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INTERFERENCE IN ARMENIA BY THE ALLIED NATIONS AGAIN COMES FORWARD AS ISSUE

Turkish Nation is in Real Danger; Continuation of Murders May Cause Allies to Act at Once.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The Armenian question was again the subject of discussion yesterday in the House of Commons. The Government Leader, Andrew Bonar Law, in reply said that the protection of the Christian races in Turkey was one of the most vital subjects before the Peace Conference, and that steps to secure their safety were being considered. He reiterated the statement that Constantinople had been informed that the conference proposed leaving the Turks in that city, but that unless the massacres ceased the decisions of the conference would probably be modified to the detriment of Turkey.

Pressure on Ottomans.
Mr. Bonar Law was asked whether the Government thought that pressure on Constantinople was likely to develop in view of the massacres carried out by Mustafa Kemal Pasha, who was the leader of the Nationalists, and did not recognize the authority of Constantinople. The Government Leader replied that the pressure might not be so effective as was desired, but that it was hoped it would have some effect. He declared there was some connection between the Nationalist movement and the Turkish Government, and that the action taken ought to have an effect on anybody who was concerned for the continuance of Turkish nationality.

Asked why the Sultan was threatened with expulsion from his capital if massacres were perpetrated independent of the Central Government, Mr. Bonar Law said that it was not a question of expulsion. It was a question of Turkish nationality as a whole, he declared, and the allies hoped that this statement might influence the situation.

Is France Jealous?
The Manchester Guardian, commenting on the war criminals and Constantinople decisions, says: "Yesterday saw one great change, this time salutary reversal of policy with regard to the trial of Germans. It was made, if the Paris press is any guide, against the wishes of France. What was the price of the concessions? Again the French press is openly jubilant at the prospect of the Turks being left in possession. Are the two things connected? The only moral we would point is that of vigilance."

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TO DEFEND PERSIA AND MESOPOTAMIA

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ALLIED NOTE TO WASHINGTON IS COINED IN WORDS AND TERMS WHICH ARE CONCILIATORY

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IRRITATING TO THE ENGLISHMAN

Crusade of Yankees to Make England Dry—Gilbert Chesterton Makes Remarks.

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The New Witness, of which Gilbert K. Chesterton is editor, says:—

"Yankee millionaires announce that they are ready to spend ten million pounds sterling to make England dry or rather those people in England who are not rich enough to obtain illicit drinks from stocks in secret cellars; but they refuse to pay out a farthing for the help of the starved children of Central Europe, through whose miseries America waxed fat. A great deal has been written as to the tightening of the bonds of brotherhood between the United States and the United States. The war, to a certain extent, did ameliorate some of the traditional hostility of the average American, but in its place there has grown up this pestiferous longing to interfere with our national customs and suppress our individual liberty. It is difficult to imagine anything more likely to cause permanent estrangement between the masses of people in this country and America than this crusade of Yankee Chads."

"If the American millionaires who have amassed colossal fortunes through the war want to save their consciences, let them devote their money to the starving children who are dying like flies for lack of food."

WASHINGTON, Feb. 19.—The efforts being made by the authorities to capture a so-called "Jack the Huggler" who has apparently been operating in the "Hill Section" or fashionable part of Lockport for three months past without falling into the clutches of the law, is not without its humorous side.

While the police have been trying for many weeks past to nab the individual by detailing plain clothes men to the supposed scene of his activities, an officer, in civilian dress, of course, has caused more consternation among the women of the vicinity than the "Huggler," it is learnt today from a resident.

The sleuth in keeping watch at night on everyone passing along the street has himself hidden behind trees, verandahs, residences, and anything else convenient. Many women, unaware that an officer has been on duty, have seen him dodging back and forth, and as a result have concluded he is the "Huggler."

They have consequently taken to flight on each occasion, being more or less frightened in consequence. The police are now talking of procuring an illuminated banner for the officer selected for this duty, and having it contain the sign: "am no Jack-the-Huggler, but a police officer."

DANCER ENDS ENGAGEMENT TO MARRY TITLED GIRL

PARIS, Feb. 19.—Carl Randall, of Chicago, internationally famous as a dancer, has ended his engagement here to marry an English girl of a wealthy titled family, the Paris Midi stated yesterday.

It will be one of the greatest factors in the inter-commonwealth development of trade and progress between the British peoples all over the world. Valuable publicity may be obtained for the Niagara Peninsula and St. Catharines when the necessary means of community welfare and progress can be perfected at the end of the present campaign.

It is anticipated that there will be something of interest to announce in connection with this at the Community get-together tonight at the Collegiate, when John B. Laughton of London and M. M. Maxwell, secretary of Chatham, will speak.

BIG MARRIAGE BOOM NOW ON IN FRANCE.

PARIS, Feb. 19.—France has a marriage boom. Figures for 1920 so far break all records, doubling the number of the first two months of 1914.

Geneva, Feb. 19.—Charles Wigler, Swiss consul at Kiev, arrived here penniless yesterday with 16 compatriots by way of Odessa and Marseilles. Three hundred more Swiss are expected in the near future.

Wigler said that when the Bolsheviks entered Kiev in December they pillaged and then burned most of the shops. They arrested all the foreigners and robbed them of everything, even their clothes and shoes being taken. A number of foreigners were forced to work for the Red army or starve, especially as four hundred grammes of black bread cost 200 rubles, a pound of butter 500, a half pint of milk 100, an egg 40, a pair

of shoes 6,000, and a chicken 450 rubles. Clothes and linen were not to be found.

According to Wigler, the Bolsheviks acted like barbarians towards foreigners, shooting to death Madame Bevechi, a Swiss, because 10 years ago she subscribed 150 rubles to the Nationalist Club of Kiev.

The banks of Kiev quoted a sovereign at 2,500 rubles, Wigler said, while dollars could not be obtained at any price. The English, French and a few Americans in the interior suffered severely under the Bolshevik regime, the consul asserted. The Reds maintained no pretence of order, murders and robberies being common.

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URGE BRITISH WARSHIPS AS HOTELS FOR TOURISTS FROM THE UNITED STATES

LONDON, Feb. 19.—The latest plan to accommodate the expected invasion of hundreds of thousands of American tourists this spring and summer is to accommodate them on war vessels, there not being enough hotels in London to take care of the anticipated invasion. Capt. C. C. Walcott of the British Navy, suggested that such vessels could be chartered from the admiralty.

"The largest of the monitors—a type of vessel which combines length and breadth with shallow draft—are the most suitable for conversion," said Capt. Walcott.

"The British Admiralty are now disposing of some of these vessels and I believe they could be converted into floating hotels without much expense. The accommodations would range from 100 to 200 rooms in each vessel."

