

PRIVY COUNCIL'S DECISION ON THE DESPITE MARRIAGE COERCES BISHOP, NOT MONTREAL

Bishop M. F. Fallon Refuses to Make Any Detailed Statement Regarding Matter—Rev. A. L. G. Clarke Agrees With Statements of Bishop Farthing of Montreal.

The privy council's decision in the Tremblay-Despate marriage case does not in the least affect the position of Bishop Fallon in Montreal. He has already declared that he has no intention of making any statement regarding the matter. His position is that of a private citizen, and he is not a member of the privy council. He is not a member of the privy council, and he is not a member of the privy council.

SENATE CHAMBER SPICK AND SPAN FOR OPENING

Presents Handsome Appearance, Although Permanent Decorations Not Complete.

Ottawa, Feb. 12.—All arrangements for the opening of parliament on Monday will be complete by tonight. A large staff of painters, carpenters and decorators are working on the chamber and the galleries. The chamber is now in a very handsome appearance, although permanent decorations are not complete.

The Senate Chamber presents a very handsome appearance, notwithstanding the fact that a considerable amount of the elaborate decorations and carvings remains to be done. The permanent decorations will be done in the meantime, but in the meantime these panels are occupied by a number of the larger canvases of the war memorial collection.

SNOWSTORM DELAYS OPERATION OF STREET CARS IN N. Y. CITIES

Strike in Albany and Troy Continues.

Albany, N.Y., Feb. 12.—The weather has become an important factor in the street car strike in Albany, Troy and nearby municipalities. Upon it apparently depends the immediate ability of the United Traction Company to obey the order of the New Albany board of directors to operate cars despite the strike of its regular force of 1,200 union employees, who quit work two weeks ago because of a 25 per cent wage reduction.

Snow packed hard by the countless automobiles which piled the traction company routes into a solid mass of snow, covered every track this morning to the depth of several inches. Efforts to clear the tracks with snowplows and sweepers proved fruitless. Shortly before 8 o'clock this morning a car, preceded by a gang of twenty strike-breakers, with shovels and picks, came out of the New Albany yards and began to make a laborious attempt to proceed toward the city. By constant use of the picks and shovels the car proceeded at approximately the rate of less than a block an hour.

DEMANDS REFERENDUM ON QUESTION OF FUSION

Vienna, Feb. 12.—Enactment of a law providing for a referendum relative to fusion between the Austrian Republic and Germany has been formally demanded of the Government here by the German Deutsche party. The organization claims that such legislation would be in fulfillment of promises made before the recent election in Austria, and makes its demands in spite of the reported Allied prohibition of movements looking to a union between this country and Germany.

THE WEATHER

Following are the highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night: Highest, 31; lowest, 25. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 28; lowest, 9.

TOMORROW—FAIR AND WARMER. Toronto, Feb. 12.—3 a.m. Forecasts: Generally fair today and on Sunday; higher temperature on Sunday.

URGES PAYING JAIL AT MONTREAL REGULAR WAGE

Winnipeg Grand Jury Would Inaugurate New System.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Winnipeg, Feb. 11.—Employment of prisoners detained in Manitoba jail at wages prevailing for free labor is recommended by the grand jury in its report submitted to Chief Justice Mathers on Friday. Commenting on the recommendation, the chief justice said that prisoners should be given employment on useful public works at fixed wages, and that wages should be paid to their dependents for their own use at their release if they had no dependents.

FORDNEY TARIFF BILL WILL BE CONSIDERED AGAIN IN U. S. SENATE

Advocates of Measure Will Put Up Strong Fight.

Washington, Feb. 12.—The Fordney emergency tariff bill was listed for further consideration in the Senate today after having been shoved aside in favor of appropriation measures. The measure came up today under an agreement reached at the conclusion of a brief debate on Thursday. Whether any progress would be made on the measure today or any real progress for that matter, at this session of Congress, was a question, although proponents had announced their intention to put forth their best efforts in the brief time allowed them.

Ham and Eggs Price Reduced

Montreal, Feb. 12.—The price of ham and eggs is down 10 cents, and the price of all egg orders is down 5 cents today. It was learned that the price of the orders for the lowering of the price on these articles of food had been issued by the head office in New York. It is understood that all the restaurants of the city system will be affected by the new order. Corned beef has with a peached egg, which used to be bought for 40 cents, will now only cost 35 cents. There is also a 10-cent reduction on cups of custard, pudding, stewed apples and other articles of like nature.

FRANK R. BEATTY TO REPRESENT BANKERS ON SUGAR COMMISSION

Havana, Feb. 12.—Frank R. Beatty of the Royal Bank of Canada will represent the bankers interested in the Cuban sugar situation on a special commission of seven men, which has been appointed by presidential decree to have charge of all operations relative to the sale and shipment of the 1929-30 Cuban sugar crop. The organization is to be known as the sugar finance commission. Other members represent the producers of the island, while the organization also includes a member of the cabinet as representative of the Cuban public interest.

RAILWAYS ASKING FOR HUGE DAMAGES

Want British Government to Pay Three-Quarters of a Billion.

London, Feb. 11.—The British Government may have to pay £150,000,000 in claims as a result of its control of the railroads during the war, according to estimates submitted today by a Government committee which investigated the situation. The claims are divided as follows: £20,000,000 for arrears in maintenance, £40,000,000 for abnormal wear and tear, £30,000,000 for the replacement of stores. It is understood the railway companies may make other claims, but that the committee is of the opinion that no others will be admissible.



CONFESSES TO MURDER FOR WHICH ANOTHER WAS LYNCHED

Marion, Ill., Feb. 12.—Settino De Santis, an Italian miner, was hanged yesterday for the murder of Amel Calcaterra and Tony Hemphill, two boys. Before he was led to the gallows, De Santis confessed to the murder of Edward Chapman in Johnson City, Ill., six years ago, for which crime another Italian, Joe Bingo, was lynched at the time.

Poincare, Joffre and Other Distinguished Frenchmen Expected to Come to Canada

Montreal, Feb. 12.—For the inauguration of the French exhibition train which is to tour Canada next summer, a distinguished mission of French statesmen will visit this country. Senator Beaubien, in making the announcement, declared that he expected ex-President Raymond Poincare, Marshal Joffre, ex-Premier Viviani, Senator Maréchal and other distinguished Frenchmen to come to Montreal on the new liner Paris, and they will come to Montreal, later visiting Quebec, Ottawa and Toronto.

ARMED MEN IN CORK OPEN FIRE ON RAILWAY TRAIN

One Soldier Is Killed, While Number Are Wounded.

Cork, Feb. 12.—One soldier was killed and a number of others wounded today in an attack on a passenger train outside of Mill street station by a band of armed men. The attackers fired on the train, which contained thirty soldiers, from behind sides of the lines. Wounded soldiers were taken to the Cork military hospital aboard a special train.

SMUTS' LEAD IS STEADILY GROWING

Johannesburg, Union of South Africa, Feb. 11.—Latest returns of the South African election show the following results: South African Party 73, Nationalists 43, Labor 9, Democrats 1, Boikorauf, aged 50, for more than three years, it was disclosed today. Unable to obtain employment, and too proud to beg, he subsisted on morsels taken from restaurant garbage cans. He began a 30-day sojourn in the workhouse today.

AT ONTARIO BAR ASSOCIATION

New York, Feb. 12.—The open end of an exhaust pipe, four feet in diameter, connecting two buildings in Lower New York, served as a home for Antonio Bolakouf, aged 50, for more than three years, it was disclosed today. Unable to obtain employment, and too proud to beg, he subsisted on morsels taken from restaurant garbage cans. He began a 30-day sojourn in the workhouse today.

TWO KILLED, 15 HURT, FIGHT AT SHIPYARD

The Italian Communists and Socialists in Combat.

London, Feb. 12.—Two persons were killed and fifteen wounded yesterday in a conflict between Communists and Extreme Nationalists at the naval shipyard at Monfalcone, Italy, says a Rome dispatch to the Central News, which quotes a report to the Epoca.

GERMAN STATESMEN PLANNING BEST WAYS TO DISSOLVE GUARDS

Legislation Is Now Being Prepared by Minister of Interior.

Berlin, Feb. 12.—Legislation which would prescribe the manner in which all the civilian guards in Germany are to be dissolved, is now being drafted by the ministry of the interior. After being submitted to the cabinet the measure will be presented to the Reichstag for approval.

TO PROTECT PUBLIC FROM WILDCATting

New Regulations To Govern Oil and Gas in Northwest.

Ottawa, Feb. 11.—By Canadian Press. The department of the interior and public works today the regulations governing the disposal of oil and natural gas in the Northwest Territories. These regulations will be immediately provided for the disposal of oil and natural gas in the Northwest Territories. These regulations will be immediately provided for the disposal of oil and natural gas in the Northwest Territories.

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WILL RECOMMEND GOVT. PAY HALF COST FOR GRAIN CHITTY'S BACKWARD CHILDREN

Minister of Education, Dr. R. H. Grant, in Sympathy With the London Request and Promises Full Support When Matter Comes Before House.

