gave the matter up. John was warned, however, never again to bother a policeman in the execution of his duties.

Two youths, who were charged with vagrancy were given stiff lectures by the court, and were remanded for one week.

MIDDLESEX RURAL DEANERY TO HOLD SESSION APRIL 28

Evening Meeting To Be in Charge of East Middlesex Sunday School Association.

The semi-annual meeting of the East Middlesex Rural Deanery will be held in Christ Church on Thursday, April 28. Holy Communion will be celebrated in the morning at 10 o'clock, followed by a business session.

In the afternoon two interesting papers will be given, one on "Church Extension" by Edwin Smith, and "The Church and the Home," by Mrs. H. B. Gahan. Rev. G. Q. Warner and Rev. Capt. G. Pugsley will give musical numbers.

The evening session will be in charge of the East Middlesex Sunday School Association. Addresses will be given by Col. W. J. Brown, Rev. A. L. G. Clarke, and Rev. Frank Anderson.

PERSHING WILL HEAD ARMY STAFF OF U. S.

Washington, April 21.—Organization of a war staff headed by General Pershing, to take charge of field operations of the armies of the United States in time of war was announced today by Secretary Weeks. "Instant preparation in time of peace for active military operations," was given by the secretary as the reason for the new organization.

The organization headed by General Pershing will be entirely separate from the office of the chief of staff. Mr. Weeks said, which will continue to direct the administration of the military establishment in time of peace.

General Pershing will have a skeletonized staff corresponding to his staff during the great war, which will concern itself entirely with problems of strategy, tactics and war organization.

If you want a good attendance at your meeting let Advertiser readers know when it is going to be. The rate is 2c per word or 15c per line.

MURRELLS AND WATKINS STAGE MOCK MURDER TRIAL AND HANGING IN CELL AT THE COUNTY JAIL

Member Found Guilty Is Playfully Strung Up by Necktie — Tell Priest Hell Is Down in Kingston—Would Just As Soon Hang As Go to Penitentiary — No Chance of a Speedy Trial, Says Crown Attorney.

There is little possibility that a special trial will be held for the Murrell brothers and their companion, Williams, if they are committed for trial at the preliminary hearing at Melbourne today on a charge of murdering Russell Campbell of Melbourne, when the trio, with a fourth bandit, attempted to hold up the Home Bank in that village. Deputy Sheriff B. F. Waterworth, who approached Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop on the matter, said this morning that Mr. McKillop had stated that he did not believe the department would sanction the considerable extra expense involved. Mr. Waterworth was quite anxious that the prisoners should be given a special trial as soon after the preliminary hearing as possible, because no regular hearing was scheduled to sit until September or October. He believed that the three men were much too desperate to be kept in the county jail for several months.

When interviewed by The Advertiser concerning the request of the deputy sheriff, Mr. McKillop was not in a good humor. He claimed that he had not given much thought to the matter up to the present time, and that any way it would be soon enough to take the matter up when the prisoners were committed for trial.

With the preliminary hearing facing the three men today, they showed absolutely no signs of worrying. During the morning they were in the best of spirits, laughing and joking a great part of the time.

On Wednesday afternoon the three prisoners put in their time by holding a mock trial in their cell. One of the trio acted as judge, another acted as prosecutor, while the third played the part of a murderer. After the case had been heard in detail, the prisoner was found guilty of murder in the first degree and sentenced to hang by the neck until dead.

To complete their gruesome entertainment, the three staged a fake hanging. The one who was found guilty of murder was playfully strung up by a necktie.

During Wednesday afternoon a local priest went to the jail to carry a message of peace to the three men. They refused to listen to him.

"But, men, do you not believe in hell?" the good man asked.

"Sure," one of them replied. "It is down in Kingston, and we would just as soon be hanged as go down there."

Chief of Police Green of Paris, who was interviewed by The Advertiser upon the prisoners refused to see Wednesday morning. After talking with them, he felt certain that they were not the men who stole a car in Paris a few days previous to the shooting.

Deputy Chief Waterworth will arm at his turnkeys, so that every precaution will be taken to prevent the escape of the men.

The prisoners were taken to Melbourne in the police car shortly after noon to the Melbourne Jail, where the preliminary hearing will occupy the greater part of the afternoon.

BEAUTIFICATION OF BOULEVARDS MAY BE UNDERTAKEN SOON

Increased Greenhouse Accommodation at Springbank Will Provide Flowers.

COMMISSION MEETING

Buchanan To Report On Tenders for New Filtration Plant.

Propagation of flowers, shrubs, etc., for an extension of the scheme that the parks committee of the Public Utilities Commission have for the beautification of Springbank and other city parks will very shortly receive considerable assistance from the doubling of the greenhouse accommodation which will result from the completion of the new building.

In addition to the provision of a very largely increased supply of plants for the parks the P. U. C. anticipates the probability and possibility of a scheme of beautification of the boulevards on the main residential thoroughfares by the laying out of a number of flower beds.

Work on the roadways at Springbank park will be commenced almost immediately and as soon as the necessary grading has been done the roads will be given a coat of tar.

Discussion of and decision upon the tenders received for the installation of the new filter plant at the Horton street pumping station of the water works department will be the main feature at the regular meeting of the Public Utilities Commission this afternoon. These tenders were opened at the last meeting and referred to General Manager E. V. Buchanan to list and report upon.

Other matters that will come before the Commission will be mainly of routine character.

FINE COLLECTION OF WATER COLOR PAINTINGS

Rarely has London the opportunity of seeing such a fine collection of water color paintings as that now being shown at Graves' Art Gallery, by the artist himself, George Chavignaud, one of the finest water-color artists working in Canada. Although born in Brittany, France, and a great student and exhibitor there, this color artist has made home near Toronto, Canada, and calls himself a Canadian artist.

His work, shown at the local art gallery is most confined to out-of-door scenes, although among the collection is a very fine study from life of a British peasant girl. His work is characterized by its depth of color and conception, almost reminiscent of oil painting. A great portion of his work is painted direct from nature, and about his strongest and best studies there is an idealistic touch which is secured by a mistiness of outline, very pleasing to the eye.

Nor does the piece lose any of its strength of conception by the use of this misty device, which has the effect of idealizing the whole scene, and toning down the colors to all the lovely pastel shades.

Mr. Chavignaud is showing a group of scenes in Brittany and Holland, as well as a few Canadian studies. His work has been exhibited at the Paris Salon, the Salon Triennial, Brussels, and the Royal Society of Belgian Water-Color Artists.

AGREEMENT REACHED

Port Stanley Representatives and London Railway Commission Talk Over Improvements at Port.

It is understood that an agreement has been arrived at between the London Railway Commission and the representatives of the village of Port Stanley regarding the matter of the bridge in connection with the projected improvement of Port Stanley harbor.

At the meeting of the various bodies interested in the harbor question which took place last Saturday in this city, the village of Port Stanley was not represented owing to some misunderstanding, but the delegates from St. Thomas to some extent presented their views.

In terms of the resolution which was then arrived at, it is expected that a deputation representing those interested in procuring an appropriation for the harbor improvements will go to Ottawa at an early date in order to lay the whole matter before the minister of public works.

It was stipulated in the resolution that the agreement already referred to should first be made before joint action could be taken regarding the Government grant.

The county council of Elgin will, it is expected, at the same time send a deputation to place before the minister their offer of \$20,000 which is conditional on the Government taking over the bridge across the river.

ASSURED OF \$25,000 TO AID ERECTION OF HOSPITAL HERE

London Member Declares the Provincial Treasurer Has Made Verbal Promise.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Toronto, April 21.—Dr. H. A. Stevenson, M. L. A. for London, claimed today to have assurance from Hon. Peter Smith, provincial treasurer, that an appropriation of \$25,000 will be made toward the building of the Sick Children's Hospital in London.

Obituary

MRS. EMMA BROWNE.

The funeral of Mrs. Emma Browne, widow of Thomas A. Browne, a former London postmaster, was held privately this afternoon from her residence, 480 Queen's avenue, to Mount Pleasant Cemetery. The services at 3 o'clock were conducted by Rev. Mr. Rogers and Rev. N. D. Drew.

The pallbearers were Mrs. Browne's four brothers, J. B. W. T. W. and Fred Scandrett, Fred Browne and J. P. Tanton.

Mrs. Browne died in Victoria Hospital at an early hour Wednesday morning.

NEW YORK SAILORS

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Breakfast Bacon, sliced, lb... 49c

Special Blend Tea, lb... 39c

Castile Soap, long bars... 19c

Four-String Brooms, each... 47c

Eggs, per dozen... 30c

Creamery Butter, lb... 52c

CANADA LOSING BIG SUM YEARLY BECAUSE OF PASSPORT SYSTEM

Quebec Agent for Belgium Advocates Change in Methods.

Quebec, April 21.—Godfrey Langlois, agent for the province of Quebec in Belgium, in an address to the Quebec Board of Trade yesterday touched upon the passport system, which he said was a great hindrance to trade between the two countries.

He agreed to this but asked that when Canadian legislators were negotiating to this end, why did they not insist that Canadian agents in foreign countries should be invested with full consular powers. When Canadian agents went abroad they found that they were nobodies. Canada issued her own passports, but when Canadians reached foreign countries they were obliged to have their passports viced by the British Consul. Approximately 5,000 Canadians visited Belgium every year and as it cost \$8 to have a passport viced, it meant that \$40,000 were being lost by the Government when it should be met by the Canadian Government.

BRITISH PRESS AGREES WITH G. T. R. DIRECTORS IN DELAYING ACTION

London, April 21.—Canadian Associated Press.—The statement of the British press in connection with the controversy between the Dominion Government and the Grand Trunk Railway management has been published pretty fully in the papers here.

Commenting on the demand of the Canadian Government that the railway be handed over to its control without delay, the financial editor of the Times says it is a tall order to ask owners of property to surrender it before payment is made, and adds that it is not hard to understand the Grand Trunk Board's hesitation in agreeing to part with control of the road. The Times thinks it strange that Premier Meighen made no reference to the relation of

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CHURCH COMMITTEES TO MEET ON MAY 2

Joint Session of Methodists and Presbyterians.

SMALL CONGREGATIONS

Many Are in Favor of Joining Churches With Small Memberships.

A joint meeting of the Methodist and Presbyterian re-arrangement and co-operation committees will be held on May 2nd in the First Methodist Church.

The committee will endeavor to find out just which Methodist and Presbyterian churches in the London district can be united successfully. A large number of the small churches of both denominations have expressed themselves in favor of a co-operation scheme, whereby non-supporting churches may be made self-supporting.

An instance of the feeling along the line of co-operation is that the Wesley Road Baptist Church and Knox Presbyterian Church have already arranged to hold joint services for six weeks during the summer months, the services to be held in Knox Presbyterian Church.

SUNDAY'S STORM CAUSES HEAVY DAMAGE TO BELL TELEPHONE CO. LINES

Toronto, April 21.—The storm of last Sunday was an unpleasant touch of weather to the Bell Telephone Company in Ontario and Quebec 738 poles of the company were broken down by the high wind and the weight of ice on the wires which they supported. The worst breaks were in Western Ontario between Toronto and Stratford. About \$75,000 was estimated amount of damage.

ONTARIO MOVING PICTURE ACCOUNTS BEFORE COMMITTEE

Col. W. H. Price Takes Witness Elliott Through Grueling Examination.

TORONTO, April 20.—The public accounts committee of the Legislature today directed its inquiries into the motion picture branches of the treasury department. Otter Elliott, director of the branches, was summoned to give evidence regarding payments of \$55,000 and \$44,000 to the Canadian Aero Film Company, and the Pathescope Company, respectively.

These, he stated, were in payment for motion pictures made under the direction of the Government, showing the resources and scenery of Ontario. Such pictures were distributed throughout Canada, the United States and Europe. Films were supplied on request to district agricultural representatives throughout the province, together with projecting machines. Mr. Elliott stated that he had been in the employ of the treasury department since 1911; first, as a member of the board of censors, then as assistant inspector of theatres, then as inspector, and, since January of 1920, as director of the motion picture branches.

Chairman J. W. Currie objected to several of Col. W. H. Price's questions dealing with matters in the department prior to the election of the present Government.

"If the old Government were entitled to any credit, they've got it," he ruled. "If there were any sin on their part, they've been punished."

Mr. Elliott stated that the Canadian Aero Film Company had made an overcharge of \$1,650, but the matter was being rectified. He accounted for the overcharge through lack of system. He had signed the account without looking at it, he supposed, but could not remember the incident. He denied being a shareholder in the Canadian Aero Film Company, and denied that he held any stock in it or that anybody else held stock for him in the company.

Borrowed \$1,700.

Mr. Elliott admitted having borrowed \$1,700 from Mr. Proctor of the Canadian Aero Film Company, the most of which had been repaid. He had given a note for the amount. The witness reluctantly admitted, in answer to questions from Col. W. H. Price, that his note had been endorsed by Charles Matthews, secretary to the provincial treasurer at that time, March, 1920, now assistant treasurer of both branches of the appeal board of censorship, he said. He explained that the Aero Film Company did not submit films to be censored.

The witness was asked about a motion picture expedition in a party in which Mr. Proctor and Mr. Irish, also of the Aero Film Company, were members, as well as Hon. H. C. Nixon, provincial secretary, and A. H. Peppell.

"Is he the gentleman who went overseas?" Col. Price asked, meaning Mr. Peppell.

"Yes," replied the witness.

"I had a private car on the trip?" questioned Col. Price.

"Yes."

"Who supplied it?"

"I think it was Peppell."

"He ought to be able to pay for something," Col. Price remarked.

The inquiry will be resumed by the committee on Friday.