The Committee:

Mrs. Dr. M. J. Mulock (chairman), Mrs. A. J. Veale, Mrs. Jas. Brightly, Mrs. Chas. G. McGhi, Mrs. Carr-Harris, Mrs. J. A. Abbs, Mrs. W. Taylor, Mrs. H. Saxton, Mrs. C. Cameron, Mrs. W. A. Gardner, Mrs. J. Clench, Miss L. Thompson, Miss L. Newman, Miss Stevens, Mrs. Albon Butler, Mrs. J. H. Ratcliffe, Mrs. Byron Smith, Mrs. C. Bixby.

It is stated from Osgoode Hall that the hearing of the protests filed against elections in Centre Simcoe, East Simcoe, Duffin and Grenville will not be heard till after the Legislature meets.

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TOO MUCH RESTRICTION UNPOPULAR

Much ado has been made by the Toronto Globe and other newspapers, as well as by moralists who are sympathetic to all kinds of restrictive legislation, that it is a discreditable thing for the Liberty League to solicit funds to defeat Hon. Mr. Raney who is seeking election as Attorney-General in the Drury Government. At the same time the course of Mr. Ben Spence of the Dominion Alliance in soliciting money from all over the province to carry on propaganda and exercise political influence in favor of everything which forces public life into the one particular groove that he, and his associates lay down, that kind of solicitation and money-raising is given a clear title to respectability and honor.

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found in all those departments of human activity where the few would force their will onto the many, where prejudice against your neighbor is allowed to develop because he does not think as you do, in the anxiety of some to pass all kinds of legislation that would make people good by measured law rather than by the exercise of their inward moral force.

This is a day of much propaganda. It is a day when a man who does not and never did use liquor is branded by extremists as a supporter of liquor interests because he holds that as a free born citizen he should be entitled to use his own judgment a little rather than to have some one else always telling him by law what he should do and how he should do it.

Intemperance in the use of liquors is a damnable and vicious tendency. It should be discouraged by all possible educational methods, but it is possible that life may be made rather intolerable also by the intemperance of speech, policy and attitude of those who think that the passing of Dominion and Provincial statutes will protect the human race from all the ills to which it has been a prey since Adam and Eve took too big a bite out of the apple.

The opposition which has become so manifest against the election of Mr. Raney is a natural outcome of an irritated public feeling. Mr. Raney has no higher ideals than thousands of those who are opposed to his return, but he has the reputation at least of wanting to legislate his fellow men into Heaven, an impossible feat.

If we felt that the Liberty League were organized or had in any way a secret purpose to condone intemperance, assist the saloon keeper or foster immorality of whatsoever kind we would not endorse its activities, but unless we are misguided and badly informed, its policy is simply to prevent fanatical and extremist elements from forcing their views and

doctrines upon a free citizenship. If this is the object of the League and if that League includes in its membership men of the highest standing and personal integrity, then it does not come with good grace for the Press to stigmatize all its efforts as immoral while justifying the factional movements that seek to tighten the cards of social action a little more around the lives of human beings.

OTHER VIEWS

THE NEW "NATIONAL PARTY."

Ottawa Journal.—The Journal ventured the opinion the other day that the Gazette's aim was to drive out Liberals from the Union Government in order to make the cast at Ottawa easier for protectionist profiteers in this country, who fear that the Liberal admixture in the Cabinet may interfere with a full exploitation of the high protectionist idea that Canada is made for profiteers, not protectionists for Canada. The Montreal Gazette and the Quebec Chronicle by the curious coincidence happen at the present moment to be illustrating their frame of mind and the character of their chosen alliances by a joint championship of the most gross and insolent case of manufacturing profiteering which is in evidence in this country, namely, that of Price Brothers of Quebec, in the paper business. This case of profiteering is not only one of huge greed, but accompanied by defiance of the Government and law of Canada. The Montreal Gazette and the Quebec Chronicle are the only two newspapers in Canada which back up Price Bros. in profiteering and in lawlessness; and the Montreal Gazette and the Quebec Chronicle are the only two newspapers in Canada which want "a new national party" rather than the moderate protectionist Government which is in power now.

What sort of regime, then, do you suppose the country would get from "favored sons" of the Gazette and the Chronicle? Why—give us the United Farmers by preference!

PATRONAGE STILL WORKING

Montreal Transcript.—This journal is informed that a short time ago

Double murder and suicide but

but for the Grace of God NOT long ago a shamefully wronged husband started out to do away with his wife and the destroyer of his home

HE was intercepted, reasoned with, pleaded with. After two days and two nights spent in prayer and meditation, through the manifestation of the Holy Spirit he was turned from his intense and terrible passion to a magnificent attitude of forgiveness.

THE instrument through which husband and wife were reconciled—and a ghastly tragedy prevented—was a Salvation Army Officer.

SUCH a change of heart wrought by the spirit is not rare in the world-wide experience of the Salvation Army.

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a man who had been overseas for four and a half years applied to the commission for a position, for which he had y ability and y general and special knowledge obvious qualifications. Receipt of the application was acknowledged. The Civil Service Commission did not ask about his qualifications from the men he had named as his references. Nor did the Civil Service offer him the opportunity of a competitive examination. The position was given to a young man who had not been overseas—a member of a family powerful enough to keep several sons at home during the war in good, but certainly not essential jobs.

MARLBOROUGH BEIR WEDS

King George, Queen Mary and Queen Alexandra Present.

LONDON, Feb. 18.—The Marquis of Blandford, son of the Duchess of Marlborough, was married yesterday afternoon to the Hon. Mary Grogan, daughter of Viscount Chelsea, at St. Margaret's Church, Westminster. The wedding was the most important social event of the kind since the marriage of Princess Patricia of Connaught to Commander Ramsey a year ago.

King George, Queen Mary, Princess Mary, Dowager Queen Alexandra, Princess Victoria and Princess Louise, sister of King George, witnessed the ceremony. The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough, Earl Curzon, the Foreign Secretary, and several other members of the Government were also present.

The gifts were many and costly. They included a diamond brooch from King George and Queen Mary, a diamond pendant from Dowager Queen Alexandra, and presents from other members of the Royal family.

Another raw milk cargo, valued at \$300,000, was ferried across the St Lawrence from Prescott.

BEGIN HOT WATER DRINKING IF YOU DON'T FEEL RIGHT

Says glass of hot water with phosphate before breakfast washes out poisons.

If you wake up with a bad taste, bad breath and tongue coated, if your head is aching, if what you eat sours and forms acid in stomach, or you are bilious, constipated, nervous, sallow and can't get feeling just right, begin inside bathing. Drink before breakfast a glass of hot water with a teaspoonful of limestone phosphate in it. This will flush the poisons and toxins from stomach, liver, kidneys and bowels and cleanse, sweeten and purify the entire alimentary tract. Do your inside bathing immediately upon arising in the morning to wash out of the system all the previous day's poisonous waste, gases and sour bile before eating more food.

To feel like young folks feel, like you felt before your blood and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your pharmacist a quarter pound of limestone phosphate, which is inexpensive and almost tasteless.

Men and women who are usually constipated, bilious, headachy or have any stomach disorder should begin their inside bathing before breakfast.