While in Toronto yesterday to see the minister of education in regard to the provision of high school accommodation and his sanction to the policy outlined by the trustees, the delegation took the opportunity to lay before Dr. R. H. Grant a suggestion with regard to Government assistance toward the provision of special diets for backward children in the schools of Ontario. The matter was laid before the minister at a special interview by a special committee, comprising Trustees T. Coleridge (chairman of the board), Mrs. Tanner, Mrs. Hunt and Ed. Smith. The interview was held after the 12 members of the delegation which went down to Toronto yesterday had paid a visit to the office of Dr. P. W. Merchant, director of technical education.

Mrs. C. E. Tanner, as chairman of the special committee, introduced the matter, and after reviewing the recent visit of Dr. Clarke of Toronto, specialist on mentally deficient children, to London and his report on 75 cases of backward children and recommendation that two classes be immediately provided for the care of 32 of these children, asked the minister to place before the Government a recommendation that the Government make a grant in aid of this special training.

Mrs. Tanner suggested that the grant should be on the same basis as the working agreement for the immediate erection of a school on the old site and the other school next year. We hope, Mr. Minister, that you will see your way clear to approve of the policy outlined. We are all anxious to see the school on the central site proceeded with at once.

NOTORIOUS "GANG" LEADER UNDER ARREST

THOMAS QUINN, Toronto, said by the police to be a three-gun man and leader of a gang of criminals responsible for many depredations in various Canadian cities. Several of the gang are now undergoing sentences of from five to fourteen years imprisonment. He is 27 years of age and has had a life of crime.

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INSOURE CANDIDATE

Brookville, Feb. 12.—The trades and labor council last night endorsed C. W. Lawrence of St. Thomas, Ont., as its representative of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, for the vacancy on the Dominion railway commission. It also passed a resolution asking the Labor members of the Dominion Government to adopt eight-hour day legislation.

Seasonable Pointers For Farmers

Canadian Cattle Embargo Question of Long Standing

A Brief History of the Causes Which Led to Imposition of Restrictions—British and Canadian Farmers Ought to Get Together and Advance Their Mutual Interests.

In their efforts to bring about the removal of the restrictions on the exportation of cattle to Great Britain, the farmers of Ontario are receiving the support of the members of the labor group in the Provincial Legislature. Dr. H. A. Stevenson, M. P. for London, is interesting himself in the matter, and the efforts of the United Farmers of Canada and the United Farmers of Ontario will ultimately have some effect.

The why and the wherefore of the embargo on Canadian cattle, which has been in force in Britain for so many years, is rather difficult to find. When Canadian stores were allowed free access into the old country there is no doubt the great majority of agriculturists in England and Scotland benefited thereby, and considerable opposition was offered when the embargo was placed on the importation of live animals.

Why Embargo Was Placed. When there were no restrictions the cattle were brought to the various British ports in large numbers, and extensive sheds were gradually erected at the various landing places. When the animals were landed they found a ready sale, and farmers were the most part glad to get good store stock at a moderate price. It did not take long to restore to these beasts the condition that they had lost during the voyage across the Atlantic, and they were ultimately found their way to the Smithfield show as prime Scotch.

But as the trade in Canadian cattle increased in England and Scotland the traffic in Irish cattle fell, and a considerable number of Irish cattle had been shipped across the Atlantic and sold at the various auction marts and annual fairs, but as a rule they were a better type of animal than the Canadian. At any rate vigorous protest was made by the members of parliament against the unrestricted importation of the animals from overseas, on the ground that it was a considerable injury to the Irish farmer, and the Government was obliged to listen sympathetically to these representations.

The result of all this was that the board of agriculture took the matter up, and in course of time it was reported that foot and mouth disease had been discovered in some cattle landed at Liverpool or some of the other ports. This was enough for the Government, and the embargo was immediately imposed and no live cattle from Canada were allowed to be sold and distributed in the United Kingdom. This raised a vigorous protest from the farmers who had been making a very good thing out of the trade, and the Government was obliged to listen sympathetically to these representations.

Geese are the Hardest Of All Domestic Fowls

They Will Do Well in All Kinds of Weather and Under Trying Conditions—The Breeding Season Begins This Month and Thirty Days Are Required for Incubation.

Geese are probably the hardest of all domestic fowls, says Everybody's Poultry Magazine. They require less attention and little or no outlay for building. The old geese do well in all kinds of weather with very little shelter. They do best on wet, swampy ground where other fowls do not thrive. If you do not understand their nature and don't know how to care for them they are the least profitable of all stock. Old geese lay a greater number of eggs and are more reliable than young ones. Young geese are better than old ones for breeding purposes. Young geese do not lay as many fertile eggs, nor produce as many goslings the first breeding season as do the second. Breeding geese should have considerable exercise, and should be kept moderately thin in flesh through the winter by light feeding and they should also have a free range and facilities for swimming. There are many places on a farm that are worthless for cultivation that could be utilized with excellent results for the raising of geese. Fields that have streams, branches or unused springs on them could be turned to good advantage by making them into geese pastures. Many farmers are profiting by this and are adding to their incomes yearly. The care and attention is very small when compared with the returns, the cost of food is small. A goose on range will gather the largest portion of its food.

IMPORTANT SOURCE OF REVENUE. The feathers of geese are an important source of revenue and always find a ready sale on the market. A goose will average about one pound of feathers a year. You can pick geese two or three times a year, whenever the feathers are "ripe," which can readily be ascertained. When they leave the flesh without pulling and the ends show no blood they are ripe, but if the ends are filled with blood, the feathers are "green" and not mature. When ready to pluck the feathers drop more or less. Plucking does not interfere in any way with the laying. Almost all breeds of geese are good eaters and attentive mothers; it left to themselves they make their nests much as when wild, and hatch a large percentage of their eggs. The breeding season begins about February 1, but some individuals begin to lay as early as December, then stop and begin again in February. They usually lay from twelve to

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regular; often, however, they are replaced by other colors and do not always show the required regularity.

The Indian Runner duck is a very good layer and may under good conditions lay as many as 200 eggs in a year. These eggs, of a white color, are very popular, as they have a better flavor than those of Pekin ducks; the yolk is not quite so thick and the white not so opaque. The flesh of the Indian Runner duck is very fine, of a very good flavor, and this breed fattens easily. Its only objection is its small size.

LAYING AND INCUBATION.

The duck, with the exception of the Indian Runner, is not noted for her egg production, but the Indian Runners frequently lay as many as the ordinary hen and may lay every month in the year. Usually the other ducks do not lay before spring. When they are at liberty to go where they please, they may hide their eggs in nests which are built outside the poultry yard, or they may drop them any place about the premises. Therefore it is better to keep them closed in until after laying, which

takes place during the forenoon. One male is sufficient for from four to eight females. When there are too many males in a flock at mating time, they quarrel and the eggs are not properly fertilized. The eggs kept for incubation should be of average size, and as fresh as possible. However, duck eggs keep their fertility longer than hen eggs. Eggs kept for incubation should receive special care; they should be kept in a cool place, on a layer of bran, sawdust or dry sand. As duck eggs are very susceptible to cold, they should be covered if set under a hen, when she leaves her nest in quest of food.

The duck is a good sitter, but is seldom used for this purpose. Preference is generally given to the hen, which takes very good care of the duckling. Large hens should be selected for the purpose. The hatching lasts from 26 to 28 days. Artificial incubation is generally used in commercial plants. It enables the breeder to have the ducklings ready for the market at an early date. Sylvester Fortier, Dominion Experimental Farms.

The animal illustrated above is an Aberdeen Angus bull, belonging to Howard Fraleigh of Forest, Ont. This fine male is in his third year as a serious competitor for exhibition honors, as a calf as a yearling and as a two-year-old. He was junior champion at Chicago a year ago, and this year went up for the grand championcy, must not be taken in a literal sense, but rather as suggesting that the future agriculturist must combine with a multitude of other things he requires to know a greater knowledge of mechanics than he has formerly had. According to this suggestion as his text, Mr. Gray tells of records that have been kept at the central farm on the cost of operating three types of tractors. The cost of operating the smaller tractor is shown to be greater than the cost of operating the larger, that is, in regard to horsepower. The cost of plowing with the smaller is shown to be less, due to greater speed possible than with the greater. The cost of plowing with the smaller is more than with the larger. The lighter machine burns gasoline at a cost of 45 cents per gallon, and the heavier machine kerosene at 28½ cents per gallon. Cylinder oil cost 45 cents per gallon.

DOMINION DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

The last annual report of the minister of agriculture at Ottawa makes reference to a conference of representatives of federal and provincial departments, at which an agreement was reached which will, to a large extent, eliminate overlapping and allow for close cooperation in the varieties of work carried on. Production, it was agreed, is to be carried on through provincial agriculture, while marketing and experimental work are to be carried for by the dominion department, except where special arrangements to the contrary are deemed wise. The report of the minister covers, in addition, the work done by the department carried on through the year by the various branches: Dairy and cold storage, seed, live stock, health of animals, fruit entomological, public relations, international institute and experimental farms. Among the new activities reported are the record of performance for poultry, and special relief policy of the live stock branch, with relation to the supplying of feed materials to the various districts in the Prairie Provinces. The report is distributed by the publications branch, which is shown to have sent out during the year two million copies of publications.

Fall Wheat Has Suffered Very Little in Middlesex

Agricultural Representatives Tell Department What Local Farming Conditions Are—Farmers of This County Are Picking Up Men at From \$30 to \$40 a Month.