LLOYD GEORGE WILL VISIT BRANTFORD IF HE COMES TO CANADA

Attempt to Block Invitation to British Premier Fails.

BRANTFORD, April 20.—Premier Lloyd George of England, if he comes to Canada, will visit Brantford on the invitation of his old friend, Ald. John Robertson.

Tonight at the trades and labor council meeting Secretary Bowery introduced a resolution that the premier be not asked to come to Brantford as a guest of the city. The resolution was defeated.

CHARGED WITH BIGAMY.

WINNIPEG, April 20.—Thos. Wakefield of Souris, Man., had a wife and five children in England. In August, 1920, he married again in London, Ont. This fully brought him before Magistrate Fraser at Brandon this week. He pleaded guilty to a charge of bigamy, and will stay in jail for the next six months.

METHODIST CHURCH FACING A SERIOUS FINANCIAL POSITION

Not Less Than \$3,500,000 Needed Within Next Four Years.

TORONTO, April 20.—One of the most critical periods in the history of the Methodist Church in Canada for fifteen years faces the church today as a result of the existing financial stringency. The missionary needs of the church require not less than \$3,500,000 within the next four years to complete the budget of \$5,000,000 voted in 1918, as almost \$2,000,000 are now required to do the work of \$3,000,000 in 1918, because of the depreciation in the purchasing power of the dollar, and the difference in the rate of exchange. A meeting of the general board of missions of the Methodist Church will be held here next week to consider the situation.

WALKERTON MILK DEALERS STRIKE AGAINST MILK TEST

Resume Service When Promised That Bylaw Will Be Changed.

WALKERTON, April 21.—The Walkerton milk rigs were again on their routes this morning after a day's strike, which was called by Dippel Bros., the proprietors, who objected to being fined by the local authorities for selling milk below the 3.5 standard required by law. Besides innumerable citizens who visited them and implored them to resume their service, a deputation of the town council, composed of Reeve Lippert and Councillors Goode, Erdman and O'Neill, waited on them last night, and on being promised that efforts would be made to have the milk test lowered, they agreed to put their rigs on the routes this morning.

CHIEF OF POLICE MAY LOSE AN EYE

Amherstburg Officer Engaged by Five Men in Fistic Encounter.

WINDSOR, April 20.—Police Chief A. J. Wharton of Amherstburg received severe injuries and may lose the sight of one eye, while William Finlay, resident of Amherstburg, was knocked unconscious and painfully bruised in a fist battle, which five men staged with Chief Wharton in front of Finlay's Cafe, Amherstburg, last evening. Police say the battle started when the chief ordered the men to move on. Mr. Finlay was the first to go to the aid of the police chief, who was being attacked by all five. The men made their escape when a crowd began to gather.

Amherstburg police state that the men are known, and that the reason of the attack on Chief Wharton was vengeance because the chief had taken part in the prosecution of two of their pals.

When the men were routed Dr. W. Fred Park, mayor, immediately swore in ten deputy police officers and formed a search posse.

No trace of the men was found, and it is believed that they managed to get across the river.

REV. H. A. GRAHAM SAYS STATEMENTS WERE MISREPORTED

Tells Veterans Remarks Attributed To Him Were Grossly Untrue.

WINDSOR, April 20.—With three polls to hear from in Sandwich West Township the "wet" majority in the County of Essex was tallied at 999 today. The three polls will likely increase this figure considerably over the 1,000 mark.

Time for the removal of the offices of the Dominion public works, Windsor, to London has been set for May 17, according to a statement made by H. E. R. Craig, engineer in charge. Mr. Craig stated today that he hoped the move would be made well within the time limit. The staff of the offices in Windsor consists of about a dozen persons, of whom several are engineers.

Veterans Interview Pastor.

A deputation from the Walkerville and Ford Great War Veterans' Association waited on Rev. H. A. Graham, pastor of Lincoln Road Methodist Church, tonight, concerning statements alleged to have been made from the pulpit by the Walkerville pastor on Sunday night. According to the returned men, Mr. Graham is alleged to have advised his congregation not to attend a Sunday evening concert given in the Walkerville Theatre in aid of the veterans' relief fund, and is also said to have expressed regret for the reception given to W. E. ("Pussyfoot") Johnson, in which he charged cowardice whether they were returned men or not. Mr. Graham issued a statement, saying that the remarks attributed to him were entirely misrepresented and grossly untrue. He declared that he cast no reflection upon returned soldiers in connection with his reference to the armories incident, simply stating what his sentiments were in reference to the same, and expressing the wish that all should know, whether they were returned soldiers or not.

8,000 Tax Forms Issued.

Over eight thousand sets of individual income tax forms have been issued through the Windsor postoffice during the past few weeks.

EVANGELICALS OF CANADA IN SESSION

STRATFORD, April 20.—Owing to the absence of Bishop Breyfogle, D.D., of Reading, due to an accident, the annual conference of the Evangelical Association was delayed this afternoon until Thursday morning. The delegates this afternoon, the conference was officially welcomed by Mayor Gregory, Rev. W. H. Graham, representing the Ministerial Association, and A. Knechtel, on behalf of the conference committee. Addresses were given by Rev. Mr. Umbreit of Napierville, Ill., on "Education," and by Rev. G. E. Epp, secretary-treasurer of the Missionary Society, Cleveland, Ohio. Rev. W. J. Zimmerman, of St. Louis, Mo., also spoke in the evening, as did also L. H. Wagner of Regina, connected with the Northwest missions.

Missionary Officials.

At the missionary meeting this morning officers were elected as follows: President, G. F. Brown, Elmira; vice-president, Rev. S. M. Hanch, Crediton; secretary, A. Plesch, Hanover; treasurer, Rev. W. J. Zimmerman, Napierville; secretary-treasurer of permanent fund, Rev. J. G. Litt, Toronto; delegate to general board, Rev. J. Zimmerman; alternative, Rev. J. G. Litt.

RIDORD HOLDERS TO HOLD MEETING TODAY

Financial Difficulties Under Consideration, But Can Be Adjusted Readily.

MONTREAL, April 20.—The Star tonight says a meeting of the officials and large shareholders of the Rirdon Pulp and Paper Company will be held tomorrow in regard to the situation which has arisen through a slump in the price of the concern's share on the stock exchange from \$27 to \$4 between Friday and this afternoon. The Star says the difficulties facing the company are stated to be mainly financial, which can be adjusted. The impression is that the "street" this morning was that the further drop in shares today had been discounted the worst.

In the "street" the most remarkable break the market had ever experienced was accompanied by a sort of wild rumors regarding the position of the company. Some of these went so far as to state that a complete financial reorganization might be necessary, and that actual control of the company had already passed.

Unofficially it was learned that those vitally interested in the welfare of the company are getting together, and the outcome will have an important effect on the market, as well as on the future of the corporation.

The Rirdon Pulp and Paper Company has an authorized capital of \$40,000,000 common stock, of which \$27,000,000 has been issued; \$20,000,000 first preference, \$10,000,000 issued, and \$10,000,000 second preference, all issues. The company owns large timber limits and paper plants.

The difficulties of the company date from its reorganization last year, when the old company was turned virtually into a holding company. At that time a reorganization was brought about, and the Rirdon Company, Limited, formed to act as an operating company, the old company retaining as it assets certain securities of the new company.

This year the annual financial report of the Rirdon Pulp and Paper Company did not go to shareholders, but figures recently made available cover the company's earnings to June 30, and the Rirdon Company's earnings from then until December 31, 1920, completing a 12-month period. Earnings were \$4,642,620, and after write-offs of \$956,042, net income available for interest and other charges was \$3,686,578. Deduction of interest of \$614,213 left net earnings applicable to dividends of \$3,072,375. Deductions of \$480,000 for preferred dividends, and \$525,000 for common dividends left net surplus of \$1,967,375. These profits do not take into account profits accruing from the Gaitneau Company, whose net earnings were in excess of \$400,000.

NEW \$2,540,000 ISSUE OF U. S. TREASURY BILLS

WINNIPEG, April 20.—The treasury department of the Provincial Government is about to make a \$2,540,000 issue of treasury bills, it was learned today. The issue will be sold to a Canadian bank, bearing an interest rate of 5 1/2 per cent.

The issue is preliminary to the floating of a bond issue for a similar amount. The purpose of floating the treasury bills is to meet capital expenditures.

HAD AN ANNOYING HACKING COUGH GOT NO REST AT NIGHT.

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GIVING HEART TO ENEMIES OF BRITAIN

Col. J. A. Currie So Styles Effort to Eliminate Article Ten.

OTTAWA, April 20.—(By Canadian Press.)—Efforts are being made to have Canada's assessment for the expenses of the League of Nations reduced. This announcement was made during discussion of an item of \$200,000 in the estimates for Canada's share of the expenses of the secretariat of the League of Nations. Sir George Foster said that Canada was assessed as a first-class state, and it was hoped to have this reduced.

Hon. Newton Wesley Rowell protested against Canada being asked to share in the cost of the commission on communications and transports, formation of which she had opposed.

Col. J. A. Currie (North Simcoe) criticised the Canadian delegates to the league assembly for having assisted in the attempt to eliminate article 10, which, he declared, was the backbone of the covenant. Such action was only giving heart to the enemies of Britain and France.

The item carried, and the house adjourned half an hour after midnight.

LYNCH-STANTON BILL MEETS MUCH OPPOSITION

Proposal To Amend Gold and Silver Marking Act Laid Over.

OTTAWA, April 20.—In committee in the Senate today Senator Lynch-Staunton's bill to amend the gold and silver marking act met with so much opposition that consideration was postponed for two weeks, pending a reference to the trade and commerce department, and representations from those interested in the jewelry trade.

Hon. J. G. Turritt asked for correspondence between the Government and the Montreal and Ottawa and Georgian Bay Canal Company, or between the Government and the new Dominion Syndicate of London, Eng., or its representative, Clinton Johnston Edgeley of New Hampshire, from 1918 to 1921.

The Senate adjourned until 3 o'clock tomorrow.

VICTIM OF ACCIDENT SUCCEUMBS TO INJURY

Alonza Vandicler, Mabees Corners, Hurt On Saturday Morning.

TILLSONBURG, April 20.—Alonza Vandicler, who had his neck broken last Saturday, when his team ran away, throwing him from a load of hay, died early this morning at his home near Mabees Corners. The deceased was in his 68th year, and the body will be forwarded to Cleveland tomorrow to be interred with that of his wife, who predeceased him some two years ago. No hopes were held that he would recover from his injury.

TWO BOYS DROWNED.

PETERBORO, April 20.—Charles Ivey, aged 14, and Kenneth Blakey, aged 17, were drowned at Meyersburg this morning. They were out on a pier in the river, and were endeavoring to embark on an old boat when they fell into the water. Their bodies have not been recovered.

AGRICULTURAL OFFICE OPENING AT STRATFORD

Representative Will Arrive in June, Despite Council's Altered Stand.

STRATFORD, April 20.—The announcement that the Perth County branch of the department of agriculture would be opened here early in June, an agricultural representative having been selected, is bound to create considerable feeling among the units in the county. Stratford has been chosen as the location for the office. Acting on the provisional resolution adopted at the January session of the county council, sensitive for two years, the department of agriculture at Toronto had selected a man of outstanding ability and practical training for the position. At the April session the council made a turnabout and voted against the January resolution, after a hot debate. Apparently this has been ignored.

ADMITTS ONE CHARGE, BUT DENIES ANOTHER

STRATFORD, April 20.—Michael Stever, who on Saturday last was sent up for trial by Magistrate Makins on two charges of theft and housebreaking, appeared before Judge Barron at the courthouse this morning. He pleaded guilty to entering the home of David Marshall, Brunswick street, and not guilty to entering the home of Mrs. Turner, Nile street. On the former charge he was remanded for sentence, and on the latter will be tried on Saturday morning.