Subtle and Otherwise

This present winter needs to take a back seat for any other winter that ever was.

Why Daylight Scheme Failed. The secret has leaked out that the real reason why the farmers were opposed to the daylight saving plan in the United States was that they were not able to get the roosters to adopt it, says the Thrift Magazine.

The he-chickens insisted on going to work on the old schedule. In open defiance of Congress they refused to knock off the extra hour from their morning beauty sleep. So, under the new plan, instead of the roosters waking up the farmers, it became necessary for the farmers to wake up the roosters. No farmer relishes the task of going out each morning while the moon is still riding in the heavens, and caging a barn yard full of roosters off the perch.

Is it any wonder they are having trouble settling the League of Nations controversy. Just look what is happening right here in our own city and only the sternest and firmest men have to be satisfied.

And then, again there is the court house bull question to be settled yet.

The Cream of the Joke. A canny Scot, who'd settled down (Apparently for life!)

In London, had a friend named Brown—Also a pretty wife.

Macphair-son lived at No. 4, The Grove—a neat abode;

Brown lived just opposite his door, The other side the road.

One day when running for the train That took them to the City,

Brown, foolishly, could not refrain From trying to be witty.

"Old man," said he, "I rather think I've got the laugh on you?"

"How's that?" said Mac; Brown gave a wink,

And said, "I saw you two—You and your pretty wife—last night;

You hadn't drawn your blind; The way she kissed you really might—Inflame an evil mind!

"Man," said Macphair-son, stolidly, "Ye're fou, ye blitherkite! Ye hae no got the laugh o' me—I wasna hame las' nicht!"

—Exchange.

Better hang the kaiser and then abolish hanging as a means of capital punishment for good.

China an Object Lesson. We are told by the Pioneer that China has been under prohibition for almost 2,400 years, the imperial edict prohibiting the use of intoxicating liquors being made in 480 B.C. This prompts the remark that China is a striking example of the high state of civilization to which prohibition will bring a country. Does Canada want to be another China, queries an exchange.

Not much verse on "the beautiful" is being inflicted this winter.

Not Like the Olden Days. "Times have changed," sighed old Uncle Bill. "Times have surely changed."

"What makes you think so?" "A little family party I attended last night. The women folk talked politics, while the men folk got off in a corner and exchanged recipes."

No doubt our young people will welcome Lent this year as never before, as it gives them relief from the arduous labor on the dance floor, which has well merited a lengthy rested a lengthy rest.

All must admit that St. Catharines is a religious city. When churches will go over the top in religious giving, the acid test is here sure.

And at the same time, look at the amount of gasoline this deep snow is saving you, brother.

Life is just one thing after another. First it was smallpox—now it's flu! What next?

And they say, now, coal is beginning to get scarce in the city.

State insurance for Manitoba was recommended by experts to the Government.

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Security Loan & Savings Company - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders of the Security Loan & Savings Company, St. Catharines will be held at the Company's Office, No. 26 James Street, St. Catharines, on Thursday, February 19th, 1920, at 11.30 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Financial Statement and Report of the Directors for the year 1919, the election of Directors and the transaction of such other business as may be brought before it. E. F. DWYER, Sec. Treasurer. St. Catharines, Ont., January 12th, 1920.

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Coal in Canada May Take a Boost Because of High Exchange

A rumor is going the rounds in coal business circles that the United States railways may take a step which will increase the price of coal in Ontario by about 18 cents a ton.

At present the full freight bill from the Pennsylvania mines into the railway yards at Toronto is paid by the big Toronto dealers in Canadian currency. It is reported that after March 1st the American railways may insist that the freight bill from the Pennsylvania mines to the Canadian border be paid in American currency.

Now it costs today \$2.34 per short ton of 2,000 pounds to move coal from Pennsylvania to Toronto. And \$1.34 of that is the freight from the mines to the Canadian frontier. Clap on the difference of exchange between Canada and the U.S. money, which is today about 15 per cent, and you have added about 18 cents, which might conceivably be stretched into 25 cents.

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Mark Twain of Canada

In the days when interesting people came to Canada to find a freshly interesting there was nobody could reveal the spirit of the land to them like George Ham of the C.P.R. It is said he put Major Pond of the United States out of business. Why go on a wearisome lecture tour under that impressive name when George Ham could transport you to Winnipeg and on through the delights of the Rockies in all the comfort of a Pullman coach? Great personages beseech him to call them by their first names. He has loaned matches to kings and potentates and autographed photographs of his features for admiring authoresses of best sellers. There did once seem to be a time when the truly great would not venture to come to Canada without first ascertaining whether George Ham could receive them. He is said to have got so "fed up" with dukes and royal bodies that he did not mind, for a change, escorting untitled personalities of international fame. Many men whose signatures command imperious power would no more think of forgetting to send him their Christmas cards than they would dream of neglecting a royal command. He is so very much personae grata with all kinds of people in Who's Who when he arrives in London the court circular has to be enlarged to publish the invitations issued in his honor. Now he has achieved the signal honor of an unpaid-for mention in the exclusive Morning Post. It feels relieved to know that even if the League of Nations be jeopardized, the official entertainer of the C. P. R. is keeping his health and revelling in his high spirits. This bright though aristocratic London paper says George Ham is the Mark Twain of Canada. It claims his jests are beyond computation. He will yet go down to fame as having originated one joke. He has been as generous with his humor as he has been a profitable acquaintance for professional jokesters. As he never has patented any of his inimitable quips he often laughs at them when he hears them on the stage, until he realizes that they were of his own making. You may have heard of the Cincinnati millionaire he took to Muskoka. While there the phycocant was attacked by brigands from Toronto. The chief brigand later complained to the police that in the encounter his watch and chain had been stolen. It should be added that George Ham was not out with his Cincinnati charge when the watch and chain were stolen. Thousands of personages who have enjoyed seeing Canada have testified to how much their enjoyment was due to his kindly wit and indomitable attention. They have paid tribute to the gentleman who knows so well how to extend in behalf of his railway. But perhaps one of the best tributes ever paid this incomparable humorous cicerone of the railway lines, was a copy of verses by Mr. Neil Munro, the Scottish author. He has a low George Ham had "freighted laughter ten thousand miles," when acting as uncle, aunt, brother, father and grandfather to a party of British scribes. They think in Britain that not to have known George Ham of the C. P. R. is to display ignorance of the Empire's geography. —Winnipeg Telegraph.



MR. GEORGE HAM.

Husband Rescues Bride Kidnapped Two Weeks and Then Kills Man

CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—The strange story of how a pretty bride of a few months was kidnapped by a band of thieves, held prisoner until her husband rescued her, and how later the husband was forced to kill one of the gang while protecting a small boy, will form an interesting chapter in the records of Judge Kersten's criminal court hearings when the case comes to trial April 1st.

Oscar Engstrom is charged with murder. The case was called for today, but was postponed to the April term. Engstrom and his young bride were living on a two-acre tract near Posen, Ill. The husband was making a good living, selling automobiles, and the wife worked the little truck farm.