The following is a summary of the latest reports made by the agricultural representatives to the Ontario department of agriculture:

York—Fall wheat has been severely exposed during the greater part of January, owing to the almost entire absence of snow, no report of definite loss has so far been received. The following comments on the condition of the crop have been received:

Kent—Wheat has been uncovered practically all along, but it is all right so far.

Letuce Culture in London. The culture of the succulent lettuce is a new industry with which London is becoming acquainted. The kind chiefly grown is what is known to the trade as "leaf" lettuce, principally the wrinkled varieties as opposed to the smooth.

But there is another kind of lettuce called "head" lettuce, having compact leaves such as in cabbage, and this is preferred by some people.

A downtown merchant told The Advertiser that there is a good demand in London for "head" lettuce. This successfully grown in this district and is mostly imported from Florida, California, and other places to the south.

"We handle anywhere from fifteen to twenty cases a week," said our informant, and housewives seem to like it. There is a growing demand for this kind of lettuce.

Another merchant, on being questioned as to the statement made in some quarters that head lettuce was being imported into London, while at the same time the statement was being sent from London to Winnipeg, declared that the statement was absurd. "Winnipeg people get their head lettuce from London," he said, "and they could not get it from London anyway, for it is not grown here."

The leaf lettuce, which is so much in favor with local growers, is being raised in this manner and meeting with a ready market.

COUNTIES QUARANTINED FOR PESTS. The Dominion department of agriculture announces that an infectious insect, the European corn borer (Pyrausta nubilalis Hubner) new and not heretofore widely prevalent, has been detected within and throughout the Dominion of Canada, exists in the province of Ontario, and is the most dangerous pest of insects being spread into other districts by reason of the movement of plants infected with the pest. For this reason it has been decided to quarantine the following towns: Wainfleet, Humberstone and Bertie, in the county of Welland; Haldimand; Derham, Norwich, Oxford and Nisourai east, in the county of Oxford; Humberstone, Humberstone, Dorchester south, Southwold, Dunwich, Humberstone, in the county of Elgin; Humberstone, in the county of Kent; the aforementioned towns being in the province of Ontario and by this notice of quarantine No. 2 (domestic) do order that no corn fodder or any other material, including broom corn (whether used for packing or other purposes, green or dried), shall be moved from any locality in the province of Ontario to any place outside these towns.

This quarantine shall not apply under the following conditions:

1. To the articles enumerated, when they shall have been manufactured or processed in such a manner as to eliminate risk of carriage of the European corn borer.

2. To clean shelled corn and cleaned seed of broom corn.

3. To shipments of the articles enumerated, for experimental or scientific purposes, when accompanied by a certificate of the Ontario department of agriculture.

4. To shipments of dried seed corn on the cob for exhibition purposes and contained in a container of a winter type or exhibition duty recognized by the Dominion department of agriculture.

There is, however, an objection to the quarantine which should be noted; it is extremely shy and when frightened, it has a tendency to run wildly around the pen and hurt himself, even seriously.

Next comes the Indian Runner, smaller, weighing not more than four to four and one-half pounds; the plumage is white and light fawn colored. Sometimes these two colors are remarkably

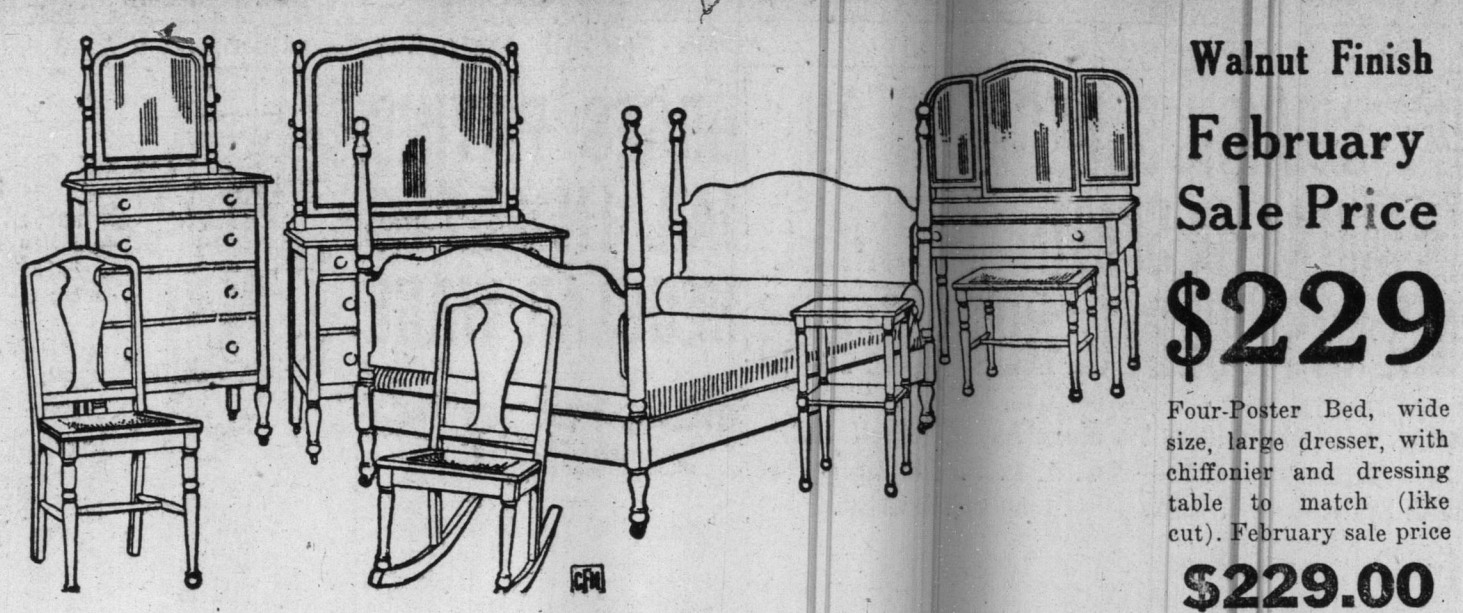
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Simmons' Link Fabric Springs, on tubular steel frames, made with the high riser. February sale price **\$7.65**

One only Simmons' Day Bed, all steel, with link fabric spring. February sale, half price **\$14.00**

Simmons' Cribs, safety patent drop sides, size 30x54 inches. February sale price **\$13.50**
Or size 27x51 inches. February sale price **\$9.95**
All-Cotton Mattress, covered with good art ticking, to fit above cribs. February sale price **\$3.95**

February Sale Prices on Linoleum and Congoleum Rugs

Two only Congoleum Rugs, size 2x3 yards. February sale price **\$8.95 each**
Linoleum Rugs at reduced prices, three sizes only and the quantities are limited. February sale prices: 2x3-yard size, **\$8.95** 3x3½-yard size, **\$16.20**, and 3x4-yard size **\$19.80**
198 yards Inlaid Linoleum, two yards wide, two patterns, tan or cream grounds, block patterns, in colorings of green, brown and red. February sale price **\$2.25 square yard**

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\$32.00 line Red Baby Runabout, with rear storm curtain, adjustable back in any position, half-inch rubber-tired wheels, upholstered in repp, padded sides, seat and back. Price **\$32.00**

Our \$35.00 line, genuine reed body, with half-round reed rolls, storm curtains, natural finish, twelve-inch steel wheels with half-inch rubber tires. Price **\$35.00**
\$42.00 Red Buggy, reversible gear, half-round reed rolls, nickel-plated hub caps, rear storm curtains, finished in ecrú or grey. Price **\$42.00**

Our \$45.00 line, full size, genuine reed body, Pullman sleeper, with rear storm curtain, reversible gear, artillery wheels, with half-inch rubber tires, sliding hood fixtures, finished in natural. Price **\$45.00**

Our \$48.00 line has a genuine half-round reed body, with rear storm curtains, wood wheels, half-inch rubber tires, corduroy upholstery, padded sides, seat and back, finished in natural at **\$48.00**, finished in ecrú **\$50.00**

Genuine Reed Pullman Sleeper, half-round reed throughout, adjustable back, full corduroy lined, wood wheels with rubber tires, finished in old ivory. Price **\$68.00**

Genuine Reed Stroller, with a half-round reed roll, flat reed hood, lined with repp, adjustable in any position, half-inch steel tubing, ebony-finished handles, rubber-tired wheels, natural finish. Price **\$32.00**

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EVERYTHING FOR THE VALENTINE PARTY

DENIES ILL FEELING BETWEEN POLICE

Woodstock, Feb. 10.—"Absolutely nothing in it," said Chief of Police Moore when shown a dispatch from London, in which detectives are quoted as stating that London and Woodstock police have been practically at loggerheads for two years as the result of treatment meted out to London police by Woodstock police when they came here to give evidence in a burglary and arson case, for which London officers claimed to have paid \$3.50 a day hotel bill and received \$1.60 a day fee.

To the best of my knowledge both departments have been working together, harmoniously when "occasion arose," said Chief Moore. The case referred to was not a Woodstock case, and local police had nothing to do with it. The crime was committed in Ingersoll, and the offenders appeared at the Oxford assizes, held here. We had nothing to do with the remuneration received by witnesses.

Chief Moore was strong in his praise of the splendid work already done by the London police in the Johnston murder case, and looked for a continuance of staunch co-operation between the two forces until the case is finally disposed of.

