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MAYOR WILSON'S SALARY BODY ON ROCKS

16 of Sir Adam Beck's Horses Burned To Death

CLAIMS LOSS IN OAKVILLE FIRE HURTS CANADA

Hydro Knight States Animals Lost Most Representative Canadian-Bred Stable.

ARENA CALLED FIRE TRAP

Other Prominent Horsemen Lose Fourteen Hunters in Early Morning Blaze.

Special to London Advertiser.

Oakville, Ont., May 17.—Twenty-eight or thirty show horses and hunters, belonging to H. C. Cox and Sir Adam Beck, were burned to death this morning when the \$25,000 arena, in which Hugh Wilson trains the horses here was burned to the ground.

Several automobiles were also destroyed.

The farm is on the lower middle road, four miles north of Oakville.

Showing evident signs of the loss he had sustained, Sir Adam Beck at noon spoke of the catastrophe not as a loss of money.

"It is a serious loss from the standpoint of Canadian horse interests," Sir Adam said, in admitting that two of the late Lady Beck's horses and two of the property of his daughter.

"For many years at various exhibits," continued Sir Adam, "Mr. Joe Kilgour, H. B. Cox, Geo. Beardmore, and others have demonstrated to the world, not only to Canada and the United States, but to Great Britain, the supremacy of the breed of horses from the province of Ontario."

Altogether 16 horses belonging to Sir Adam were lost. They had been moved from his fire-proof brick stables at London, Ontario, to the wooden stalls at Oakville, to be kept there.

"That is one of the things that being in public life does for a man," Sir Adam said.

The arena stables were made up of costly additions from time to time. They were a fire trap and his horses were inaccessible in the inner stalls.

"I am probably justified in saying," Sir Adam continued, "that the 16 horses I have lost, selected from a great number which Lady Beck and I raised from our own imported sires, some of them Irish, were the most representative stable of purely bred Canadian horses that existed in Canada."

COURT DISMISSES LONGSHOREMEN

Montreal, May 17.—Owing to the city withdrawing its complaint, the charge against the 207 longshoremen who were arrested a fortnight ago in connection with a raid they made on the local port, in which two policemen were severely wounded, was this morning dismissed by Judge Cusson in enquete court. The raid was due to the shipping federation's action in employing non-union labor to unload vessels in port while the longshoremen were on strike over a reduction of wages.

JAMES SOUTER DIES

Hamilton, May 17.—James E. Souter, for many years general manager of the furniture firm of Malcolm & Souter, died last night at his home, 173 East Avenue north. He was a native of Aberdeen, Scotland, where he was born 57 years ago.

The Weather

FORECASTS. Moderate to fresh winds, chiefly easterly; mostly cloudy today and on Thursday, with some showers.

Pressure is highest in the Maritime Provinces, and depressions are situated in the South Atlantic States and in Manitoba.

Showers have occurred in portions of the Western Provinces, also in a few places in Western and Southwestern Ontario, but the weather over the Dominion on whole has been fair.

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

High. Low. Victoria 70 42. Calgary 62 44. Winnipeg 62 42. Pt. Arthur 64 42. St. John's 56 44. Toronto 58 44. Kingston 58 44. Ottawa 58 44. Montreal 58 44. St. Louis 58 44. St. John 58 44. St. John 58 44. St. John 58 44.

LOCAL TEMPERATURES. The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 62; lowest, 42.

The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 62; lowest, 42.

Barometric Readings. Tuesday—8 p.m., 29.14. Today—8 a.m., 29.09.

Auxiliary Schooner On Oregon Rocks Sends Out S. O. S. Calls

SAN FRANCISCO, May 17.—Wireless calls for help were sent early today by the auxiliary power schooner Ozmo, which was reported taking water rapidly after hitting the rocks at Cape Blanco, on the southwestern coast of Oregon.

A crew of approximately 25 was believed in grave danger. The Ozmo struck in a heavy fog, said the radio advices.

The schooner left San Francisco Saturday for Seattle. She is owned by the Northern Commercial Company and has a tonnage of 765.

A LITTLE TALK ON TWO SHIPS

WE humans of 1922 are pretty cocky. We have built a ship 355 feet long. It is called the Majestic and it has completed its maiden voyage across the Atlantic at a speed of 25 knots an hour.

Truly, the building of the Majestic is a great achievement for Great Britain. But before exhausting our superlatives in self-praise, let's look back a little. There once was a shipbuilder named Noah.

Noah's record, as narrated in the Old Testament, will never be bettered. Here's what he did, as told in Genesis:

"And God said unto Noah, make thee an ark. The length of the ark shall be three hundred cubits, the breadth of it thirty cubits."

According to the Encyclopedia, the ark was 325 feet long, 87½ feet wide, and 52½ feet deep. Not so big as the Majestic, which is 355 long, 100 feet wide, and 102 feet deep—but a whale of a boat when one considers Noah's facilities.

Noah had few tools. His materials were gopher wood and pitch. Probably nobody helped him but his sons Shem, Ham and Japheth and their wives. Yet they built a ship big enough to house and supply every sort of fowl after their kind, and of every creeping thing of the earth after his kind."

It is well to reflect, in admiring the feat of the Majestic builders, that Noah's record still stands.

THE ARK.

TORIES AIM TO BE SCHOOL OF POLITICAL EDUCATION

Party in Quebec Hears of Early Attack On Taschereau Forces.

Montreal, May 17.—A renascence of the Conservative party in the Province of Quebec was the description of the Conservative convention, which closed here last night, by speakers at the banquet given in honor of the leader, Arthur Sauve.

Hon. F. L. Patenaude said that the Liberal party, celebrating its 25th anniversary, gave proof of old age, which promised no new adherents. He promised an early attack on the Taschereau legions by the "blue devils."

Arthur Sauve, in his speech, reiterated that part of his program which stated that the Conservative party was to be a school of political education. "You have pledged yourselves," he said to the convention members, "and now to work."

Arthur Penny, editor of the Quebec Chronicle, who, with Hon. E. L. Patenaude, proposed the toast to Leader Sauve, diagnosing the trials and vicissitudes of the provincial Conservative party, attributed them to the number of people who had adopted an attitude of benevolent neutrality toward the Taschereau government on the ground that it was a business government.

UTAH FEELS QUAKE. Salt Lake City, Utah, May 17.—An earthquake was felt at Richfield, 200 miles south of here early yesterday. No damage was reported.

FINDS CANADA IS HOSTILE TO SPIRITUALISM

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle Feels Antagonistic Atmosphere of Toronto.

SCORES WITH LETTER

Queen City Medium Produces Missive From Son and Stead.

Special to London Advertiser.

Toronto, May 17.—The most antagonistic atmosphere towards spiritualism of any city he has yet visited on this continent, was felt by Sir Arthur Conan Doyle in Toronto.

After a seance with Louis Benjamin, the outstanding Toronto medium, late last night, just before his departure for Detroit, the famous English author and spiritualist said that he could sense this feeling during the first half hour of his lecture here.

"It was a critical situation," he said, "but I think I came through all right."

The seance with Benjamin was the only one that Sir Arthur held during his day and a half sojourn here. Medium and investigator met for the first time following the lecture for two or three minutes, when Sir Arthur expressed the wish that Benjamin would visit him at his room in the King Edward Hotel the next day.

Letter From Son. Benjamin handed Sir Arthur a letter that he had received from his son and his old friend, Stead.

"Benjamin, you are a blind," said the letter, "and I am a blind."

"There were things in it," said Sir Arthur, "which were very interesting to me."

Expecting to meet the impersonation of Sherlock Holmes himself, Benjamin was surprised with the genial manner of the big Englishman. Although his resemblance to man, he was distinctly different.

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Pulled Down. Sir Arthur pulled down the blinds of his room and moved his chair close to Benjamin and sat facing him. He had a red note book of large pocket size in his hands, and took notes.

According to Sir Arthur, his son and Wm. T. Stead both "came through" and gave him messages of a spiritual character. Finally there was a blessing from a very high spirit.

"While I got nothing of an evidential value," he said, "it was of very high quality, for we don't encourage personal messages. It was a message that one feels all the better for having received."

As for the automatic letter, Sir Arthur would not explain what he meant by the references which he said Benjamin could not have known.

Talking afterwards, Sir Arthur said that he found American cities much more tolerant towards spiritualism than those in Canada.

WANTS OLD TIME BACK. Prince Rupert, B. C., May 17.—After two weeks of daylight-saving time, the Prince Rupert city council has been presented with a strong petition demanding its abandonment.

The petitioners, chiefly women, say it is bad for the children and necessitates also a great deal of extra work in the household.

BY RUSSELL F. BOYD. PASSING A April showers and rejuvenates the golf fan. Income taxes and other routine matters of modern times all vanish from his mind, for each new morning sun means an afternoon on the cool links.

He lives from game to game during the summer, and from season to season throughout his allotted span.

Some have been bitten so hard by the "golf bug" that winter to them only means rounds of pleasure on the courses of Maryland or the Carolinas.

Many of the most enthusiastic fans are already out on the green, while others are closely inspecting brasses, mashes and drivers, preparatory to plunging into the swim.

No doubt if the mistress of the home investigated that semi-weekly "detained at the office" story they would find a clue to real facts far beyond the hum of the city.

Golf and baseball are two of London's annual infections. Once a victim has been claimed, he is beyond recall. The baseball fan is wont to shout "atta boy" in his sleep, while the golf devotee often screams "fore" instead of tooting his horn when a pedestrian is about to cross the road in front of his auto. There's something about the game

Prevent Summer Sickness Rather Than Cure It

Your Baby in Hot Weather.



A BABY'S GREATEST BLESSING IS A WISE MOTHER.

AS summer comes, conscientious edge of how to keep it clean and mothers all over Canada begin to think with dread of the dangers to which their babies will be exposed in the long hot days of July and August.

They are acquainted with the alarming "summer peak" of infant death, put out by health departments every summer, which shows a very critical season this is for not more so, is the fact that it is babies, especially for those who are already somewhat under par.

It is true that hot weather is hard on a baby, especially if the heat is protracted, but it is also true that with good care a baby may be safely brought through the hottest weather, in the great majority of cases.

Year by year, that dreadful "summer peak," with its mounting curve, ever rising through the six hottest weeks, is being cut down. It is nothing like as high now as it was ten years ago, and each year it is getting lower.

Two things are mainly responsible for this steady reduction in the number of babies who give up their little lives every summer. These are the better knowledge of the dangers of impure milk, with increased knowl-

edge of the dangers of summer colds, and the use of the "summer peak" vaccine.

The mother should realize that the time to fortify herself with such advice and instruction is now, before the heat and the possible emergency are upon her.

To prevent summer diarrhoea is a far better thing even than to bring the baby safely through it, for it takes a good while to restore a child to perfect health even after a mild case, while it may take months, if the illness has been severe and prolonged.

(Tomorrow—The Value of Nursing.)

PREDICTS COUNCIL FACES WATERLOO

Trustee Smith Against Taking School Issue to People Until Civic Elections.

School Trustee Edwin Smith, chairman of the board of education, declared Wednesday that while it was not the present intention of the trustees to force the school issue upon the people at a special plebiscite, the next civic election could be counted upon as a probable day of reckoning for those who are now opposing the requested debtless issue for this purpose.

"That's what the outcome will, no doubt," commented the chairman, "when the next election rolls around the ratepayers will supply elect their representatives who will guard their interests."

"In the meanwhile should the council finally decide to reject our request for the \$22,000, we shall have to accept their decision. I personally am not in a position to accept their decision."

Inspector of Detectives Thomas Nickle thought that Christmas came twice a year when he opened his front door Wednesday morning and found that some kind individual, who without a tinge of conscience, had left a nice tray on the step, with various pieces of decorative china on it.

A nice stein, and a small, woven-grass box containing cigarettes, were among the articles on the tray, which is black with silver markings.

Detective Nickle believes that his "presents" were presented to friends by the young Londoner who left the city in a hurry a week ago Saturday, when he came to the conclusion that he was suspected in connection with wholesale robberies of summer cottages.

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DOUBT BRITISH CABINET WILL RESIGN OFFICE

Coalition Ministers Meet To Consider Result of Government Defeat.

WILL APPOINT COMMITTEE

Decide To Defer To Vote of Commons and Sift School Program.

London, May 17.—The British cabinet has decided to defer to the wishes of the House of Commons, and appoint a committee to inquire into the educational program on which the government was defeated by a narrow majority last night.

Austen Chamberlain, the government leader, announced in the house this afternoon.

The cabinet met this morning to consider the position created by the government's defeat in the House of Commons last night. There was a full attendance of the ministers, including Winston Spencer Churchill, secretary for the colonies, who has virtually recovered from the injuries he recently received while playing polo.

Defeat of the government in the House of Commons yesterday, while regarded as serious, is not expected by the morning newspapers to result in the resignation of the cabinet and an appeal to the country.

Those papers, however, which are consistently against Mr. Lloyd George, point out that the "prime minister is now bound to see" the writing on the wall, and declare that the elections, which had seemed remote, are now brought nearer.

On the other hand, the government can, if it chooses, find sufficient excuse for resignation or dissolution. "So small a flame has before now kindled so large a fire," says the newspaper.

"But one thing is certain: The end, if still deferred, is no longer remote."

The Westminster Gazette says: "Mr. Chamberlain (the government leader in the House of Commons), acted like a very weary minister playing for a fall."

"We need not say that we welcome the result of last night's division although the government may not be willing to do so, and last of all, it gives another shake to the tottering government."

The Daily News says: "The government will probably pook-pook the political importance of their defeat, but its significance will certainly not be lost on the electorate."

Says the Daily Express: "It would be idle to deny that this is a significant and even important defeat, but it is not a vital one. Clearly, on such a comparatively minor issue, the government need not go to the country."

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'TIS THE SEASON LONDONERS CRY 'FORE' IN THEIR DREAMS

BY RUSSELL F. BOYD. A place where the little "golf germ" takes a heavy toll. This little creature has even

worked its way into civil affairs, and to such an extent has it consolidated its grounds that plans are now underway for a civic golf course, where all the ratepayers may forget that the city assessment department chases them for income tax while they are yet convalescing from the federal officers' attack.

There's no denying the fact that a day on the green is a "cure-all" after the daily grind at the office.

One feature of the game is that the entire family may participate, for the fair devotee can become just as

proficient as men in driving or putting; in fact, there are few men who can compete with Miss Cecil Leitch, Dominion and British champion, or her sister, Miss Edith Leitch.

Golf tends to improve one's disposition, for it takes a lot of patience to overcome all the obstacles the game of golf presents. Golf does not merely entail driving a ball around a field and following. Even a good amateur golf player is an artist.

You, who have never tasted the joys of an afternoon on the links, will find that life holds much more for you by getting out under the warm spring sun with a golf club.

May Be Prosecuted



RUUDOLF VALENTINO.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., May 17.—Jean Acker, film actress from whom Rudolf Valentino, film actor, obtained an interlocutory decree of divorce, Jan. 10, 1922, said today she "would like to do something" because of his marriage at Mexicali to Winifred Hudnut.

"I shall take the matter up with my attorney," said Miss Acker, who judges of the superior court say still is Mrs. Valentino, and will be until the interlocutory decree is made final, Jan. 10, 1923.

Judge W. C. Summerfield declares such a marriage as that contracted by Valentino and Miss Hudnut is bigamous.

FOUND IN STORE WITH FULL KIT

Harry Darwin, 17, of Boise, Idaho, Remanded Week.

Had Two Hack-Saws Wrapped Tightly To Body.

Harry Darwin, a youth of 17, who claims Boise, Idaho, as the old home town, pleaded guilty to breaking and entering the premises of Harry Ranahan, grocer, at 515 Richmond street, at an early hour on Wednesday. He was remanded to jail until May 23, in order that the police may look up his record.

The young man's fingerprints were taken by Detective Harry Dunn early Wednesday afternoon, and copies will be sent to the larger cities of Canada and the United States.

Darwin was discovered in the cellar of the Ranahan store by Constable Chamberlain, who was called in by the grocer, and asked to investigate, after Mr. Ranahan had heard noises in the cellar shortly after midnight.

Darwin made no attempt to resist. Turn to Page 2, Column 2.

Lady Nancy Astor and Husband Play Part In Many Functions in Toronto

Special to London Advertiser. Toronto, May 17.—Lady Nancy Astor, and incidentally, Lord Astor, are here. They reached Toronto early this morning, traveling from Chicago with unaccustomed pomp in a very private car. It is the first private car used on their trip, and it happens to be borrowed.

Shortly after 11:30 the Astors were met by the government house officials, having "stepped" during the morning, and the party drove to the Christie Street Hospital for a fifteen-minute visit with the troops.

It was a fitting introduction to Toronto, for the host and hostess of Wimbledon were days.

Luncheon at Government House followed. This afternoon at 3 o'clock Lady Astor spoke in Convocation Hall to Toronto women, and will spend the remainder of the afternoon in the parliament buildings, first visiting the legislative committee, and then occupying the role of honoree and raison d'être at tea and reception from 4 to 6.

Dinner at Government House follows at 8 o'clock, and before midnight the party will be en route for Ottawa.

There was quite a number of clashes between Mayor Wilson and Ald. Douglass and Ald. Childs, the chairman, and Ald. Judd.

These clashes were rather sharp at times, though not of the stormy variety.

Between Ald. Judd and Ald. Childs the bone of contention was that though the chairman stated that he did not intend to stir anything over the council in his resolution, Ald. Judd reiterated time and again that

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MEETING ENDS IN FIGHT OVER CUTS, BONUSES

Committee Split Believed To Herald Bitter Conflict At Council Session.

STATUS TO BE AT STAKE

Childs, Hurt, Vows He Will Never Serve On Another Special Body.

A meeting of Mayor Cameron Wilson's special salary committee broke up in a row when the members met Wednesday morning to prepare a final report on its activities to be presented to a special meeting of the council Friday night.