Their nearest neighbors, with one exception, were several miles distant. There were two sons at the nearest neighbors' and men of rough character began to visit this place. One

day, when the husband was absent, these men abducted his bride. Several days later he found her at the other house and after a hard fight rescued her and took her home.

A few evenings later a six-year-old boy came to Engstrom's house, and begged to be taken in, as the men had threatened to kill him for telling Engstrom where they had hidden his wife. Two members of the gang came after the boy and, in the ensuing fight, Engstrom killed the leader.

Police say all the gang are murderers and fugitives from justice, and that the house was a resort and hiding place for the notorious Glorianna gang of professional murderers, a number of whom are now in custody and awaiting trial.

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Chamber of Commerce Activities

Charts and other devices for explaining the plans of organization and operation of a modern Chamber of Commerce adorn the walls of the campaign headquarters at Union Bank Building. Evidently the director, Mr. Hugh M. Bell, believes in the graphic method of illustration. He said to-day that he had been asked by many citizens of St. Catharines just what is contemplated by the efforts to replace the Board of Trade with a Chamber of Commerce. In order to make clear the various steps that will be followed, he had prepared a little schedule, he said, which had taken up the several questions as they had been asked.

1. Securing the necessary membership and income for three years.
(a) A carefully compiled list of the citizens of St. Catharines who should support such movement, made in card index form.
(b) The number of memberships that each should carry, based upon the benefit to be expected, and what corporation and men of similar standing in other cities are doing, indicated on each card.
(c) This list to be examined carefully by two separate committees and passed upon by the executive committee before it is used.

2. Creating a working membership.
(a) During the campaign for membership and afterwards, a systematic method of acquainting the public with the proper functions of a Chamber of Commerce to be put into operation.
(b) A series of luncheons which ultimately become schools of organization, to be held; these luncheons open to non-members. At these luncheons specialists will present the steps necessary in successful organization management.
(c) The speakers to be aided by charts and other methods of graphic presentation. Everything reduced to a common sense basis and hip-horror methods avoided.
(d) This definite and methodical way of presenting a sometimes misunderstood field of activity fortifies

the optimist with a mass of intelligent arguments and smothers the pessimist under a mass of carefully collated facts that leave no ground for just criticism of a real Chamber of Commerce.
3. The development of a program of work.
(a) With the completion of the membership and educational campaign, the development of a program of work will be the next step.
(b) Each member will be asked to express himself on what he thinks the organization should undertake for the welfare of the city as a whole and for the promotion of his line of work.
(c) The expressions thus received will be collated and written into concrete paragraphs, these forming the planks of the program of work.
(d) This method brings unity of action in the shortest possible time and enables the officers to reach out intelligently to the individual members for support and help.
4. Installation of committee organization and control.
(a) Special instead of standing committees.
(b) Careful analysis of work to be done.
(c) Definite schedule of action, preparation of needed date, limited committee appropriations, conferences between committees and directors, at frequent intervals.
5. Outline of office system.
(a) Disbursement sheet and authorization of expenditures.
(b) Budget for proper distribution of expenditures.
(c) Card index for membership record and for proceedings of the directors and committees.
(d) Filing records for industrial, commercial and other information, photographs and data for publicity requirements.

Officers of Niobe Lodge Knights of Pythias were installed last night by three grand officers from Hamilton:

A. Cassels, D.G.C.
W. A. Smith, G.V.C.
Alfred Wilkes, P.G.C., G.P.
The officers installed were:
C.C.—Wilfred Jolliffe.
V.C.—J. M. MacFarlane.
Prelate—William Male.
M. of W.—A. A. White.
K.R.S.—A. Oke.
M. of P.—W. S. Wilson.
M. of E.—J. E. Riffel.
M. at A.—W. Campbell.
I.G.—A. Turnbull.
O.G.—Thos. Holsworth.
P.C.—A. A. White.
G.L. Reps.—Thos. Holsworth, J. Grant.
Lodge Physician—Dr. Currie.
Hamilton City Hall clerks organized a union.

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NEVER HAVE SEEN A DOG OR A CAT

Children in War-Scarred Europe Never Even Hear the Birds Sing.

When you grinned at the six-year-old son of the house ropping in the yard with his dog, or watched his small sister carefully dividing her attention between ribbon bows for the house "abby" and the robin on the lawn, did it ever occur to you that somewhere in the world there are little folks of the same age who have never seen a dog nor a cat nor heard a bird sing. Yet, there are some hundreds of thousands of youngsters in war-stricken Europe to-day who are ignorant of the existence of the furrowed and feathered creatures which help to make a Canadian kiddie's day worth while.

Jewish relief workers who have returned from the Eastern and Central European countries cite the absence of domestic animals and birds to illustrate the desolate barrenness of the countries that were swept again and again by the warring armies for nearly five years. Jacob Babel, who had charge of a unit for the Joint Distribution Committee, the sole agency disbursing relief funds raised by the Canadian Jewish Relief Committee, the Central Committee for Relief and the Jewish People's Relief Committee, has described the conditions there.

"In that bare stretch of country where there are scarcely any trees, no habitations other than the miserable dog-outs in which returned refugees exist—the 'no man's land' of Poland—we did not see a single cat or dog, and in all the time we were there we never heard a bird sing. Armies have swept bare the country and trampled the ground to the consistency almost of rock, while shell fire has blasted the countryside. Not a single animal, even domestic animals, was left there. So there are children to-day of five or six years of age who have never seen a dog nor a cat and have never heard the singing of a bird!"

DESTITUTE JEWS HAVE NO HOUSES

Six Million Unfortunates Compelled to Use Packing Cases, Cans and Sacks.

Patterning on the block houses that children of Eastern Europe, whose homes have been destroyed during the war, are trying to solve their housing problem with the packing boxes in which relief supplies have been sent to them, according to reports received by the Canadian Jewish War Relief Committee from relief workers abroad.

Not only is every particle of food and clothing used to the utmost advantage in these stricken lands where 6,000,000 Jews are at the point of starvation, but the cans and sacks and wrapping cases in which the food and clothing come are made to do duty as well. There is neither lumber or nails in most of the countries of eastern Europe at present, and the packing boxes are handled as if they were the finest mahogany, when the shipments arrive. Not a nail is allowed to go to waste, when the boxes are taken carefully apart.

All over eastern Europe at present men, women and children, many of them sick with typhus, are living in cellars, in devastated houses, in old freight cars, on roofless platforms, open to the wind, or in fields, unprotected from the elements. The clothing of these destitute Jews, consisting for the most part of the rags that they have worn for the last few years of the war, afford them little warmth.

For this reason, the packing boxes, which might not be considered particularly luxurious homes at another time, are welcomed as life-savers just now. Boards from them are used to re-build broken houses, and even to make lean-to shacks, when no building stood before. Some of the smaller boxes are piled one above the other, like children's blocks, and tied together, to serve as temporary houses.