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CIVIC EMPLOYEES ARE WORRIED BY COUNCIL'S LETTER

Sarnia, Feb. 10.—In accordance with the resolution adopted by the council Monday, letters have been sent to all officials and employees whose names appear on the monthly or bi-monthly pay sheets, requesting those who wish reappointment to make application in writing.

"What does this portend?" "Does this mean that if I don't make reapplication we will be fired?" "Are they going to cut our salaries?" are among the questions heard around the city hall today. Members of the fire department as well as officials and employees in

the city hall have already received their "letters" and there is much uneasiness. No hint of any pining of salaries was given when the resolution was introduced by Ald. Cook, but he expressed the opinion that the adjustments made last year were not confirmed by the council, and were therefore not legal and recommended that new bylaws be prepared for consideration, stating that it would be an opportune time to review the whole matter. On the other hand, the chairman stated it was the opinion of the committee to save \$10,000 a year and \$25,000 in arrears, and by Dr. Bentley of Toronto showing the necessity of doctors using their own money in educating the public against irregular chaplains of the present day.

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R. M. McEHERAN DIES SUDDENLY

Veteran Secretary Board of Education Victim of Apoplexy.

R. M. McEheran, secretary of the board of education for 28 years, died very suddenly at his home, 221 Windsor avenue, at midnight following a stroke of apoplexy. He had retired as usual and got up shortly before midnight and complained of not feeling well. His wife gave him a warm drink, and he lay down, and a few minutes later was dead.

Mr. McEheran was 70 years old, and a native of Eastwood, Ont. He came to London 45 years ago, and his first position was as a printer with The London Advertiser.

Besides his wife he leaves six sons and two daughters, W. M. N. and Arthur, of London; George, of Toronto; John, of Flint, Mich.; A. D. of Winnipeg; Miss Isabella, and Miss Rachel, of Winnipeg, and Alfred O. of London.

Mr. McEheran was one of the most prominent members of the board of education, and always took a keen interest in the education of the city. He was a debater and fearless, and whenever he rose to speak was listened to with much attention.

Mr. McEheran's sudden death came as a great shock to the community, particularly the members of the board of education, with whom he was in constant touch. Thomas Colledge, the chairman of the board, said that the death of his faithful secretary, and it will be hard to replace him, was a great loss to the board. It is hard for him to express his feelings adequately.

"It will be a problem to find another man to replace Mr. McEheran who has been a valuable officer for so many years," said Harry Hayman, secretary of the board. "During the years that I have served on the board, I have always found Mr. McEheran a most capable and efficient officer. No matter what the difficulty was, he would handle it for me, and in his death the board of education has lost a good and faithful servant."

Mrs. W. A. Tanner said: "A most trustworthy secretary than Mr. McEheran will be hard to find. He was not only an excellent secretary, but the heart of the board. He was a man of the highest character, and in the capacity of secretary for so many years he was familiar with every detail of the board's work. His death is a great loss to the board."

Outstanding Qualities. "Richard McEheran was a man of outstanding qualities," said School Inspector C. B. Edwards. "He was a man of great energy, and his work was characterized by his every thought and action. He was a man of great energy, and his work was characterized by his every thought and action. He was a man of great energy, and his work was characterized by his every thought and action."

His connection with the board of education in London extended for a period of at least 35 years. He was a member of the board for several years before he became the secretary in 1893. Although in impaired health during the last few months he resolutely refused to take a respite from his official duties of his important office.

ENJOYABLE "AT HOME" Dundas Centre Scholars Entertain Parents and Friends.

Between 500 and 600 parents and children assembled at Dundas Centre Methodist Church last evening when an "at home" was given by the scholars of the Sunday school, at which they entertained their fathers, mothers and friends. The reception committee met all comers, who were shown to commodious quarters, and were required to register, receiving the passport to "who is who." At this stage of the proceedings the escort committee saw to it that everybody knew each other from the youngest to the oldest.

Refreshments were served continuously from prettily decorated booths that contained all the trimmings from sandwiches with a cup of tea to ice cream and cake, topped off with candy. All was gratis. Embroidery of exquisite Chinese work and Chinese money sword were features in the Chinese booth where tea was served. A place at the piano was occupied by a young man with a huge Persian rug as a backdrop, combined with other Chinese decorations, looked like a scene from a far-off tropical country. Not the least, however, were the other features of the evening, which were the singing by the Sunday school orchestra, in the church, while in the schoolroom various musicians occupied a place at the piano or victrola.

That the affair was a novel innovation was the opinion of all, and to the teachers and officers of the school before the credit for the evening's success was a matter of course.

SISTER MARY JOSEPH DIED EARLY TODAY Death Followed a Long Illness—Was Graduate of Toronto U.

After a long illness, Sister Mary Joseph, formerly Miss Mary J. Maloney, died early this morning at the Sacred Heart convent, this city. She was 77 years of age, and had spent six years as a member of the community of St. Joseph.

Sister Mary Joseph was a graduate of the faculty of education of the University of Toronto, and taught in a number of the separate schools of this city. Surviving her are her mother, Mrs. Margaret J. Maloney, of Southgate street; her brother, Joseph M., night telegraph editor of The Advertiser, and her sister, Mrs. A. J. B. Soullier, of Windsor.

The funeral arrangements have not yet been made.

WILLIAM RONALD BURIED. The funeral of William Ronald, who died suddenly on Saturday, February 6, at his home in West Williams, was held on Tuesday from his home to Sylvan Cemetery, Rev. A. Graham conducted the funeral services.

LESLIE TURNBULL BURIED. The funeral of Leslie Alan Turnbull, only son of Mr. and Mrs. William Turnbull, who died suddenly on Thursday, was held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the residence of his parents, 653 Waterloo street.

The funeral, though of a private nature, was largely attended, and many floral tributes testified to the popularity of the young man. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. Dr. L. McCrae. The pall-bearers were: Rupert Crouch, Cuthbert Darch, Mal Brook, Tom Walker, George Nichol and Charles Moore. Interment was made in Woodlawn Cemetery.

WILL THE GAS CO. WITHDRAW BILL?

Ald. Harley of Opinion That It Will Not.

WATKINSON DIFFERS

"Half of London Will Go to Toronto to Oppose Increase in Rates," He Declares.

Half of London will go before the Ontario Legislature to oppose the Gas Company's bill to increase prices, if the company insists on proceeding with the measure, Ald. Watkinson declared today. He is a member of the special committee appointed by the council to officially oppose the increase. He believes that opposition to the bill is so strong that the measure will be withdrawn, and that the company will attempt to come to an agreement with the city.

The committee appointed by the council will meet next Thursday to formulate plans. Ald. Watkinson believes that the measure will not come up for its second reading for some time yet, and that there will be ample time for the committee to plan effective opposition to it.

Ald. John Bridge also thinks it probable that the company will withdraw the bill now before the Legislature, though he has no definite information to that effect.

Ald. F. E. Harley is acting mayor today, and he is acting directly against the bill. The company has much to lose and little to gain by the bill, he said. It will be approved this week, and it will be in a position to negotiate with the city. The franchise, Ald. Harley pointed out, was therefore, only reasonable to suppose that the company would not make amendments to it if they were proved to be necessary. The company, he said, might grant some measure of concession, but it might grant some measure of concession, but it might grant some measure of concession.

Financial Statement. The financial statement showed that the total receipts were \$96,373.17. To this was added the balance from 1919 of \$21,087.22, making a total of \$117,460.39. The total disbursements were \$127,876.42, leaving a deficit of \$10,416.03. There were no liabilities.

STOCK MARKETS CLOSED.—The New York and Chicago stock markets are closed here today because of the Valentine party which was to have been held tonight in the Alexandria Hotel. The market was closed owing to the death of Mr. McEheran.

BAND WILL PLAY.—The band of the Royal Canadian Regiment will play at the memorial service for the late Mr. McEheran, which will be held at the church of St. John's, at 8 o'clock on Tuesday evening.

MASQUEUR EUCHE DRIVE.—The members of St. John's, No. 2098, and the members of the Masonic Lodge, No. 10, in conjunction with the band, will hold a masqueur euche drive on Tuesday evening, February 15, at the public library.

DR. COYNE TO SPEAK.—Dr. James H. Coyne of St. Thomas will be the speaker at the London and Middlesex Hospital Society on Tuesday evening, February 15, at the public library. He will describe the trip which he took to the West Indies last summer.

ALL GIVE EVIDENCE.—City Clerk S. Baker and City Treasurer James Bell will be called to give evidence before the commission investigating the electric railway proposals at Toronto next week. Arthur Hawke, representing the commission, has been giving them information as to the type of evidence that would be required.

FIRST METHODIST SERVICES.—The Rev. Dr. Peever will preach on "Jesus and the New Commandment," in the morning at 10 o'clock, and a special farwell service will be held in connection with the return of Rev. E. Burwell to China. Addresses will be given by Israel Taylor, J. T. Harrow and Rev. B. Burwell.

CITY HALL PLANS.—Arrangements for taking a plebiscite on city hall plans will be made next Thursday when the special committee appointed for this purpose will hold a meeting. The plans submitted at the last council meeting will be thoroughly discussed and arrangements made for bringing complete information to the people before a vote is taken.

A WAKEFUL NIGHT IN CHLSEA GREEN

Two Strangers in City Are Thought To Be Planning Hold-Up.