The rock on which the committee split was the bonus question and the cutting of the wages of garbage men and outside workers of the engineer's department.

The split presages a warm, if not bitter, council meeting.

At stake will be the status of the present administration. Mayor Wilson practically declared this when, in answering Ald. Douglass' contention that he would introduce his proposals to the meeting, he said that it could only be brought up on a two-third vote.

Ald. Douglass said he would get the two-third vote to do so.

Mayor Wilson declared he would not. He was sure that the majority of the council would stand with the administration.

Slip Something Over. A charge made by Ald. Douglass and Judd, and stressed by the latter, that the original salary resolution was so worded to "slip something over" on the council, was the main cause of the disagreement between the members of the committee.

The discussion was warm, almost acrimonious, and finally wound up with the declaration that the committee could not get anywhere.

Mayor Wilson left the meeting, after making some strong remarks. Ald. Childs declared he was deeply hurt, and vowed he would never serve on another special committee as long as he sat on the council.

There was no motion to adjourn, the meeting sawing off because of a realization that no progress could be made. The committee was too sharply divided.

On the proposal to make staff reductions and adjustments to bring about the reduction of a total of \$4,000 in all city departments, the committee approved of the actions of the department heads.

This means that the six firemen, dismissed by the chief, replaced on Monday night by the council, will be again dismissed if the report is adopted.

Mayor Wilson said that this was all the meeting was called for and that it would be to receive this report that the council would be convened in special session.

Made Permanent Increase. Then Ald. Douglass brought up his proposal in regard to bonuses. He declared that when the Childs motion, that all bonuses be discontinued, was passed, he made it made in all departments, was introduced, the new members of the council were not aware that the bonuses paid in 1921 had been made a permanent increase in salary.

He then presented a motion, that the bonuses of 1921, made a part of the 1922 salary, be cut off all salaries, with the exception that no salary be reduced below \$2,500.

Ald. Judd said that his understanding was the same as that of Ald. Douglass, that all bonuses were to be stopped. He was not aware of the fact that the bonuses had been made a part of the salary.

"I know," said Ald. Judd, "that the members of the council feel that something was slipped over them. They had no knowledge of what had gone before."

Ald. Childs said that the interpretation would hinge on the word "discontinued" in the resolution. His intention was that there should be no bonuses this year.

Ald. Ashton, in the meantime, was inserting at every opportunity his demand that the wages of the garbage men and outside help of the engineer be placed back where they were. He charged that the engineer was not given authority to make such a cut.

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RESTRICT CITY
BUSINESS AREA

Town Planning Commission Approves of Bylaw Confining Structure to Present Limits.

Discusses Regulations Covering Location of Gasoline Tanks.

Following up the recommendations made by Thomas Adams, town planning expert, the town planning commission, Tuesday afternoon, approved of a bylaw which will restrict future business structures to their present limits.

To the majority the measure will seem rather drastic, but it should be explained that the present measure is a tentative proposal, a start, and will be amended and changed from time to time. A year hence, a definite policy may be laid down.

This problem and a discussion on gasoline tank regulations took up the whole of the meeting.

Discuss Gasoline Tanks.
A special meeting will be called towards the end of the month to prepare proposals in regard to gasoline tanks.

The zoning bylaw as it will be sent on to No. 2 committee for recommendation to the council places a ban on liveries, laundries, butcher shops, stores, blacksmiths, dog kennels, plumbing shops, machine and tinmith shops, building storages, movies, undertakers, gasoline stations and hospitals, stores and butcher shops, from all parts of the city, with the exception of a few small areas adjacent to the main business section. The same ban applies to the downtown area except that stores and butcher shops are permitted.

This latter area included York to Dufferin, the river east to Rectory, and then Dundas east to Ashland. In sections where there are now large groups of stores, exception is made, as in the case of Hamilton road east, Wilmot road south and north, Richmond street north.

Of course, the bylaw cannot interfere with structures already erected.

Was Issuing Permits.
Col. Leonard, calling attention to the fact that No. 2 committee was issuing permits, wondered if there was much use in doing so unless the commission had power to deal with the matters first.

T. J. Murphy said that the work could only be a success through cooperation of the commission, the council and building inspector.

City Clerk Baker explained that the council on recommendation of No. 2 committee passed some permits on Monday night, partly because there were no regulations and partly because they lacked sympathy with the movement. He said that an applicant was always able to get an alderman who was sympathetic with his case.

Mr. Murphy said the aldermen were susceptible to playing politics, municipal politics.

There was considerable discussion on gasoline stations. Mr. Murphy did not favor the tanks at all, but contended that if they existed the city should get a revenue from them.

Dr. Holmes, who was elected permanent chairman of the commission, declared there should not be a tank erected on a street where there were street cars.

Similar To Toronto.
On being informed by City Clerk Baker that the proposed regulations for the city were similar to those of Toronto, and also that he had on hand the various regulations from other centers, Ald. Childs suggested delay until these could be studied.

Mr. Murphy agreed with this. He said the commission had been going blind.

A special meeting will be called in a couple of weeks.

BRITISH MAILS

The next mail for Great Britain and Europe will close at the local postoffice on Thursday, May 18, 1922, to be forwarded via S.S. Montrose, sailing from Montreal on May 19, 1922.

This mail will consist of all classes. Letters and registered matter at 10 a.m., parcel post and newspapers at 2 p.m.

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West Falls To Appeal To
Local Tillers of Soil

ONLY three farm hands of Middlesex responded to the call of western farmers offering \$45 a month and board, according to J. C. Spencer of the Ontario Government Employment Bureau.

"The farm hands are not particularly interested in the west this year," stated Mr. Spencer. "The wages in Ontario compare favorably with those paid out west. There doesn't seem to be any big rush to Saskatchewan and Alberta. The men have to pay their own way out, which helps to cut down what little extra they would make."

PAYS TRIBUTE TO
MRS. H. A. BOOMER

Perpetuating the memory of Mrs. Harriet A. Boomer, the I. O. O. E. Chapter bearing her name was reorganized at the meeting held at the home of the regent, Mrs. W. H. Line, Dufferin avenue, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. McDonald, organizing secretary, and Mrs. A. E. Miller and Mrs. McKillop assisted in the reorganizing. The following executive was elected: Regent, Mrs. W. H. Line; first vice, Mrs. Lloyd Chapman; second vice, Miss Mary Fotheringham; secretary, Miss Ella McKay; treasurer, Miss Mabel Broughton, and standing committee, Mrs. Gordon Thompson.

Following the business part of the meeting tea was served by the hostesses.

Town Topics.

A THOUGHT
FOR TODAY

Him that cometh unto Me I will in no wise cast out.—John vi, 36.

If the question were raised, Is man made for toil or for rest? the answer would be a mixed and qualified one. It is appointed to toil, he is destined to rest; one is his condition; the other is his end. If man is made in God's image, he is made to share God's condition.—T. T. Munger.

TOMORROW'S DOINGS.

THURSDAY—County court opens session at court house, 10 a.m.

JUDGE TALBOT MACBETH will preside at a special session of the Middlesex county court, Thursday at 10 a.m. One civil action only has been entered for this sitting.

THERE WILL BE no regular meeting of the public utilities commission Thursday, as Commissioners Philip Pocock, Jared Vining and T. W. McFarland will be out of the city.

MEMBERS OF NO. 2 committee of the board of education will conduct a special inspection of the old Victoria school this week with a view toward determining its capability as a branch high school.

BOTH W. A. TANNER, secretary of the board of education, and L. E. Carrothers, school architect, report to the board on the Kingston Construction Company concerning the completion of certain work at the new collegiate institute.

ENTRIES FOR the home garden contest are pouring in to the local branch of the Ontario Department of Agriculture. This will insure a large number of vegetable exhibits at the fall fairs, R. A. Finn intimated on Wednesday.

J. F. THOMPSON local secretary of the Independent Labor Party reports that he has heard nothing further relative to the proposed referendum of the members throughout the county to determine their opinion as to the proposed amalgamation with the Canadian Labor Party.

HUGH J. MACDONALD has entered suit in county court against John Albert Anderson and Charles Victor Anderson, who conduct business under the name of Anderson Brothers, claiming the sum of \$50 as balance on an account for the purchase of cattle.

THE MIDDLESEX Beekeepers' Association will meet at the apary of John Telford, Southwood Station, on Friday afternoon, at 1:30 o'clock. C. W. Buchanan, of Dutton, and Professor Eric Milne, of the O. A. C., will address the beekeepers, as well as R. A. Finn of the local branch of the department of agriculture.

AT THE CLOSE of the meeting of the London presbytery, Rev. William M. Martin, who for 10 years was secretary of the presbytery, and who is shortly leaving the city, was presented with a club bag on behalf of the members of the presbytery. The presentation was made by Rev. James MacKay of New St. James' Church.

THE U. F. O. and U. F. W. O. of East Middlesex met at Lambeth Monday night, over 70 being present to hear an address by R. A. Finn, B. S. A., of the local branch of the department of agriculture, who spoke on "Co-operative Marketing."

Rev. Mr. Headley, of the Byron Methodist Church, showed some lantern slides, and took his hearers on a trip from coast to coast.

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When London's Loyal Moose Unite in Spirit of Harmony for Common Cause



OFFICERS AND MEMBERS OF LONDON LODGE, NO. 1205.

NORMAN G. HEYD of Toronto, general supervisor of the Loyal Order of Moose in Canada, was the principal speaker at the formal opening of the new clubhouse in the Grand Opera House Monday night. Among other members in the accompanying illustration are: Norman G. Heyd, general supervisor; Harry Kiley, dictator; R. Darragh, vice-dictator; C. Bradshaw, prelate; D. D. Crawford, treasurer; Dr. A. W. Macfie, trustee; John McGowan, trustee; E. C. Cook, ex-secretary; John Struad, secretary-steward; Hubert Hamilton, orator; J. W. Steele, sergeant-at-arms; W. H. Johnston, inner guard; William Sharrman, correspondent; Jacob Fox, Gordon Lamb, James Middleton, A. McDougall, W. G. Nuttycombe, Chas. M. Allen, "Doc" Owen, Herbert T. Jeffries, Robt. G. Wilson, A. W. McKim, Arthur Greenwood, William Mason and Jack Ward.

URGES ACTION IN
CARMEN'S DISPUTE

Conciliation Board Makes Suggestion Favorable to Both Parties.

In a final effort to settle the wage dispute between the London Street Railway and the motormen and conductors employed by that corporation, the federal board of conciliation ordered by the minister of labor held its initial meeting Tuesday.

John M. McEvoy, K.C., presided, with the company represented by F. P. McGuigan of Toronto, and the union by Frank McKay, prominent labor man of London.

The conciliators took the oaths of office and organized. The parties agreed that no reports of the proceedings would be given out for publication except at the close of each sitting, when a statement of the progress made would be submitted.

The parties agreed that each would present his case by officers of the Street Railway Union on the one side, and the officers of the Street Railway on the other side, without the intervention of legal counsel.

The complaint of the street railway employees as submitted to the department of labor was considered, and the claim of the employees, in a general way, was presented to the board by Mr. Sinclair and John Colbert for the street railway men.

The position of the Street Railway Company as to the facts alleged by the employees were presented by R. G. Ivey, C. B. King and Mr. Tait.

There was practically no difference between the company and the men as to the facts relating to what actually happened in the matter of the complaint of the men. Both sides were reasonable and conciliatory, and at the conclusion of the presentation of the claims of the men with the evidence the board unanimously urged upon both parties to try and get together and compose their difficulties without further delay.

This suggestion was favorably received by the parties to the arbitration.

The next sitting will be held after the return of F. P. McGuigan from other business in a few days. The exact time not being fixed on account of the uncertainty as to when he might finish the other matters he is engaged in.

At the trial Cyr testified in his own defence. He denied that he had ever owned a revolver, and denied responsibility for the killing of either Withers or Mrs. Solave.

Cyr was on his way to give himself up to the authorities when arrested.

PURPOSE REORGANIZATION
OF MUSICAL ART CHOIR

Music Lovers Hold Meeting To Effect Reconstruction of City Vocal Institution.

A meeting of music-lovers was held in the Institute of Musical Art on Monday evening for the purpose of reorganizing the Musical Art Society for the coming year. The Rev. G. Quintin Warner occupying the chair.

A constitution, bylaws, rules of membership, drawn up by a special committee, and largely patterned on that of the Mendelssohn Choir, were unanimously adopted, and the following officers and executive committee elected:

President—Lieut.-Col. E. G. Shannon. Vice-President—H. B. Hunter. Secretary—E. B. Cottle. Treasurer—H. Froeggett. Executive Committee—E. L. Brown, T. H. Yull, Edwin Smith, George F. Copeland, Heber W. Gibson, Rev. G. Quintin Warner and Joseph Ryan.

Sub-committees on membership, social matters and music are to be appointed at once in order that preliminary work may be commenced without delay.

The newly-organized choir will consist of 100 voices, who have successfully passed the specially-prepared voice test carried out by the conductor, thus assuring a chorus of the highest possible quality.

Under the leadership of A. D. Jordan, together with a strong staff of officers and committees, and a large membership, the future of the choir is assured, and it will undoubtedly be a musical organization of which London should be proud.

URGE PASTOR TO
REMAIN FOR YEAR

Hamilton, May 17.—The official board of First Methodist Church last night invited Rev. Dr. Hughson to remain for another year, and will engage an assistant pastor. It is one of the five largest Methodist churches in Canada, and has a membership of nearly 1,500. It raised \$20,000 for all purposes last year, \$8,000 of which was for missions.

Horticulturists Set Aside May 21
Lilac Sunday in Canada and U. S.

Lilac Sunday will be May 21, on which date these blooms will be at their best, horticulturists say. In a communication received by J. Herbert Bowman, 487 Dundas street, John Dunbar, assistant superintendent of parks, Rochester, N.Y., states "Lilac Sunday will be held May 21. We judge that at that time they will be at their best. Quite a number will be in bloom the latter part of next week, and, of course, the week following there will be a great number in fine condition."

17-YEAR-OLD MEETS
END UNFLINCHINGLY

George Cyr, Slayer of Two in Muskoka, Hanged.

Bracebridge, May 17.—George Cyr, aged 17 years, was hanged here this morning for the murder of Mrs. Lena Solave and George Withers at Chaffey, Muskoka, Dec. 23, 1921. Cyr, who had appeared indifferent throughout the death watch, walked, unaided, to the scaffold, and met death calmly.

After a jury had been sworn in and examined the body it was interred in the jail yard. This morning's hanging was going on. Withers died in the jail.

George Cyr was convicted of the murder of George Withers in the township of Chaffey, nine miles from Huntsville, Ont., on Dec. 13 last, and was sentenced by Justice Middleton at Bracebridge on Feb. 15 to be hanged on May 17. He was also charged with killing Mrs. Lena Solave and shooting her husband, Andrew Solave, with intent to kill. The double murder took place in the Solave home, Cyr shooting at Solave, and then at Withers, and finally at Mrs. Solave.

Solave and Withers ran from the house while the shooting was going on. Withers died in a hayloft on the Solave property.

At the trial Cyr testified in his own defence. He denied that he had ever owned a revolver, and denied responsibility for the killing of either Withers or Mrs. Solave.

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General Manager Buchanan points out that even should the well fail to yield the quantity anticipated the city is not protected by contract that no payment is necessary until water is actually located.

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WILL START ON
SCHOOL CENSUS

Meeting Tuesday afternoon in special session, the public school principals and Senior School Inspector V. K. Greer completed final arrangements for the census of all London's children, as authorized by the board.

The city was divided into subdivisions, as for election purposes, and each principal placed in charge of a district. The latter will use his own method of obtaining the required data.

Work will commence next Monday and the school authorities expect to have the census completed and ready Saturday night.

MEDICOS TO MEET
IN LONDON, MAY 23

Western Ontario Academy of Medicine will meet Tuesday, May 23, in the Medical School Auditorium at 2:30 p.m. sharp. Two addresses will be given at this general meeting, after which a skin clinic will be held.

Dr. W. C. Bowers, Bellevue Hospital, New York, will speak on "Otitis Media from the standpoint of the general practitioner," and Dr. G. Gordon Campbell of McGill University will deliver an address on "Common Diseases of the Skin." This last lecture will be accompanied with lantern demonstration.

CLAIM MAN TOOK
NEIGHBOR'S WIFE

Squire Chittick will cause to be issued a warrant for the arrest of a certain Middlesex resident who is alleged to have left for parts unknown with the wife of a neighbor. All the principals in the affair are said to be well-known throughout the county. The provincial officers will be equipped directly with the necessary papers for the apprehension of the missing pair.

CITY WELLS BEING
SUNK RAPIDLY

Diggers Made 15 Feet Last Week Through Difficult Soil.

Employees of the Ohio Well Digging Company, of Massillon, Ohio, engaged in sinking a new well in the southeastern section of the city, report continued progress.

Although the task presents certain difficulties from time to time as are usually experienced in undertakings of a similar nature, the drillers report that last week alone a distance of 15 feet was actually reached. In view of the nature of the soil encountered this is considered really satisfactory progress.

A total depth of 90 feet is anticipated, and the experts estimated that once their equipment was installed a period of perhaps 60 days would elapse before the completion of their work. It is just possible that longer will be required, while there is equal possibility that success will be noted before the date set.

In any event, the drillers and the public utilities commissioners still maintain an optimistic attitude with respect to the progress made, and are still confident that a 1,000,000-gallon-a-day supply of good pure water will be obtained.

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The whole of the college will be closed, it is expected, by May 26, some time having to be allowed for dealing with special cases of students in their papers by the examiners.

It is hoped that on Thursday of next week, during convocation, the major portion of the results will be announced, so that most of the students will know the results of their trials before leaving London on vacation.

Wednesday afternoon a meeting to arrange the final details of convocation will be held in the public library at 5 o'clock. Arrangements for the annual athletic meet for the secondary schools of Western Ontario, which are under the direction of Western University have been completed.