MOTHERS PRAY THAT BABIES MIGHT DIE

Suffering Among Jews is So Bad That Death Alone Gives Relief.

Mothers begging for death to relieve their children's suffering, was the most tragic thing seen by Leo Wolfson, New York attorney and journalist, in seven weeks spent in Roumania, Galicia, Bessarabia and Bukovina. Mr. Wolfson, who has just returned to New York, made the trip in order to study political conditions in these countries.

"There are one and one-half millions Jews in this section of Eastern Europe who are in immediate want," declared Mr. Wolfson. "In every town I visited, I saw starving, naked Jews stretching out their hands to passers-by for a piece of bread."

"They hardly look like human beings. All one sees are living skeletons, covered with yellow skin. The children are small, worn-out, frightened, little creatures, who just drag themselves aimlessly around."

"How they will live through the winter, no one knows. No one can begin to describe the picture of misery and want. But one can get an idea of it, knowing that mothers are actually praying that death take their children, to relieve their terrible suffering."

G. A. Langstaff, a prosperous Ken dal farmer, aged thirty-five, hanged himself in a fit of despondency, over lengthy illness.

Have Dark Hair And Look Young

NOBODY CAN TELL WHEN YOU DARKEN GRAY, FADED HAIR WITH SAGE TEA.

Grandmother kept her hair beautifully darkened, glossy and attractive with a brew of Sage Tea and Sulphur. Whenever her hair took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was applied with wonderful effect. By asking at any drug store for "Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound," you will get a large bottle of this old-time recipe, improved by the addition of other ingredients, all ready to use, at very little cost. This simple mixture can be depended upon to restore natural color and beauty to the hair.

A well known downtown druggist says everybody uses Wyeth's Sage and Sulphur Compound now because it darkens so naturally, and evenly that nobody can tell it has been applied—it is so easy to use too. You simply dampen a comb or soft brush and draw it through your hair, taking one strand at a time. By morning the gray hair disappears; after another application or two, it is restored to its natural color and looks glossy, soft and beautiful.

LABOR WOULD ABOLISH STATE GOVERNORSHIP

SYDNEY, Australia, Feb. 19.—The Labor candidate, Mr. Storey, outlined the policy of the New South Wales Labor party if the party was elected, declared it would abolish the "useless paraphernalia of State Governors and Legislative Council." He said it was proposed to impose a larger share of the public burden on unproductive capital, speculative investments and absentee owners of the country, while the producers' share in the burden would be lightened.

Mrs. James Rylett, of Dover town ship, who passed away yesterday after a week's illness of pneumonia, and her husband, who died Monday of the same disease, were buried together yesterday.



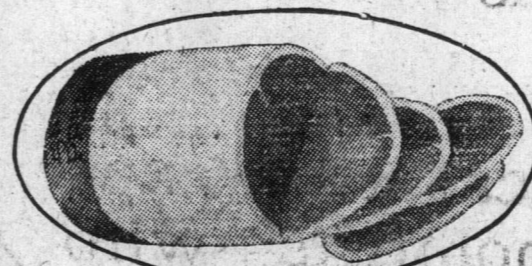
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As Ford Dealers in this territory, we desire to deliver a car to every person in this district who wants one, but we cannot get the cars unless we send in the orders now.

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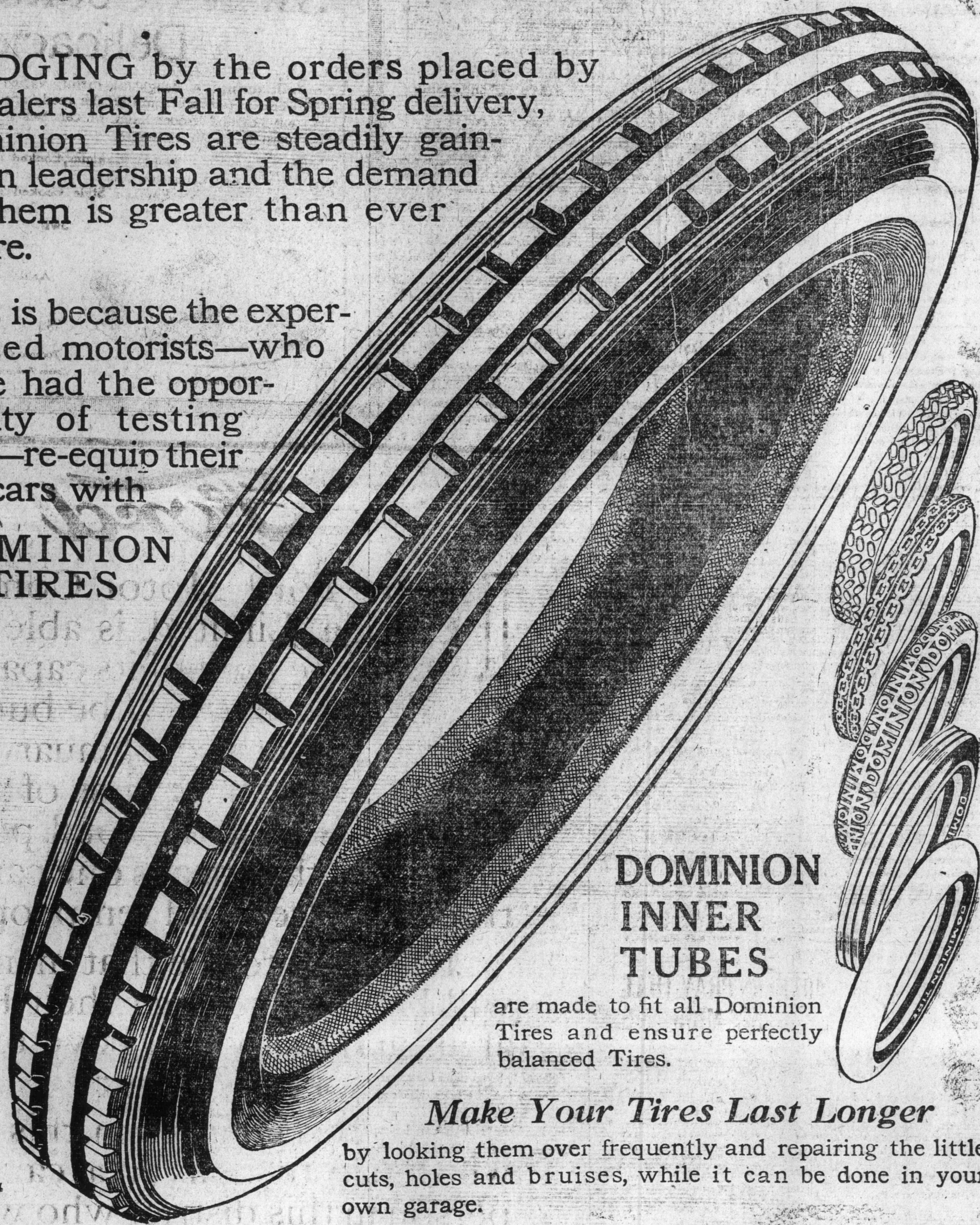
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\$2200—On Hainer street two storey
frame dwelling with stone founda-
tion, near bridge on lot 68x87 1/2,
all conveniences, in good repair,
will accept part cash, balance ar-
ranged.
\$2850—On Haynes, two storey frame
dwelling with barn for stabling six
horses, lot 44x148 ft., all in good
repair, will accept one half cash,
balance mortgage at 7 per cent.
\$3000—On Leeper street, one storey
frame dwelling on 30ft. lot for
\$2200. Separate from building, lot
size 100x160ft. will accept small
cash payment balance arranged.
\$3100—On Welland Ave., one and
one-half storey dwelling with four
bedrooms and every convenience, all
in good repair, on lot 85x148ft.