Chelsea Green was on the qui vive last night in anticipation of planned hold-ups and burglaries as a result of two unknown men, alleged to be suspicious looking, being observed in town during the early evening. One of the men wore a black overcoat and a round felt hat, and the other wore a light-colored overcoat and a flat cap. They were seen walking along the river bank, between the river and Brookside street. One of them rang the doorbell of a residence, and when he saw a man coming to the door he turned and walked away quickly. He appeared from his actions that he had expected to find the house empty.

The police were notified and many of the Chelsea Green remained at their posts in anticipation of attempted robberies, which it was supposed the unknown men and mysterious strangers had been planning.

DEMAND INQUIRY OF IRISH SHOOTING

London, Feb. 11.—At a largely-attended meeting of the Irish National League of the National Union of Railwaymen, it was decided to instruct J. T. Thomas, the national secretary, to introduce a bill of the House of Commons, to raise the issue in parliament of the shooting of railwaymen in Ireland. The case in point is the affair at Mallow last month, when a railwayman was shot and killed by a soldier, the incident leading to action by the locomotive engineers' union in demanding a government inquiry, with the implied threat of a general strike if the government failed to act.

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WESTERN FAIR RECEIPTS AND EXPENDITURES OF 1920 EXHIBITION ANNOUNCED IN REPORT.

Distribution of the 3rd annual report and financial statement in printed form has just been made. Following are a few extracts from it giving a little information as to how the directors regarded the 1920 exhibition.

"The exhibit of livestock for 1920 was excellent. Not only did we have the quality shown was never better."

Catalogue issued. "A catalogue of the livestock entries for the first time and seemed to be a popular move. The boys' judging competition created a great amount of interest among the livestock exhibitors and should be continued next year. Along with this boys' and girls' fair competition, which is proposed to introduce should make the exhibit of livestock for 1921, the largest and best in the history of the exhibition."

"The exhibit of poultry was magnificent. The building was filled to its capacity. In the agricultural and horticultural buildings the display was very creditable and the prize money offered nearly all won."

"In the dairy department the new section for fourteen pound boxes of butter seemed to be very popular. One as we had 26 entries in this section alone."

Art Exhibit Interests. "There was increased interest shown in the first art exhibition, the loan of a picture from the National Gallery at Ottawa being very much appreciated. It is not that the picture was a large entry in the work, making and returned soldiers' work, but the interest in the building was a great centre of attraction."

"A very nice improvement was made in the machinery department. The interior of the machinery and stove building was changed and accommodated for the company wanted to have daily watching with interest the different machines in motion at the outside exhibits."

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S. A. C. WILL HOLD A SUMMER CAMP THIS YEAR AT PT. STANLEY

One Hundred Families of Returned Men Will Be Provided With Outing.

One hundred families of returned men of the city will camp at Port Stanley this summer at the expense of the S. A. C. Commission. This is an increase of 40 per cent over the number that attended last year. After plans were made for the first camp last year, many more applications were received by Secretary Ed. Lance, but at a special meeting of the executive of the S. A. C. it was decided to accommodate the best of the men who were given a meal. Each camp lasted twelve days.

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There will be five camps held this summer. Four hundred children will be taken for a ten-day outing. The Lance states that 500 mothers and children will be benefited by the outing. Only 56 families could be taken to the lake shore last year, and 193 children. Each camp lasted twelve days.

ASKS AN EXPLANATION FOR ITALY'S FAILURE TO RESUME RELATIONS

Soviet Minister Sends Message to Count Sforza.

London, Feb. 12.—A dispatch to the Exchange Telegraph from Rome says that Mr. Titcherichin, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, has sent a dispatch to Count Sforza, the Italian foreign minister, demanding an explanation of Italy's delay in resuming relations with the Soviet Union, and admitting a Russian mission to Italy, and asking whether Italy has changed her mind in this respect.

The dispatch adds that in official circles there is a feeling that the relations between the two countries, except for the addition of additional recruits are expected to be resumed in the near future. The dispatch also mentions that the Italian government is now under consideration of a two weeks' camp at Pelayawa this summer. Captain H. Roberts, M. C. of the Royal Canadian Horse Artillery and officer for this district, is giving valuable assistance in the work of reorganization.

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

COOK—On Saturday, February 12, 1921 at 745 Grey street, Mary A., beloved wife of William Cook, aged 75 years. Funeral from the above address on Monday, February 14, at 2:30 p.m. to G. T. R. station. Service at 2 p.m. interment at Brantford. Hamilton and Brantford papers please copy.

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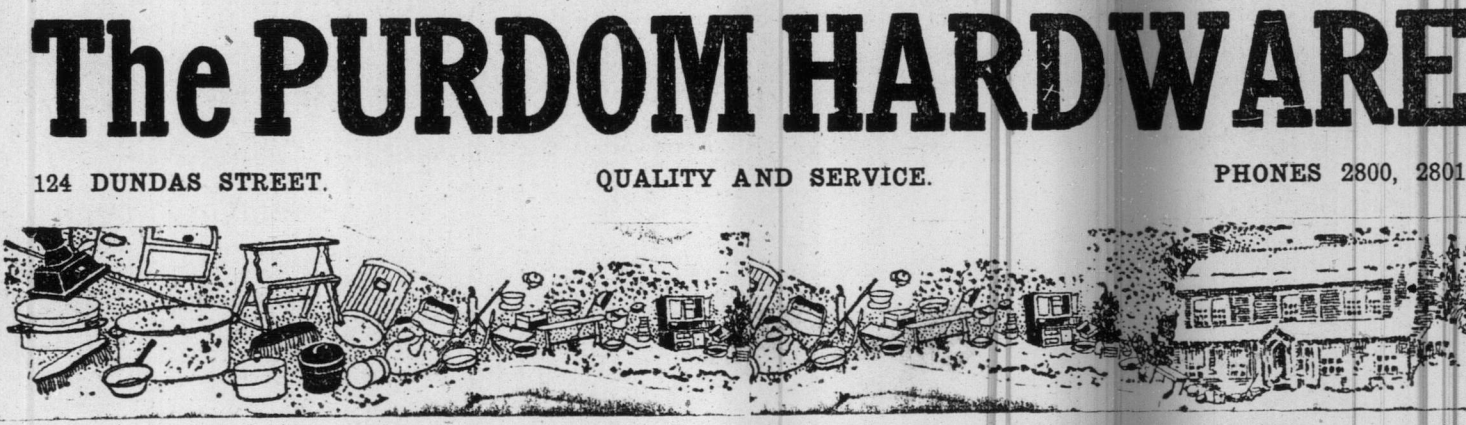
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The advertiser offers a puzzle contest which has an additional value beyond that of winning prize money. It presents an opportunity to test your mental calibre, and measure your ability to compete for a position higher up in short, to succeed. The new puzzle just issued presents an opportunity to prove beneficial but agreeable to everyone's chances equalized to win the fifty cash prizes, aggregating \$2,500.

The first prize has a value up to \$700. To entitle you to show what you can do in this direction all you have to do is to extend your subscription to The Advertiser, if you at present subscribe, or become a subscriber. There is no charge of any kind, but an opportunity to win \$700, \$450, or some other high cash prize. There are fifty prizes all told.

LIVE STOCK. East Buffalo, N.Y. Feb. 12.—Cattle Receipts, 60; sheep, steady. Calves—Receipts, 80; active, 10 lower at \$5.05.

MANY RECRUITS ARE JOINING BATTERY

Former Unit Commanded by Col. Wood Leonard Is Proving Popular.

The reorganization of the 6th Field Battery of which the late Col. Wood Leonard, D. S. O., was commander of has been commenced under the command of Major H. K. Ingram. The battery will in future be known as the 12th Field Battery. Major Ingram told The Advertiser today that since re-organizing commenced he has met with wonderful success and that a large number of additional recruits are expected from the above address on Monday, February 14, at 2:30 p.m. to G. T. R. station. Service at 2 p.m. interment at Brantford. Hamilton and Brantford papers please copy.

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ROMAN CATHOLICS TO PETITION FEDERAL GOVT. ON DIVORCE

Petitions Will Be Signed in All Churches Sunday.

The following petition regarding the divorce question will be placed for signature in all the Roman Catholic churches tomorrow.

To the Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen, K.C., Prime Minister, Dominion of Canada, Ottawa, Canada:

The petition of the undersigned electors of the city of London, in the province of Ontario, humbly sheweth: That, whereas, attempts have been made to secure legislation authorizing our courts to decree divorces on various grounds, and, whereas, further efforts are being made to secure such legislation in contemplation, and it is reported that a bill to that end will be presented at the ensuing session of parliament, now, we, the undersigned, hereby protest most strenuously against the passing of any act in aid of divorce for the following, amongst other reasons:

That the principle of divorce is contrary to the teachings of Christ himself; divorce does injure not only the husband and wife, but to their children and other dependents; attempts to destroy the relationship created by marriage are vain and unnatural; possibility of divorce encourages race suicide and places a premium on immorality; an overwhelming majority of the people of Canada are opposed to divorce; no appreciable body of electors is demanding this legislation.

As already stated, a pamphlet dealing with the Scriptural aspect of divorce has been mailed to all the Protestant ministers in London.