The meet is to be held next Saturday, instead of May 24 as before. The meet will be held in Queen's Park.

IMPOSES FINE FOR PICKING
UP COAL FROM RAILWAY

Louisa Chantler and Louisa Gale Pay \$2 for Trespassing on G. T. R. Property.

Louisa Chantler and Louisa Gale pleaded guilty of trespassing on G. T. R. property and were fined \$2 and costs by Magistrate Graydon on Wednesday.

"We went there to pick up a little coal," volunteered Mrs. Gale.

"They were crawling round there by the race track where trains are shunting all the time," stated Special Officer Hughes of the G. T. R. "It is very dangerous."

"Are you George Chantler's wife?" inquired the court.

"Yes," replied Mrs. Chantler, showing a wide expanse of teeth.

"You don't need to steal coal," commented the magistrate.

"We just went there with a little pail. We didn't get any coal," said Mrs. Chantler.

"Some people think it is no offence to steal from a railway. It is just as much an offence as stealing from your neighbors," declared Mr. Graydon.

"I have received a communication from the attorney-general's department requesting me to deal severely with people trespassing on the railways. You better make up your mind to stop this. I am imposing a small fine of \$2 and costs, and if you do it again the penalty will be more severe."

Mrs. Chantler and Mrs. Gale appeal to reporters to have their names kept out of the paper.

"They should publish them in big letters to teach you a lesson," commented the court with a smile.

Police Find Baby Buggy
And Use It In Their
Nursery

FATHERLY sergeants of the London police department do not mind having lost children turned over to their tender care these days, because they are prepared to take care of them two at a time.

Over a week ago a constable was seen to come ambling down Carling street propelling a baby buggy. It was a real old-fashioned affair and built for twins and then some. The owner of the buggy phoned the police stating that he would call for it at its earliest convenience.

The police while waiting for the owner to show up have put every lost youngster in the buggy.

LIONS MOTOR TO
HAMILTON RALLY

Ten members of the local Lions Club motored to Hamilton Wednesday morning for the District Council Convention of the Lions Club in Western Ontario. The convention is being held in the Royal Connaught Hotel.

In the morning the district inspectors and the various committees met, after which the reception of delegates and registration took place. The delegates and their lady friends had luncheon together in the hotel dining-room before the convention officially opened at 1:30 p.m.

A ladies' theatre party and a drive throughout the city were the features of the afternoon. After dinner at 6:30, the Hamilton Lions will stage a concert and this will mark the close of the convention.

The London delegates will return to the city on Thursday morning.

TWO CONVERTERS TO BE PUT
IN AT HORTON ST. STATION

Public Utilities Anticipate Increased Demand From L. and P. S. R.

Two rotary converters just purchased by the public utilities commission are now in transit from Chippawa, General Manager Buchanan announced Wednesday.

Quite recently Chief Operator Dawson inspected the equipment and witnessed careful tests of the same. He declared them to be highly satisfactory and their purchase followed as authorized two weeks ago.

Although the commission was told that the new machines would be probably \$23,500, Mr. Buchanan explains that after further consultation with the owners, it was found possible to reduce this sum to approximately \$20,500.

The converters upon their arrival will be installed at the Horton street power station, and will be utilized to handle the increased demand for current anticipated this summer on the London and Port Stanley Railway.

The local authorities view the purchase with every satisfaction, and point out a direct saving of several thousand dollars by taking these machines, which have been in use for a couple of years only, and are considered nearly as good as new.

BYLAW BANS CUSTOMERS
FROM HANDLING MEATS

London Board of Health Frames Regulations Providing for Absolute Sanitation in Stores.

The absolute prevention of customers from handling meats, cooked or raw, while it is yet in the shops, is one of the stringent provisions placed in the new meat bylaw by the board of health at its regular meeting on Thursday night.

The board laid down regulations as to what is to be required from all shops handling meats, the general tenor of those calling for absolute cleanliness and strict sanitation. It was made an offence, punishable by a \$20 fine, for a customer to handle meats in a shop or store.

Slink well, diseased fowl and other menacing meats come under strictly worded clauses of the new bylaw, which will be sent on to the council for approval.

Several butchers, representing their craft in the city, attended the meeting, and threw out a number of suggestions in regard to the new measures. Charles Anderson, their spokesman, during the discussion, digressed for a moment to suggest that the council take steps to get rid of the ever-increasing number of mongrel dogs about the city.

Miss D. Foster is to be the new tuberculosis nurse to succeed Miss F. G. McGuigan, who has resigned.

The new milk bylaw was finally passed by the board.

The meet is to be held next Saturday, instead of May 24 as before. The meet will be held in Queen's Park.

HOLD SUPPER AT
TALBOT STREET

The Baraca Class of Talbot Street Baptist Church spent a pleasant time together on Tuesday evening, when, with the wives and friends of the members, they gathered for supper in the school room. A splendid past was served, followed by which songs were handed around and a sheet of old hymns were used. The number of old hymns, in a few introductory remarks, welcomed the guests, and called on the pastor, Rev. Dr. Green, who responded with a short review of the inception of the Baraca movement. Short addresses were given by E. L. Brown, superintendent of the Sunday school; John Campbell, Andrew Dale, John Holman and A. R. Kennedy. Excellent vocal numbers were given by Messrs. Chalcraft and Pearce, while Miss Warner acted as accompanist most acceptably.

MOTHERS' CLUBS
ELECT OFFICERS

BIGGS WILL GO ON MOTOR HIKE

Minister of Highways To Join in Stratford Business-men's Outing.

Chamber of Commerce Arranges June Excursion To Goderich.

Special to London Advertiser.

STRATFORD, May 16.—Hon. F. C. Biggs, minister of public highways, and other members of the provincial cabinet, possibly including Premier Drury, are expected to attend a motor hike to Goderich to be conducted under auspices of the chamber of commerce on June 2.

The hike was proposed last year, but was postponed. Any motorist is invited to join in "hike," which is intended to develop community spirit between town and country.

The presence of the minister of highways, under whose direction provincial highways are being constructed, will add interest to the event both in city and country.

Excellent papers were given by Rev. J. M. Nicol of Listowel and Rev. Professor Davidson of Knox College, Toronto, at the morning session of the Presbyterian conference of Stratford Presbytery at Knox Church today.

At the afternoon session Professor Davidson spoke.

The marriage took place this evening of Mrs. (Mrs.) Coleridge, formerly of Ingersoll, to Dr. J. A. Githwiler, well-known local dentist. Rev. Finlay Metheson officiated.

Miss Daisy Venters was married today to William Twanley.

F. W. Trebell of the Kindel Bed

May Attempt To Salvage Lusitania From Grave In Atlantic Ocean Bed

LONDON, May 16.—English opinion is divided as to the practicability of salvaging the Lusitania. Admiralty experts consider the task an extremely difficult one and express doubt that any plan can be devised whereby the ship can be brought to the surface.

Private shipping circles, however, believe that there is a chance for some one to bring the German U-boat's victim from the ocean bed. There is a depth of 250 feet of water at the spot where the liner lies, and it is believed that something entirely new will have to be tried in order to bring her up.

The most likely suggestion ever advanced in England called for the construction of a huge floating chamber 900 feet long, 100 feet wide and 20 feet deep. It was proposed at a favorable state of the tide that this be attached to the wreck by means of numerous steel cables—it was calculated as many as 800 would be necessary—so placed that when the tide rose the vessel would be lifted from the bottom of the ocean. It would then be towed toward the coast and beached at a spot suitable for pumping operations.

Company is chairman of the organization which will undertake the project of a "Made-in-Stratford" exhibition, to be held in the skating rink during the week of June 19. The opening meeting is to be held on Monday evening next, where citizens will hear addresses by speakers from Galt and Guelph, which cities have conducted very successful exhibitions of like characters. It is intended at this meeting to form committees representative of all citizens who will be active in assuring the success of the venture.

PLAN BIG UNION OF INTELLECTUALS

GENEVA, May 16.—An international committee to study and suggest methods of intellectual cooperation throughout the world was selected by the council of the League of Nations yesterday.

The committee will meet in Geneva this summer and develop a plan which will be presented at the September meeting of the assembly of the league. International organization of scientific research relations between the various universities will be the first problem to be considered.

GOOD CROPS EXPECTED IN PRAIRIE PROVINCES

Correspondents Report Prospects Are Brightest Since 1915.

WINNIPEG, May 16.—The outstanding feature of the first crop report of the Prairie Provinces, published this morning by the Manitoba Free Press, is the optimistic feeling expressed by the great majority of the correspondents.

The heavy rains which have fallen during the past ten days have thoroughly soaked the soil in every district of the West, which is generally reported to be in excellent condition and never better since 1915.

With the advent of fine and warmer weather, as now forecast, the growth is expected to be exceedingly rapid and to quickly overcome the delay in seeding caused by the ten-day rain here.

A decrease in wheat acreage of 5 per cent in Manitoba, and 15 per cent in Saskatchewan is recorded, while Alberta is promised an increased acreage of 5 per cent.

CHANCELLOR OF McMASTER QUILTS

TORONTO, May 16.—Announcement of the retirement of Chancellor A. L. McCrimmon from the chancellorship of McMaster University, a position which he has held for the last twelve years, was made tonight at the annual convocation ceremonies, the explanation given being that the chancellor has been ordered by his doctors to take up lighter work. But while the chancellor is forced to give up his important post, he will not be entirely lost to the university, as the further announcement was made that in October he will take up the chair of Christian Ethics, Sociology and Education. It was with much regret that the senate and board of governors accepted the resignation.

STEAMER ARRIVALS.

NEW YORK, May 16.—Majestic, Southampton; Syria, Glasgow; Gothland, Antwerp.

PLYMOUTH, May 17.—Noordam, New York; President Monroe, New York.

LIVERPOOL, May 15.—Haverford, Philadelphia.

CADIZ, May 14.—Montserrat, New York.

GLASGOW, May 15.—Metagama, Montreal.

SAILINGS.

MONTREAL, May 16.—Tunisia, Glasgow; Saturnia, Glasgow.

WINDOW WASHER FALLS TO DEATH

Detroit Man Slips From Sill On Eighth Story.

Special to London Advertiser.

DETROIT, May 16.—William Blum, 24, of 993 Wilkins street, washing windows in a tall building for the first time, fell eight stories to his death on the sidewalk in Woodward avenue at 6:15 a.m. Tuesday.

Scores of pedestrians hurrying to work heard the crash of his body, which narrowly missed several pedestrians. But one person, Robert Renshaw, 1382 Brooklyn avenue, on his way to work, saw the fall.

Blum and his cousin, Lewis Muraw, 30, same address, had confined their activities to small buildings. Tuesday they were working in the Kline Garment Company building, 1221 Woodward avenue.

Blum was working his first window. Muraw stood in the next. Blum's foot slipped on the sill. Muraw's first knowledge of the accident was the crash of the body, feet first, on the steel canopy above the street entrance. It turned over, dropping head first on the walk.

The body was sent to the county morgue. Blum is survived by his widow and an infant son.

URGE CHANGE IN ACT

Manchester Traders Want Canadian Banking Laws Amended.

LONDON, May 16.—(By Canadian Press.)—The Manchester Chamber of Commerce, doubtless encouraged by its recent success in making representations to the Canadian minister of finance concerning the marking of imported articles, urging more elastic regulations, has now passed a resolution asking for a change in the Canadian banking act.

The resolution is similar to a recent protest from the Bradford Chamber of Commerce, to the effect that the Canadian banking act resulted in discrimination in certain cases where English creditors were concerned. Compulsory registration of liens and hypothecations is desired by the Manchester business-men.

In making these representations the Manchester traders are careful to state that the matter is entirely within the province of the Dominion government. It is believed, however, that the communication will be accepted in the spirit intended.

WILL DIVIDE DISTRICT

Government to Appoint Two Radio Inspectors in Western Ontario.

Special to London Advertiser.

CHATHAM, May 16.—That Western Ontario will be divided into two radio inspection districts for the purpose of inspecting and reporting upon the installation of radio receiving outfits, was the statement made here today by Chief Radio Inspector W. S. Beatty of the naval department.

In an interview Inspector Beatty stated that the headquarters of the two districts will be London and Windsor. The London inspector will be appointed tomorrow. He will have charge of the eastern half of this section, which will include Chatham and vicinity. Owing to the large number of radio outfits around Windsor, the western section inspector will only have charge of Essex County.

Inspector Beatty goes to London this evening for the purpose of conducting an inspection of radio outfits in that city.

STAG CARS ON NIGHT TRAINS BETWEEN TORONTO AND OTTAWA.

Canadian National Railways.

Since the inauguration of double daily train service between Toronto and Ottawa by the Canadian National Railways it has been the aim of the railway company to make the service on these trains as complete as possible. Realizing that men are predominant as patrons on the night trains of this line, it has been determined to add a new feature that should be attractive to them. The innovation of a "Stag Car" is new in this country. All men who travel have experienced the discomforts of a crowded washroom in the morning—this will be obviated on the "Stag Car" as washrooms at either end of the car will be at their disposal. These cars will be placed in service on May 22, on train leaving Toronto at 10:30 p.m. and Ottawa at the same hour daily, Eastern Standard Time.

This privilege only applies to the one car and lady patrons will be taken care of as in the past, in the "National Way" in other cars.

PIONEER PRIEST DIES AT DETROIT

Special to London Advertiser.

CHATHAM, May 16.—Old residents of this city and vicinity are mourning the loss of one of the pioneer Roman Catholic missionary priests in the person of Rev. Father Grand, C.S.B., who died in Detroit on Sunday last.

Rev. Father Grand, who was a priest for 45 years, was a missionary priest in Kent County for several years, and paid regular visits to the missions at Chatham, Wallaceburg, Blenheim, Dresden and Merlin. All of the above missions subsequently developed into big parishes noted for the zeal and piety of their congregations.

CANNOT ATTEND EMBARGO PARLEY

LONDON, May 16.—(By Canadian Press Cable.)—The Duke of Devonshire, former governor-general of Canada, has expressed his inability to preside at a meeting of Parliament favorable to the removal of the embargo against the importation of Canadian store cattle.

He gives the reason that he will be absent from town.

Chatham Firemen Discover Meanest Man.

Special to London Advertiser.

CHATHAM, May 16.—Firemen attached to Hook and Ladder Company, No. 1, at the central fire station, believe that the meanest man in the province lives in this city.

Last night shortly after 9 o'clock they answered a still alarm from a point down the river near the city limits, and pulled a dog with its legs tied from the River Thames. The dog was brought to the fire station, but was later turned loose.

If the owner of the dog ever meets members of ladder company there will be a fight, members of the company told the press today.

RED RIVER STILL RAPIDLY RISING

Flooding of Low-Lying Territory in Winnipeg Seems Inevitable.

WINNIPEG, May 16.—Flooding of low-lying territory in Winnipeg and vicinity seems inevitable with swelling waters of the Assiniboine still bearing down upon the city, and the Red River gathering volume from its tributaries at the rate of three feet per diem, water-power officials said today. Bodies of cows, horses and pigs caught in the path of the rushing water have been seen at Emerson, where the Red River has come up nine feet. A cloudburst in Minnesota last week is responsible for the heavy volume of water flowing into the Red River.

The rise has been felt in Winnipeg already with a jump of one and a half feet recorded. W. P. Brereton, city engineer, estimated the river would reach flood proportions within two or three days.

There was improvement in the general situation along the Assiniboine today.

WOODSTOCK VETERAN DIES

Alfred Seagrove Passes After Brief Illness.

Special to London Advertiser.

WOODSTOCK, May 16.—The death took place last night of Alfred G. Seagrove, one of the pioneer members of the local command of the G. W. V. A. Deceased, who had been ill for some time, was 49 years of age and was born in Reading, England. At the age of 17 he joined the Royal Berkshire Regiment. He served for seven years in Ireland and was with the imperial forces at Malta during the South African War. With his family he came to Canada in 1909. He went overseas with the 18th battalion in 1915, and was wounded and severely shell shocked at Stelol. He is survived by his wife and seven children.

ELECT SAUVE HEAD OF CONSERVATIVES

MONTREAL, May 16.—Arthur Sauve was unanimously chosen president of the Quebec Conservative Association at a meeting here this afternoon. A pledge to remain faithful to the fundamental ideals of the political schools of Lafontaine, Cartier and Macdonald forms the basis of the platform which was adopted at the convention.

The platform laid down as to education, general administration, agriculture, colonization and immigration, mines, roads, civil service, justice, labor and municipalities, and the liquor question.

INSTALL WIRELESS PHONES AT CAMP

Special to London Advertiser.

BRANTFORD, May 16.—Wireless telephonic communication is to be effected between Brantford and the Boy Scouts' Summer Camp at Normandale, 30 miles away, stated Assistant District Commissioner Fleming this morning. On the camp, which has already been laid out in preparation of the boys' arrival the latter part of next month, two sets of the latest wireless equipment are to be installed and every boy in the camp is to receive half an hour's daily instruction in its use and operation. The scouts will also be instructed in wireless telegraphy.

HAMILTON RESIDENT DIES: HAMILTON, May 16.—C. W. Rae, for many years superintendent of the House of Refuge here, died this afternoon after an illness of several weeks. He is survived by his widow, who is matron at the institution.

KING OSCAR SARDINES



The Unexpected Guest causes this hostess no worry, because she has kept on hand several tins of the delectable KING OSCAR Sardines, as well as KING OSCAR Kipper HERRINGS.



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DRURY PUTS UP STIFF DEFENCE OF RADIAL BILL

Ontario Premier Declares Measure Would Be Real Benefit.

MOVES SECOND READING

Lewis and Thompson Claim Proposals Submitted Would Kill Radials.