will accept \$1500. cash, balance
mortgage at 7 per cent.
\$3600—On Page street, two storey
frame dwelling with stone founda-
tion and every convenience, all in
good repair. Will accept small cash
payment, balance arranged.
\$3900—On Church street, two storey
frame dwelling with stone founda-
tion, all in good repair. Will accept
part cash, balance mortgage at 7
per cent.
\$6500—On Niagara street, two storey
brick dwelling and grocery with
good connection and turnover, hot
water heating, stone foundation,
good cellar, all in good repair, a
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About \$2000 stock, 100 cents on \$1.
Terms arranged.

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Mail Contract
Sealed tenders addressed to the Post-
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March, 1920, for the conveyance of His
Majesty's Mails, on a proposed con-
tract, for four years, thirty times per
week, on the route St. Catharines and
Niagara, St. Catharines & Toronto Elec-
tric Railway Station, from the 1st
July next.

Printed notices containing further in-
formation as to the conditions of pro-
posed Contract may be seen and blank
forms of Tender may be obtained at the
Post Office at St. Catharines and at the
Post Office Inspector's Office,
Toronto, Feb. 5, 1920
A. SUTHERLAND,
Post Office Inspector

Parliamentary Notice

Monday the 22nd day of March
next will be the last day for present-
ing petitions for Private Bills.
Monday, the 29th day of March
next, will be the last day for intro-
ducing Private Bills.
Thursday, the 8th day of April
next will be the last day for receiv-
ing reports of Committees on Pri-
vate Bills.

ARTHUR H. SYDERE,
Clerk of Legislative Assembly
Toronto, February 5th, 1920.

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Racing Dates Are Given Out

Schedule For Canadian Asso-
ciation Announced.

HAMILTON, Feb. 19.—The first
racing dates for the thoroughbred
runners since the spring of 1917
were given out here following re-
leases last night by the Canadian
Racing Association.

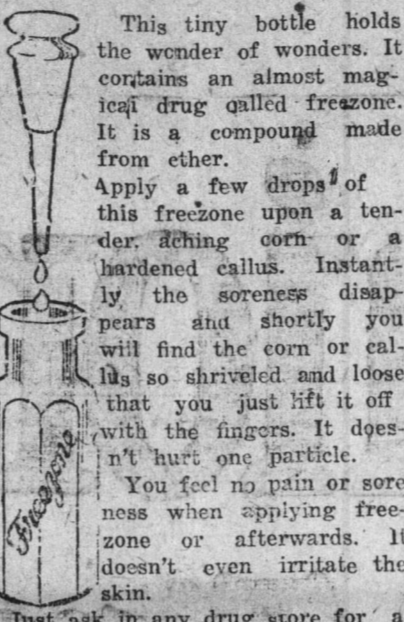
The circuit is the same as in pre-
war days, the dates being as fol-
lows:
Ontario Jockey Club (Toronto) —
May 22-29.
Dorval Jockey Club (Montreal) —
June 1-8.
Montreal Jockey Club (Montreal) —
June 10-17.
Connaught Park Jockey Club (Ot-
tawa) — June 19-26.
Niagara Racing Association (Fort
Erie) — June 29-July 6.
Hamilton Jockey Club (Hamilton) —
July 8-15.
Windsor — July 17-24.
Kenilworth Park (Windsor) —
July 27-August 3.
Niagara Racing Association (Fort
Erie) — August 5-12.
Hamilton — August 14-21.
Windsor Jockey Club (Windsor) —
August 25-Sept. 1.
Montreal Jockey Club (Montreal) —
Sept. 4-11.
Dorval Jockey Club (Montreal) —
September 14-21.
Connaught Park (Ottawa) — Sept.
23-30.
Ontario Jockey Club (Toronto) —
October 2-9.
Kenilworth Park (Windsor) — Oc-
tober 12-19.

TWO-BIT COLLAR FADES
FROM THE UNITED STATES
CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Remember the
good old days when collars of the
best makes retailed at two for a quar-
ter. They were the war and they
crept up until twenty cents was
the price of one. Today this was ad-
vanced to thirty cents and the collar
at that price is just about fifty per
cent poorer in quality than was the
old two-for-a-quarter collar. It is a
flimsy, limp, poorly-made thing, but
you can take it or leave it, and the
clerk blandly informs you that the
next consignment will cost more. At
the same time the laundry trust has
jumped the charge of mangleing the
poor excuse of a collar to six and
eight cents and it is only good for
about three trips at the outside.

Flint soccer enthusiasts are desir-
ous that an International League be
organized.

Few Drops on a Corn or Callus

Instantly stops pain and they
lift right off with fingers.



This tiny bottle holds
the wonder of wonders. It
contains an almost magi-
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It is a compound made
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Apply a few drops of
this freezone upon a ten-
der itching corn or a
hardened callus. Instant-
ly the soreness disap-
pears and shortly you
will find the corn or cal-
lus so shriveled and loose
that you just lift it off
with the fingers. It doesn't
hurt one particle.
You feel no pain or sore-
ness when applying free-
zone or afterwards. It
doesn't even irritate the
skin.

Warns Against Inter-Marriage

President Emeritus of Harvard
Says Americanization is All
Right, But is Well to Recognize
Segregation of Races.

BOSTON, Feb. 18.—Dr. Charles
W. Eliot, president emeritus of Har-
vard, speaking before the Massachu-
setts Schoolmaster's club, created
considerable interest and surprise by
declaring that in any endeavors at
Americanization it would be well to
recognize that each race should keep
its own strength and that inter mar-
riage between races would lead to in-
ferior succeeding generations.

"We see what has happened in Asia
whenever there has been such an
amalgamation. Let us not try to Amer-
icanize in the sense of getting into
a common mass of habits. Let each
race keep its special powers. You
can't make anybody an American by
law. Americanism is a spirit to be
felt and lived—not something to be
wished on a person without his un-
derstanding. This country never was
a melting-pot, and no country ever
could be or ought to want to be."

The substance of Dr. Eliot's re-
marks were that all races, all the
churches and all nationalities should
be allowed to live their own way,
working in harmony to the common
end of happiness and prosperity for
all.