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CLEVER PROGRAM BY Y. M. C. A. MINSTRELS

Applause greeted the youthful Y. M. C. A. minstrel boys last evening when they presented an all-round good program of jokes, songs and skits, the proceeds of the entertainment going to the Children's Hospital fund. Negro melodies, popular songs and choruses, were enjoyed, and two amusing skits were given. "The Village School" was played by the younger boys belonging to the minstrel troupe in a very clever manner. The second sketch was given by the older members. Much amusement was afforded the audience by the comedy which took place in a little theatrical burlesque.

Lloyd Houlding was the interlocutor, and the end men were A. B. Horwood, T. Burns, G. Baker, Lloyd York, Frank Howson and John Davis. A. M. Adair was the manager of the minstrels and

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CONSOLIDATION IS URGED FOR RURAL SCHOOLS

Dr. J. B. Reynolds Would Overlook Cost in Getting Good Teachers.

Consolidated schools are a necessity in the rural school educational system today, was the message given to East Middlesex Educational Association at its initial meeting of 1921 at the county buildings Friday afternoon.

J. A. Taylor, public school inspector for St. Thomas, declared that the public schools will have a lot to answer for on Judgment Day. "How many children have contracted diseases by sitting at double desks?" he asked.

Consolidated schools, he claimed, would save the boy his education near home, and as a result the boy would be more likely to stay on the farm than the smallest part of a boy's education obtained from a book. In the small one-room schools of the same area would be played games together, thus becoming better acquainted with each other.

More Male Teachers.

More male teachers were advocated. Mr. Taylor did not think that a boy wanted to be under the control of a lady teacher after he had attained the age of twelve years. Primary pupils should not be taught by women. In fact, it would be difficult to get a man to teach Junior pupils. In a consolidated school, a male teacher would be a prime asset. The adolescent act, whereby a child must go to school until 18 years old, is the primary purpose, that of promoting thrift and aiding in the development of the community. Despite the fact that acquisition was not the chief purpose, the company, according to its president, John McCarty, has during the years of its existence paid a fair return in dividends on shares. While the capital of \$1,000,000 has more than doubled.

According to the financial statement of the assets on the last day of 1920 amounted to \$7,717,483.13. Of this sum mortgages, including principal and interest, constituted \$4,619,201.92. In securities of United Kingdom, Dominion of Canada, and the provinces of Canada, more than a million was invested. While \$1,025,779.50 was invested in securities of Canadian municipalities, school districts and telephone departments. At the same time, the liabilities of the company to the public amounted to \$1,045,094.76, and to the shareholders, \$4,075,403.37.

In an address delivered to the shareholders, Mr. McCarty outlined the business of the past few years, and then turned to the future. Owing to the need of the country and the fact that the company had invested more money in bonds of the United Kingdom and Canada. This had materially changed the assets of the company. At the present time Government guaranteed bonds constituted one-third of the company's assets, while in 1915 mortgages and real estate constituted 85 per cent.

Smart also gave an optimistic talk on the business of the company.

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Bronchitis is generally caused by neglecting a cold, or exposure to wet and inclement weather. It begins with a tightness across the chest, difficulty in breathing, and a wheezing sound comes from the lungs. There is a raising of phlegm, especially in the morning. This is at first white, but later becomes a greenish or yellowish color, and is occasionally streaked with blood.

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WILL RECOMMEND

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The sixteen rooms on the central site immediately, in accordance to the policy laid before you, Mr. Minister, we feel that there is no reason why one of the unit schools in South of East London should not also be commenced this year. We have figures by a competent architect which show that the cost of such a school would be about \$150,000. Of this amount, it would only be necessary to provide about \$10,000 this year for sinking fund and about \$6,000 interest, and while we have unanimously agreed that the erection of sixteen teaching rooms on the old site is the first consideration, that is only providing for two-thirds of the students whose needs have to be met.

"That difficulty should not prove insurmountable," replied the minister. "While I am prepared to approve your plan, I am not prepared to approve the erection of a sixteen-room school on the old site, should very much like to see work on second school commenced this year; in fact, at once."

Would Mr. Taylor, who would be in charge of the building, be prepared to meet the cost of such a school? "But the difficulty with commencing a unit school in either of the districts named would cause dissatisfaction in the other, and I do not see how we could avoid this," said Mr. Taylor.

"That, it seems to me, is the point for you to decide," said Mr. Grant. "Our agreement on the immediate provision to meet and overcome this possibility of backing out. We thought if we built the central school, year financial and other conditions would go ahead with the construction of the two unit schools at the same time. But I understand that in this way we thought we could satisfy the school board and the minister."

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Cost Secondary Issue.

In matters of education the cost but rather the good that would result. It was up to the country to see that the boys and girls were educated. This was an Anglo-Saxon country, and it was the duty of the United States to make the mistake of allowing entrance to too many foreigners who, after they arrived, spoke their own language and followed their own customs instead of the Americans. "We are going to look after the matter of immigration. We've got to do it," he stated. "It didn't matter if the Government took care of the immigration officers from the district and people would form an association and look after matters."

He wanted to know why returned men should be sent up the wilds to make a living, when there was a great place placed on farms in this district. Regarding the high school situation in London he said that 90 per cent of the students were settling in by dollars and cents.

President J. B. Reynolds of the Ontario Agricultural College, stated that in providing teachers in the rural schools, the one-room school should not be counted. Important purpose generations ago, when it was manned by men who chose teaching as a vocation and not an avocation.

Times Have Changed.

Times have changed, however. He assured his audience he was not present to disparage the work of women teachers, but to point out that the majority of them did not intend to make teaching their life work. "The transitoriness of the occupation is one of the deplorable features of the situation."

In the rural districts it was difficult to keep alive a co-operative enterprise. The social mind was a state of mind much more fully developed in the town people than in the country people. The town residents must keep up to the mark, and the country people must be helped. "The question of education is a question in which all are concerned, but in the rural districts it is a question of the little red schoolhouse."

Two of the rural teachers were surrounded by the rural atmosphere. They could see nothing in country life, people or occupations. Therefore, they could not tell the pupils of advantages of staying on the farm.

F. G. Wade, B.A., president of the association, who was in the chair, was of the opinion that the cost should not be considered when matters of education were being considered. He commented on the addresses of the visiting speakers, saying that the association was very much indebted to them for interesting messages.

Dr. H. W. Hill, dean of public health in London, speaking on "Municipalities," said that 40 per cent of the children were not properly nourished. They got enough food, but not the right kind.

REV. G. W. BUTT IS INVITED TO REMAIN

CEDAR SPRINGS, Feb. 11.—At the quarterly official board of the Cedar Springs Methodist circuit, Rev. G. W. Butt was invited unanimously to remain as pastor for the fourth year. The meeting was largely attended, and many words of appreciation were spoken of the pastor's services.

The lack of cold weather has caused a great deal of anxiety on the part of the members, who have as yet no ice, and the prospects are not very favorable.

DON'T LEAVE CUPID OUT IN THE COLD

Monday, February 14, is Valentine Day. Have you left your order for that pretty Valentine at Dick's Flower Shop? If not, go to the telephone and order it now. Their phone number is 297.

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"Reading of what Dodd's Kidney Pills had done for another woman with Kidney trouble led my husband to get some for me. After I had taken two boxes I began to feel better. I have taken 21 boxes and feel splendid. I can do my work and eat almost anything. I have gained 20 pounds. I tell all my friends what grand pills Dodd's Kidney Pills are."

Ask your neighbors if Dodd's Kidney Pills are not the best remedy for sick kidneys.

THEATRES

A more than a passing play has not been seen here in many months than "A Voice in the Dark," a Goldwyn picture, which had its first showing at the Allen Theatre Friday, and which will be featured throughout today. It is one of the few motion pictures in which the conclusion does not reveal itself until the climax.

The remainder of the program is well up to the standard set by the principal actors. An added attraction is another picture, "Edgar," pictures, from stories by Booth Tarkington and other writers have caught the real spirit of boy life as Tarkington has, and the screen adaptations, have now, and equally famous. This one is entitled "Edgar's Sunday Country," and is the best of the series from many standpoints. Most and Jeff are personated by a tremendously funny animated cartoon. Allen World News films are another feature. The Allen orchestra gives a delightful rendering of the "Story of 'A Voice in the Dark' concerns the love affair of two sisters, Adele and Blanche Warren, with a certain Dr. Sainsbury. The doctor has deceived one of the girls, and later won the hand of the other. Blanche, knowing of the man's character, went to his sanatorium in an attempt to break off her sister's match with him. During her visit there the doctor is murdered.

Any one of four persons might have committed the crime, of course, Blanche has a sweetheart, and Adele another one besides the doctor. But all were innocent and a person, until then unsuspected, is revealed as the culprit. The revelation is brought out through the evidence of blind men and a deaf woman, patients at the sanatorium.

The acting is well done, especially that of Ramsay, Wallace and Irene Rich, the leading roles.

In the course of the picture a number of remarkable scenes in San Francisco's Chinatown are shown, and the audience gets an intimation of what might happen to an innocent girl who intrusted herself to a "slumming" party to a man she did not know well.

A striking portrayal of a police raid and the manner in which the innocent are often hustled off to the jail with the guilty is to be found in this part.

To give them any advice or assistance, and remarked that it had been his intention to visit London at an early date.

Dr. Grant was assured of a most cordial welcome, and the hope expressed that the visit would be soon.