TORONTO, May 16.—The provincial government's radial bill came up for the second reading in the Legislature today on motion of Premier Drury. The premier defended the measure as one which would enable municipalities to co-operate in building radials on their own initiative, instead of having radials forced upon them. The proposed act provided a way, he said, for municipalities to finance such roads without government guarantee of bonds. The bill gives the municipalities the option of allowing the hydro-electric commission to construct or operate the road, or managing it themselves. The premier took the view that it was not right to place a liability on the entire province to serve the needs of any locality. If the government guaranteed the bonds of radials in any locality every other locality in the province where radials were feasible would be entitled to the same treatment.

The government sets its face against long-distance radials. The prime minister claimed that when his ministry came into power it was confronted with a scheme for province-wide radials, for which the lines already planned would be only stepping stones. Trunk line radials would be a very unwise undertaking for the province, it would be direct competition with federal-owned steam roads. The purpose of radials should be to serve local needs, not long-distance traffic.

Will Fulfill Promises.
The government will carry out its promise to guarantee Port Credit-St. Catharines radial bonds, but municipalities must vote again on it. The premier was followed by A.

Rudolf Valentino's Hasty Marriage May Doom Couple To Exile For Year

LOS ANGELES, May 16.—"We were madly in love and couldn't wait any longer," This is Rudolf Valentino's reason why he rushed to Mexico, and married Winifred Hudnut, daughter of the wealthy perfume manufacturer, before getting a final decree of divorce from his first wife, Jean Acker.

Valentino, famous screen lover, is virtually an exile from California today. Divorce experts of this state believe he cannot return until a year has elapsed and his interlocutory decree granted recently has become final.

C. Lewis and J. E. Thompson, both of Toronto who claimed the bill would kill the radials, that the act as it stands today with slight amendments is what the people most interested want.

E. Watson (Victoria North) moved the adjournment of the debate, which will probably be continued tomorrow.

Premier Drury quoted Sir Adam Beck back in 1915, forecasting 1,000 miles of radials and expenditures of \$30,000,000. The plan was for long-distance radials, which would come into competition, if carried out now, of the publicly-owned steam railways. The premier said that while he believed there were localities where municipalities could, with advantage, co-operate in operating local electric railways, he did not favor any big scheme of long-distance trunk radials operating high-speed cars. It would be expensive and would come into direct competition with the steam roads owned by the government. The old hydro radial act was designed with a province-wide system in view.

He reminded the house that a large portion of the deficits of railways owned by the Dominion must be met by Ontario as the largest and most wealthy of the provinces, and the attitude of this province should be one of co-operation with the rest of the Dominion. The act at present, the premier explained, tied the municipalities hand and foot once they voted for a radial project, and delivered them into the hands of the hydro-electric commission, which was an irresponsible body as far as these municipalities were concerned, for a period of 50 years.

Lands Public Ownership.
The commission had power to extend the lines and increase the liabilities of the municipalities without

Superior Judge J. W. Summerfield, whose decisions in big divorce cases in Ontario have made him an authority of national reputation, was asked for comment on Valentino's case. He called attention to the warning printed at the bottom of every interlocutory decree. This reads: "This is not a judgment of divorce. The parties are still husband and wife and will be such until a final judgment is entered one year from the entry of this interlocutory judgment."

Valentino and his bride have remained on the Mexican side of the border since the ceremony.

again asking their permission. Thus, under the old act, as he interpreted it, if the London-Stratford line and the Hamilton-Toronto lines were built there was nothing to prevent the commission from going on and connecting these two lines into a long-distance system. A scheme which at its start would be to serve local requirements would develop into powerful competition with the steam roads.

He expressed pleasure that the Dominion government had taken over the steam railways. It was a step which he believed would never be retraced, even if it had been done under inauspicious circumstances. He believed in public ownership of public utilities.

Outlining the provisions of the bill he was introducing, he said that under it the municipalities which decided to build a radial would be required to ask the Hydro-Electric Power Commission to report on the feasibility of the scheme. The inception would be on the move of the municipalities and they would have to bear the expense of the investigation the commission would make. Then the municipalities would come to a decision as to accepting the costs, and submit the proposition to the ratepayers. Under the new act all the electors in each of the municipalities would vote. In this it was different from the old act where, although the entire township was liable, often only those nearest the proposed line were allowed to vote on it. That had been obviously unfair.

The clause in the old bill which will not allow one municipality to hold up a project if it does not have to assume more than ten per cent of the liability, has been copied into the new one.

Outlines Differences.
The prime minister went thorough-

ly into the difference regarding financing under the two acts. Under the old bill, the hydro commission sold its own bonds which were a mortgage on the road, and were guaranteed by the government. The municipalities deposited their bonds, but those were only available for sale to make up deficits; they were not collateral to the hydro's bonds. He read a statement by G. C. Clarkson, who made an audit of the hydro commission's finances. He said that it would have been exceedingly difficult under the act now in force for the holder of the hydro's bonds ever to get possession of the bonds which the municipalities had deposited in case the railway failed, because they were exclusively to meet deficits.

Accordingly, take away the government's guarantee and the hydro's bonds would have been unsalable.

The new bill proposes to place hydro bonds that will be payable without the provincial government guaranteeing them. They will be guaranteed by the value of the road supplemented by an equal issue of bonds from the municipalities which will be held by a trust company as collateral. They cannot be used to make up deficits, which must be met by the taxes of the municipalities liable.

The premier expressed the view that bonds so protected would bring practically as high prices as bonds guaranteed by the government.

The premier continued that if the bill now introduced were not passed the old act would have to be amended in this respect if the government refused to guarantee the bonds. He pointed out that under the new bill, the municipal commission could turn over, if it were desirable, the construction or operation of the railway to the Hydro-Electric Power Commission for a period of five years, and in that respect it would be very different from the long term binding agreement provided for by the act now in force. In five years the municipalities could decide to continue the road under the control of the hydro commission or take it back again.

Forecasts Amendments.

He forecasted certain amendments to the bill as introduced, which will be considered in committee. Recognizing that the provincial government made an agreement to guarantee the bonds of the Port Credit, Hamilton & St. Catharines radial, that agreement had to be lived up to. Already the government guaranteed over \$11,000,000 worth of these bonds, the money being used to secure rights of way, et cetera. It proposed to go ahead and by an amendment would provide that this road remain under the old act, but only under the condition that the municipalities vote again, and by doing so call upon the government to fulfill its part of the agreement. Windsor and Guelph roads also remain under the old act.

Special situations such as where any municipality wished to operate a line through another municipality would have to be looked after by private bills.

A. C. Lewis (Toronto Northeast) followed the prime minister.

Mr. Lewis claimed there was no demand for the bill the premier had introduced. When, in 1914, the law now in force was submitted it was after a deputation of over 1,000 delegates from many municipalities waited on the government and urged the bill. The bill as passed was the one they wanted. It is the bill they still want to operate under as shown by the many resolutions in its favor which have since been passed. Ninety-nine municipalities had entered into an agreement with the hydro-electric power commission under this act, and many more wanted to build radials, but the commission recommended against it. They sent deputations back year after year, urging that roads be built in their districts.

Suggests Withdrawal.

Referring to the premier's statement regarding the zone system of voting whereby only the electors directly affected in a township voted to place a liability on the entire township, Mr. Lewis said it was exactly the same as any local improvement vote. In the case of the radials, should deficits have to be made up only the electors in the zone where the vote was allowed would have to pay these shortages, not the entire township. This is effected in the same way, as local improvement rates are only levied on the properties affected, although the debentures themselves appear as a liability against the entire municipality.

Captain J. E. Thompson (Toronto) who followed, suggested that as the bill was "so bad" the premier might very well withdraw it and not waste the time of the house with it. It was a splendid bill to kill, but it would not enable any comprehensive scheme such as the people of the province wanted.

Despite the demand of H. H. Dewar, K.C., Southwest Toronto, for a detailed statement of the proposed departmental expenditures of the \$40,000,000, Provincial Treasurer Smith seeks to borrow on the credit of the consolidated revenue fund, the sanctioning bill received second reading in the Legislature tonight without the information sought by Mr. Dewar being given.

Hon. Mr. Smith named for him the various departments for which the money was intended and explained that he could not be expected to furnish all the details of the various departments, and further pointed out that the details would be in the main estimates when presented to the house.

After the bill had been given its second reading the house went into supply.

Because of sharp protests by H. H. Dewar, reinforced by further protests from R. R. Hall, Liberal member for Parry Sound, Hon. Peter Smith consented to defer until today consideration by the committee of the whole house in the Legislature of his bill providing a five per cent tax on bets on race tracks.

Find Bill Amended.

When the house reached the bill tonight it was found that a certain number of copies of the bill had been distributed among the members containing typed amendments. H. H. Dewar claimed that in such a short space of time he could not tell the meaning of these amendments and that the other members would be in the same fix.

The attorney-general read the memorandum of the legality of the proposed measure from the deputy

Mother Gives Life That Babies May Live.

TORONTO, May 16.—And the mother gave her life for her babes!

She was not a human, merely a robin, but the sacrifice was real, even if the victim was feathered.

A cat raided the hanging basket at 53 Victoria Park avenue here today. In it was a robin's nest. The mother bird battled with the invader till she dropped with a gasped breast. Two birdlets died with her. Two escaped.

The two survivors are being reared by the cock bird.

But that cat is unpopular tonight.

approved by the law officers, Messrs. Dymond and White. This opinion held that the proposed tax was within provincial jurisdiction.

One amendment to the act is that, when collecting the tax the association is to act as the agent of the treasurer of the province, and deduct and pay over for the uses of the treasurer of Ontario the five per cent tax.

Second reading was given Hon. Harry Mills' bill to provide for a board of arbitration, instead of the present referee in regard to natural gas questions. There were some objections registered by certain Labor members to the whole gas question.

Wants Contracts Kept.

Charles Swayze wanted to know why the consumers were not given some benefits as well as the well-owners. Dr. H. A. Stevenson, London, said that gas companies should be made to live up to their contracts. There was some discussion among the speakers regarding the referee, Mr. Henderson, but government members extolled his merits highly.

Premier Drury said the gas question was hard to handle. He reviewed the situation and said that the former government had acted properly when it first stepped in, but after that the matter of contract did not stand where it stood before.

"It is an ungrateful business," said the premier. "No government wants to touch it."

He told of the calling of the conference between the producers and consumers, and this bill, he said, was the outcome. He hoped it would be a solution of the problem, but he deplored the fact that a final solution of the gas problem until the last cubic foot of gas had been used.

ABANDON DAYLIGHT SAVING.

WELLAND, May 16.—By a vote of 4 to 2 at tonight's council meeting, the resolution putting Welland on daylight saving time was rescinded. People of this city will have their clocks advanced until next Sunday, when Welland will end one week of daylight saving time.

CLOT OF BLOOD PUZZLES POLICE

Brantford Officers Seek To Unravel Mystery At Fairchild's Creek.

Discoveries Point To Accident, But Investigations Prove Futile.

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BRANTFORD, May 16.—High County Constable Fred Kerr is again in the limelight. Yesterday afternoon he was making his rounds about three miles past Cainsville, when he observed a huge clot of blood about three feet square, and nearby were marks of an automobile. This was in the vicinity of Fairchild's Creek.

He at once started to investigate the matter, and he continued his search, assisted by residents of the vicinity until a very late hour last evening.

This morning he reported the matter to the local police, and the lifeboat crew from the fire department

Eggs Flown 450 Miles To Waiting Hen.

VEVEY, Switzerland, May 16.—Eggs laid on a farm near London on Monday morning were, by the new air service via Paris, delivered at a poultry farm in the neighborhood of Lausanne, Lake Geneva (450 miles from London), at 4 o'clock the same afternoon, and placed under a hen ready for sitting.

was dispatched to the scene to drag the creek.

While the dragging operations were in progress many parts of an automobile were found in the creek, which at that point is quite deep. These had been taken apart by hand. It was then thought that it might be a case of foul play, and the dragging was renewed with added vigor and care until well after 3 o'clock this afternoon, but without any more result, except for the finding of more motor parts and the remains of a buggy.

The police are nonplussed over the happening, as they have not been informed of any accident having occurred in that section of the county, and the only conclusion that they can come to is that a horse or some other animal may have been hit by

a passing motor and seriously injured. This theory is scouted by many of the police officials, as the blood spot had been wiped up, but the cloth that was used was taken away. There are no indications of a motor or other accident, and the police admit that they are baffled, and state that they will continue to make inquiries until the mystery is solved.

DOES NOT REGARD NOTE AS REFUSAL

LONDON, May 16.—When asked in the Commons this afternoon whether the United States note concerning the proposed meeting at The Hague to further consider the Russian question was taken to mean that the United States government had definitely refused to attend the conference, Austen Chamberlain, the government leader, replied: "I have not been so informed."

"The only information I have on the subject, drawn from the press, is to the exactly contrary effect," he said.

TEN RELATIVES SHARE.

HAMILTON, May 16.—Ten relatives, including two sons and two daughters, are mentioned as beneficiaries in the will of Senator John Milne, which was entered for probate here today. The estate was valued at \$479,241.

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The Indian Question.

HON. CHARLES STEWART, Minister of the Interior, did the right thing on Monday when he went to the Indian reserve, near Brantford, to talk to the Indians on their own grounds, and in their own council chamber.

No doubt the Indians there have felt for some time that they were being dealt with at long range, and that their actual touch with the real chief of affairs at Ottawa was a meagre thing. In that particular regard they are much the same as any other people, who resent the placing of too many people on the line of communication.

The men on the reserve made good use of their time and gave the minister a lot of things to think about. It is well that they did this, because they have been asking for such a change for a long time, and when the space at their disposal was limited to hours and minutes, it must be taken for granted that these in charge were going to see that the line of communication was busy all the time.

The statement has been made by under-officials of the department that the desire was to smash up the tribal customs and ideas of the Indians, and it undoubtedly is the dealings of a few such people that have been responsible for some of the friction at the reserve.

HON. MR. STEWART promised to investigate their claims, and the offer seems to be fair, as the Indians have the opportunity of naming their own representative. Some of the statements they made at the meeting will require an explanation, and can hardly be allowed to go unchallenged. For instance, CHIEF HILL is reported as telling of the sale of lands to the T. H. & B. Railway for \$17,500, and the turning over to the Indians of \$30. Very naturally he wanted to know where the rest of the money had gone. There are other matters pending of somewhat similar character, and the clearing up of all doubt in regard to these will do much to iron out any trouble that may have developed.

In many ways it is desirable that the Indians shall continue to have their reserves. It is not as though we were cramped for room in Canada, and there is the traditional rights these people have in this country. In many cases the whites have put the boots to the Indians as far as the holding of property is concerned. We have built dams that have killed off their rivers as fishing grounds. We have developed a style of science and business system with which the Indian cannot compete. So, taking all these matters into consideration, it is perhaps the best thing possible that their conditions and methods of living on their reserves be thoroughly understood, and their status under the law plainly set forth. Were a move contemplated to smash the Indian tribal customs there would be thousands of them who would be unable to make their way, and they would require assistance from the state in all parts of the country.

HON. MR. STEWART did a good day's work when he went to Brantford to try and get a firsthand understanding of the problems that would easily have developed into a nasty situation had they been allowed to drift.

Municipal Matters.

AT the meeting of London City Council a resolution was approved by the council as follows:

"That immediate action be taken to terminate the franchise of the London Street Railway, and the city solicitor be instructed to serve such preliminary notice on the said company as may be required to make such action effective."

The strange part of the whole business is that such a motion should get through a body such as a city council.

Since when did a city council become possessed of powers that made them capable to tear up agreements and terminate franchises?

There has been a lot of this sort of business going on in Russia, but this is about the first of it for this part of the country.

Was the city solicitor asked for his opinion on the matter before the action was taken? Or is it the custom to go ahead and then find out afterward whether the thing is right or wrong?

The citizens of London want some direct, worthwhile action in dealing with the street railway proposition, but it is never going to be brought about by such resolutions as the one given above, nor yet by the granting of a five-cent fare to the company.

The logical way out is for the street railway company and the city of London to come together on this matter. Each party knows the exact conditions. Each knows that the physical condition of the property is getting worse every day. Each party knows that the increasing of fares is not going to attract new capital to the enterprise, because the franchise will expire in

three years. Each party knows that there cannot be, under the conditions, a fair return to the people in keeping with the increased fares they are called upon to pay.

Knowing all these things, would it not be much better to put an end to the time of wrangling that is sure to take place from now until 1925? It will be a three-year period of clamoring for increased street car service from a company that will not want to spend money in equipping for a service when the franchise is to expire in the near future. The very fact of the uncertainty of that franchise being renewed makes investment in the street car company undesirable. It is not possible to invest money in such a short interest, even taking a chance on the favorable outcome of arbitration when the road might be taken over.

The citizens of London are interested in only one thing, and that is the betterment of the street car service at the earliest possible date, and with the least possible increase in the fares. Starting out with a brave assertion that "We are going to cancel the franchise of the street railway company" is simply going to aggravate the situation. We are in need of some wholesome man-to-man diplomacy in this situation.

NOW that the MATHEWS Lumber Company is once again back doing business on their old Horton street site, after being buffeted about from pillar to post by the 1921-1922 city council, they must look back at their year's experience in dealing with the responsible government of the city of London as a hideous nightmare.

If those folks harbor the thought that a lot of irresponsibles, that jump this way and that, at the beck and call of a few votes are, and have been, at the helm of affairs municipal in London, there are a few who will take issue with them.

About the middle of last year some Horton street residents decided they would rather that the MATHEWS lumber yard was located elsewhere, and solicited the aid of members of the council to oust the business. A petition presented carried weight, and the rather ghostly drama started.

The MATHEWS yard had occupied the site for about five years. The fire limits followed, and ultimately included their area, and this gave city officials a fairly good excuse in following out the bidding of the aldermen.

The lumber people tried to do their part. They sought high and low for a suitable yard. But all came under the ban of the building inspector. They made a deal for a Simcoe street property at perhaps twice its value. It was not within the fire limits, but the residents brought sufficient pressure to bear to again oust the proposed yard.