BUY CLOVER SEED EARLY
Prime red clover seed was quoted
at \$35.55 per bushel on the Toledo
market of the 6th instant. Toronto
prices then ranged about \$3.00 per
bushel in advance of Toledo prices.
Clover seed that would grade "prime"
on the Toledo market could be bought
in Toronto at \$38.50 and, because of
exchange conditions, delivered to
United States points at approximat-
ely \$53.00 per bushel, or about \$2.50
less than the Toledo price. The money
situation, short supplies and a livelier
demand in the United States will
explain the heavy exports of clover
seed.

The price of red clover seed has
advanced almost \$14 per bushel on
the Toledo market since May last.
The world supply will not be suffi-
cient to meet normal requirements. In
these circumstances, Canadian farm-
ers who delay the purchase of their
clover seed requirements until seeding
time may be unable to obtain sup-
plies at any price.

The United States has offered to
Rumania an advance of eight hun-
dred thousand pounds sterling in re-
turn for the exploitation of the Rou-
manian oil fields for sixty years.

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for Nerv. and Brain; increases "grey matter";
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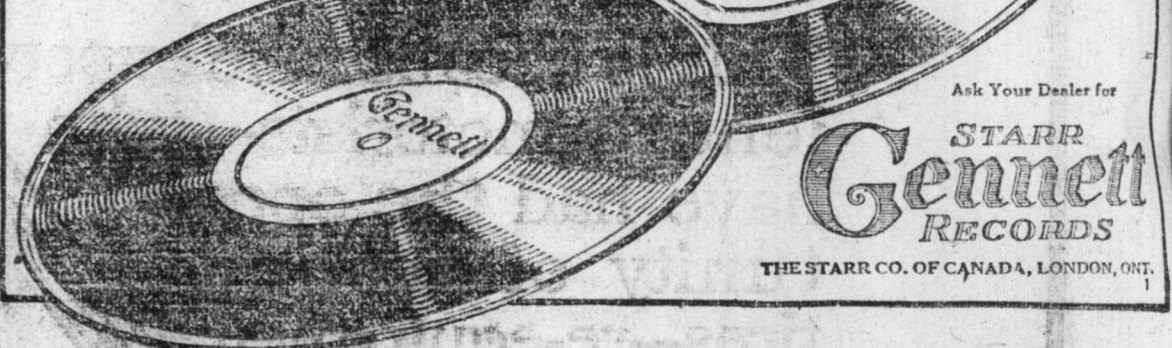


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Sir Robert Falconer, who spoke here recently before the dinner held by the University Alumnae, is quite ill with bronchitis.

Mr. H. A. Harrington, Fuel Administrator for Ontario, announces that the snow blockade at Buffalo has been broken and coal is moving again.

The Ontario Civil Service Association intends to make a determined stand to have a civil service commission appointed.

The flu is sweeping over regions of the north. The well known summer resort of Temagami has fallen in the path of the disease.

The All-Star Hockey team of Niagara Falls will play the Ridley College senior team at Ridley College tomorrow (Friday) evening. Puck faced at 8.30. The all-star line-up will be: McQuade, Climenhage, defence; Campbell, centre; Iynn, left wing; Dickinson, right wing; subs, Welch and Macintosh.

A POSITION WITH A FUTURE
 A Bank requires several young men with a High School or Business College education for positions with excellent opportunities for advancement and financial training. No experience necessary. Give full particulars in first letter. Address Box 15.

On Wednesday, Feb. 11, in the village of Campden, Miss Lena May James and Harry Edgar Reid were quietly united in the bonds of matrimony, only the immediate friends being present. Rev. Wm. Dreier of the Evangelical church officiated. The couple will take up their residence in Hamilton. Their many friends extend best wishes for a long and happily wedded life.

Lee Frankel, chairman of the Toronto branch of the Jewish Relief, states that not one person in distress and needing assistance in the war devastated regions of Europe and Palestine, no matter what creed or race, will be overlooked. "The distribution of food and clothing is absolutely non-sectarian," he said. "And in some districts there are more Gentiles than Jews, while in others the reverse is the case. Just as the appeal throughout Canada is being made regardless of race or religion, and for the sake of humanity, so is the distribution carried out, regardless of all but a keen desire to serve those so greatly in want."

Settlement has been arrived at in the supreme court actions brought by Clara Deminski, Mary Mawrocha, Clara Zimmerman and Sophia Lapas against the Hamilton, Grimsby and Beamsville Railway Company. The actions which were for unstated damages, were the result of an accident which happened a year ago last summer at a street crossing in Beamsville when a motor truck upon which the plaintiffs and a number of other berry-pickers were riding was struck by an H.G. & B. car. Two of the party were killed and seven injured. Actions for damages are pending on behalf of the others who suffered in the accident. Settlement for one hundred dollars each was effected.

THIRTY DEATHS FROM RAZOR
 A physician in Chicago states thirty deaths have resulted from paring corns with a razor. Avoid blood poisoning by applying Putnam's Corn and Wart Extractor. Purely vegetable. Painless and sure. Is Putnam's Extractor, 25c. at all dealers.

Roman Catholics Are Asked to Keep From the Theatres in Lent

In all the Catholic churches a circular has been read by direction of His Grace Archbishop Nill McNeill, setting forth the duties of Catholics during the Lenten season. Special attention is directed against dancing, theatres and moving picture shows. The faithful are urged to attend church, and observe the fasts.

The season opened on Ash Wednesday, when at all the masses ashes were blessed and distributed.

The regulations are:

- All weak days of Lent are fasting days.
- The law of fasting binds those who have completed the twenty-first year of age until the beginning of the sixtieth year.
- Fasting means restriction to one full meal a day, with two refectations as in past years.
- The law of abstinence from meat and from soup made of meat, binds all over seven years of age.
- In Lent the days of abstinence are all Wednesdays and Fridays, the Saturday of the second week, and Holy Saturday till noon. Eggs, milk, cheese, butter and seasonings made of animal fat are allowed on days of

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Annual Meeting of Masonic Temple

The 50th annual meeting of the Masonic Compact of St. Catharines, was held in the Masonic Temple.

The report of the Secretary was received showing the Society to be in good shape financially, with an increase in membership over the preceding year.

The Directors elected for the ensuing year were:

- St. George's Lodge—Geo. Burch, R. Wilson and Geo. E. Burch.
- Temple Lodge—Rev. G. H. Smith, E. C. Nicholson and W. W. Park.
- Maple Leaf Lodge—S. J. Inksater.
- A. M. Stobie, R. G. Varey, F. A. Wilson, J. C. Blain, A. L. Jackson and H. J. Johnston.

Union Lodge, Grimsby—N. J. Teefer, W. F. Randall and Charles Farrell.

Ivy Lodge, Beamsville—H. Sinclair Maenab Lodge, Port Colborne—C. D. Winn.