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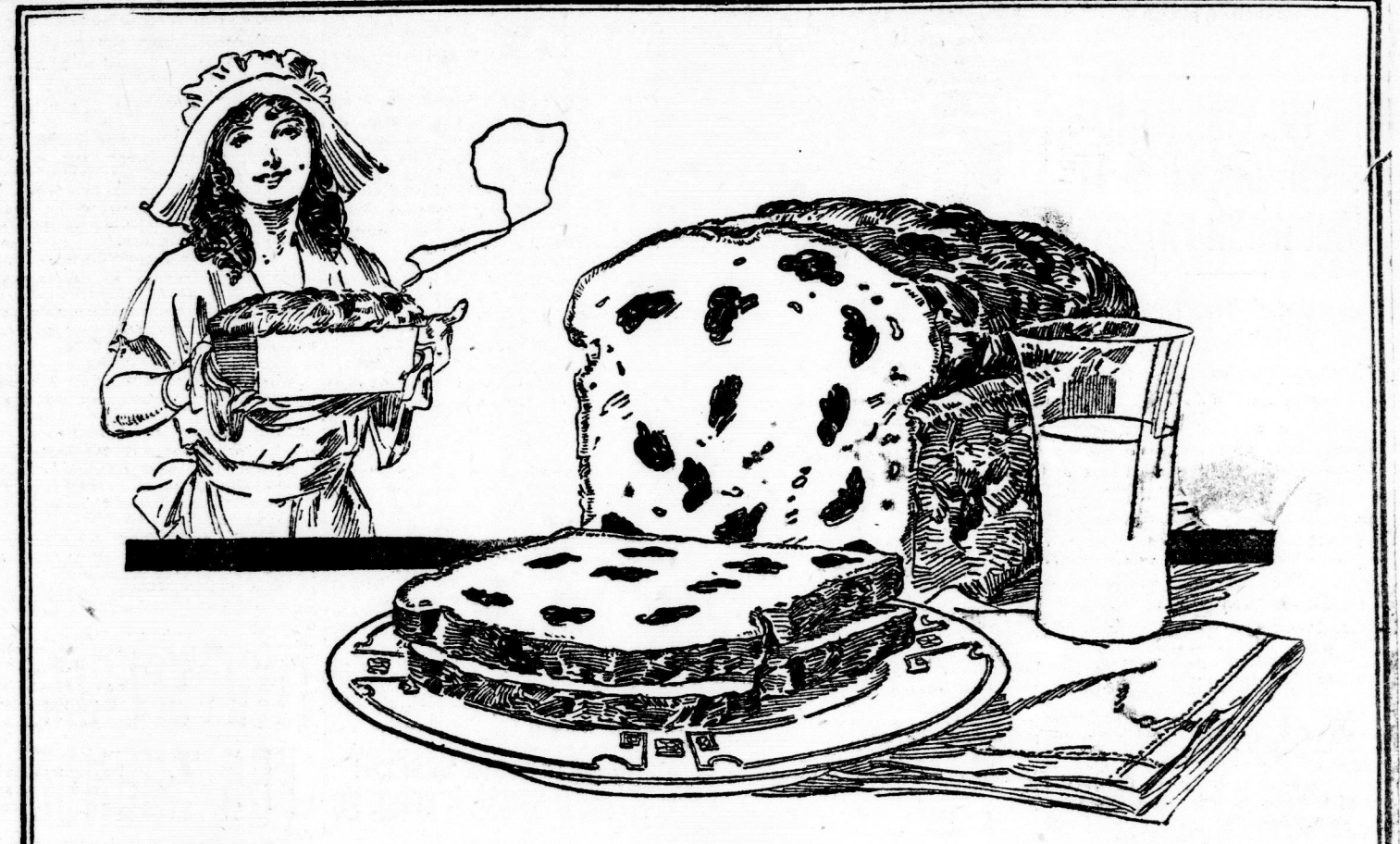
KITCHENER, April 20.—It was announced today that a membership campaign will be inaugurated at once for the purpose of enrolling charter members in the Y. M. C. A., the new building of which will be shortly erected.



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THREE LAWYERS BECOME BENCHERS FOR LIFE

TORONTO, April 20.—The following lawyers residing outside of Toronto have been elected benchers of the Law Society of Upper Canada: Stephen F. Washington, Hamilton; C. F. Henderson, Ottawa; W. A. M. Boys, Barrie; William Proudfoot, Goderich; J. H. Rodd, Windsor; W. S. Brewster, Brantford; J. L. Whiting, Kingston; W. F. Kerr, Cobourg; S. G. McKay, Woodstock; John Karm, Sarnia; J. E. Farewell, Whitby; G. G. McPherson, Stratford; F. M. Field, Cobourg; A. C. Kingston, St. Catharines; and O. L. Lewis, Chatham.

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Great Labor Leader Sends Message To Canadian Labor.

TORONTO, April 20.—President Samuel Gompers of the American Federation of Labor, when asked for a message to the workers of Canada before his departure today for Washington, replied: "The safety of democracy and civilization depend on the unity and practical, sane development of the great international trades unions."

President Gompers and Mrs. Gompers were the recipients of congratulations from a great number of Toronto labor officials before their departure for Washington. In addition, the Toronto Trades and Labor Council sent Vice-President Bert Mason and James Simpson to convey the congratulations of the trades unionists of Toronto, and also to present Mrs. Gompers with a very pretty chapeau as a remembrance of her visit to Toronto.

Mr. Simpson, in making the presentation, dwelt on the great work of the president of the American Federation of Labor. "We are proud of Mr. Gompers as the head of the American Federation of Labor," he said, and pointed out that while there may be those who differed in some opinions with Mr. Gompers, he stated that all were proud of the head of the great trades union movement.

GOVERNMENT CANDIDATE WINS.
LONDON, April 20.—The bye-election necessitated in the Bowdley division of West Yorkshire by the appointment of Stanley Baldwin, Coalition Unionist, as president of the board of trade, resulted in Mr. Baldwin's re-election to the House of Commons. It was announced today. He received 14,837 votes as against 1,680 for Henry Mills, Laborite.

CANADIAN PACIFIC ALTERATIONS IN TRAIN SERVICE.
Effective May 1, 1921.

Beginning on the above date the following changes in the department of trains from London will be effective:

TRAIN, No. 630—Local for Toronto, now leaving at 7:30 a.m., will leave at 7:30 a.m.

TRAIN, No. 632—Local for Toronto, now leaving 4:30 p.m., will leave 4:00 p.m.

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MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT HOLDS TWO SEATS AT SAME TIME?

House of Commons Refers Problem To Committee On Privileges.

DEBATE WAS HEATED
Attack Hurdled At Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, Who Represents Two Constituencies.

OTTAWA, April 20.—(By Canadian Press).—After a debate lasting through the afternoon and well into the evening, the House tonight referred the case of Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux to the committee on privileges and elections.

For some time past Mr. Lemieux has been criticized from the Government side of the House for continuing to sit as member for both Maltonneuve (Montreal) and Gaspé.

Dr. Edwards (Frontenac) today brought the criticisms to a head with a motion that the House committee on privileges and elections should consider whether Mr. Lemieux has not infringed the privileges of this House and violated its rules in not electing for which of the two districts he should serve.

The debate was marked by some sharp exchanges and lively repartee. Dr. Edwards drew a picture of Mr. Lemieux's possible projecting his "compelling personality" into five or six constituencies at the same time, not even confining himself to Quebec. From the Liberal side the point was pressed that a petition had been presented against Mr. Lemieux in one of the two divisions, and until it was disposed of Mr. Lemieux had no right to resign a seat.

The prime minister rejoined that for three years the petitioner had not put forth one tittle of evidence in support of his petition. The whole thing appeared to be fictitious from beginning to end, intended as contempt of the high court of Parliament.

"On my honor," he declared Mr. Lemieux, "I do not know the petitioner." He hoped the House would not take on the motion, but that the committee on privileges and elections would take up the inquiry at once.

Dr. Edwards' motion carried on division.

QUESTION OF TWO SEATS.
OTTAWA, April 20.—A protest was made at the opening of the House of Commons this afternoon against the sitting of Mr. Rodolphe Lemieux in the House.

Dr. J. W. Edwards (Frontenac) who said he felt bound to describe the action of Mr. Lemieux, who sits for both Maltonneuve and Gaspé, as "a serious breach of the privileges of Parliament."

Dr. Edwards stated that he was bound so to describe Mr. Lemieux's action because he was holding two seats in violation of rule 79 of the rules of the House of Commons, which provide that any member who was returned for two constituencies at an election must make his choice within twenty days, unless it should appear that there was a question as to the validity of his return in either riding.

Dr. Edwards recalled previous double elections in the history of the House. In 1873 Hon. Edward Blake had been elected for Durham and Bruce, and had made his choice within fifteen days. In 1896, Dalton McCarthy had been elected for two seats and had made his selection within six days of the meeting of Parliament. In 1904 Mr. Lemieux himself had been elected for Nicolet and Gaspé, but did not resign from Nicolet until December 3, 1906.

Dr. Edwards stated that he did not know of any protest at that time, but that a protest had been filed and Dr. Edwards accepted the statement.

Not in Accord With Democracy.
He referred to the debate in the House in the fall of 1919, when the bill limiting the time for vacancies to six months was adopted and when the question of double election was also under consideration. At that time, Dr. Edwards, Mr. Lemieux had stated that he would not have held two seats unless there had been a protest; that he stood ready to obey the rule as soon as the protest against him was disposed of; and that he did not regard the holding of two seats by a member in accord with the principles of democracy.

Mr. Lemieux should have avoided the appearance of a breach of democratic practice by running in only one constituency. Dr. Edwards spoke of the possibility of Mr. Lemieux "projecting his compelling personality" into five or six constituencies at the same time. He might not even confine himself to his two seats, but he might project his influence into five or six constituencies at the same time.

He declared that Mr. Lemieux was placing members of the House in a most illogical position by sitting for two constituencies. A large number of the members of the House were provided that writs must issue for an election within six months after the constituency was vacant. Either the constituency of Maltonneuve or that of Gaspé had been unrepresented for a five sessions. The whole thing was rather suspicious, and it would almost appear as if Mr. Lemieux was holding two seats for political reasons.

Dr. Edwards then moved "that the question of whether Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who was elected for two electoral districts of Maltonneuve and Gaspé, has not infringed the privileges of this House and violated its rules in not electing for which of the two districts he would serve, be referred to the select standing committee on privileges and elections, that committee to inquire into all facts and circumstances connected therewith, and of the petition for unseating the said member for the electoral district of Maltonneuve."

Matter For Courts.
Ernest Lapointe (Quebec East) said that the question of whether a member

should or should not run for two constituencies was not under consideration. It had always been the custom in this country for prominent men to accept nomination for two constituencies.

The act of 1905 made the matter clear, and if the procedure as outlined in this act was not followed, the petition before the courts of Montreal should be dismissed. So long as this petition was not disposed of, Hon. Mr. Lemieux had no right to resign his seat. Under the act the judgment with regard to the petition had to be presented to the House through the Speaker. At present it was up to any citizen to go before the courts in Montreal for judgment on the petition. It was a step that had to be taken before the court and not before the House of Commons.

For Political Reasons.
Dr. Michael Clark (Red Deer) said that the question of vacant constituencies had been before the House a few weeks ago. At that time Dr. Edwards was not so eager to see all constituencies represented. Dr. Clark agreed with the arguments advanced by Mr. Lapointe and added that the custom of representing two ridings existed not only in Canada, but in Great Britain. Dr. Edwards had said that this petition was not disposed of, and Dr. Clark was suspicious that Dr. Edwards was acting for similar reasons.

Mr. Lapointe's argument on the law involved in the question of electing a personal member before the House, but to elect the laws.

Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice, said that while electing with two seats, the point to be considered was whether or not the rule under which he sat for two seats was good or bad. Hon. Mr. Lemieux would have been honored in the breach of this rule that in its observance.

Hon. Mr. Doherty did not wish to prejudice the case, but had serious doubts as to the justification of the course of action taken by Hon. Mr. Lemieux.

No Genuine Protest.
The motion, said Mr. Doherty, brought home to the House the fact that there was no genuine protest. It was clear that there should be nothing more or less than a perfectly transparent attempt to make out of the provision in the rules of the House that the holding of a seat in case where the holding of a seat was at issue, a means whereby the very purpose of the rule might be defeated.

Surely, said Mr. Doherty, it was the duty of the members to inquire into this matter. If the rules were violated and no remedy was provided, then it would be incumbent upon Parliament to make provision for such a violation in the future. When the House legislated for the trial of election petitions by the courts, it did not intend to leave the courts to supervise itself of the members, nor did it relinquish its right to inquire into and reach decisions in regard to them.

Mr. Doherty closed by stating that he did not intend to pre-empt the issue—he did not even wish to pre-empt the question whether the petition had lapsed because no action had been taken upon it for two years—he thought that the question of this matter should be whether a prima facie case had been made out that Parliament was being played with and whether the matter ought not, therefore, to be referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen thought that Mr. Lemieux was probably the instrument of his party in this matter. He thought the party must be held responsible. If this was a case of a contested election, Mr. Meighen said, he would be the first to say that it should be left to the courts and that there should be no interference. But the contention of Dr. Edwards was that the courts were simply being used to defy a rule of Parliament.

No Reason for Refusal.
There appeared to be no reason for refusing Dr. Edwards' request that the matter be referred to the committee on privileges and elections. He did this committee and the House.

"It gave a seat to the member for the Yukon two years ago," Ernest Lapointe interrupted.

Mr. Meighen replied that the Yukon case was similar to the one now under consideration, and the committee had been called upon to act. He was interrupted by cries "shame" and "cheap."

The Speaker intervened. The prime minister remarked that some Opposition members were more eloquent in their seats than on their feet.

Mr. Rinfret said "shame" there Mr. Vilon—And I said "cheap."

"The honorable gentleman has correctly described himself," retorted Mr. Meighen.

Mr. Lemieux said that if the motion implied a charge he would ask the Speaker to enforce the rule that one member of the House may not prefer a charge against a fellow member without pledging his seat in order to substantiate it.

Lemieux Resents Charge.
"No man," Mr. Lemieux passionately declared, "had ever charged him with a fraudulent act."

"If," he said, "it is a fraud for me to occupy my seat in this House, is it not also a fraud for a right honorable gentleman whom I know to have been elected to this House on the basis of a document settling a Dominion protest?" He laid no charge, but the right honorable gentleman should not with impunity use the word "fraud" in relation to him.

Mr. Doherty interposed that if Mr. Lemieux had followed his remarks he would see that there had not been a charge of fraud.

"I and Mr. Doherty," that on the face of the statement there was an indication of fraud which called for inquiry. I did not charge Mr. Lemieux with fraud or anything else, but I charged him with a breach of the rules of the House.

He suggested the petitioner in his case had been a friend of his. He declared upon his word of honor he did not know the petitioner, nor had he seen the requirements of the act were carried out if he was "a democrat to the hilt" as he had so frequently stated.

Contrary To Rules.
The case which Hon. Mr. Lemieux had followed was contrary to the rules of the House, said Dr. Edwards. "I am quite justified," he added, "in asking that the matter be referred to the committee on privileges and elections."

He declared that Mr. Lemieux was placing members of the House in a most illogical position by sitting for two constituencies. A large number of the members of the House were provided that writs must issue for an election within six months after the constituency was vacant. Either the constituency of Maltonneuve or that of Gaspé had been unrepresented for a five sessions. The whole thing was rather suspicious, and it would almost appear as if Mr. Lemieux was holding two seats for political reasons.