NEW DANCE RECORDS.

The February list of Victoria records contains the following dance numbers, among many others: 18477, "Oh Lady, Lady," Medley Fox Trot; 18507, "Hins and Hopes," Medley Fox Trot; 18518, "Medley One Step; 18518, "Tulp Time," Medley Fox Trot; 18519, "Blue," Medley Fox Trot. All these are double-faced, two selections in one and can be had in the Victoria Parlors of Ye Old Firm Heintzman & Co. Limited, 242 Dundas Street, London, for \$1 each, by mail, phone or message.

S. A. C. RELIEF WORK TAKES BIG JUMP

Expenditure For January Is Greater Than For Whole of 1920.

The advisability of having another summer camp for the wives and children of returned soldiers in the city was thoroughly considered at the regular meeting of the soldiers' aid committee executive on Friday afternoon. Decision was reached on this, although it was favorably discussed, but it was decided to ask the United Welfare Fund Association for a further grant to carry on the welfare work of the committee.

During the past month the sum of \$903.97 was used in connection with the welfare work. Figures showed that during the whole twelve months of 1920 the total sum used by this department was \$662.77. The acute jump is explained by the fact that there were a great number of relief cases called because of the unemployment situation. A total number of 135 homes were visited, and of these 42 were visited for the first time by the committee. Sixty-six families were given relief. The cash orders given for groceries amounted to \$742.12, and from the supply room goods given out amounted to \$161.85.

At the employment department 183 ex-soldiers registered as being out of work. One hundred and forty of these were provided with jobs, of which 83 were temporary. William Caswell, in charge of the department, said that the greatest number of applicants were unskilled in any kind of labor.

The relief receipts amounted to \$353.65, of which many were from outside points.

Mrs. A. T. Edwards acted as chairman in the absence of Chairman F. H. Hartley. Those present were Secretary Ed Lance, Mrs. S. F. Lawrence, James Gray, Geo. Copeland and John Grieves.

Wonderful Remedy Establishes Regularity, Cures Constipation

As you value life itself, never use medicine that racks the system. Constipation is bad enough, but violent cathartics are the limit.

When the bowels are constipated and you have stomach trouble and headache, try Dr. Hamilton's Pills; they are so mild you can scarcely feel their action, yet so effective that the entire secretory apparatus is stimulated to healthy action.

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Dr. Hamilton's Pills are more than a bowel medicine, for they act as a system cleaner and general tonic. For those who feel dull, heavy, and morose, for those who suffer frequently from colds, biliousness, and stomach disorders, there is no better medicine.

You risk nothing in using Dr. Hamilton's Pills because they are guaranteed to cure.

Made according to the formula of one of the greatest physicians that ever lived, Dr. Hamilton's Pills are bound to give your system just the aid it requires. Sold by all dealers, 25c per box.

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BUILDERS URGED TO LAUNCH WAR ON CLOSED SHOP

Detroit Speaker Calls Labor Business Agents Species of Animal.

Before a gathering of more than 200 builders and other business men of this city, at a banquet given in the Tecumseh House Friday night by the local Builders' Exchange, W. J. Kennedy, president of the Building Employers' Association of Detroit, dealt thoroughly with what is known in Canada as the "optional plan of employing."

He said that this plan was the only system fair both to the employer and the employee. He emphatically urged all employers to insist on the right to employ whom they would, and to refuse to sign agreements providing for closed shops.

"Closed shops," he said, "are immoral, unfair and against all the principles of democracy."

Accuses Samuel Gompers. Mr. Kennedy accused Samuel Gompers, the American labor leader, of deliberately misrepresenting the meaning of the term "closed shop" and "optional plan."

In the session of the A. F. of L., held last week in Montreal, Mr. Gompers had said, he claimed, that a closed shop was only where none but union men could be employed, while an open shop was one where union men could not work.

This was untrue, the speaker continued, because if none but non-union men could do work in an open shop, it was just as much closed as the tightest closed shop in the country.

An open shop is one, he claimed, where any man could work, provided he was capable.

Because of persistent efforts on the part of labor leaders to cast into disrepute the name of "open shop," employers in Canada and the United States were forced to seek another term.

In the United States it was called the "American Plan of Employing," while in Canada it was known as the "Optional Plan."

In adopting the "Optional Plan," the businessmen undertook to create a condition by which any man could work in any place regardless of his connections with organized labor. It made it

every woman's ambition for rosy cheeks now easily satisfied

Hollow cheeks with dark lines under the eyes, how a woman hates them! But rosy cheeks, clear skin, and bright eyes, give them to a woman and she is happy.

The woman who attracts, whose fresh, dainty complexion compels admiration, is always careful of her health, particularly of her blood condition. Bad complexion always means bad blood.

Girls, don't let your blood grow thin or watery. To do so brings on haggard looks and declining strength.

Many a woman who has allowed herself to rundown, to develop that tired, worried look, has built up again in this simple way. Why don't you try it?

At the close of every meal, just take two small chocolate-coated Ferrozone Tablets—any person can do this in a minute. The action of Ferrozone is apparent at once. It sets you up, makes you feel good, starts up your appetite, aids digestion, brings that old-time feeling of youth into the system again.

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You know that pine is used in nearly all prescriptions and remedies for coughs. The reason is that pine contains several peculiar elements that have a remarkable effect in soothing and healing the membranes of the throat and chest.

Pine cough syrups are combinations of pine and syrup. The "syrup" part is usually plain sugar syrup.

To make the best pine cough remedy that money can buy, put 2½ ounces of Pinex in a 16-oz. bottle, and fill up with home-made sugar syrup. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, you make 16 ounces—more than you can buy ready-made for \$2.50. It is pure, good and pleasant—children like it.

You can feel this take hold of a cough or cold in a way that means business. The cough may be dry, hoarse and tight, or may be persistently loose from the formation of phlegm. The cause is the same—irritated membranes—and this Pinex and Syrup combination will stop it—usually in 24 hours or less. Splendid, too, for bronchitis, whooping cough, or any ordinary throat ailment.

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The cost of running this canning plant is practically nominal, one man being able to attend to it all.

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Of course, as every farmer and fruit grower knows, there is always a certain amount of fruit which is destroyed through natural agencies, such as wind, storms, insects, decay and other unavoidable causes, but so far as the Ontario Hospital is concerned, every ounce of produce is utilized to the best advantage.

It will be recalled that the vegetable exhibit of the hospital, shown in the horticultural building, was one of the features of the Western Fair, and excellent crops are grown each season, although, of course, the quantity and quality may differ in accordance with the weather conditions, and the prevalence of insect pests, and any surplus has been passed on to institutions which do not grow such things for themselves.

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possible for a man to sell his work at its true value. It also made it possible for an employer to hire a man at its actual face value. In an open shop, he said, a man must prove his worth before he could hold his job, for no longer could he depend on a union to hold his position for him.

Every man, Mr. Kennedy continued, "has the right to do almost anything he likes, there is only one limit to a man's rights, and that was the rights of the other fellow, as this other fellow applies to everything it applies to labor conditions."

Right To Organize. "Employees have the right to organize as well as you have, and you have no right to interfere with their organizations. They have the right to protect their mutual interests."

Mr. Kennedy said that there had been a right to do things that were not their conditions until they got down to the point where they interfered with the rights of the employer.

When they got to this point they must be stopped, he said, "because if they are not, there will be a class of citizen known as the business agent of organized labor, and these men will live not on their ability to create discord, but on their ability to create discord."

The workers in the two countries spent a total of \$25,000,000 during the past year to support these agents.

Are Peculiar Fellows. These men, he said, were peculiar fellows. They were as smooth as silk, although there were probably a few gentlemen among them. The agents always had something in mental reserve, and so he advised employers when dealing with them to be wary. They always sought to distort the meaning of agreements, and because of this written agreements had become practically useless.

They held their jobs by their ability to talk and by their ability to continually stir up trouble which was usually imaginary. When the employees wanted something they asked their agents to get it, and they did not ask what method he used in getting it.

"Unfortunately," he said, "these men are the country over who follow the lines of least resistance. They sign the agreements brought to them. Employers are absolutely foolish to sign anything which calls for the closed shop. Do any of you realize what is becoming of the apprentices? In many trades the apprentices are dying out because most closed shops provide that only a limited number of apprentices can be employed. I am surprised that businessmen can be intimidated into signing such agreements."

Unfair to One Another. Mr. Kennedy claimed that labor organizations did not play square with one another. Laboring men were usually unkind and inconsiderate to their fellow workmen. The fraternity which was supposed to exist between the workmen was the greatest myth of all times. There was, he said, just as much ill-feeling among employees as there was among employers at one time.

He said that the contractor could not cure the evil of the closed shop unless he was backed by other industries. He urged all businessmen to aid in the fight. He outlined briefly the evils of the closed shop, and said that businessmen could take if certain building trades unions interfered with the open shops of contractors.

The one thing, he said, in summing up, "is that some builders will be guilty of bad faith. If an employer takes advantage of an employee, the employee is in any way unprotected he deserves just as much punishment as anyone. It is just as important for the employer to establish fair methods in dealing with labor as it is for him to insist on fair treatment for himself. Underlying it all there must be the desire to do the decent thing."

"The greatest responsibility of the employer is to give the employee a fair wage, particularly at the present time. Bad judgment on the part of employers will feed the radical element. Give fair play before you expect to receive it. Give every man a chance to rise from the ranks if he has the ability."