Moulinet Lodge, Thorold—Dr. Herod, R. A. Gibson and H. L. Savigny. Clifton Lodge, Niagara Falls—F. W. Swannell and J. J. Harriman. Seymour Lodge, Port Dalhousie—J. M. A. Waugh.

At a meeting of the Directors Geo. Burch was elected President, Dr. Herod, Vice President and H. J. Johnston, Sec.-Treas.

The action by Alex. Londry of Meaford to unseat Mayor Gray on technical grounds has been withdrawn.

Smith Falls electric pumping plant is idle for lack of water, and the town is dependent on the old steam pumping plant.

Granites defeated Argonauts in an O.H.A. senior game here last night by 6 to 0.

Campaign Manager Receives Letter

The following letter was received from Guelph Chamber of Commerce by the Campaign Manager, and it has more than usual interest by reason of the fact that it contains a message from their Chamber of Commerce to the local live wire group, J. M. Taylor of the Taylor Forbes Company was Campaign Chairman just one year ago this month, and the spirit of good fellowship generated then, has continued strong ever since.

In addition to their other achievements, the Guelph Chamber has presented to the city a fully equipped playground and has successfully located several industries. They are actively engaged along many lines of social endeavour that are making the city a more habitable and healthful place for all concerned.

The letter is as quoted below: "We had the official opening of the new rink on Saturday last and moving pictures were taken of several of the games. These pictures are to be shown in United States and Canada."

We are now working hard to get some new industries for the city and have just secured a Foundry Co., from Cleveland, Ohio, and expect to shortly get several others. There is also an opportunity of getting a Technical School in the city. We had the Government inspector here a few days ago and are now on the right track.

Tell the people of St. Catharines that a Chamber of Commerce is the very best investment they can put their money into, to enable their city to grow both within and without, and it will bring them together as no other body will. The people of Guelph today are of one accord regarding the Chamber of Commerce and it will enter on its second year on the 28th of the present month, more firmly entrenched in the public opinion as to what is necessary as never before."

Yours truly,
H. WESTOBY,
 Secretary.

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 CHICAGO, Feb. 19.—Charges that George Debrock, forty-five years old, Lansing, Mich., had married his own daughter, sixteen years old, to escape serious charges, led to an investigation by the state authorities here who have written to Holland for a record of Debrock.

Debrock has already been arraigned, but his case was continued till March 15th. The case now involves Mrs. Mary Belle Spencer, public guardian, and former Alderman Guy Madderon, who are said to have sanctioned and assisted in the marriage of Debrock and Nellie Osterhoff.

Investigation shows that the girl is not Debrock's own daughter, but his stepdaughter. Debrock is said to have a wife living in Holland, and effort are being made to get in communication with her.

When the mother of his girl-wife died, he ceased to be the girl's stepfather, according to Mrs. Spencer, the legal guardian, and the marriage is legal. She argues it was necessary in order that a child born to the girl might receive the legal name of the father.

Attaches at the juvenile court are not satisfied with the explanation, and assert the girl is Debrock's own child by a wife whom he deserted in Holland when he came to this country.

Canada's estimated population is now about 8,500,000.

Portuguese is the language of more than 30,000,000 people.

The civilian population of France has decreased 750,000 in four years.

A bridge in Peru, more than 200 feet long is supported by ropes of Cactus fiber.

It is the boast of the dairymen of Holland that in their country there is a cow to every inhabitant.

It is estimated that there are 140,000 Japanese in the United States, the majority of them in California.

EMPLOYMENT SERVICE OF CANADA

The Department of Labour and the Provincial Governments have organized a System of Employment Offices from Coast to Coast for Returned Soldiers and all classes of workers—Men and Women—trained and untrained.

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Welland	15 Division St.	608

Letters to The Editor

Editor Journal—
 Sir,—I noticed on the front page of The St. Catharines yesterday a most misleading and one-sided report of a police court case. The manner in which it was written reflected on the magistrate and led the public to think that he refused the plea of an old and respectable Queen street resident not to be sent to jail. The facts are, Mr. Editor, that the man to whom reference was made is not old, in the first place, and in the second place, a little enquiry will show

that the family have had a lot of trouble as a result of the use by the defendant of liquor. Were it not for this the defendant is a highly respected resident. However, when a man is arrested and brought to jail the magistrate has no power to send him to the hospital, even though that request be made. Edition of newspapers should be well informed to know that the magistrate has no such power, but the article of your contemporary made it appear as though the magistrate were cold-hearted and cruel. This is not and was not the case, as I happen to know. Thanking you,
 Another Old Time.



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NIAGARA DISTRICT UNION
 Representative Meeting
 Question of Taxes
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 Information.

Municipalities belonging to the Niagara District Hydro Radial Union at the Hydro to make a report on the cost etc. of taking over the S and T. R. and making it part of the Hydro Radial System as portion of the line from Toronto to St. Catharines and Niagara Falls and to Erie via Welland and Port Colborne.

At a well attended meeting of the Union at the City Hall here yesterday the following resolution was passed asking the Hydro to investigate and bring in such a report. Municipalities will also be asked to pass the following resolution, which was made out for St. Catharines:

Aliens Leave To Get Beer

CHICAGO, Feb. 20.—Alien residents of Chicago and adjoining cities defy the steel cities and big manufacturing centres, are leaving for Europe at the rate of 800 to 1,000 daily. The majority are going back to the Balkans. They have made lots of money here and the tax collectors impoverished Europe doubtless will welcome them vociferously.

"We must have beer, or we die," is the general complaint. In many cases only the head of a family has been over seas having accumulated enough money in three or four years to live in luxury in Europe the rest of his life, is returning to search for his family in the debris. There is still another reason. Some of the larger concerns are beginning to reduce their forces. There is a feeling that employers can not go forever meeting the demands of labor and a period of retrenchment is set in. The wedding out process in progress and the aliens, who have no us efor this country, except a place in which to make money spent elsewhere, are the first to be laid off. Rather than face a period of idleness, they are applying immediately for passports. They have homes, no ties of any kind here, are anxious to get where they can find plenty of beer and opportunities to spend their American money in their own peculiar pleasures.

ACQUAINTANCE OF RUSKIN TO SPEAK HERE

The Women's Canadian Club has been fortunate enough to secure Miss Ruskina to be its guest on March 4. Mrs. Warren is executing a commission for the Canadian Government war pictures and her work and near have attracted attention. She is personally acquainted with John Ruskin and will give an address here on the famous art critic and political economist.

IRISH MAYOR INSTALLATION TO TAKE PLACE IN LONDON

LONDON, Feb. 19.—A Dublin delegation to the Exchange Telegraph company says that if the Lord Mayor-elect of Dublin, Tom T. Kelly, is able to be present at the ceremony of his installation at Dublin on Monday, it is probable that the corporation officials, headed by the retiring Lord Mayor, will proceed to London and there confer the Mayohip on the former prisoner, who will be under conditional release.

Flint soccer enthusiasts are desirous that an International League be organized.