Dr. Edwards then moved "that the question of whether Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux, who was elected for two electoral districts of Maltonneuve and Gaspé, has not infringed the privileges of this House and violated its rules in not electing for which of the two districts he would serve, be referred to the select standing committee on privileges and elections, that committee to inquire into all facts and circumstances connected therewith, and of the petition for unseating the said member for the electoral district of Maltonneuve."

Matter For Courts.
Ernest Lapointe (Quebec East) said that the question of whether a member

should or should not run for two constituencies was not under consideration. It had always been the custom in this country for prominent men to accept nomination for two constituencies.

The act of 1905 made the matter clear, and if the procedure as outlined in this act was not followed, the petition before the courts of Montreal should be dismissed. So long as this petition was not disposed of, Hon. Mr. Lemieux had no right to resign his seat. Under the act the judgment with regard to the petition had to be presented to the House through the Speaker. At present it was up to any citizen to go before the courts in Montreal for judgment on the petition. It was a step that had to be taken before the court and not before the House of Commons.

For Political Reasons.
Dr. Michael Clark (Red Deer) said that the question of vacant constituencies had been before the House a few weeks ago. At that time Dr. Edwards was not so eager to see all constituencies represented. Dr. Clark agreed with the arguments advanced by Mr. Lapointe and added that the custom of representing two ridings existed not only in Canada, but in Great Britain. Dr. Edwards had said that this petition was not disposed of, and Dr. Clark was suspicious that Dr. Edwards was acting for similar reasons.

Mr. Lapointe's argument on the law involved in the question of electing a personal member before the House, but to elect the laws.

Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice, said that while electing with two seats, the point to be considered was whether or not the rule under which he sat for two seats was good or bad. Hon. Mr. Lemieux would have been honored in the breach of this rule that in its observance.

Hon. Mr. Doherty did not wish to prejudice the case, but had serious doubts as to the justification of the course of action taken by Hon. Mr. Lemieux.

No Genuine Protest.
The motion, said Mr. Doherty, brought home to the House the fact that there was no genuine protest. It was clear that there should be nothing more or less than a perfectly transparent attempt to make out of the provision in the rules of the House that the holding of a seat in case where the holding of a seat was at issue, a means whereby the very purpose of the rule might be defeated.

Surely, said Mr. Doherty, it was the duty of the members to inquire into this matter. If the rules were violated and no remedy was provided, then it would be incumbent upon Parliament to make provision for such a violation in the future. When the House legislated for the trial of election petitions by the courts, it did not intend to leave the courts to supervise itself of the members, nor did it relinquish its right to inquire into and reach decisions in regard to them.

Mr. Doherty closed by stating that he did not intend to pre-empt the issue—he did not even wish to pre-empt the question whether the petition had lapsed because no action had been taken upon it for two years—he thought that the question of this matter should be whether a prima facie case had been made out that Parliament was being played with and whether the matter ought not, therefore, to be referred to the committee on privileges and elections.

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen thought that Mr. Lemieux was probably the instrument of his party in this matter. He thought the party must be held responsible. If this was a case of a contested election, Mr. Meighen said, he would be the first to say that it should be left to the courts and that there should be no interference. But the contention of Dr. Edwards was that the courts were simply being used to defy a rule of Parliament.

No Reason for Refusal.
There appeared to be no reason for refusing Dr. Edwards' request that the matter be referred to the committee on privileges and elections. He did this committee and the House.

"It gave a seat to the member for the Yukon two years ago," Ernest Lapointe interrupted.

PREMIER HUGHES RECEIVES 2 TO 1 CONFIDENCE VOTE

Australian Government Is Indorsed and the Premier Named Imperial Conference Delegate.

MELBOURNE, Australia, April 20.—The Government of Prime Minister Hughes was given an emphatic indorsement in the House of Representatives today with a 2 to 1 vote in its favor.

Resolutions which reiterated confidence in the Government and declared in favor of Premier Hughes representing Australia at the coming imperial conference in London were up for consideration, and they were passed by a vote of 46 to 23.

The motions were submitted by the Government to clear up the situation caused by a vote adverse to last Friday, which was agreed to have been purely accidental. Premier Hughes, however, declared he would be satisfied only by the House going on record that this did not constitute a vote of censure. Therefore, he asked the House to declare that the vote was not intended to take the business of the country out of the hands of the Government.

He stated whether it wished the prime minister to represent Australia at the imperial conference.

This the House did affirmatively by the vote today, the country party again being the majority in voting the premier an assurance of confidence.

DRURY DOES NOT LIKE PRINCIPLE VOTING BONUSES

Legislature Passed Supplementary Estimates For \$67,000 To Pay Bonuses.

TORONTO, April 20.—Shortly before midnight members of the Legislature indorsed an item of \$67,000 in the further supplementary estimates providing for a special bonus to themselves. J. A. Pinard (Ottawa) protested. The Government should bring down legislation increasing the sessional indemnities.

Dr. H. A. Stevenson, London, wanted the matter held until the next session. Premier Drury said he did not like the principle of members voting bonuses to themselves immediately after an election. He thought the proper time was immediately before an election. Last year, and this year, however, circumstances had been unusual. The sessions had been prolonged and the cost of living high.

H. H. Dewar said members had done a great deal of hard work and devoted much of their time to their duties. The Government in granting a bonus was doing the fair and decent thing.

The item was passed without one Conservative member expressing an opinion.

KONOWAL NOT GUILTY OWING TO INSANITY, IS JURY'S VERDICT

Murder Trial Concluded Today After Lasting Full Week.

OTTAWA, April 20.—The unanimity of the medical experts called for both the prosecution and defence as to the mental derangement of Philip Konowal, who was indicted for the murder of William Arthur at Hull in the summer of 1919, resulted in the jury at the Hull criminal assizes bringing in a verdict of "not guilty owing to insanity" after but a short deliberation tonight, after a trial which lasted a week.

Judge Cousineau, in a brief address to the jury, pointed out that Konowal had spent three or four years in the jail, in which all the time had been devoted to the killing of men. He had received injuries in France which had caused organic disease of the brain, so that on his return to Canada when the occasion had arisen he had reverted to type, and had committed an atrocious crime.

Mentally Deranged.
The crown had established, the judge continued, without a shadow of a doubt that Konowal had killed Arthur, but he had done so while mentally deranged. He told the jury that justice would be served if they brought in a verdict of "not guilty owing to insanity" after but a short deliberation tonight, after a trial which lasted a week.

Following the rendering of the verdict, Judge Cousineau ordered that Konowal be kept in strictest custody in the district prison pending the pleasure of the lieutenant-governor, and the prisoner was removed to the cells, where a guard will keep watch over him until an order comes for his removal to an insane asylum.

HELD UP BY MEN HE SOUGHT TO HELP

Lea Marshall of Black Creek Had Unpleasant Experience On Road.

SIMCOE, April 20.—While returning

FLYING
TO
UP

IN THE REALM OF SPORT

DOWN
TO
DIVING

MUTT AND JEFF—Maybe Jeff Did This for the Benefit of the Owls, Too.

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BY BUD FISHER



Calbert and Shay Get In Just As Regulars Put the Work On Yannigans 7 to 5

Buzz Announces Catcher, Two Hurlers and Outfielder Will Start North With Regulars—See Opening At Columbus Today.

[By G. H. Townsley.]
DELAWARE, Ohio, April 21.—The feature of today's program was a 7 to 5 win of the Yannigans over the London regulars. Deibelt and Hall hurried for the regulars, and Quinn and Wetzel delivered for the Yannigans. It was during the morning session that Wetzel gave his aggregation this entertainment. Briger was the boy with the big stick today. He sent two horses out of the park for circuit drives. One was smashed out when the sacks were full. He drew the big applause from his regular mates, but it sent the Yannigans to their knees pleading for mercy. Aside from this slaughter, no other great injuries were registered.

Calbert, who had been at home one a visit, drove in today with Shay, who also had been enjoying a short vacation. They are both in tip-top shape and anxious to warm up. They arrived while the game was on this morning, so they waited until the afternoon session for their first practice. It was over until Friday, because the crowd is going to Columbus Thursday to see the Columbus Senators clash with the Louisville Colonels at the Columbus opening.

W. E. SAUNDERS PREXY OF WESTERN ONTARIO NET ASSOCIATION

Tennis Delegates Met Yesterday At "Y"—Enthusiasm Keynote.

Delegates from many Western Ontario tennis clubs met at the Y. M. C. A. building yesterday to reorganize the Western Ontario Tennis League, which has gone ahead in leaps and bounds since its inception in 1914, despite the fact play was held in abeyance during the war.

The officers elected were:
President—W. E. Saunders, London.
Vice-President—N. U. Latonell, St. Thomas.

The president and vice-president have named a committee to appoint a secretary, succeeding Dr. F. G. Hendry of Delhi, who has resigned. The latter found that his duties in connection with the league required more time than he could give.

The executive committee will consist of conveners from each of the nine groups, as follows:

- Group No. 1—Goderich Club to name representative.
- Group No. 2—P. W. Swartz, Waterloo.
- Group No. 3—Sarnia Club to name representative.
- Group No. 4—Woodstock Club to name representative.
- Group No. 5—F. G. Hendry, Delhi.
- Group No. 6—L. H. Bernie, Listowel.
- Group No. 7—L. H. Hara, St. Catharines.
- Group No. 8—J. D. Cumming, Walkerville.
- Group No. 9—C. L. Worsley, St. Marys.

Group winners must be declared not later than July 31.

It is expected that clubs in the following towns and cities will be added to the various groups: Chatham, Watford, Essex, Stratford, Tillsonburg, Simcoe, Thorold and others.

BROCK'S BEST BICYCLES
One-Piece Crank, Eadie Coaster.
The Sporting Goods Store of London,
111 Dundas St., corner of Talbot.

DOYLE'S LEAFS BADLY MAULED BY CHAMP ORIOLES 9 TO 1

Newark Sailors Celebrate Return To Fold With a Win.

BALTIMORE, April 20.—With 11,361 paid admissions, a record for opening day here, the Orioles, twice champions of the International League, opened the season today by scoring a 9 to 1 victory over Toronto. Jack Bentley pitching for Baltimore, held the Canadians to four hits, scattered throughout as many innings.

Score: R.H.E.
Baltimore 102 204 009—9 14 5
Toronto 000 001 000—1 4 0
Fortune, Reis and Devine; Bentley and Egan, Davis.

SAILORS BACK IN FOLD.
NEWARK, April 20.—Newark celebrated its return to the International League by defeating Syracuse 6 to 3 before 9,000 fans today.

Score: R.H.E.
Syracuse 000 001 100—3 4 1
Newark 010 030 11X—6 11 1
Self and Niebergall; Harper and S. Smith.

HUSTLERS BEATEN.
READING, April 20.—More than 8,000 persons witnessed the opening of the International League season today, when Reading defeated Rochester by a score of 6 to 5.

Score: R.H.E.
Rochester 000 032 000—5 7 1
Reading 003 003 00X—6 6 1
Blake and Mattox; Brown and Coter.

SKETTERS WIN.
JERSEY CITY, April 20.—Jersey City defeated Buffalo in its opening game here today of the International League season by a score of 2 to 1.

Score: R.H.E.
Buffalo 000 010 000—1 6 0
Jersey City 000 000 20X—2 4 4
Brenny and Bengough; Tercarr and Frietag.

Yesterday's League.
Pittsburg 6, Chicago 5.
New York 9, Boston 5.
Cincinnati 5, St. Louis 4.
Brooklyn 4, Philadelphia 2.

Today's Games.
Philadelphia at New York.
Cincinnati at Pittsburg.
Chicago at St. Louis.

AMERICAN LEAGUE.
Won. Lost. Pct.
New York 4 1 .800
Pittsburg 5 2 .714
Chicago 3 2 .600
Boston 4 3 .571
Cincinnati 3 4 .428
Philadelphia 2 3 .400
St. Louis 1 4 .200

Yesterday's Results.
Detroit 9, Cleveland 6.
New York 8, Boston 4.
Washington 6, Philadelphia 4.
Rain at Chicago.

Today's Games.
Detroit at Chicago.
New York at Philadelphia.
Washington at Boston.
St. Louis at Cleveland.

AS YOU WERE (BY SEE S. GEE)

Shaughnessy and Lee, Ball League Brokers.
You furnish the franchise and the parks, we furnish the league. Every small town should have a pro team. See our colored maps of good compact circuits. We invite correspondence, with stamps inclosed for reply.

Fans all over the Mint circuit are looking for it to produce still better ball this year than last. The fact that most of the players who went this year have stayed under the shelter of the big tent, is the best indication the fans can have that they have been seeing a high-class brand of the pastime from the Mint League teams. It takes such occurrences to bring the things of things to light and the showing of the Mint rookies in this spring's training camps in the southland has established the circuit on a much firmer basis.

The new National agreement is not bringing any real joy to either the parties that subscribe to it, or to those leagues which isolated themselves at the time it was drawn up.

First the majors find a restricted number of Class A or AA clubs to which to send their young players for development. The development facilities in B leagues are not rated very high by the majors, as they figure the player in need of more polish and good experience won't get it under the majority of pilots in this classification.

The Class A and AA leagues are going to have difficulty in getting new talent because the player who is thinking of his future won't care to place his services at the disposal of these leagues, where the draft rule was not operative. He might stay there for years if not protected by the draft, especially in the hands of some owner who through prejudice or business reasons refused to sell him.

The minors are not satisfied with the new agreement, in which, it is said, are too many opportunities for squabbles. It is freely predicted that it will not last as at present constituted.

Baseball as it is filled with potential sources for long legal suits and wars as ever it was.

Dr. Lasker, the German chess master, favors a change in the rules of the game. There's a slight suspicion that he wouldn't object to a change of opponents, either.