In the meantime some Ailsa Craig folks came to the city to start a lumber yard. They picked a site on George street and the C. P. R. It was within the fire limits. The residents petitioned against it, but the proposal found favor with the aldermen, and was approved.

It was the fact that the MATHEWS people had been refused permission to occupy this site that threw a real scare into the aldermen. It was then that they seemed to realize that they had kept the MATHEWS people from doing business for a year.

Monday night the council decided that the MATHEWS people would not menace Horton street, where they had been driven from, when they voted to grant the company a permit to do business on its old site.

An Unusual Claim.

SOME MATTERS still come to the surface from the war records that make interesting reading, particularly as they are referred to with much more freedom now than formerly.

During the discussion on the naval estimates at Ottawa HON. HUGH GUTHRIE of South Wellington, formerly minister of militia, mentioned one claim that was being assessed by the British ministry of shipping against the Canadian government. The particulars are so unusual that they should receive general publicity in order that they might be understood. MR. GUTHRIE, referring to the matter of this claim, said:

"It was in connection with a boat, which was submerged, and which was in the hospital service of the Dominion of Canada at the time at which it was submerged. The case had been referred in England to a board of arbitration, upon which Canada was not directly represented. The finding of the arbitration board was that Canada must pay the replacement value of the ship, and I think that value was something like \$5,000,000. The ship was certainly chartered by Canada, or by the British government and used by Canada at the time of the disaster. The cost of the ship was about half that amount, and, in the first instance, when the admiralty dealt with losses of that kind, they allowed the cost of the ship, but after a few months' experience, with an allowance of that kind, the same board of arbitration changed the basis of allowance and allowed the cost of reproduction, and, as the cost of construction of vessels had risen enormously in the interval, Canada was let in by the arbitrators' finding for an award of something like a million or twelve hundred thousand pounds, but as Canada was not represented directly on the board—we were nominally represented by some 'department of the admiralty'—I objected to the payment of that amount, and I assume the amount is still outstanding. My object in mentioning it now is to bring it to the attention of the minister, because I think that is one of the claims that should be very seriously reconsidered before it is allowed."

In the same connection Mr. Mac-

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When lambs, by their milners, skip
Frae early morn ta dewy een,
Rare is th' beauty o' their sport
On hills weel clad wi' matchless green.

A ramble oot, baith morn an' e'en,
We'd nae neglect, forget, nor miss;
We'd woo sweet zephyrs which are pleased
Oor fevered brows ta fondly kiss;
We lo'e ta sit us oot bonnie
At some sequestered, cosy nook,
Beside a river, or a loch,
Tae wait for fish, wi' bated hook.

We're fond ta trace yon pebbled brooks
Which aften thro' oor meadows glide;
We lo'e ta pluck wee flow'ers fair
Which smile, oor woodman's path beside;
We linger fondly aft afield
Till shades o' nicht about us fa';
Frae Nature's Spring-enchanted scenes
We're sweet ta turn oor een awa'.

We hear o' bonnie climes afar—
Gie me oor ain lo'd Canada
When she's adorned wi' priceless robes
Which Nature gies her lika May.
For a' her beauty unsurpassed
I'm maist sincerely vera glad,
Yet, aft it gars my hert ta greet
That we've nae hills wi' heather clad.

London, May 15, 1922.

—Mack.

DONALD of Picton, stated his opinion as follows:

"It seems to me that a claim of that kind would be absolutely absurd, and I join with him in saying to the minister that I hope the minister will never acknowledge any such claim on the part of Great Britain against Canada."

It is apparently a much-involved claim, and on the face of it, to one not versed in marine and international law, looks impossible of unqualified acceptance.

Wheelbarrows.

"WHEELBARROWS!" cried the little lady with the gray hair and the firm chin, "that's what my children are—wheelbarrows! Push 'em along and they'll go as far as you like—leave 'em alone and they'll stick in the mud!"

Somebody had been congratulating her on how well her two girls had done and this was her reply, and, outspoken as it was, it was really quite true.

Alice and Hilda had done well, one as an artist and the other as a violinist, and each was something of an outstanding success in her career, but always behind them one felt the indomitable figure of the little mother to whom they owed it.

It was she who had encouraged, helped and guided them from the beginning, who had always prophesied success and never admitted even the possibility of failure, who had never allowed them to look back, but had always pushed them steadily on towards this goal—success.

Both had attained it, but with those who knew them well, there was always the feeling that without her they might have fallen by the way, for, talented as they were, they both lacked something—push, enterprise, call it what you will—which is essential to success.

Have you ever thought what an enormous number of wheelbarrows there is in Ontario—people who seem quite contented to grub along in the same little rut and are too lazy or too indifferent to try to get out of it, and do not seem to care whether they ever do anything worth while or not?

They often have great gifts, but they do not take trouble to make use of them; they simply take the line of least resistance, and, as the little lady said, stick in the mud, unless they happen to come under the influence of some more energetic personality who will push them out of it.

The man who cannot make any decision in his chief's absence because it "mightn't be right"; the girl who can't make up her mind to try for a better job because she "knows the worst" of the one she is in; the woman who cannot bring herself to go to a new dressmaker although her present tyrant does not suit her—they are all wheelbarrows.

Years ago, of course, every woman was expected to be a wheelbarrow and her husband trundled her along in the direction he chose; it would have been thought highly peculiar, not to say improper, had she developed any motive power of her own, but now things are very different, and the wheelbarrow woman is apt to be left where she stands.

There is no room for "wheelbarrows" in the rush of modern life, and they soon find themselves left behind and forgotten.

Arranging Visits.

AND now we come to the season of the year when all the families living in the cities start to figure up who they know in the country.

Funny how this feeling gets hold of folks at times. It is the finest kind of friendliness.

They are moved to drop a picture postcard, with a few kind words, or a bit of a letter, telling how the country air is the very thing that the family doctor says the children need to rob the undertaker of a quick job.

Mighty seldom that the thing is put down on a straight business proposition of so much per week. Too formal, that way. And so it is that the summer vacations are arranged. We broadcast our children on the folks we know in the country, and then talk a great deal when

they come back and stop a couple of days when the fall fair's on. As a matter of fact, when it comes to trading visits, the folks in the city win nearly every time.

LITTLE 'TISERS

How well the movie world gets on without ABUSCKLE.

A wedding took place in an aeroplane a few days ago. Well, there could be no after-dinner speeches there.

Highway builders are knocking over some fine-looking trees, forgetting of the fact that it takes years to grow and only minutes to destroy them.

Mennonites left Canada and went to Mexico, but now they be on the way back. The chances are better in the wheat belt than in the cactus tract.

Why should it be necessary for legislation to be passed to ask vehicles to carry lights at night? In the interests of the necks of those riding in them this should be done.

When a man goes home some night and finds the parlor furniture stacked up in the front hall and supper being served in the kitchen sink, he knows house-cleaning and spring have arrived.

Years ago dad used to walk the pine forest putting the baby to sleep. Now some famous singer 500 miles off does the lullaby business via radio. This is dad spared the necessity of prying pine thistles out of his toes.

"The city of London during the past winter," says the *Standard*, "was one of the fortunate cities of Canada where relief employment was not necessary, and everybody carried on about as usual. This is a record which very few cities on the continent achieved, and shows conditions of stability in the Forest City, and a population freer from the foreign-born than other centres contain."

Thanks, friend. You have unearthed a great truth. But still don't say it too loud, for there is the great danger of us having a line-up next winter that doesn't belong to us.

TO THE EDITOR

Editor Advertiser, London, Ont.
Sir,—At the annual meeting of the C. F. A. held in your city on Thursday and Friday, May 11 and 12, a resolution was unanimously passed, that the press be congratulated on the very excellent reports published in regard to our meetings, and I am taking this opportunity of conveying to you my sincere thanks for what appeared in your paper during our meeting.

We had a very pleasant time in London, and all the delegates were very much pleased with your hand-some city and its suburb of Port Stanley. We had two very pleasant days in your city, and returned home on Friday evening, well pleased with the gathering and the great reception accorded us. Yours sincerely,
W. F. MONTAGUE,
Secretary-Treasurer.

A FRANK CRITIC.

Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—Was very much surprised to find in a paper of your standing an editorial headed "Getting Better." I grant such articles were, and in some cases are still quite common in some localities amongst writers of the ignorant type, who are on a par in business ability, with the "mamby-pamby" male clerk who never rises in position above measuring out to a customer a few yards of ribbon, lace or print, but who never hesitates to criticize and ridicule the rural people, without whose existence his job would not be worth a nickel, and without whom he would starve to death. Useless citizens, parasites on industry, but little better than imbeciles!

In our S. S. here, we have employed teachers as low as \$275 per annum, and our scholars then were more efficient than now when we are paying over four times that amount, and then the pupils are, many of them, today filling high positions. None of them are paupers nor unemployed. They learned to be real men and women. The teachers, I am dealing with 30 years or more ago, were in more affluent circumstances and

better contented than the teachers of today. And in point of school building and equipment, you had nothing better in London.

In the inspector's report for the county exams, for years the rural pupils always excelled their urban neighbors in our county.

As usual in all these articles, yours does not fail to take a fling at "the rural school trustee." I have no brief for the rural trustee, but in point of ability he probably equals the ministers of education WE have been blessed with, and 90 per cent of them surpass those worthies. He has, and still labors under great disadvantages. Put him on equal terms with his urban neighbor and he will "cut rings" round him.

When you find, as we have today, unemployment rampant in our cities and only a small percentage of the citizens owning their own homes, you may set it down that your schools are not "on the job," and that your trustees had better get out in the country where conditions named are opposite, and learn real education problems.

Nothing to prevent your journal from becoming a great school of thought, but to do so you must at least cease to belittle and ridicule the men and women who made this country what it is today.

With best wishes for a great future for you, I remain, Yours sincerely,
J. M. Z. FRAZER,
Burlford, Ont., May 12, 1922.

LEGAL QUERIES

Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—Will you kindly answer the following questions in your legal column?

1. Do I have to have a license to act as agent for articles that are not sold in the store; do I have to pay to sell these things out amongst the people in the country?

2. I am in Huron County; where would I have to write to get a license?

3. How much will a license cost me?

4. One of these articles is made in Brantford, Ontario, and the other is made in the U. S. A., but I am just a sub for the last one.

Hoping to see this in print soon, I beg to remain, yours truly,

A CONSTANT READER.

Exeter, May 6, 1922.

Answer: You will have to pay a license. Inquire at the office of the clerk of the county of Huron at Goderich, Ontario.

Editor Advertiser:

Sir,—Will you kindly answer the following questions in your legal column?

If a person bought a piece of furniture from a certain party leaving the city, in good faith, and it afterwards turned out that the said piece of furniture was not paid for in full to the furniture dealer, could the said dealer claim it? If so, what would he have to do to get it, or if he couldn't, what would the party have to do who now has possession of the furniture?

Looking to a quick answer, I remain,
London, Ont., May 8, 1922.

Answer: If he had a lien on it he could; if the said lien provided you were not to take out of city, take it back; otherwise he would only sue for it if not paid.

CANADIAN NATIONAL RAILWAYS

Toronto-Parry Sound Service.

Effective Saturday, May 20, train leaving Toronto 9:10 a.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday for Beaver-ton, Parry Sound and intermediate stations will operate daily except Sunday, leaving Toronto at the same time.

Southbound the opposite train will leave Parry Sound at 1 p.m., arriving Toronto 6:45 p.m. daily except Sunday. Both trains will carry Buffet-Parlor Cars commencing May 20. Trains operated on Eastern Standard Time. 35c-4xt.

25 YEARS AGO TODAY

HERE WE HAVE ITEMS OF LOCAL AND DISTRICT INTEREST AS RECORDED IN THE ADVERTISER OF 1897.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 17.

Weather—Fair and warm, showery.

At the last regular quarterly meeting of the official board of the St. John's circuit at Arva, the Rev. H. J. Fair received a cordial and unanimous invitation to remain as their pastor for the next conference year.

The Presbyterian Church was reopened at Lucan, Sunday, and special services were conducted by the following: Rev. E. Ford, Methodist minister, at 11 a.m.; Rev. E. F. M. Smith, incumbent, at 3 p.m., and Rev. Samuel Lawrence, of Vanneck Presbyterian Church, at 7 p.m. A sacred concert will be given in the church on Monday night, also a lecture on "A Tour to Northern Europe," by Rev. G. H. Smith.

C. J. Pratt, formerly editor and proprietor of the Owen Sound Sun, has severed his connection with that paper. James A. Tucker and Jerry Cousby, two well-known and popular young men have assumed the management of the paper.

Hon. G. W. Ross, minister of education, in the city, the guest of his daughter, Mrs. (Dr.) Belton. He will also visit in West Middlesex.

DR. BISHOP'S ADVICE.

AS TO SMOKING

BY DR. R. H. BISHOP.



JENCE is agreed that, for the average normal man, the moderate use of tobacco does no perceptible harm. Of course, excess, as with everything, is bad. Nor should tobacco be used by growing children.

There always has been much argument over tobacco's good and bad points, but there is no doubt that it acts as a comforter to temperamental, highly-strung people, and the

READ YOUR CHARACTER

By Digby Phillips.

NO. 216—BRUNETTE BUYERS.

Just as there are certain rules to be followed in selling or persuading the blonde, there are certain things you should keep in mind when you are trying to persuade the brunette.

Of course you have to take into consideration the other character indications of the individual. But other things being equal, you will find certain marked contrasts between the blonde and the brunette, and if you're wise you will vary your diplomacy accordingly.

In dealing with a brunette prospect take your time about getting on a "friendly" basis. Don't push it too fast. Or at least remember that you cannot expect the quickness and readiness of friendship from a brunette that you can from a blonde.

Have all the details of your proposition carefully and accurately worked out. The blonde may be more or less satisfied with the broad, general, striking statement. But with the brunette you have to be prepared to back up your claims.

You won't get as much benefit out of flattery as you would from a blonde. But you will get a great deal more out of keeping an appointment on time, and out of doing exactly what you have told him you are going to do.

It is the element of dependability in you and in what you have to sell that appeals to the brunette more than the element of brilliancy or that of the spectacular.

Tomorrow—Persuading Long Heads. (Copyright, 1922, by Public Ledger Co.)

POETRY

MEMORIES.

In the borderland of London, just a league from Chelsea Green,

Is an old, sequestered, landmark,

'Twould do honor to a queen;

The orchard in the background lends a lustre, and a charm,

What a picture for an artist is that ancient home, and farm.

Dear old home, how oft I've viewed her, from every compass point,

I have felt the cyclone shake her, till she creaked in every joint;

Though no tempest ever blew to deprive me of the joy

Of living in Westminster; wish I was again a boy.

Though those days are gone for aye, and to return no more,

Desperation has not supplanted hope, for Canada I'd pour

My life's blood out, if need be, on that hallowed spot beyond

The tangled reeds and rushes of Tomlinson's fish pond.

Yes, old home with verdant shutters, you look good to me today;

Would to God that I were back once more those fine fruit trees to spray,

And turn my native soil again, where hearts are true and warm.

At the old, ancestral homestead, Grandfather's Grievous' auld farm.

—J. W. Beattie, 61 West Monroe street, Chicago, Ill.

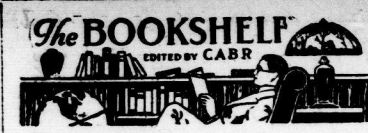
Our Own Country

Question—How many elevators are there in Canada, and what is their capacity?

Answer—Canada has 3,775 elevators, with a capacity of 214,279,364 bushels. Many more are needed to keep pace with the growing grain production.

Question—When and where were the first iron forges set up in Canada?

Answer—The first iron works in Canada, if not in America, were the Maurice forges, near Three Rivers, where bog iron was discovered in 1685, and a company formed to develop it in 1737. Work has been continued there practically ever since.



HEPPESTALL'S, By Harold Brighthouse. New York: Robert M. McBride & Co. \$2.

THIS is an exceedingly good piece of writing, with a foreword that is an altogether delightful little bit of whimsy. Don't, if you are the kind of person that usually skips prologues and such, skip this one.

Heppehall's are the great mills founded in Strathley, Lancashire, in the days when steam was a new discovery, by Reuben, the first Heppehall of note. And with the founding of the mills a terrible hate was established between the Heppehallists and the Bradshaws, a hate that was to smolder, and rankle, and grow through several generations, and did not tend to die out until after this last great war, a dramatic issue that brings the story to its close.

The book is divided into two parts, the first dealing with the days of the Prince Regent and the growth of Heppehall's, the second with our own times, post-war England and Heppehall's, as an important and established service.

The factory as a thing is the greatest influence in the lives of each successive generation of Heppehallists. It is the main motif of their existence. Reuben and Dorothy Verners are swayed by it, Phoebe Bradshaw and John are broken and warped by it, and it is the factory that finally takes Dorothy's life. Edward is repulsed by it, only to become a slave to it, and so it goes until it touches the awful Mary Arden, London musical comedy star, once a Bradshaw and later Lady Heppehall, wife of Sir Rupert.

It is a clever touch of irony that it is a Bradshaw, Labor personified, the down-trodden faction of the feud, that prevents Heppehall, Capital represented, from selling Heppehall's in the end.

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In 1306 Edward I. of England issued a proclamation prohibiting the burning of coal in the city of London because of the "sulferous smoke and

WOODSTOCK, May 16.—The annual competition for the James H. Hyrie medal for oratory at Woodstock College was won by W. Riddiford. The winner's subject was "Canada's Unemployment Problem" and the judges pronounced Mr. Riddiford's speech one of the best heard in this competition in years.

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WOMEN'S HOME AND MAGAZINE PAGE

URGES RIGHTS FOR CHILDREN

Provincial Director Addresses Children's Work Board Meeting For Parents.

Rev. Harris Denies Ornate Churches With Makeshift Sabbath Schools.