"Crazy Man Once Wanted to Fight Dempsey, but Kearns Settled Him." Headline.

There are only several people in the world that wouldn't be adjudged insane if they wanted to take on the same job.

A one-legged boy achieved newspaper fame recently when he stole two bases in a game. It is interesting to note that had he had the other leg, he could only have stolen one more bag.

Young Montreal, who many claim as the coming bantamweight champ, has picked a moniker that is unusual among many "Knockout" and "Battling" persons who strive to put fear in a name. "Beantful Boston" may be amongst the appellations common in the ring of the future. "Terrible Toronto" won't fool anybody though, nothing very awful has ever come out of the Queen City yet.

Welsh's Tactics.
Hardly less repulsive than the title-holder who thinks he is the custodian of the championship is the boxer of prominence who believes he is justified in boxing without skill if his opponent is not formidable. According to an incident in the career of Freddie Welsh, he was of the opinion that he was justified in boxing his best or indifferently just as he pleased.

Here is the incident as related by an admirer of Welsh:
"Welsh always said that he liked to see young fellows entering the boxing game get along. He didn't want to be the fellow who stood in the way of a young fighter's making money in the ring."

One time he fought Johnny O'Leary, one of the classiest lightweights ever turned out in Canada. They met in Winnipeg, and just as they had started scrapping Welsh whispered to O'Leary: "Now go along nicely with me and don't try to double-cross me, and I'll not do anything to you to hurt you as a box-office fighter. If you make a good showing we'll both be able to get some good matches and the coin that goes with them."

ORGANIZATION FOR M. A. A. MEET HAS BEEN EFFECTED

Strong Committees Appointed To Get Details Whipped Into Shape.

Arrangements for the big meet of the Manufacturers' Amateur Athletic Association on the 18th of June at the Fair grounds were gotten well under way at a meeting of the executive at the Y. M. C. A. last night. Committees were appointed as far as possible and points in connection with the meet discussed.

At the first meeting last week the officers were elected. Mr. Fred Wand was made president, and the other officers were filled as follows: First vice-president, Mr. Morrow; second vice-president, Mr. W. P. Mitchell; secretary, Mr. S. Allen; treasurer, Mr. F. W. Westbury.

That the meet promises to be bigger than ever this year was evidenced by the interest shown in the discussion. It was decided to send letters to the heads of the various manufacturing plants in the city inviting their cooperation.

The events will be strongly contested, and will include several novelties. Girls as well as boys will be given their chance to compete, and men of 45 and 50 years of age will have their races.

At the meeting last evening the committees were drafted. The members are as follows:
Finance Committee: Chairman (to be appointed), member, H. B. Ashplant.
Grounds Committee: Chairman, F. H. Delaney; members, F. Burton, J. H. Jewkes.

Sports Committee: Chairman, J. J. McHale; members, L. A. Betts, G. Somers, K. Robinson, W. P. Mitchell, C. B. Partridge, W. Jeffries and A. Hynd.

Publicity Committee: Chairman, G. A. Wenige; members, R. Richmond and G. M. Dingman.

STRATFORD CLUB GETS FIRST LACROSSE PRACTICE TONIGHT

STRATFORD, April 20.—Lacrosse is going to boom again in Stratford this year. The first practice is called for Thursday night. The players welcome this, as they have been eager to get into shape. Stratford is going to be heard of in the Athletic Park in London as the pick of last year's material to be here, and besides there are Zimmer, of hockey fame, who played with Hanover in years past; Anderson, who guarded the net for Henseler; and "Chuck" Roberson, the strong defence man of the Midgates. The club has affiliated with the S. A. A. A. The grounds at Agricultural Park are being put in excellent condition. New uniforms and equipment is being secured, and the club is going into the season determined to make a good showing.

"Hump" Pierce To Pilot New Entry In Mint Circle
Former Flint Manager Signs On With Port Huron-Sarnia.

SARNIA, April 20.—James "Hump" Pierce, long experienced in baseball, was engaged as manager of the Port Huron-Sarnia Baseball Club in the Michigan-Ontario League this afternoon. A lease has also been taken on the plot of ground at 24th Street and Electric Avenue in South Park for the club's park in Port Huron.

Pierce signed a contract to manage the club for the 1921 season after a consultation with President W. S. Watkins and the special committee of the directors appointed to engage a manager tonight. He left the city for Lafayette, Ind., to close his services as baseball coach at Purdue University there, and is expected to return to Sarnia and assume his new managerial duties.

Fifteen players who were with the Battle Creek Club have been ordered to report Monday to Manager Pierce. Nine players have already signed contracts for the present season, while the others are reported as ready to affix their signatures to documents without argument. Other players will be asked to report later in the week. It is more than likely that the early practice of the squad will be held on the Sarnia Athletic Association's park in Sarnia, by reason of delay in getting the diamond of the new park here in tip-top shape. The first workout session of players will probably be held Monday afternoon.

WANTS SOCCER GAME.
G. W. Britley, secretary of the C. C. C. M. soccer team of Weston, has written to George Wenige, asking for a game with any of the teams in the London and District Football Association.

Sixth Team For Mfrs. League Is Now Chosen

Meeting Tonight At Brisco's Over Entrance Fees and Schedule.

Secretary Suddick of the Manufacturers' Baseball League announced last night that the sixth team was practically chosen now, and would be known definitely at tonight's general meeting at Brisco's store at 8 o'clock.

Six teams will give the manufacturers' executive enough to handle, and will assure better ball than if the circuit were enlarged to eight. The teams themselves this year are vastly more enthusiastic than they were last year, and the managers of the clubs have been busy signing up the best available talent under the "outside" player rule.

The secretaries of the clubs are requested to bring their entrance fees with them tonight.

TIGERS DRIVE MAILS OUT WITH SEVEN HITS

Yanks Double Score On Red Sox—Mackmen's Trio of Hurlers Mauled.

DETROIT, April 20.—The Detroit Tigers drove Mails from the box with seven hits in the third inning today, and won from Cleveland 9 to 6.

Score: R.H.E.
Cleveland 000 010 104—6 10 4
Detroit 015 300 00X—9 18 2
Mails, Clark, Petty and O'Neill, Nunnaker, Oldham, Stewart and Almsmith.

YANKS WIN THIS.
NEW YORK, April 20.—The New York Yankees closed their first home stand today by defeating the Boston Red Sox by a score of 8 to 4.

Score: R.H.E.
Boston 000 010 003—4 9 2
New York 010 000 24X—8 12 1
Russell and Ruel; Quinn and Schang.

SENATORS CATCH UP.
WASHINGTON, April 20.—Pounding a trio of Philadelphia pitchers, Washington overcame a four-run lead and won today by a score of 6 to 4, making a clean sweep of the series of three games.

Score: R.H.E.
Philadelphia 300 010 000—4 8 2
Washington 000 011 22X—6 10 2
Hasty, Harris, Rommel and Perkins; Erickson, Zachary and Garrity.

BRITISH SOCCER.
GLASGOW, April 20.—Scottish League football games played yesterday resulted as follows:
Celtic 1, Clydebank 1.
Motherwell 2, Queen's Park 1.

GUELPH RIFLEMEN ADOPT APERTURE SIGHTS AT MEETING

Will Have Three Members Eligible For Bisley Team.

GUELPH, April 20.—At the annual meeting of the Guelph Rifle Association an important resolution was passed to the effect that the local association will adopt aperture sights this year at both practice and in matches. This sight was not used during the last few years. The annual open shoot of the association will be held some time next fall and an effort will be made to make it the highest event of its kind ever held here.

The Guelph Association has three members on the Bisley team, and it is likely all will make the trip to England. They are Major C. R. Crowe, Lieut. J. A. Steele and Lieut. J. T. Steele.

The following officers were elected: Patron, Hon. Hugh Guthrie; honorary presidents, Col. Davidson, Lieut.-Col. Head and Lieut.-Col. White; president, Geo. Sleeman; vice-president, Major C. R. Crowe; secretary-treasurer, David Clark; Mr. Sleeman, who was again elected president, has occupied that position for 38 consecutive years.

GEORGE ORME AWAITS SQUAD OF BRANTS

BRANTFORD, April 20.—George Orme, the Brants' manager, commenced his duties here today after reporting to the pro ball headquarters. Orme reports that he is in fine shape for the season, and he has completely recovered from injuries received when he turned his ankle some weeks ago while in training. The training squad is expected the latter part of this week.

Sammie Lee has been appointed official umpire of the senior city amateur baseball league, and Jack Cook is official scorer.

SARNIA IMPERIALS SIDE BEAT POINT EDWARD 2-0.
SARNIA, April 20.—Sarnia Imperials defeated Point Edward 2 to 0 here tonight in the fastest soccer game of the year at the Athletic Park in London and District senior fixture. Mitchell scored both goals. Stitt for the Imperials, and Manchester for the Point were the stars; the work of Manchester standing out prominently. The teams: Imperials: Point Edward.

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Comedy Effects of New Wealth—Aristocrats
Attend.

LONDON, April 20.—"An old friend," writes a London Telegraph correspondent, "whom I met at the Hotel Adlon, the centre of the social activities of the Schieber, or profiteers, in Berlin, laughed at my amazement at the display of jewelry and furs. 'This is nothing,' he said. 'In a few days' time a "super-Schieber" is giving a big ball. I will get you an invitation, and then you will see something.'"

"The invitation, plastered with a huge coat of arms, duly arrived, and at 10 o'clock on the evening appointed I entered the hall of a splendid palace not far from the Tiergarten, formerly the abode of a woman who for a long time enjoyed the friendship of a member of the late royal family."

"The balustrade of the great marble staircase was lost to sight in masses of fresh roses. The magnificent room, full of antiques, was lighted with nothing but wax candles, while dozens of lackeys in powdered wigs, purple plush and white stockings, lent a musical comedy air to the scene."

"But even more surprising than the surroundings were the people. Heavily-bejeweled girls, stout Germans with short, thick necks, bulging at the back with rolls of fat; Poles and Russians in large numbers, Turks and Armenians, Scandinavians and Spaniards—each of them in his way a representative type of the national profiteer—mingled with members of the German aristocracy, whose presence is explained by the simple fact that the only people who can afford to give a big ball in Germany today are the new rich."

Orchids, \$250 a bloom.

"Needless to say, on the supper tables were to be found dishes unobtainable at any price by any ordinary mortal in modern Berlin, while the floral decorations consisted of French orchids, priced in the Berlin florists at \$50 marks (\$62.50 nominal) a bloom. At the cotillion, which is included in the program of every big dance in Germany, presents were distributed in the shape of silver cigarette cases for the men and gold vanity bags for the women."

"The standard of dancing and manners and the loud-voiced conversation were scarcely in keeping with the setting, but all seemed to be enjoying themselves in the Teuton way. As my friend and I walked back to the hotel after the ball, he said: 'This function cost not a penny less than 200,000 marks (\$20,000 nominal).'"

FRENCH CLAIM INVENTION OF PILOTLESS AEROPLANE

Resent American Contention—Possibilities in War and
Peace Said To Be Great With a Machine
Directed by Radio.

Paris, April 20.—French aviation experts are flatly denying the assertion that the invention of a pilotless aeroplane, or rather a plane guided entirely by wireless, is of American origin, and insist that the French have been experimenting successfully along these lines since September, 1918, when a plane was launched against a strong wind and maneuvered for more than fifty minutes without accident. Since then machines adapted to various weather conditions have been entirely approved by specialists at the Villa Coublay aerodrome, near Paris, and have even circled over the capital at a great height when guided by aerial vibrations from the Eiffel Tower.

But the latest development in the argument will give Americans a surprise, as it was announced that demonstrations are to be commenced at Villa Coublay which will show that it is possible to send up a pilotless plane equipped with sensitive instruments, which, under certain weather conditions, such as fog banks or impending storms, will flash back a signal to the directing station. If the French claims are justified, it will even be possible through this invention to revolutionize all ideas of aerial warfare, as the development of mechanical appliances responding only to wireless control could easily be applicable to bomb-dropping and gas-emitting devices which would endanger whole armies without risking the life of a single pilot. But, as an enthusiast suggests, "perhaps it will be better to wait until we are sure we are not dreaming before we claim too much progress."

FRANKFORT HAS GAY FAIR, BUT "BUSINESS IS POOR"

FRANKFORT-ON-THAINE, April 20.—Despite the Rhinehand customs frontier, export taxes, the allied economic penalties, and world-wide commercial depression, the Frankfort commercial fair is in full swing. It was opened by exhibitors in all probability little business will be done. The merchants simply will not come here to discuss with their colleagues the new commercial situation created by the Allied sanctions.

"About 4,000 manufacturers have opened booths this year, and the volume of goods will surpass even that of the fair in Lyons, France. Perhaps textiles, leather and tobacco constitute the three most important departments."

"Austria, which reserved a special building for the famous hand-made Viennese art objects, is the exception to the rule among the exhibitors from which few exhibitors are present. For foreigners, the Frankfort fair is a place to buy rather than to sell. Strange to say, in view of the present political situation, there is a considerable number of English and French buyers in the city, and a special train load of Swedes, Danes and Hollanders has arrived. We hope to place some good orders in South America."

Sunday afternoon, a banquet was given to foreign guests and newspaper representatives in the best hotel in town. The chairman of the city council emphasized the courage of Frankfort in organizing such a huge industrial undertaking in the face of almost overwhelming difficulties. The Dutch consul-general replied on behalf of the neutral countries, and the representative of a German evening paper in Chicago replied on behalf of the press. No official representatives of the allied nations were present.

ESCAPES JAIL BY DARING COUP

Even Enemies Admire Feat of
Sinn Feiner and His
Friends.

DUBLIN, April 20.—Without the firing of a shot, Francis Teeling, a prisoner who was recently tried for murder, has been removed by his friends from the strongest jail in Ireland and has disappeared. The feat is regarded as the most daring of all Sinn Fein coups, and has won a reluctant admiration from his enemies for the skill and coolness of the men who accomplished it.

Early in February Teeling and two other men, named Potts and Conary, were charged before a military court sitting in the Dublin city hall with the murder of Lieut. Anglin (known as Mr. McMahon). The court reserved judgment on the capital charge in the case of all prisoners. Since that time the prisoners have been confined in Kilmainham jail, which is in military occupation.

Various stories are told of Teeling's escape, but the military authorities have made no statement. The generally accepted report is of Sinn Feiners dressed in full military uniform, who completely deceived the prison authorities. The story is that shortly before 9 o'clock one night a body of armed men, wearing full military equipment, arrived at the principal entrance to the jail, which is a couple of miles from the centre of the city and not far from a large military barracks. The officer in charge of the supposed troops presented an order for the removal of Francis Teeling. It appeared to be in correct form, and after a little delay the prisoner was handed over by the men in waiting and, surrounded by them, was marched out of the jail. A little distance away, a motor car was waiting. The prisoner was driven away, and his guard disappeared in the darkness.

Later in the night the authenticity of the document ordering Teeling's removal was questioned. Inquiries were made, and it was found to be a forgery. Troops and auxiliary police searched the district, but neither the prisoner nor his guard could be found. Two other prisoners were reported released at the same time.

DEATH OF MRS. THOMPSON.

RODNEY, April 20.—The funeral took place this afternoon to Duart Cemetery of Mrs. Margaret Thompson, aged 63, relict of Wm. Thompson. She was a resident of Duart for many years. She is survived by two brothers and one sister, Roderick Kennedy, in the west; Douglas Kennedy of North Aldborough, and Mrs. Leitch of Milwauke.

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SAVANT PROBES ORIGIN OF MAN

Polygenetic, Not Monogenetic.
Says Dr. Hill-Tout—Thinks
Evolutionists Are Wrong.

LOS ANGELES, April 20.—Dr. Chas. Hill-Tout, Ph.D., of the executive committee of the American Institute of Research, member of the Archeological Institute of America, Fellow of the Royal Society of Canada and of the Royal Anthropological Institute of Great Britain, is preparing a report to be submitted to the Royal Society of Canada at its May meeting containing what he asserts is evidence that man is polygenetic instead of monogenetic in origin, as evolutionists have long thought.

Dr. Hill-Tout says he discovered his proofs while working upon a clue he found in a survey of the skulls of apes and anthropoids. He contends that his report will show that nature, when man was in the making, turned out more than one specimen, as science always claimed, in the case of the anthropoids. Hitherto evidence has been lacking that man was not descended from one line. Eliminates Two Links.

Dr. Hill-Tout believes the discovery eliminates completely two links in the chain of the pedigree of man, who, developing along opposite lines, has perpetuated his ancestral characters and attained a brain expansion which has given him the sovereignty over all other forms of life.

"This theoretical conception of hominid precursors, the ancestor common to man and the apes, is shown to be founded in fact by the discovery of the most interesting of all our fossil human remains, Eoanthropus, or the 'Dawn Man,' says Dr. Hill-Tout.

"This ancient man roamed over the southern domain of England when the British Isles were a part of the mainland of Europe at the close of the Pliocene period. It probably antedates by some thousands of years Pithecanthropus Erectus. Unlike the latter, Eoanthropus relatively highly developed in its cranial characters.

Cranial Capacity Greater.

"Its cranial capacity is greater than that of many of the men of the backward races of today. Most of its cran-

ial characters are remarkably modern in type, having much the same contours as that of the young anthropoids. That it is a primitive type we learn, for while it possesses a well-developed brain, it also has the chinless jaw and the canine teeth of the anthropoids.

"Indeed it differs from the young anthropoids only in its larger cranial capacity. It is clear from the evidence both of the human-like character of the 'dawn man' and the young anthropoids that the low-browed Pithecanthropus was not a primitive man. In other words, he followed anthropoid development rather than the human and so lost his chance with the human race.

"The discovery of men with modern cranial characters, living thousands of years earlier than Neanderthal man, and the discovery of the 'dawn man,' Eoanthropus, in 1912 in England, forces us to give up the monogenetic origin of man and accept the polygenetic origin.

Man's Oldest Ancestor.

"If we now want to discover man's oldest ancestor we must go to Eoanthropus, not to Pithecanthropus, for the former has all the characters which modern man should possess, characters which were common to the first man and to the first anthropoid apes as exemplified in the cranial characters of the young of both species today.

"For, according to that great biogenetic principle, more commonly known as Baer's law, we see why the skulls of the young of the Neanderthal race and the young of the anthropoids or human-like apes are so different from those of their parents. The principle expressed by this law signifies that the younger the individual recapitulates the phylogeny of the race—and this is where the law throws light upon the problems under consideration—that the young of any species represent more truly and closely than do the adult members of the species the actual ancestral type from which they spring.

A large collection of photographs will be used by Dr. Hill-Tout in illustrating his theories.

FINED FOR TRESPASSING.

WALKERTON, April 20.—Three boys appeared in police court yesterday afternoon before Magistrate Tolton on a charge of trespass laid by an east ward resident. A fourth youth was also subpoenaed, but did not appear, and it transpired that he had left for parts unknown. It was alleged that the boys were caught in the act of attempting to get into the plaintiff's cellar, where there was a case of booze. Two of the three who appeared were found guilty, and were assessed \$2 and costs, while the third was discharged.

SEEKING SLEEP SICKNESS CURE

British Experts Puzzled as the
Death List Grows—Flu
Worse Than War.

LONDON, April 20.—Sleeping sickness was responsible for 127 deaths in this country last month, more than double 1919 and 1920, when the number of deaths were respectively 103 and 104. How many deaths have been caused in the United States we do not know. The first case reported in England was at Rylife, Northumberland. The last victim, a laborer of Hadlow, near Tonbridge, died after a week's illness.

The technical name of the complaint as we know it, here, is encephalitis lethargica. We know it is not the true fly disease, yet its symptoms are startlingly like it. Fresh cases of the malady are recurring, but British medical experts have not found a remedy. The average of fatalities is in the neighborhood of 50 per cent.

The sleeping sickness was first discovered in Vienna in 1917, and since then it has been under the observation of the Medical Research Council, but so far the microbe has not been discovered.

Professor Marie, of the Salpêtrière, Paris, states that the disease penetrates by the nasal organs, and attacks the spinal column. He recommends the use of Gemenel, or a similar product as a preventive. The malady seems to attack principally the middle-aged and infants. Among adults it had scarcely been observed before the war. It was made a notifiable disease by the British Ministry of Health last year.

The interesting symptom of this disease as found in Europe is the sleep which overpowers the victim. Frequently it comes suddenly, unconsciousness follows; sometimes there is no awakening. These are the same as those reported from America and they are the same as those of the African disease. The symptoms in Britain, however, vary with cases. Frequently the sleep is preceded by pains in the head and fever.

In other cases the patient can only sleep during the day. Double vision during the earlier stages is fairly common.

Sleep, however, is the outstanding feature.

"Future Outlook 'Gloomy.'"

"What is the world's outlook on future pestilences or dangers? It is, we think, gloomy."

That ominous warning is given in all seriousness as the combined opinion of a number of the most eminent medical men in a report issued recently by the British Ministry of Health on the epidemic of influenza which swept the world in 1918-1919.

This epidemic caused more deaths in its short, fierce course during those two years than did the whole of the fighting in the great war. The death roll in England and Wales alone was 157,466, and most of the victims were from young, healthy life of the country. It was one of the great plagues of history.

It is made plain throughout the long, most carefully prepared report that this influenza is a mysterious disease. Doctors, with all their experiments, their bacteriological tests, and their data, are at a loss. They cannot answer definitely the questions: What is the cause of influenza? Is it the cure? They offer theories based on evidence, but they are not sure.

"The problem of the cause of influenza is not solved," states the report. Clinicians, bacteriologists and epidemiologists are all agreed that Pfeiffer's bacillus (discovered in 1920) is associated with the disease, but whether it is the cause remains unproven. The solution of the problem will be one of the great events in the history of medicine."

Doctors who have written the report are in a mood that does not inspire confidence.

Germ Thrives on Trouble.

"The conclusion to which we are led," they say, "is that the generation of a great pestilence, such as influenza or pneumonic plague, is dependent on disturbance of social order involving for absolutely large numbers of human beings the endurance of conditions of insubordination, which afford for invading parasites a suitable field of modification."

"No impartial spectator can doubt that at the present time, and almost certainly for a generation to come, there will in many nations, and over wide tracts of country, precisely the type of misery which we suspect to be the appropriate forcing house of a virulent and despotic germ."

Certain symptoms of the 1919 epidemic influenza were entirely strange to medical science, although influenza has been known since 1658. One was the peculiar heliotrope color manifest in many cases, and another the condi-

tion of the lungs. Strong, healthy adults between the ages of 25 and 35 were chiefly attacked and by the dread "pneumonic" type of infection, and a man of over 50 had a better chance of pulling round than a man of 30.

"GOLD BRICKS" CATCH CROOKS

German Counterfeiters Buy
Russian Gold and Find It
Brass; All in Jail.

BERLIN, April 20.—Counterfeiters caught by a variation of the venerable gold brick device resulted recently from a series of incidents which are believed to have been a clever ruse throughout on the part of the Berlin police. Eight ingenious printers have been arrested. These skilful craftsmen had gone into the bank note printing and issuing business, with a zeal hardly exceeded by the Government itself, as in a single week it produced paper money to the face value of 1,000,000 marks. The notes were exceedingly well done and certain banks were badly victimized.

These two of them got into touch with Russian immigrants in one of the fashionable cafes of Berlin, which the gang made use of for the transactions of its business, and the Russians, in talking over a bottle of wine, let them into the secret that they had brought with them out of Russia, a gold coin amounting to forty pounds in weight.

The craftsmen thought this a priceless opportunity for putting some of their own notes into circulation against excellent cover. The Russians were ready to sell, and after some hard bargaining, they bought the gold, not, however, before they had taken it to a jeweler, where the sample coins were assayed.

Having handed over the notes from their own bank of engraving, the printers put away their acquired gold reserve and proceeded in force to the bank to exchange for bank notes of the kind most commonly preferred in the best financial circles. At the first visit, however, they were informed by the teller that their gold was good imitation, but not good enough for the bank notes, as it was really only hard solder.

Gang Founded Up.

The eight craftsmen, dumfounded, could only burst forth into recriminations against one another, during which the police were called and the men are now awaiting trial.

The story is whispered that the Russians were by the police, who manipulated real gold at the jeweler's and glittering dross and the exchanging bank were also in the "swindle," as the eight craftsmen thought fit to call the transaction.

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"Not very far away, in the Gulf of St. Lawrence, is Anticosti Island, bought in 1885 from the Dominion Government by Henry Menier, the French "chocolate king," for 25,000 pounds (\$125,000). At the time he was laughed at.

But it proved a good investment for him, nevertheless, for the thick brushwood with which the greater part of the island was covered, proved to be swarming with black and silver foxes, the most valuable fur-bearing animals in the world.

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NEW LOCATION FOR WATERWORKS DAM

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POLICE STAFF REDUCTION

Commissioners Have Not Renewed Appointments of Four Extra Men.

ST. THOMAS, April 20.—Another location has been selected for the big waterworks dam. The change from the original site will necessitate the preparation of new plans. This alteration in the preliminary work will delay the commencement of active operations for an indefinite period. The consulting engineer, W. E. Lee, Montreal, recommends the transfer of the storage area, but whether the construction of the plant on the new location may vary the cost, as provided in the first estimate, has not yet been determined.

May Be Retired.
The four patrolmen, who were temporarily placed on the police force in January will retire from active duty during the month, unless the commissioners renew their appointments. Their night work was limited to the protection of sections of the city not included in the ordinary patrol of the regular staff, and their services appear to have been very effective, so far as crowding off disorderly people and keeping the streets clear of suspicious characters. It is possible that the men will be kept on the staff for another three months term, as the hobo migration from the other side of the line through this end of the province will start again within the next few weeks.

L. A. Memorial Hospital.
A ladies' auxiliary has been formed in connection with the East Elgin Memorial Hospital. The officers recently elected were: President, Mrs. J. M. Wong; second vice-president, Mrs. James Haggan; secretary, Mrs. Earl Peckham; treasurer, Mrs. H. E. Armstrong. Mrs. Wong was elected representative to the hospital board.

A Good Samaritan.
Allan Storings, the youth from Syracuse, who was arrested last week for trespass on the M.C.R., and claimed he rode blind haggan in an endeavor to reach his father in Detroit to have him and his mother reconciled, has been liberated from the county jail through the good offices of a local lady. She furnished the lad with enough money to take him to Detroit on condition that her identity would remain unknown.

Auto Bylaw Enforced.
Several of the much-travelled streets

are being given more than ordinary surveillance by the local police on account of many complaints coming in of the danger from speeding autos. As the spring season opens the police are finding that the fever is striking drivers with added possibilities for accidents, especially at street crossings. The police will enforce the law to the letter. A driver was fined \$5 this morning for moving over to the wrong side of the road.

Is the Township Liable?
The auto of Mr. Demary of Aymer, squeezed into a rut and out of on a road in South Dorchester and damaged his car to the extent of \$65. The council is being sued by Mr. Demary, and the reeve of the township was here today in the hopes of finding some advice from the township solicitor to enable the township to avoid paying for the damage done to the car.