"When a group of workers go on strike it is usually because they feel they aren't getting their rights. I am speaking for a group that have rights, but cannot ask for them. I am speaking for the children."

Such was the declaration of Miss Bertha Laine, director of the Children's Work Board of Ontario, Tuesday afternoon, addressing an interested body of parents and teachers of children under 12 years in St. Andrew's Hall, during London's observance of "Children's Week."

In progress throughout the American Continent.

Owing to a mix-up of timetables, Miss Laine failed to arrive in time to address the gathering at the appointed hour, 4 o'clock, a program including solos by Mrs. Self, accompanied by Mrs. Smith; inspiring readings by Mrs. W. J. Knox, and an important address from Rev. F. W. K. Harris, director of religious education in St. Andrew's Church, filling in the time most profitably until the 5:30 o'clock train brought the special speaker to the city and a swift motor to the auditorium here for 6 o'clock. In the absence of the chairman of the London Children's Work Board, Miss A. E. Wright, Miss Margaret McIntosh proved a most capable young presiding officer.

With regard to "children's rights," Miss Laine named the following:

1. A good home, "God's first and holiest school," where the child receives its first experiences and impressions.

2. A good school in which to receive education to take their place in a world of thinking people.

3. A good community with clean, roomy places for indoor and outdoor play.

4. A good church school.

Recalling the story of the Scottish church elder who deplored the fact that during a certain ministry of three months only one member had been received into the church's communion, "wee Bobby Moffatt," who afterwards became the famous pioneer missionary, the speaker pointed to children's week with relation to religious education in America (including Canada) as an indication of the new value placed upon a little child.

How early should training begin along religious as well as other lines? According to Miss Laine, "Before the baby can speak or walk it can learn. It is as much right to receive religious care as physical and school training."

How do they play?

Stress was laid on "the vital question of play" as a factor in character building, involving, said the speaker, the questions "When? Where? What? and How?"

"Are the children getting at least two hours of play?" she interrogated of the mothers, fathers and teachers of little folks present.

"Where are they playing, in yard or street, field or park? Have they a suitable place?"

"What are they playing? Do you know? Have you a general idea? Are they playing games that will give them wholesome pleasure, or are they reproducing wrong standards?"

How are they playing? Abiding by the rules of the game, or practicing cheating? Good community play life is supremely important to the children.

"Are there good moving picture films in your community, films that are uplifting?"

"Do you know that in a recent survey of 388 films only 35 were found that were free from objectionable features?"

In conclusion, emphasis was laid on the necessity for closest co-operation between parents and teachers and others interested in the best development of child life, in order to secure

CLUB NEWS

What Women Are Accomplishing in London.

CHOOSE JEWISH ROOM.

A committee consisting of Mrs. D. Rose, Mrs. B. Lewis, Mrs. I. Goldstick and Mrs. M. Fishbein, representing the London Hadassah Chapter, visited the War Memorial Hospital Tuesday afternoon to choose the room endowed by the Jewish people of London.

for the little children the rights that are their due, rights for children that are neither "all bad as a certain type of theologian once taught," or "all good as Froebel maintained," but "born with tendencies for both good and evil."

Not an Appendix.

Rev. F. W. K. Harris opened his address by registering a protest against the teaching that religion is something to be tacked to a boy or girl as a kind of appendix at the age of fifteen or sixteen, and that at the end of their days, be they twenty or sixty years, they will be judged on this.

"The spiritual life is there when the children are born, only awaiting development," he declared, maintaining that this was absolute proof of the fallacy of evolution from the lower animal to higher human form of life.

The importance of adapting religious or spiritual teaching to the age and understanding of the child was urged as much a scientific necessity, in order to get desirable results, he held, as giving the child the development of the body. The fully was pointed out at making mistakes in this respect, with so much valuable information available in the way of books and study courses for both parents and teachers.

With regard to teachers, he named character as the chief qualification. "I am not one," he said, "who believes that teachers of the Sabbath School must be thoroughly trained. At the same time he recognized the fact that all volunteers are not fitted for work they offer to undertake, and that teachers should be carefully chosen.

With Christian experience as an essential the teacher, he stated, should know and understand the pupils, know what they were going to teach, and how to present their material.

A plea was also made for the "prepared scholar," and parents urged to attend to this part.

Would Revise Architecture.

Criticism was launched at the congregation which spends all on ornate church auditorium and trappings, relegating the Sabbath School, in his opinion that most vital part of the church life, to the basement or back quarters. "We need church architects who know the value of the child life, and will work out plans accordingly," he said.

Further, Mr. Harris would cut down on some of the elaborate music and other features, in order to insure proper equipment for the church school, and a library that would be a real guide to the teachers.

Mrs. Knox gave two numbers especially appropriate to the occasion: "The Parables of Caldon Low," which, she stated, illustrated perfect frankness between mother and daughter, teaching the lessons of love and service. A selection from Barrie's "Margaret Ogilvie," the story of his own mother, contained the lesson in the closing lines. "She was sent into the world to open the minds of all who looked into her eyes to beautiful thoughts."

In the opening prayer, the petition of Mrs. Alex. Harvey, Jr., struck the keynote of the gathering, "Give us wider vision of the needs of children, wider vision of our work."

Afternoon tea was served by the London Children's Work Board, of which Miss A. E. Wright is chairman, Miss M. Young, 91 Becher street, secretary.

Following the afternoon session, Miss Laine met teachers of children in the church schools of the city at a supper served in the gymnasium of St. Andrew's Hall by the Ladies' Aid, a conference on methods of work following.

Woman is more subject to ill, ailments and diseases than the male sex, yet she lives longer.

Personals

Mrs. C. S. Hyman was a bridge hostess Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. H. Herrington, Piccadilly street, was a bridge hostess Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Leonard Townsend, Ridout street, was the hostess of two tables of bridge Monday afternoon, given in honor of Mrs. J. Rigney of Kingston.

Mrs. J. R. Mitchell, "Rosemary Lodge," Broughdale, left Monday for Seattle, Washington, where she will spend the summer months the guest of Mrs. Frederic W. Talbot.

Mrs. George Macdonald is opening her home at 240 Hyman street for a tea to be given by the Ladies' Aid of St. Andrew's Church from 4 to 6 o'clock on Tuesday, May 23.

Miss Clara McPhillips, Hayman Court, left Monday to spend two weeks in Toronto the guest of her brother, Mr. Frank McPhillips. While there she will attend the Woodbine races.

Mrs. J. J. Roach has returned from Brantford, where she attended the meeting of the Provincial Social Service Council of Ontario, representing the London Catholic Women's League.

The annual meeting of the University Women's Club takes place Friday evening of this week, election of officers and discussion of a program of work for next season constituting the chief business.

Mrs. Ralph Masterman (Jean Macdonald) with her little son Bobbie has arrived from Winnipeg, and is visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George L. Macdonald, 240 Hyman street.

Mrs. W. G. McCulloch of Pittsburg, accompanied by her little daughter Mary and baby son, Alfred William, has arrived in town to spend the summer with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Talbot, King street.

After spending the week-end in London, Capt. and Mrs. Beresford and Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Lancaster motored to Chatham, and were accompanied by Miss Kathleen Coles, who will spend several days there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Blair, Queen's avenue, announce the engagement of their daughter Laura to Mr. Fred W. Currie, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Currie of this city, the marriage to take place in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Laur, 258 St. James street, announce the engagement of their daughter Helen Rietla to Bart Charlton Loft of London, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. John Loft of Ilford, the marriage to take place this month.

The engagement is announced of Florence Isabel, eldest daughter of the late David James Cowan and Mrs. Cowan, "Birchhill," Talbot street, to Mr. George Reginald Grange, London, son of the late A. W. Grange, Esq., and Mrs. Grange of Napanee, the marriage to take place early in June.

The Epworth League of the Central Church held a delightful social Monday evening in the Sunday schoolroom of the church. The excellent arrangements were in charge of Mrs. E. Tufts. A reading by Mrs. C. T. Allen was an interesting feature of the evening, and following games a dainty supper was served.

Miss Gertrude Manley, a talented young musician of London, has passed with first-class honors her Toronto Conservatory of Music examinations, receiving the degree of A. T. C. M. Miss Manley has been a pupil in the musical department of the Ursuline College of Arts (Brescia Hall), studying under Mother M. Lucy.

Meeting Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Cameron Wilson, the executive of the Victorian Order of Nurses conferred the appointment of Miss A. Hiles, who has just completed her public health nursing course in the Western University, as a member of the local staff of nurses, to succeed Mrs. Florence Evans, who has tendered her resignation and is leaving for her home in Northern Ontario next week. Gratification was expressed that of the nine nurses who have taken the course seven have signified their desire to associate themselves with the Victorian Order.

"The Beeches" South London, was the scene of a delightful affair Tuesday afternoon, when Mrs. W. G. Coles entertained the members of the Soldiers' Wives' League at a farewell tea in honor of the advisory president, Mrs. H. A. Panet, who leaves London the latter part of the month. The spacious room was bright with spring flowers, geraniums and purple and white lilacs held in baskets decked the tea room, and verbenas, roses and lily-of-the-

Has Resigned



MRS. G. B. SAGE.

The first meeting ever held out of town by the Huron Diocesan branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the M. S. C. C., is marked by the resignation from office of Mrs. G. B. Sage, who has been the capable and untiring president for many years, serving before that from the time of the organization of the branch as treasurer. She succeeded the first president, Mrs. Baldwin. Her successor will be announced Wednesday afternoon to the branch by the Bishop of Huron, who is making the appointment.

valley gracefully arranged in a bowl centered the tea table, where Mrs. Arthur Little and Mrs. McCrimmon presided. In the living-rooms brightly colored tulips were used. A happy feature of the afternoon was the presentation of a corsage by Miss Patricia and little Master Ian Coles to the guest of honor, who looked charming in a gown of black radium silk and a black hat. Mrs. Leonard Townsend and Misses Priscilla Ball and Isabel and Marian Coles were tea room assistants. Among the guests were noticed Mrs. A. A. Campbell, the president, Mrs. Jeffrey Hale, Mrs. T. H. Smallman, Mrs. Eaton, Mrs. Mortimore, Miss A. Stevenson, Mrs. Archie Becher and Madame Curmi.

Members of the 7th Regiment Chapter, I. O. O. E., are participating with interest in the bridge and tea in the officers' quarters of the armories, for which arrangements have been made by a special committee. Mrs. Thomas Coffey, Mrs. T. H. Smallman, Mrs. C. A. Whitlam and Mrs. E. B. Smith will pour out tea. The regent, Mrs. F. H. Butler, will receive. The proceeds are in aid of chapter funds.

An event of convocation week which promises to be most interesting and enjoyable is the garden party in the university grounds, which the Faculty Club and University Alumnae are giving together for the graduating students and the staffs of the faculties in theology, arts, medicine and public health on Tuesday afternoon, May 23, from 3:30 to 5:30 o'clock. The tea table will be placed in a favorite trysting place beneath the old apple tree which overlooks the river. Mrs. Arthur Little, Mrs. Sherwood Fox, Mrs. J. W. Crane, Mrs. C. C. Waller, Miss Grace Hill and Miss Susan Blackburn are doing the honors. Miss Catharine Sabine, president of the Alumnae, and Miss Grace Hill, president of the Faculty Club, will receive. The university orchestra, conducted by Miss Helen Patterson, will be stationed on the veranda, and will play during the entertainment. A feature which will appeal to the graduating students will be the forecasting of futures for them by Mrs. Margaret Clarke Russell, poetess, who, on this occasion, will don the garb and role of a gipsy oracle.

Generous Friends Endow Wards, Cots, Rooms, Cribs in Children's Hospital

The War Memorial Children's Hospital committee has supplied a complete list of wards, rooms, cots and cribs which have been endowed to date in the hospital, which is rapidly nearing completion.

Both the hospital committee and the canvass committee have been much cheered this week by large subscriptions that have come in, hastening the day when the institution will be able to receive and give healing treatment to little children. The list is as follows:

Col. W. M. Gartschore, ward, \$10,000.
Mrs. Geo. Gibbons, sun porch, 5,000.
Municipal Chapter, sun porch, 5,000.
Anonymous, sun porch, 5,000.
London Branch of Canadian Red Cross, 5,000.

ROOMS—\$2,500 Each.

Lord Roberts Chapter, I.O.D.E.

St. Col. Campbell Becher Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Princess Patricia Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Mrs. Emery, Jacksonville, Florida.

Mr. W. Spencer, London.

Mocha Temple, Mystic Shriners.

Royal Arch Masons.

Mr. John Cooper, Belle River.

Teasdale Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Mothers' Clubs, London.

Overseas Chapter, I.O.D.E.

T. B. Escott, London, Ont.

Jewish Society, London.

Commercial Travelers' Association.

Mr. Ray Lawson.

Mr. W. E. Robinson.

Endowment to the executive of War Memorial Children's Hospital.

Committee: Mrs. A. H. Smith, Mrs. F. J. Greenaway, Mrs. Cl. T. Campbell.

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Local Council of Women.

Mr. J. I. A. Hunt.

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Abigail Becher Club Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Lord Elgin Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Sir John Carling Chapter, I.O.D.E.

C.E.F. Returned Chapter, I.O.D.E.

and G.W.V.A.

Nightingale Club.

Victoria Alumnae.

East Lambton Women's Institutes.

Westminster Township.

Mrs. J. C. Duffield, London, Ont.

Knight's Columbus.

London Township.

7th Regiment Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Isabel Hampton Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Senator Coffey Chapter, I.O.D.E.

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Miss Buckle, London.

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Mr. Frank White.

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Princess Mary wedding gift fund.

CRIBS—\$500 Each.

Mocha Patrol of Shriners.

Trinity Chapter, No. 64, Order of Eastern Star.

Birch Women's Institute.

Old Golf Club.

Mr. Emerson Nicholls.

Rumsey Chapter, I.O.D.E.

Delaware Patriotic League.

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Mrs. C. H. Ivey.

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Queen Mary Daughters of British Empire, Jacksonville, Florida.
Cynthia Grey (Advertiser).
Mr. Victor J. Blackwell, in memory of Mrs. Blackwell.

Some people or organizations may be considering endowments, but have not written me to make it official.

Discuss Ways to Aid Vacant Lot Gardens

Women's Labor Party Approve Council's Action—Adopts Attractive Plan.

Members of the Women's Labor party are rejoicing that action has been taken by the council at last with regard to the lining-up of vacant lots for gardening, as was done in war time, through the appointment of a special committee of the council, composed of Ald. F. R. Watkinson, 1041 Dundas street, telephone 3256J, as convener, and associated with him, Ald. (Dr.) L. Seale Holmes, City Clerk Baker, officially notified Mrs. Fred White, Quebec street, president of the Women's Labor party, Tuesday, and discussion with regard to this and what can be done to advance the project will be a feature of the meeting Wednesday evening by the labor women's organization.

"We are delighted," said Mrs. White to "The Advertiser," "at this evidence of interest on the part of the city. Knowing the success that attended the movement when ex-Ald. Manness took hold in war time, we felt that many families should reap the benefit next winter, if they will go into gardening seriously this summer. After the experiences of hardship of the past winter of such a lot of families, it seems to me they should be delighted at an opportunity to grow potatoes at least, for which there is plenty of time yet."

With regard to land available, City Clerk Baker states that all he definitely knows about is included in the two sewer farms, the East London one, where magnificent gardens grew in war-thrift days, and also the west end sewer farm.

"Aldermen Watkinson and Holmes probably are lining up vacant properties in the city," said Mr. Baker. The Women's Labor party, which is growing apace, has had special badge-pins made, and these will be distributed this week, a price, just covering the cost of manufacture, to be charged for each.

HOLD SALE, DANCE LEG - BAONE DAY

Celebrating the Leg-Baone Day, a Jewish holiday, the London Hadassah Chapter held a dance and sale of home-cooking Tuesday evening in the Alma Block Hall, in aid of the War Memorial Children's Hospital.

The rooms, decorated with flags, the streamers of blue and white, chapter colors, with the assistants dressed in Red Cross costumes, with six-cornered blue stars on their caps and aprons, presented a gay scene. Following the sale of tempting home-cooking, which was donated by the members, dancing to excellent music was enjoyed until a late hour. The excellent arrangements were in charge of Mrs. M. Fishbein, president of the chapter, who was ably assisted by Mrs. I. Goldstick, Mrs. Packer, Mrs. W. Wilensky, Miss Leah Lewis, Mrs. T. Fox, Mrs. Perrin, Mrs. Bardenstein, Mrs. B. Lewis, Mrs. I. Cohen, Mrs. M. Matthews and Mrs. Markovitz.

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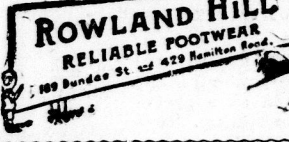
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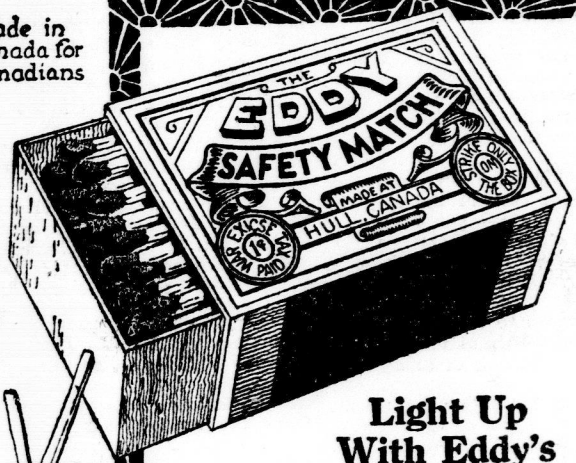
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Linda Lee, Inc.

by LOUIS JOSEPH VANCE

Seated in Section 10, waiting for the porter to bring back his personal impedimenta from the drawing-room. Harry Lontaine turned a handsome face to the window, frowning absent-mindedly.