Inspecting Collegiate.
The local collegiate is being inspected by Dr. Rogers of Toronto. The work of improving Curtis and Scott streets, started this morning by Contractors Irwin & Son. Employment will be found for several idle men. Municipal Chapter Organized.
The Municipal Chapter of the I. O. D. E. has organized for the year and elected the following officers: Regent, Mrs. Turner; first vice-regent, Mrs. Dunmore; second vice-regent, Mrs. Helen Gerrard; secretary (pro tem) Mrs. C. O. Ermatinger; educational secretary, Mrs. T. Ingram; Echoes (pro tem), Miss K. Gilbert; treasurer, Mrs. Stanbury; standard-bearer, Mrs. A. Stanbury; organizing secretary, Mrs. F. Bell; assistant organizing secretary, Mrs. George Geddes.

DETROIT POLICE WANT LOGAN LEE ARRESTED
Colored Man Who Crossed at Court-right Accused of Murder.

ST. THOMAS, April 20.—The police were phoned this evening from Detroit to arrest Logan Lee (colored), charged with murder, who is thought to be on his way to St. Thomas. Lee crossed at Courtright last night, and went east on the St. Clair branch, and apparently started for St. Thomas. He is 42 years of age, 150 pounds, 5 feet 8 inches, red hair, almost bald, high cheek bones, medium sized mustache, peculiarly shaped ears, rolling down from top, upper teeth wide apart, light colored soft hat, blue serge suit.

BURIAL AT DUTTON.
DUTTON, April 20.—The funeral of John A. Turner, aged 87, was held this afternoon at McArthur's Cemetery. Mr. Turner came to Canada from Argyllshire, Scotland in 1843. He is survived by five sons and one daughter, Christina, Robert, William and Duncan, at home, and Dr. Turner and Ernest of Dutton.

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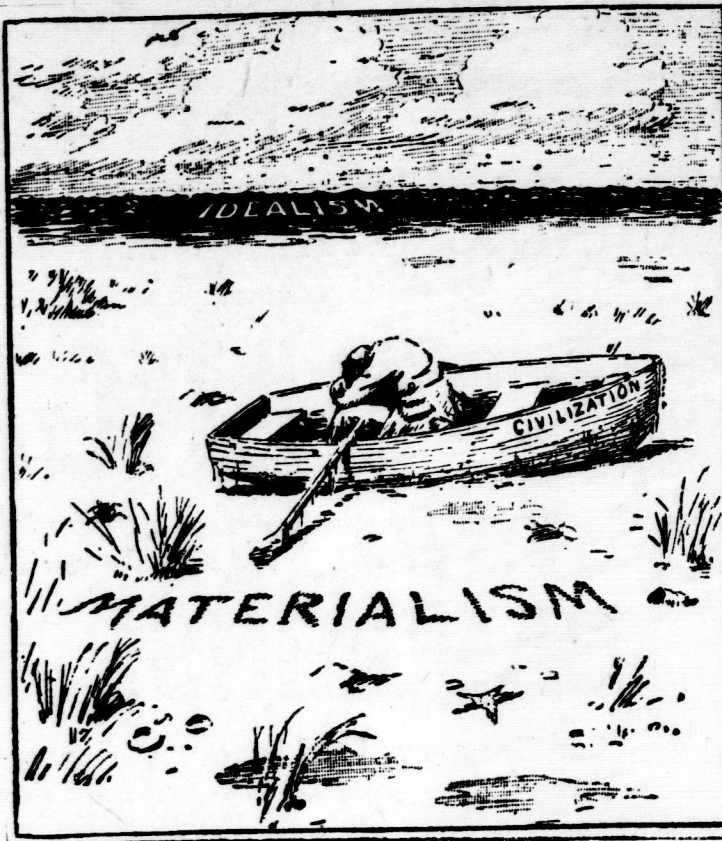
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Ontario Citizens Spend Over One Million Dollars In Montreal For Liquor

Dealers Declare Purchases Would Total \$20,000,000 If the Liquor Was Available—Several Dealers Report All Supplies Sold.

MONTREAL, April 20.—A prediction that approximately one million dollars will be spent in Montreal by Ontario buyers eager to delay the approaching drought before the province goes "dry" was made this morning. Never before have liquor dealers received such tremendous orders, and many of the most prominent in the city are already practically sold out. Three dealers were interviewed this morning, and from them it was learned that a single day's receipts amounted to \$50,000, \$30,000 and \$25,000, respectively. Some wholesalers say they are already refusing orders on account of their inability to fill them.

TO STRENGTHEN O. T. A.
TORONTO, April 20.—A committee has been appointed by the executive of the Ontario branch of the Dominion Alliance to urge action by the Dominion Council against the importation of intoxicating liquors into force at the earliest possible moment. The same committee will confer with the Ontario Government on the matter of the enforcement of the Sandy bill.

GOVERNMENT IGNORES REPORT OF PARLIAMENTARY COMMITTEE ON D. S. C. R.
Hume Cronyn, M.P., Has Recommendation Reread into Minutes of Committee.

OTTAWA, April 20.—(Canadian Press).—The special committee on soldiers' civil re-establishment this morning reiterated its stand of last year that soldiers of all ranks should be on the same basis as civilians in the matter of training and pay and allowances during training and employment under the D. S. C. R. This was brought out by the discovery of the fact that the Government had not given effect to the original recommendation. Major N. F. Parkinson, deputy minister of the D. S. C. R., informed Hume Cronyn (London), chairman, to this effect, and Mr. Cronyn had the recommendation reread into the minutes.

Major Parkinson dealt at length with the proposals submitted by the G. W. V. A., and said that several of the proposals were already in effect. In this he was supported by Dr. W. C. Arnold, director of medical services of the D. S. C. R. Dr. Arnold was not prepared to admit that resistance to diseases was lessened by service in the army. Old age complications were sometimes mistaken as due to war service. In the majority of cases the soldiers were sincere.

INVESTIGATING ALBERTA'S COAL FIELDS AND FUEL RESOURCES OF PROVINCE
OTTAWA, April 20.—(Canadian Press).—Alberta coal fields were again considered by the fuel committee of the House this morning. Prof. N. C. Pritchard of the University of Alberta was called and gave evidence on the different classes of Alberta coal. The Alberta Government, Prof. Pritchard said, was carrying on an extensive geological survey in the province. It was work which really came under the Federal Government, but the Federal Government had been unable to put in a survey this year, and the provincial authorities, realizing the importance of the work, had carried it on.

CLAIM FOR DAMAGES BY STABBING ENTERED
Eight Cases on Docket For Non-Jury Supreme Court at Sarnia.

SARNIA, April 20.—Eight cases are listed on the docket for the non-jury sittings of the supreme court which open at the county court house here on Monday afternoon next, April 25, with Chief Justice Sir William Mulock presiding. The actions entered are varied and range from a claim for probable loss of a will to a suit for damages for injuries received by stabbing. In the latter case Peter Bayduk is the plaintiff, who seeks to recover an unstated amount from Ivan Turkovich, now serving a sentence in Kingston Penitentiary for wounding the plaintiff with a knife last year.

The two important cases are Phillip Henry Howse, plaintiff, in the second action, and administrator of the estate of his son, the late James Richard Howse, who died intestate on July 27, 1920, claims \$10,000 damages from Dr. F. J. James, medical practitioner, for alleged carelessness, negligence and gross want of skill in attending the said James R. Howse. Defendant denies the allegations of carelessness, etc., and alleges that negligence on the part of the said James Richard Howse contributed to his death. Meredith Fisher, London, are acting for the plaintiff, and Pardee, Burnham and Gurd for the defendant.

WANDERER TO HANG JUNE 17; JUST LAUGHS

Sanity Experts Are Judge's Target.

Chicago, April 20.—Carl Wanderer, slayer of his wife and "the ragged stranger," has been sentenced to be hanged on June 17 for the latter crime. Sentence was pronounced by Judge Joseph David. It was the first time the judge had sentenced a man to die. The motion for a new trial was denied as soon as the attorney finished his argument. Assistant State Attorney Lloyd H. Hoth, who prosecuted Wanderer for the murder of "the ragged stranger," was not given an opportunity to present his case. "My mind is made up," said Judge David. "I have no quarrel with the decision of the jury, which ordered the murderer's death. That is unfortunate that so much conflicting evidence was introduced on the question of Wanderer's sanity. That, however, was a matter for the jury to decide. I have great confidence in the American jury system. The motion for a new trial is overruled."

Will Appeal to Supreme Court.
Wanderer's lawyer announced he would appeal to the supreme court. Wanderer was then called. His face was bleached out by confinement in a murderers' row, but he appeared the picture of health. "You have been found guilty of murder by a jury," said Judge David. "Have you anything to say before I pronounce sentence?" "No, I have nothing," said the defendant. "Then I sentence you to be hanged until dead on June 17, between the hours of 6 a.m. and 6 p.m. That's all I have to say to you."

Laughs Over Ruling.
He again broke into laughter a moment later, when Judge David announced that he would wait ninety days for the filing of a bill of exceptions. "Ninety days!" interrupted Attorney Bartholomew. "He's sentenced to be hanged in less than that."

Wanderer broke into a broad grin when Attorney Bartholomew turned in his direction. "I am laughing at the moment," said Wanderer. "I am laughing at the moment, when Judge David announced that he would wait ninety days for the filing of a bill of exceptions. 'Ninety days!' interrupted Attorney Bartholomew. 'He's sentenced to be hanged in less than that.'"

T. AND L. COUNCIL ASKS WHY NO JOBS FOR LABOR MEN
Members of Other Classes Got All Positions Referendum Day.

ST. THOMAS, April 20.—The trades and labor council is demanding that it be informed why the chief election officers did not nominate a number of qualified labor men for the various appointments made in taking of the vote at the recent referendum. The trades and labor council feels annoyed over the apparent indifference shown by the election officers to the claim of the labor men.

It would appear as if the majority of the old and experienced deputy returning officers, who have had charge of their several stations at the last election, were not the best of the job. The trades and labor council naturally felt that they had been neglected, and as there are many deserving men looking for employment of any kind, they would have had the first choice. Why they were not appointed may possibly be explained by the chief election officers and the representatives of the employment bureau who waited on the election officers and asked for their appointments. It is understood that the allowance made for the deputy returning officers was \$7 for their services, \$4 for poll clerks and \$4 for constables. These sums are paid by the Government and may reach the appointees about next August.

REBELS USE MACHINE GUN IN ATTACK ON TRAIN IN IRELAND
Guerilla Warfare Continues With Unabated Violence—Houses Burned in Reprisal.

DUBLIN, April 20.—Guerilla warfare in Ireland continues with unabated violence. Some of the cars of a train last evening between Gortalea, County Kerry and Castle Island, County Kerry, and subjected to machine-gun fire from a ruined building. But the attacking forces were driven off. The police suffered no casualties.

Nine houses in Tralee were bombed last night. These included the offices of the newspapers Kerryman and Liberator, the printing machines of which were wrecked. There were no casualties. Several attacks on police barracks in various parts of the country are reported. At one place a fight raged for two hours, during which the court-house was burned down.

MUST NOT LEAVE IRELAND.
DUBLIN, April 20.—The Daily Eireann has decided that "the citizen of the republic shall leave Ireland without permission from the proper authority." Under the decree shipping and emigration agents henceforth are forbidden to

accept passage money or to issue tickets to intending Irish emigrants unless "they produce a printed permit signed by the minister for home affairs and sealed with the seal of the republic." Persons disobeying these regulations will "be deemed guilty of a grave offence against the welfare of the state in time of war, and dealt with accordingly."

NOT MUCH HARM DONE.
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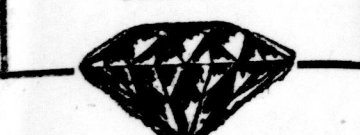
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SEVEN CASES SENT DOWN.

STRATFORD, April 20.—Seven cases have been set down for the jury sittings of the supreme court, opening here April 25. The cases are T. L. Hamilton, assignee, vs. Emerson Vipond of Elma; Robert Roland of Listowel over a mortgage; John Murray, Downie, vs. G.T.R., action restraining company from polluting River Avon; A. Forbes vs. J. A. Duggan, claim for wages and stock; Frank McDermott, Tavistock, vs. T. S. Wright and H. Taylor, Toronto, to recover \$1,000; H. C. Hutton, Winnipeg, vs. Mrs. Dorothy L. Dent, Toronto, over land agreement; O. L. McCready vs. W. Forrester, Mitchell, damages for alleged breach of warranty, and Mary Richardson-Ellie vs. Sylvester Richardson.

WILL VISIT ESSEX.

ESSEX, April 20.—The degree staff of Diamond Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Detroit, will pay a fraternal visit to Enterprise Lodge here on Thursday evening, and confer the third degree on a class of candidates.

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WORLD'S MOST WANTED MAN IS COLLINS, SINN FEINER

LONDON, April 20.—Michael Collins, M. P., chief of the "Irish Republican Army" and Minister of Finance to the "Republic," is the most sinister figure connected with the Irish Republican movement. He is the most "wanted" man in the world. No character in fiction has surpassed his record for daring and there is no man living about whom so many tales of narrow escapes can be told.

It is probable that when history comes to be written his name will sink into insignificance, for he is not a statesman and does not believe in a peaceful solution to Irish problems.

"Stop talking and get on with the job," was his message to Irish when peace overtures were suggested a few months ago.

But today his name is mentioned in whispers throughout the land of tears and he holds complete sway over several thousands of young men who, having taken the oath of allegiance to the I. R. A., dare not disobey his orders. Even loyalists are forced by sheer terror of his name into helping the republican cause.

His Agents Planning Violence Throughout the British Isles.