From this delectable realm the dreamer was recalled by consciousness of somebody standing in the aisle and staring imperiously. Lontaine was too diligent a student of motion pictures not to know at sight the features of Lynn Summerlad, by long odds the most popular male star of the cinema. A personage worth knowing.

Misreading his expression, Mr. Summerlad felt called upon to apologize.

"Beg your pardon, but I was expecting to find a lady in this section, I may say a friend, a Mrs. Bruce. Do you by any chance—?"

Lynn Summerlad, made a fourth at the bridge table set up that afternoon in the Lontaine drawing-room; invited by Lontaine as an acquaintance of Lucinda's, and a grateful addition to the party because he played something better than merely a good game.

Not only "fearfully easy to look at" (as Fanny confided to Lucinda), but fair spoken and well, if at times a shade carefully mannered, he was intelligent and ready of wit.

By nightfall of the second day it was possible for Lucinda to make up her mind that she liked Lynn Summerlad decidedly. True he was not of her world, but then neither was she herself any longer.

If Summerlad's character as she read it had faults, if an occasional crudity flawed his finish, these things were held to be condonable in view of his youth. He seemed richly and sensibly young to Lucinda, but sure to improve with age, sure to take on polish from rubbing up against life. Especially if he were so fortunate as to find the right woman to watch over and advise him. An interesting job, for the right woman.

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Fanny, too, was apparently hanging between hope and fear.

And the thought revived that had once or twice presented itself, the suspicion that all was not as well as one might wish with the state of the Lontaine fortunes, strengthening the surmise that Lucinda's decision meant more to them both than Lontaine had confessed.

Still one hesitated to believe.

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HAM SCRAPS

Little scraps of ham work up into most delicious and attractive—made dishes.

Cold boiled or broiled ham is best to use. Ham that has been fried has a stronger taste that is rather unpleasant in a dish that must be cooked.

Pres the pounded meat firmly in a sterilized jar, strain over the tried-out fat, let stand till cool. Cover the meat with the fat to the depth of at least one-fourth inch. If there is not enough ham fat to completely cover the ham add lard. When cool cover tightly and store in a cold place. This ham is excellent for sandwiches. The amount of ham can be doubled and used in this way.

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Two tablespoons butter, ½ cup stale soft bread crumbs, 2-3 cup milk, ½ cup chopped cooked ham, 1 dessertspoon minced parsley, 2 eggs, ½ teaspoon pepper.

Melt butter, add bread crumbs and milk and cook, stirring constantly till perfectly smooth. Add ham, parsley, pepper and eggs slightly beaten. Remove from fire and turn into individual molds. Small custard cups will answer. Set in a pan of water, cover with buttered paper and bake half an hour in a moderate oven. Turn out of molds on to a hot platter and surround with white sauce to which two hard boiled eggs have been added.

Ham Mixture—Two tablespoons butter, 2 tablespoons flour, ¼ teaspoon curry powder, ½ cup boiling water, 1 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 4 tablespoons tomato catsup, ½ cup chopped ham.

Melt butter and cook over a slow fire till brown. Add flour and stir over a hot fire till brown. Add curry powder and cook a few minutes. Add boiling water slowly, add Worcestershire sauce and catsup. Stir thoroughly, but do not let boil after adding meat. Use immediately. Cold boiled ham is preferable to broiled or fried ham.

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THE MAN-IN-THE-MOON IS OLD AND RAGGED

[By Olive Roberts Barton.]

"How are you, Nancy? Pleased to meet you, Nick!" said Mr. Peersabout pleasantly.

The door of the tumble-down hut under the silver trees opened, and a funny, queer, ragged, little old man appeared, to the Twins' astonished eyes.

"What a queer servant the Man-in-the-Moon keeps," thought they. It was bad enough to find that his highness lived in such a miserable place when the rest of the moon was so magnificent, but this was still worse; they had visited a good many royal people on their adventures, and never yet had they been admitted by a footman so poorly clad.

"Ha, ha, ha! Ho, ho, ho!" chuckled the queer, ragged person who looked for all the world like a jolly, fat friar. "Here's company, and you're as welcome as poverty."

"How are you, Nancy? Pleased to meet you, Nick," said Mr. Peersabout pleasantly, winking one eye and then the other. "Did you have a pleasant journey?"

The Mushroom answered for them. "Very! Very nice, sir! The Fairy Queen sent the Twins to help you after she read your note."

While they were talking, the Twins couldn't help noticing the Moon-Man's ragged clothes, his bare feet, long beard and head as bald as a dinner-platter.

"(To Be Continued.)"

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"But you can't be serious! Do you really want me to become a movie actress under your management?"

"You can't think of anything I wouldn't do to persuade you," Summerlad urged. "It would be great fun for you; and you can't fail, you can't lose anything. If you only knew how inferior most stars are to you in every way."

"And if you should fail, Cindy?" Fanny chimed in. "Doesn't that matter?"

"Why would it?" Lucinda asked. "I wouldn't be you, it would be Lucinda Lee."

"No," Lontaine insisted. "I've got a better screen name than that for her. Not Lucinda; Linda Lee."

"Come, Mrs. Lee; say you'll try it on, if only for the lark of it," Summerlad, it wouldn't be for fun.

"So much the better,"

"Then you will?" Lontaine persisted. "Do say yes."

"Let me think."

And why not? Lucinda asked herself. She was alone in the world, needed her help, or seemed to be needed for fun, it would be interesting, it would satisfy a need of which she had been discontented, aware even in the days when she had yet to dream of leaving home.

And even as Fanny had argued—if she should fail and have to give it up, who would care what had become of "Linda Lee?"

"Very well," she said at length, with an uncertain smile—"suppose we try."

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MUCH white satin ribbon in different widths enters into this sartorial composition, which is submitted as the very latest thing in bridal costumes.

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HAS WESTERN ONTARIO ANY GENTLEMEN?

WHEN ONE MAN is able to describe another fully by saying simply that he is a "gentleman," the man so named is universally considered to have been paid the highest compliment that could be paid by one man to another.

Evidently, then, it must be something worth while to be a gentleman. But what is a gentleman? Who can answer the conundrum?

Can the attributes of a gentleman be noticed on first sight, or is a certain degree of intimacy necessary by the observer before a man can be said to be a gentleman? These are absorbing questions, when you pause to consider the subject, so think it over and write The London Advertiser your conclusions, and help decide the question whether Western Ontario has any gentlemen or not. Remember the contest closes noon Wednesday, May 24.

The London Advertiser is offering \$5 for the best definition and \$1 for each of the next best five. Already over two hundred and fifty readers have sent in answers. The Advertiser will print many of the answers.

COMMENTS SEARCH.

Your search for the "perfect" gentleman is a commendable project, but I imagine it will prove fruitless. The "perfect" gentleman simply does not exist, at least, not on this earth.

Perhaps when Marconi gets within radio-distance of Mars he may find one singing on that planet, but never on this one.

Please do not imagine I am, as the poet says, "hurting the cynic's ban," for I speak without prejudice or malice. With apologies to those gentlemen who, though not perfect, are still worthy the title gentleman, I wish you very good luck.

GOOD, LOVING BOYS.

The first part of the word, gentle, is kind, good, loving, loyal, true. I know some splendid husbands and fathers who will come under this head.

Man, said to be the noblest work of God, so could not do much that's wrong! But all are not men as we know them, and a large majority of them are just males.

If a man is "a new creature in Christ," then he has a nature that will not allow much that's wrong. Just as a rose bush will not, cannot, bring forth lilac blossoms, so a real man will live the triumphant life.

It's only fair to any man that his wife or connections should do their part, some of the time at least. A gentleman has most of the virtues of humanity—he is rich or poor, educated or illiterate. "First to think own self be true, and then it follows as the day the night, thou canst not then be false to any man."

RESIST ALL EVIL.

In my opinion a perfect gentleman is a man that possesses enough good will power to control any evil temptation that may come before him.

A man that thinks twice before he condemns the conduct of others, for he must not think that he alone is the sole person that is perfect, for no man is.

And, lastly, be ever ready to do unto others as he would have others do unto him.

In my opinion, if he possesses the above faculties he would be a perfect gentleman.

F. E. D.
Zurich, Ont.

HELPS FALLEN.

A real and true gentleman is one that will help the fallen and those that are in need. MRS. JOE PICE.
R. R. No. 6, Strathroy, Ont.

VISUALIZES LIFE.

In defining a gentleman I would say that a gentleman must needs have had a vision of the possibilities and greatness of life. This consciousness of his kingship will, in the end, dignify, poise, courtesy, honor, refinement and self-control.

Instinctively he will turn from all that is impure, unkind or dishonorable.

He must have self-knowledge, self-reverence, self-control, which alone lead to sovereign power.

As a rule gentlemen are born, not made.

St. Marys.

MIND OWN BUSINESS.

My idea of a gentleman is one who knows how to mind his own business, and does not try to force his ideas, such as prohibition, on others who do not agree with them. I also like him to be able to take a drink or a smoke if he wishes it, pay his lawful debts, insist in a nice, quiet way that his wife does not run about with other men, and above all see that his mother-in-law leaves him

alone.

JEAN KENNEDY.
R. R. No. 1, Lucknow, Ont.

Radio Radiations

Amateurs are requested to make their queries as brief as possible to facilitate the publication and answering of the questions. Address your communications to the Radio Editor, The London Advertiser.

BY RADIO EDITOR.

A NUMBER of amateurs are using a receiving set with a single vacuum tube detector. With little expense they could add an amplifier to this receiver and greatly increase their reception.

The diagram shows an amplifying unit which can be constructed for such a set.

No. 1 represents two wires leading from the telephone binding posts of the detector set to the input binding posts of the amplifier.

Telephone Jack.

No. 2 is a telephone jack, similar to the one used on a line telephone switch board. It may be purchased at a reasonable price in any radio supply store.

The plug for the jack is attached to the telephone cords. When one wants to listen in on the detector only, he plugs in and cuts out the amplifying circuit automatically.

No. 3 is an audio frequency transformer. "A" represents its primary and "B" its secondary.

No. 4—An amplifying vacuum or "hard" tube.

No. 5—Filament rheostat.

No. 6—A 45-volt "B" battery.

No. 7—Six-volt storage battery.

No. 8—Another telephone jack.

The six-volt "A" battery used for the detector tube may be used also for the amplifier.

The fur seal industry of the Pribilof islands yields the United States government from \$1,000,000 to \$2,000,000 annually.

Cowan's Special Announcement

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Vario Couplers	\$10.00	Tube Sockets	\$1.25
Variometers	\$10.00	Amplifying Transformers	\$7.50
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Insulators	15c	Two Stage Amplifier Sets	\$50.00
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Phone Plugs	\$1.75		
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PLAN MEMORIAL ON CITY SQUARE

Members of G. W. V. A. Discuss Question At Meeting.

Col. W. G. Coles Is Re-elected President of the Association.

Believing that some permanent recognition for the thousands of soldiers from London who fought for their country in France is necessary, and deploring the fact that something has not already been done, the members of the Great War Veterans' Association, at a general meeting, in their club rooms, Tuesday evening, discussed the plan suggested by one of the members, of the city donating a part of the Federal Square for the erection of a memorial.

Although no motions were made the members expressed favor of the plan. It is quite likely that further discussion will be made on the question at the next meeting of the association. The part suggested for the erection of a memorial was about sixty feet alongside the armories facing Dundas street.

Re-elect Coles President.
W. G. Coles was re-elected president by a standing vote at the meeting, which was largely taken up with nominations. W. G. Coles has held the presidency of the association for the past four and half years.

Harry Wray acted as chairman when nominations for president were called. In speaking of Mr. Coles, Mr. Wray stated that he was the largest man in the association for the president's chair, and that he always attended promptly to any question affecting an ex-veteran.

In a brief reply Mr. Coles thanked the veterans for re-electing him to office, and said that he would continue in the future as he had in the past. He expressed the opinion that by the members working to get new members, and by bringing back some of the old members to the fold, that the association would soon attain its old standing, and he hoped that in

WAS TROUBLED WITH HER LIVER FOR OVER 4 MONTHS

When the liver becomes slow, sluggish and torpid it is not working properly and does not supply sufficient bile to thoroughly act on the contents of the system, off the waste products of the system, hence the bowels become clogged up, the bile gets into the blood, constipation sets in and liver troubles follow, among which are sick or bilious headaches, heartburn, water brash, jaundice, floating spots before the eyes, pain under the right shoulder, coated tongue, bad breath, yellow eyes, etc.

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Graying hair ages a young face and makes you seem much older than you are. Restore it to its original natural color and look 10 years younger. This is simple, sure and easy, no risk of the streaked, discolored, frizzy hair which is a curse to many women. Nothing to wash or rub off. A free trial bottle of Mary T. Goldman's Hair Color Restorer, a clear, colorless liquid, clean water. Be sure to state exactly the natural color of your hair. Better, enclose a lock in your letter. Test as directed on single lock and see results. Then get full-sized bottle at drugstore or direct.

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Lives 99 Years Without Knowing Illness

SARNIA, May 16.—After living nearly a century without knowing what illness meant, William Broughton of Sarnia Township, was forced to spend the last week of his lifetime in bed and died yesterday at the age of 99. Had he lived till the 24th of May he would have achieved the century.

He was born in England, and came to Canada in 1870. For a time he lived at Hamilton and Simcoe, moving to Sarnia Township in 1877, there to pursue his calling as a market gardener.

12 months they would find themselves in new quarters.

Nominations Made.

The others members nominated were: H. Wray and Colonel W. J. Brown, first vice-president; A. E. Foster was elected by acclamation to the office of second vice-president.

T. H. Greenleaf was elected treasurer. Those nominated for the executive were:

H. Wray, F. J. Holme, A. Ward, E. Aikens, A. W. McKim, J. Broadbridge, A. Lawrence, W. Falsham, J. H. C. Woodward, H. Clements, D. Finlayson, A. M. Judd, W. J. O'Brien and J. D. K. Black.

The nominations for the house committee were: F. Vauden, A. Noble, D. Guthrie, Sister D. Thompson, T. L. Watts, Comrade Foreman, J. H. Saunders, H. Clements, J. W. Cunniff, H. Ryder, H. V. Wilson and G. Faulkner.

MAY STOP STREET SALE OF ICE CREAM

Stratford City Council Discusses Protest Entered by Women.

Special to London Advertiser.

STRATFORD, May 16.—At the last sitting of the city council a bylaw was discussed prohibiting the sale of ice cream by street vendors.

Mr. Deacon voiced the objection of the women to the sale of ice cream from wagons on the street, on the grounds that it was insanitary and a menace to the health of the children, besides being a disturbing element. She quoted instances where people had become sick after eating ice-cream purchased from these wagons, and concluded by saying that from their investigations they were convinced that the mothers of the city did not want the practice continued.

Committees are being formed to make arrangements for the joint picnic of the Big Four brotherhoods.

Three men from each society will constitute a committee, and a meeting will be called in the near future to complete arrangements. The brotherhoods represented on the committee are the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, Order of Railroad Conductors and Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.

The night traffic, which for the past few weeks has been quite heavy, again shows decrease. Officials of this division state that the cause lies in the fact that the farmers are now engaged in seeding operations. A decline in the volume of farm products is always in evidence at this time of the year, officials state, and this, coupled with the fact that little construction work is going on and only small quantities of building materials being removed, account largely for the decrease. With the strike of the United States coal miners still lingering, little coal is moved, and this also has an important bearing on the situation.

ASKS FAIR WAGE CLAUSE

Stratford Labor Council Sends Resolution to Civic Bodies.

Special to London Advertiser.

STRATFORD, May 16.—Owing to the financial condition of the trades and labor council, and owing to the need for economy during the present year, that body at its regular meeting decided to take no action toward the celebration of Labor Day here.

The council went on record as being in favor of a fair wage clause being inserted in all contracts entered into by the city council, school boards and other civic bodies, where the money for such work comes directly from the general taxes of the city.

HENRY GUNSON, 82, DIES IN ADELAIDE

Special to London Advertiser.

STRATHROY, May 16.—Henry Gunson, one of the oldest settlers of this district, died at his home in Adelaide Township today after a week's illness. He was in his 83rd year.

He was born in Ireland and came to Canada 68 years ago, settling first near Arva, in London Township. Six sons and two daughters survive him, including two sons and one daughter at home, the others residing in Wyoming State, and the province of Saskatchewan.

The funeral will be held Thursday afternoon from the family residence, Sarnia road, to Strathroy cemetery.

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PAY LAST TRIBUTE TO T. A. M'MAHEN

Throngs Attend Funeral of Prominent London Businessman.

One of the most impressive funerals in the history of the city was that Tuesday afternoon, of Thornton A. McMahon, prominent businessman, and head of the firm of McMahon and Craner, wholesale drygoods merchants, who died suddenly of heart-failure, Sunday, while visiting his mother and sister in Hamilton.

The services were conducted at the residence, 501 Colborne street, by Rev. D. C. MacGregor, of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church, and Rev. W. Galbraith, of Thamesford. Rev. Mr. MacGregor's service was short. During the prayer he referred to the sterling character of Mr. McMahon, and the fact he was always a liberal giver to the charitable and other organizations working in the interests of the public.

"The death of Mr. McMahon is widely regretted, and it will be extremely hard, if it is possible to fill the position which Mr. McMahon held in the business and social world," stated Rev. MacGregor.

The funeral tributes were many, and were received from all parts of the province.

Many out-of-town friends attended the funeral, and representatives were present from practically all the manufacturing mills in Canada.

Interment was made in the Mausoleum at Woodland Cemetery.

The honorary pallbearers were: Mayor Cameron Wilson, James Granger, John M. Dillon, Major G. J. Ingram, Arthur T. Little and Police Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon.

The active pallbearers were: G. H. Montgomery, W. C. Falls, C. M. Taylor, O. H. Gidley, J. T. Tambling and A. E. Coates.

Brantford Civic Officials Plan Motorization of Fire Department

Special to London Advertiser.

BRANTFORD, May 16.—Ald. A. M. Harley stated this morning that the special finance committee of the city council would probably recommend the discontinuance of the east end fire hall. The question has been discussed at several meetings of the committee, and it is felt that the introduction of motor-propelled apparatus can make the trip in a fraction of the time formerly taken by the

horse-drawn trucks.

It is intended to replace the horse-drawn truck at the central station by motor apparatus, so that the citizens will be better served under the new order.

It is understood that the committee is in communication with the fire underwriters with regard to the above proposition.

The reductions to be made in civic salaries and wages are being carefully considered by the committee, but no announcement is forthcoming.

BLENNHEIM WOMAN FALLS, FRACTURING LEFT LIMB

Mrs. Robert Wright, Seized With Dizzy Spell, Sustains Severe Injury.

BLENNHEIM, May 15.—Mrs. Robert Wright was removed last night to a Chatham hospital suffering with a fractured leg. Mrs. Wright was out taking a short walk yesterday afternoon with her companion, Miss Wade.

They were within a block of her home when Mrs. Wright took a dizzy spell and fell on the lawn beside the sidewalk. When she was lifted it was found that she suffered great pain in her left leg close to the thigh joint. She was conveyed to her home and the family physician summoned. It was found on examination that she had suffered a severe fracture of the leg near the thigh. She was removed to the hospital, where the fracture was set, and report is that she is resting as well as can be expected.

PLAN ERECTION OF MEMORIAL

Special to London Advertiser.

TILLSONBURG, May 16.—A joint meeting of the Tillsonburg Fair

Board and the town council was held today relative to several suggested changes in the fair grounds.

It is likely that the cattle sheds will be moved to the west side of the grounds and a new main entrance be made one block south of the present location to make room for the large midway. The fair board has already decided to spend a large sum of money in improving the race track, which will be lowered to make it one of the fastest half-mile tracks in Western Ontario, and thousands of dollars will be offered in prize money.

Some 40 merchants participated in the annual dollar day here today and enjoyed the biggest day's business since the inception of dollar day eight years ago. From early morning Broadway and adjoining streets were packed with hundreds of autos from every direction, and business was very brisk throughout the day. No special features were used to attract the crowd outside of straight advertising and good bargains.

The giant bamboo of India, known as the "slowest" crop in the world, blossoms only when it reaches its thirtieth year and then dies.

FRACTURES SKULL IN FALL.

HAMILTON, May 16.—Mrs. Jessie Christie, 205 Cumberland avenue, fell from the third-story window of her home this morning. A veranda broke her fall, and to this is probably due

the fact that she was not killed. An examination showed a fractured skull and a fractured right arm. It is thought Mrs. Christie fell while cleaning the outside of a top-story window.



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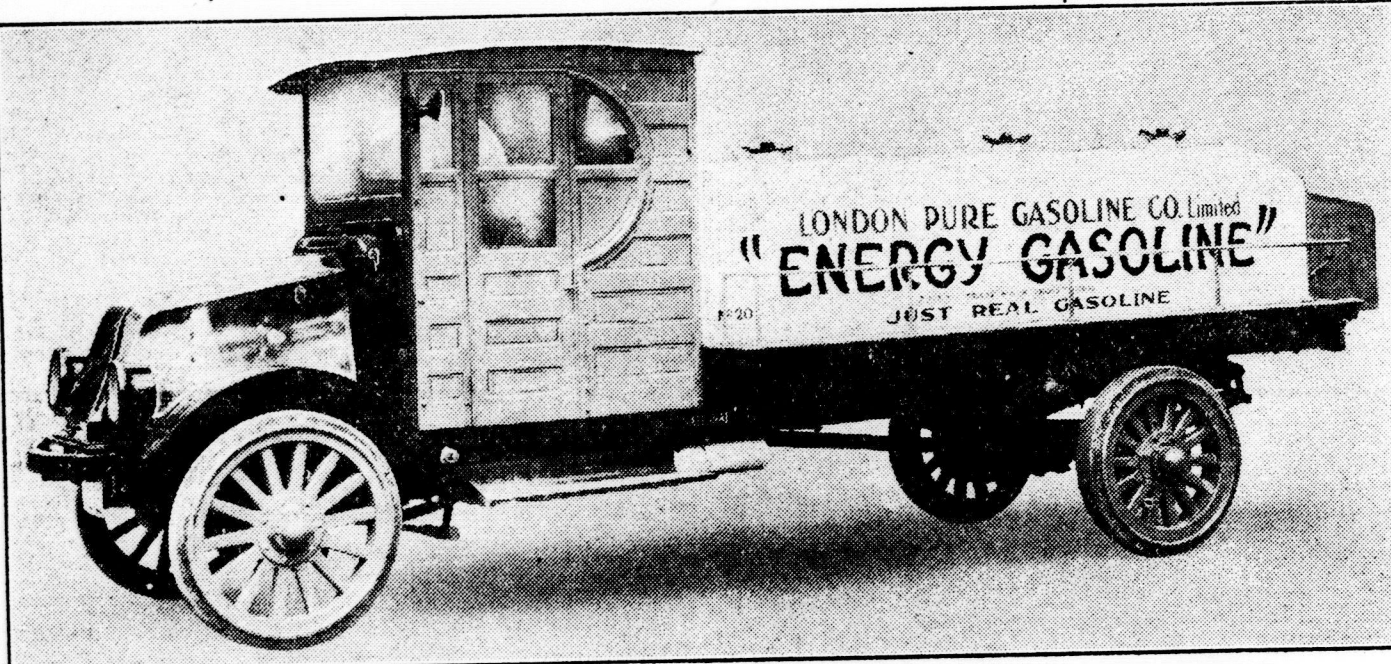
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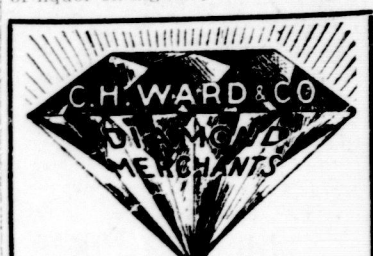
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ONTARIO MEASUREWASHINGTON, May 16.—(By
Canadian Press.)—Federal Prohibition
Director James B. Davis of
Michigan, in conference today with
Prohibition Commissioner Haynes,
praised the co-operation of Ontario
officials in stopping border traffic in
liquor. He called attention to the
fact that in Ontario a bill had been
introduced to prohibit transportation
of liquor on highways.

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MISSIONS SOCIETY
OPENS SESSIONSWomen of Hamilton Methodist
Conference Meet in
Kitchener.

Special to London Advertiser.

KITCHENER, May 16.—The 28th
annual meeting of the Women's Mis-
sionary Society of the Methodist
Church, Hamilton conference branch,
opened its session at Trinity Metho-
dist Church here today. The confer-
ence will continue until Thursday
evening.The executive of the society met
last evening before the opening of the
convention, and this morning's ses-
sion was taken up by a meeting of
superintendents and officers, with the
president of the society, Mrs. G. E.
MacLachlan of Hamilton.The formal opening services were
held this afternoon, and were at-
tended by a much larger crowd of
delegates than were originally ex-
pected.The afternoon was taken up by
addresses by Miss Helene Tasker,
band corresponding secretary, Mrs.
J. H. Rush, circle corresponding sec-
retary, and Mrs. H. R. Bews, cor-
responding secretary, the topic being
"The Story of the Year.""Our Finances" was the subject of
a discourse by Miss Gladys Green,
band treasurer, and Mrs. Grace Tre-
leaven, treasurer.

Honor Roll Unveiled.

The honor roll was unveiled with
impressive ceremonies at 4 o'clock.
The address of welcome was de-
livered by Mrs. U. B. Shantz of this
city. In the evening the delegates
listened to an address on China by
Rev. R. O. Joffe.The annual meeting of Kitchener's
revived board of trade with 100
brand new members is announced
for Wednesday evening, when a large
agenda of business with particular
application to Kitchener and North
Waterloo will be taken up.Prominent on the agenda is the
question of ways and means to ob-
tain better transportation facilities
between Elmhurst, Kitchener, Doon and
Blair on the G. T. R. line.

Wheelmen Plan Meet.

Secretary Rogers and Messrs.
Long, Smith and Copeland of the
Canadian Wheelmen's Association
were in Waterloo today in connec-
tion with an inspection of Waterloo
Park track, which will be used for
the annual meeting of the association
on July 1.The party was taken to the park
by Chairman Devitt of the park
board, and after a thorough investi-
gation of the track expressed entire
satisfaction. They stated that they
would immediately start the work of
putting the track into final shape
for the championship meet.HOLD CONVENTION
OF W. M. S. AT GALTPresident Mrs. Jas. MacGil-
livray of Toronto Opens
Session.GALT, May 16.—The convention of
the General Council of the Women's
Missionary Society of the Presbyter-
ian Church opened this morning in
Knox Church with 150 delegates, and
more arrived during the day, swelling
the representation to practically 200.Mrs. Jas. MacGillivray, of Toronto,
the president, was in the chair at the
opening session with Mrs. Keracher,
president of the Guelph Presbyterian
conducting devotional exercises.
The president in a lengthy report re-
viewed the activities of the council
during the past year and in referring
to some problems to be discussed
emphasized that missionary work was
needed in Canada as well as in the
foreign field.The financial report showed a de-
ficit of \$21,000 for the past year and
\$47,000 for the previous year. \$10,000
had been set aside from the W. M. S.
reserve for a missionary's home,
which had been purchased in Toron-
to. The society has 38 institutions in
the home land and 19 in the fore-
ign field, with a staff of 50. Business
from the 1920 council meeting was
then taken up.At the dinner served in Knox
Church, greetings to the delegates
were extended by Rev. J. Keir Fraser,
in behalf of the ministerial associ-
ation, Mayor S. E. Charlton, S. L.
Clark, president of the board of
trade; H. J. Foster, Mrs. E. B. Os-
borne for the ladies of Galt and Rev.
Geo. Little, of Guelph.The afternoon session was taken
up with business of the organization
and Mission Band departments.

MAY NOT ACCEPT INVITATION.

WASHINGTON, May 16.—Indica-
tions were given at the White House
today that the United States would
not accept the invitation extended
by Great Britain for representation
on a commission to investigate
atrocities by the Turks on the Chris-
tian minorities in Asia Minor as re-
ported by the American Relief Ad-
ministration.

For Quick Sale

\$10,000—Southeast corner Wellington
and Regent streets. This is the finest
residential corner in London. Apply at
once, 1st door south.WORLD NEWS
CUT SHORTPARIS, May 16.—The Figaro on
Thursdays hereafter will print a page
in English for the benefit of Eng-
lish-speaking readers.MADRID, May 16.—The bandit
Raisuli, who recently was forced to
flee from Tazart when Spanish
forces captured the village, has taken
refuge in the sanctuary of Abdes-
salam, where he will be safe from at-
tack, according to dispatches received
here.The government forces will re-
spect his asylum, it is said, but it is
expected that lack of food will soon
compel Raisuli to surrender.LONDON, May 16.—It is reported
here that Austrian government rep-
resentatives are discussing with the
Morgans the possibility of securing
an Austrian government loan in Lon-
don. No definite stage has been
reached yet in the negotiations, which
at present are tentative.Endeavors also are being made to
bring about a settlement of Austrian
banks' debts in England. In the
meantime Austrian exchange in Lon-
don has risen to a new high record of
39,000 crowns for a pound ster-
ling.MEXICO CITY, May 16.—A dis-
patch from Nuevo Laredo asserts that
General Felix Diaz, nephew of the
late President Porfirio Diaz, with
five men left Galveston yesterday by
boat. It is said the party took along
arms and ammunition, which they
expected to land at some obscure
point on the Vera Cruz coast.Five members of the soldier agri-
cultural colony at Minatitlan, Vera
Cruz, who had declared their allegi-
ance to the Rebel General Aleman,
were captured yesterday and shot.
Rebel propaganda has been active in
that region recently.PARIS, May 16.—St. Joan of Arc
Day was celebrated yesterday
throughout France with religious
ceremonies in all the Catholic
churches.There was a large procession in
Paris, made up of children of all the
Catholic schools and members of
Catholic societies. Many thousands
of persons, carrying flags, marched
from the Statue of Joan of Arc in the
Place St. Augustine to the statue in
the Place des Pyramides.At both places flowers were de-
posited and hymns sung.PARIS, May 16.—Early yesterday
a guard on the Paris-Lille express
as the train arrived at Tourcoing,
noticed that the windows of a third-
class compartment had been broken.
Investigating he found in the com-
partment a broken razor covered
with blood and a bloodstained hand-
kerchief. Traces of blood were also
found both inside and outside the
door.The police were notified, and all
the stationmasters between Paris and
Tourcoing were ordered to search
the tracks for a wounded or dead
person or traces of blood. The search,
however, revealed nothing. No witness
has been found who observed a
wounded person leaving the train.Because of the number of daring
hold-ups of passenger trains in all
parts of France in the past year the
police believe that the supposed
crime was the work of robbers.PARIS, May 16.—The famous
Surete Generale has just made an
important capture. Early in 1921 the
police were informed that a foreign
woman whose description and place
of residence were known only ap-
proximately, had during the war re-
ceived repeated visits from German
spies sent her by the Antwerp es-
pionage bureau.After having searched patiently
for more than a year, detectives yester-
day discovered her in the sub-
urb of Aulnay-Sous-Bois, arrested
her and brought her to Paris. Her
name is Elise Krauss. She is a
Bavarian, 35 years old, and has been
a naturalized Frenchwoman since
1910.According to the French police,
the woman played an important part
in the German spy system in France
and was in close and continual re-
lationship with the notorious "White
Lady of Antwerp," from whom she
received large sums of money. Her
cleverness is shown by the fact that
she was able to evade the police for
more than a year after her existence
became known to them.MEXICO CITY, May 16.—Land
totaling more than 1,300,000 acres
has been expropriated by the federal
government in accordance with its
agrarian policy. This is shown by
data contained in a formal protest
filed with President Obregon by the
agricultural congress of the state of
Puebla.Morelos, which is "almost entirely
expropriated," leads in the list, with
the state of Durango, with more than
200,000 acres expropriated, next in
line. The protest, which shows ex-
propriations in every state of the
republic, apparently considers the
vast estate of General Luis Terrazas
as being in a separate category.The protest requests President
Obregon to postpone enforcement of
the agrarian law until modifications
are made, and declares that more
than 75 per cent of the expropriated
lands are now uncultivated.CHERBOURG, May 16.—Passen-
gers on the steamer George Wash-
ington are sanguine that they won
bets on what they declare was an
ocean race between the George
Washington and the Homeric, al-
though the George Washington
reached port today a few minutes
after the arrival of her younger
rival.Both ships left New York on May
6, and immediately there was heavy
betting by wireless between the
ships, which were kept informed of
the exact position of each other at
noon every day. The George Wash-
ington called at Plymouth and re-
mained there for three hours.
Hence the passengers on board this
vessel claim she was the victor, owing
to the longer distance traveled and
the time lost at Plymouth.The officers of both vessels say
there was no race.

Clever Modes for June Brides

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the choice of so many different types of ladies' tailored suits. The
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tle box suit—these at their best in tricotine, make up a distinguished
presentation for June brides.A smart suit of navy tricotine, tux-
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with Peter Pan collar, box style, nar-
row belt across front, patch pockets,
flare cuffs, cuffs, pockets, collar and
back of coat embroidered, two small
box pleats in center back, front edge
finished with pleat, tailored skirt.
Price \$65.00A youthful model in Belgian Blue
Tricotine, tuxedo collar, one button
closing, slashed pockets, belt all
around, embroidered in black and
blue, silk lined, a tailored skirt with
belt. Price \$39.00A tailored model, notched collar,
tailored sleeve, inset pockets, collar,
pockets and edge of coat bound with
braid, narrow belt all around, silk
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lieved In You?, Fox Trot, All Star
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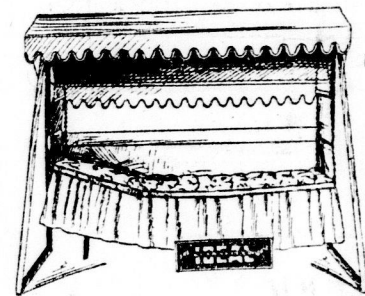
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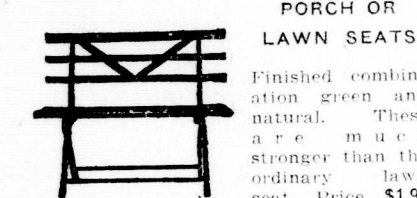
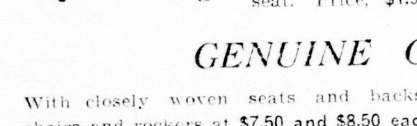
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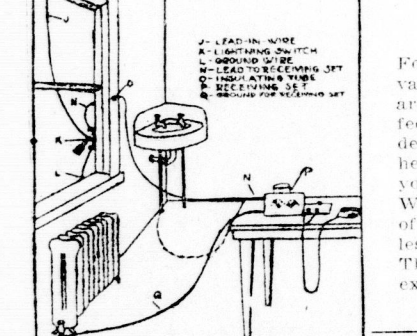
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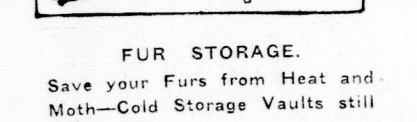
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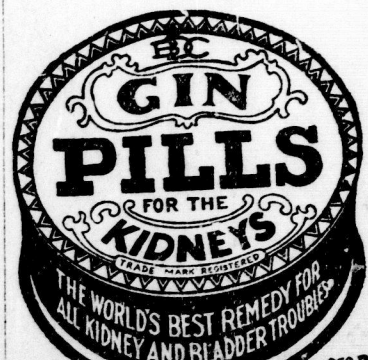
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