Nor is his influence felt in Ireland alone. His power extends all over the British Isles and in the heart of London his agents are known to be at work planning deeds of violence to be committed in the name of the republic.

Details of his early life are little known. He was born 35 years ago of humble parents in County Kerry of an ordinary elementary school education and after working with his brother in the grocery business, entered the postal service. At one time he was employed at the G. P. O. in London as a letter carrier, but he abandoned every one by his extremist views on the Irish question.

He is a man of more than average height rather strongly built. He has a square jaw and his eyes are strangely piercing.

A man who saw him recently walking openly in the streets of Dublin described the incident as follows: "As he drew level with me I was struck with the remarkable resemblance he bore to the official photographs of Michael Collins circulated throughout Ireland. For a moment I allowed my eyes to linger on his, fascinated by their penetrating gaze, but suddenly the air became electric and I realized the danger of turning round to take a second look. His own right hand was in his pocket and behind him were five or six men, all at different distances from one another, all with their right hands in their pockets and with their eyes glued in unwavering stares upon me."

"I walked straight on for about a quarter of a mile before I dared to turn round, for I knew that quite accidentally I had seen and recognized Michael Collins and his bodyguard at large in the streets of Dublin."

He was first heard of officially in connection with the Sinn Féin movement in October, 1914. Strangely enough this first official report proves him to have been living under disguise. The white paper on Sinn Féin's plot against the British government, known as the "Black and Tan" raid, was accompanied by Sir Roger Casement on a mission to Germany to visit the Irish prisoners of war. He became notorious in the rebellion of 1916, which he accompanied as part of the rebel army, of which P. H. Pearse (executed May 3, 1916) was commander general.

Like all other Sinn Féin M. P.'s he has never sat in Westminster, but an important member of Dail Eireann in the Irish Republican Parliament. He makes his headquarters in Dublin, although he has been seen in various parts of the country. He is reported to have been seen in London, and it is said that he never goes out of the street without a bodyguard of six gunmen. He employs a large number of scouts and intelligence men, who keep him supplied with information regarding the movements of the Crown forces.

He has escaped several times by disguising himself as a woman, and on one occasion he traveled in the uniform of a colonel of the British Army and was saluted several times by the troops themselves. It is known that he has entered Dublin Castle recently in disguise, and when the Auxiliaries raided a hotel in which he was sleeping he escaped through a back window in his shirt and was proved afterward to have dressed and walked down the street as one of the crowd and watched the progress of the raid.

Information was received some time ago that he was attending a wake in the Dublin district, and when the house was raided he evaded capture by taking refuge in the coffin after removing the body. The military, out of respect for the dead, made but a cursory examination of the room containing the coffin.

Many men have been arrested in mistake for Michael Collins, and he has been reported killed on several occasions.

It is believed by many that if he were captured the extremist movement would cease to have any importance, as a large number of his men are bound to him solely by dread of the consequences if they attempted to evade arrest.

Amateur Sleuths Find Him Only To Find Gunmen at Hand.

Because of the large price on his head there are men in Dublin, in addition to the Crown forces, who are making it their business to track him down in the hope of getting the reward. Recently two of these amateur sleuths met him walking alone in the many squares of Dublin. They approached him with revolvers pointed toward his heart.

"You are Michael Collins and you must come with us," they challenged him.

The chief of the I. R. A. smiled in assent.

"You are quite right," he replied, "I am Michael Collins, but" pointing to a spot a hundred yards in the rear—"do you see those men?"

There were two men standing still and looking in Collins' direction. They were with him," he said, and indicating two more men a hundred yards in the other direction, "so are they, as well as the two looking in the shop across the road. Every one of them is armed, and if you dare touch me you will not live five seconds from now." Needless to say he escaped once more.

His "eyes" are everywhere. Day after day and night after night the combined forces of the Crown carry on their ceaseless search, now among the slum byways of Dublin and now to some stately mansion on the outskirts of the city. When leading the rifle men make it a practice to put in "one extra for Mike."

Always the buildings chosen by him for his meetings have some cunning emergency exit arranged apart from the front and rear doors. A large house in Rathmines, in which he is reported to have stayed, was raided recently and was found to contain countless secret doors, sliding panels and hidden corridors.

But no man could stand the terrible strain of such a life for an indefinite period, and the most recent reports say that he is beginning to show signs of fatigue. It is prophesied that it is now only a matter of weeks before he will be caught.

"No man is indispensable," was a saying that gained great popularity during the war, but it is a matter for doubt whether the extremists of Ireland in the event of his capture will be able to find another man so daring and resourceful as the elusive Michael Collins.

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The National Railways, which now include the Intercolonial, Prince Edward Island, Transcontinental, Canadian Northern, and the Grand Trunk Pacific and the Hudson Bay Line.

The very large increase in expenditure, which is so much discussed, was said Mr. Hanna, largely accounted for by the desire of the management to bring their lines up to a good standard of efficiency and thus increase traffic.

Much had to be done to the trackage and a great rolling stock bought. Considering the magnitude of the system, it might be allowed that the expenses had been only reasonable.

The stage through which the National Railways was now passing was one common to the beginning of every great system.

NOT TRUE THERE WILL BE NO TARIFF REVISION THIS YEAR

Meighen Tells Member of Parliament in Reply to Question.

OTTAWA, April 20.—"I should like to ask," queried S. W. Jacobs (George Etienne Cartier) the House of Commons tonight, "if it is an accepted fact that there is to be no general tariff revision this year?"

The prime minister: "The answer is 'No.'"

CALLS COMMISSION BAND OF AUTOGRATS

Windsor Alderman Criticizes Hydro-Electric Operation of Street Railway.

WINDSOR, April 20.—Alderman F. J. Mitchell today characterized the Hydro-Electric Commission as a little band of autocrats who were supposed to be in the service of the people, but who in fact were a selfish group of public opinion, inasmuch as they ignored the requests of the city for better street railway service, and not only refused to commence the work, but had so far failed to inform the city council of the nature of the program which they proposed to follow in developing the system.

Hydro is an organization which believes in eliminating all opposition and leaving a municipality at its mercy. We are tired of the repeated promises made by the commission, which is so badly needed. Operation of a street railway by the Hydro Commission is more or less of an experiment, and this city has been chosen as the subject.

People of the province are watching with what success the hydro meets in Windsor, and its present tactics are calculated to discredit it," said Alderman Mitchell.

DIED IN SNOOZISM.

WOODSTOCK, April 20.—Another old native of Oxford, Alfred E. Cody, died suddenly in Snoozism, Washington, D. C., on Monday.

He was a relative of Colonel Bill Cody, who was born in West Oxford, where he spent the majority of his years, and was known from one end of the country to the other.

He is survived by one brother, E. Frank Cody of Victoria, B. C., and one sister, Mrs. E. J. Adams, Washington, D. C.

The complete referendum returns for the county of Oxford, which were received by the county clerk, Mr. J. H. Dwyer, and show that the "drys" had a total majority of 8,564, made up as follows: North Oxford, 3,944; South Oxford, 4,720.

MAY CONFISCATE LIQUOR.

HAMILTON, April 20.—In police court tomorrow License Inspector Sturdy will apply for the confiscation of large quantities of liquor seized here.

The list of liquor seized here, which was filled with liquor, and which was detected some weeks ago, has not been claimed. It was billed for Buffalo, The inspector was authorized to confiscate. He has also seized 25 cases, 25 barrels and 500 bottles in another consignment. Some of this liquor has been claimed.

It is believed it was forwarded to fictitious addresses.

NORFOLK S. S. CONVENTION.

SIMCOE, April 20.—The annual convention of the Norfolk Sunday School Association was opened this morning in St. James' Sunday School, and will be continued today and tomorrow.

Rev. D. A. Moir opened the morning session with devotional service, and following this were interesting addresses by the president, Frank Shearer, Rev. S. H. Lamb of Villanova, a period of music, and an address by Rev. H. W. Dellas of Port Dover.

The afternoon session was opened by a session of the county council of the Sunday schools, a devotional period following under the supervision of Mr. Percy Simcoe. Reports from various departments were received. Rev. C. H. Schofield gave a very interesting address. The convention will continue tonight and tomorrow.

WOULD PROVIDE \$30 A WEEK FOR DESERTED WIVES

Bill Introduced in Legislature by Sergt.-Major McNamara.

TORONTO, April 20.—In the Legislature this afternoon Sergt.-Major McNamara brought in a bill to provide \$30 per week for the maintenance of deserted wives and children.

Answering a question by Mr. MacBride (Brant South) introduced a bill to extend the franchise to the municipal elections.

Replying to Premier Drury, Mr. MacBride said he would not interpret the bill as amending the municipal act, but as a new act of general extension of the franchise to women in municipal elections.

In replying to a question by Dr. Forbes Godfrey, the attorney-general stated that no member of the Government had agreed to indemnify Rev. J. O. L. Spracklin for the expense of his legal suit, but that he had submitted a bill for \$3,000 for same to the board of license commissioners.

Replying to question by Mr. Ireland (West Hastings) the attorney-general said he had not, with a view to paying the sum of money for their services in the timber probe, secured an opinion from counsel outside of his own department or from any of the legal staff of the Dominion Government to pass the act of 1920, providing that supreme court judges acting as commissioners should not be paid for their services.

Answering a further question by Mr. Ireland as to whether the Government intended to make any further payment to the commissioners, Mr. Raney said this matter had not yet been considered by the Government.

Hon. N. W. Rowell is being employed by the Provincial Government as counsel in its action against the Shevlin-Clark company of Fort Frances, according to an answer made by Attorney-General Raney to A. E. Ross of Kingston. No rate of remuneration has as yet been arranged.

Further light was thrown on the question of living quarters in the Parliament Buildings for cabinet ministers, when Hon. P. C. Biggs answered a question of Mr. Cameron's by stating that under the previous Government seven rooms were furnished for and used by cabinet ministers. It was not the custom for ministers to remove furniture and other furnishings from their rooms. Two had done so.

The previous attorney-general had taken away some furnishings, which were his own private property, and Hon. G. Howard Ferguson had removed some rugs, with the consent of the then minister of public works.

Mr. Ferguson explained that he had purchased these articles from the Government. Although they had been in use for several years, he paid the price they cost when new.

Dealing with a question of John O'Neill's the attorney-general stated that out of 312 applications received for clemency or remission of fines imposed under the O. T. A. some 491 had been granted.

Marriage License Bill. Considerable opposition was shown to the amendments to the marriage act in charge of Hon. H. C. Nixon, Hon. G. S. Henry said that the idea of placing the issuance of marriage licenses entirely in the hands of the municipal clerks was "an attempt to Americanize our institutions."

Mr. Henry was of the opinion that there was no need to change the present system.

"Are not nearly all the issuers Tories?" asked Hon. W. E. Raney.

"Why don't you change the list? You have had plenty of time," said H. H. Dewar. "If the list is wrong, as it

believe it to be, why does not the attorney-general tackle it as one of his jobs?"

The bill passed committee. The bill introduced by H. P. Hill of Ottawa to amend the town planning act so that municipal councils might delegate general control of town planning, laying out of streets and subdivisions to commissions, was thrown out.

Early Closing Approved. C. F. Swayze of Niagara Falls was successful in piloting through the committee of the whole House his bill providing that where 75 per cent of the people engaged in any business in any city or town in Ontario sign a petition, stores engaged in that particular line of business shall close at 12:30 p.m. one day every week throughout the year and remain closed until 5 o'clock the following morning.

After second reading Major Gray's bill to incorporate civil engineers was referred to a special committee to be named by Premier Drury. Hon. Munro Doherty thought that the bill might interfere with agricultural representatives who were taking levels and making blue prints for farmers.

RARE OPPORTUNITY

Lovers of Oriental Art Will Appreciate This Display.

Londoners have seldom had the opportunity of viewing such an extensive variety of beautiful oriental rugs as are being shown on Smallman & Ingram's carpet section this week by L. Babayan, the well-known importer. These rugs are all specially priced for their sale, which owing to labor conditions in Persia are not more than half the price expected on future shipments. If interested in these classic rugs you will be well advised to take advantage of this opportunity now as these rugs are here for a few days only.

EQUALIZE CONDITIONS TO EQUALIZE RATES

Declares F. B. Carvell At Session of Railway Board in Edmonton.

EDMONTON, April 20.—"If this board is going to equalize rates, then we must equalize conditions." This was the definite statement made by Chairman F. B. Carvell at the conclusion of the meeting here of the railway board.

This statement followed the objections of the Edmonton Board of Trade to changes in mixing privileges.

NEW REPARATIONS PLAN

French Premier To Discuss Them With Lloyd George on Sunday.

PARIS, April 20.—At the conference which is to be held at Lyons, England, next Sunday between Premier Briand and Mr. Lloyd George, M. Briand will submit to the British prime minister the plan elaborated by the "military and civil commission" dealing with the military and economic measures decided on with a view to obtaining reparations from Germany, according to information gathered from a reliable source today.

The measures which Premier Briand will communicate to Mr. Lloyd George, according to Reuters' Paris correspondent, will include a new tax of from fifty to seventy francs per ton of coal mined in the Ruhr district, which will be placed under the supervision of French mining engineers. The measures also provide for a tax on exports and seizure of shares in industrial concerns.

TAKE MYSTERY MAN TO TORONTO. KINGSTON, April 20.—Magistrate McMillen, Constable Tallen and Mrs. Tallen of Verona leave today for Toronto, taking with them the mystery man, George Cox, whom they still believe to be Ambrose Small, says a report from Verona this morning.

NOTICE!

Mr. Geo. Chavignud, the noted water-color painter, is holding an exhibition of some 50 original water colors at Mr. O. B. Graves' Art Gallery, 20 Dundas street, upstairs.

The pictures are now on view and for sale until April 23, inclusive. b



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