The speaker was introduced by John Putterbaugh, who spoke briefly against the closed shop. Alderman John Bridge, acting for Mayor E. S. Little, gave an optimistic talk on the future of business and of the building trade in London.

CANNING PLANT AT ONTARIO HOSPITAL

No Waste of Produce Grown At Big Local Institution.

The allegations of waste in connection with the produce grown by the provincial institutions, to which the Labor party is calling the attention of the Government in Toronto, has no local application or significance.

It will be news to the great majority of the public to know that at the Ontario Hospital, London, a canning plant was installed eleven years ago, and that this plant each year handles a large proportion of the fruit and vegetables grown on the hospital lands.

For example, last year there were put down no fewer than 1,500 cases of corn, 1,600 gallons of peaches, 5,000 gallons of tomatoes, 800 gallons of cranberries, 1,600 gallons of plums, 1,600 pounds of grape jam, 875 pounds of strawberry jam, 8,000 gallons of apples, 50 barrels of apple pulp, for the making of apple butter and jam, and of this jam and butter 800 pairs were shipped to other provincial institutions.

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POETRY LOVERS OF LONDON HEAR BLISS CARMAN

Distinguished Canadian Poet Delights Large Audience in Wesley Hall.

It is seldom indeed that the citizens of London are afforded the opportunity of enjoying such an intellectual treat as that which was last night extended to all those who had the privilege of listening to Bliss Carman, the member of the Women's Canadian Club, under whose auspices Mr. Carman appeared, are to be congratulated on the splendid audience which assembled to listen to Carman's most distinguished and giving readings from his own works.

Mrs. F. E. Leonard, president of the club, occupied the chair, and in a few graceful sentences introduced the speaker.

Mr. Carman devoted his selections to several groups. In the first of which he explained that the poems were all Canadian, although written in the States, where he had lately made his home.

This initial selection was a delightful little piece, entitled "A Remembrance." In which with a few deft touches he depicted the scenes which were his childhood home, and the "Ship of Yule" was a charming reminiscence of childhood.

Mr. Carman, in acknowledging these tributes, gave an extempore discourse on the art to which his life had been devoted, a fitting tribute to the evening which had charmed everyone.

Simple Lyrics Appealed. But still more appealing were his simple lyrics of the garden and field; surely never was nature more beautifully portrayed. This group included "The Roadside Flower," and "The Old Gray Wall" were likewise a source of unalloyed pleasure to listen to. In the latter the poet depicts in glowing colors the old fence built from stones gathered from the land by the early settlers, and which today are transfigured into things of beauty by the wealth of creepers and wild flowers, which cling to them like garlands girdling some venerable sage of old.

As the concluding lines of the evening were read, the audience was left with a sense of peace and contentment, and a feeling that the evening had been well spent.

Monday, February 14, is Valentine Day. Have you left your order for that Flower Valentine at Dick's Flower Shop? If not, go to the telephone and order it now. Their phone number is 297.

CHRIST CHURCH HOLDS SUCCESSFUL BANQUET

Father-and-Son Week is Observed by Large Gathering.

An enjoyable gathering of fathers and sons was held in the schoolroom of Christ Church on Thursday evening. Those who came early joined in a sing-song under the leadership of J. Wilson with Alf Tibbs at the piano.

After supper the chair was taken by C. W. Milligan, who introduced the special speakers, A. A. Ingram, barrister, of St. Thomas, and W. Wallis, principal of Simcoe Street School.

Mr. Wallis spoke of the five sources of influence on every one's life—the home, the school, the occupation, the nation and the church. His address was frequently applauded.

Mr. Ingram spoke, first on the influence of father and son and second on the influence of one man on another. He urged the organization of men's clubs in connection with the church, illustrating his point by cases that came under his own observation.

Brief addresses were also given by R. M. McEldheran, H. Y. Winder, W. A. Hayden, chairman of the repair committee, Wm. Wilson who was at the opening of Christ Church nearly sixty years ago and C. Finlayson of the Senior Boys' Club of St. Paul's Cathedral.

Several musical numbers were given by Mr. Finney and were well received. After votes of thanks were tendered to the ladies of the church for serving the supper and to the special speakers, the meeting was closed by the rector, Canon Gunne.

TRAINING FOR HEIGHTS WAY TO "SATISFACTION"

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The evening was closed with several community games conducted by Mr. Liddle.

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Backache

YOU should never make the serious mistake of neglecting backache or pains in the side. They are, too frequently, symptoms of dreaded kidney trouble, and indifference may bring serious consequences. Prolonged agonies can be avoided if you take Gin Pills at the first sign of backache or dizziness, headache, or pains in the sides. Going right to the kidneys, the source of the trouble, Gin Pills banish backache, no matter how severe.

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Mr. Henry Muma has returned home after spending several days with friends at Inverkip.

Mrs. Ed. Masuro, Waterloo street, entertained at two tables of bridge yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. G. C. McQuire, Ridout street, in Detroit, visiting her daughter, Mrs. James Leshman.

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Mrs. Jack Daly was the hostess of a delightful afternoon tea given yesterday in honor of her mother, Mrs. Portfield.

Mrs. Russell Beattie entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at her home on Thursday evening.

Mrs. Ed. Geary, Craig street, was the hostess of a delightful card party held at her home on Thursday evening.

Miss Dot Campbell of Horton street entertained a number of her friends on Wednesday evening last.

The program included a couple of hours dancing at the "Winter Gardens" followed by supper at the home of the hostess.

Mrs. O. Wootton of Oxford Park was pleasantly surprised on Monday evening last when about twenty of her friends called on her, the occasion being the anniversary of her birthday.

The evening was spent enjoyably playing cards.

Principal and Mrs. W. J. Panton of Brampton announce the engagement of their daughter, Frances Mary MacLean, to Mr. John Arthur Carroll, B.S.A., (late lieutenant of the R. H. A.), also of Brampton, and Mr. W. J. Panton, William Carroll, Iona, Ont.

One of the most delightful events of the coming week promises to be the tea dance at which the Junior Council, Chapter, I. O. O. F., is entertaining at "Prokes" on Saturday afternoon, February 13.

The program includes a couple of hours dancing at the "Winter Gardens" followed by supper at the home of the hostess.

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Club News

ABERDEEN MOTHERS' CLUB.

The members of the Aberdeen Mothers' Club are congratulating each other, because of the healthy condition of their children. At a recent meeting the question of supplying milk to the children in school hours was discussed, and the matter put up to the teachers of the school. An examination of the children by the school nurse and investigation by the teachers show that the children are all splendidly nourished, and not in need of the milk ration. This announcement was made at Thursday evening's meeting of the club.

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BAPTIST CLASS BANQUET.

Seldom has there been a more delightful banquet than the one given by the Young Ladies' Baptist Church of the "Tulip Street Baptist Church" recently. The large schoolroom had been transformed into a banquet hall. The decorations were the red and white Valentine decorations which were designed and carried out by Mrs. Geo. Topping, shaded lights adding to the charm of the affair.

A happy gathering of some 15 members and guests sat down to the banquet, toasts being responded to by Mrs. Geo. Topping, Mrs. E. J. Edwards, Mrs. Grace Claypole, and Mrs. J. H. Williams. The program was given by the "Tulip Street Baptist Church" after which a very interesting program was given consisting of papers and songs on the "Life of Beethoven."

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FOR LOVE OF BETTY

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The Curious Pup

Part Twenty-One.

Nibbles was all-seeing as the giant dog roared his nose through the bundle.

How careful the giant dog had to be with his teeth, for one mischievous nibble would have sent the poor little mayor and the tiny citizen all to nothing.

"Here we are! Alive and well!" cried the merry little voice of the little mayor.

"And as large as life!" cried the tiny citizen, as bright as ever, despite the hardships they had gone through.

"My goodness me," said the giant dog, "I can hear voices, but I can't see any one. They must be so small I can't see them."

But when the little mayor and the tiny citizen stepped into the light the giant dog burst out laughing. "Such funny little fellows! Why, they are not half the size of fleas. Hal hal!"

"Call us all about it," the little mayor and the tiny citizen asked the little mayor.

"Oh, it was awful!" the little mayor

declared as he shivered at the thought of what they had been through.

"When the big bird swallowed us just as we were, I felt as though I could have squeezed our lives out in one squeeze—then I saw the snake as big as that worm! But when we got inside his crop we found he had bitten the worm so badly that he died, so we had nothing to worry about from that source. However, when we felt the bird flying through the air we were terrified again, for we thought we would never come to earth again. We cried and cried for help, but, of course, no one could hear us."

"We heard you crying," Nibbles told him, "but we couldn't help you."

"Well, the little mayor went on with his story, 'we must have been flying around in the bird for half an hour, when suddenly there was a bang close beside us and the bird fell down, down and came to a stop with a crash that nearly knocked us senseless. Then we felt the bird being carried away. Next thing I knew there was a great yank, and we were thrown out here, and then along came you, and the giant dog, and here we are.'"

"It was indeed a strange story, and the little people had had a great adventure."

"I wonder if we will ever see our own people again," the little citizen sighed.

"Go home now," the little mayor replied, for he was getting anxious.

Now Nibbles wished he knew what to do to get his little friends back to where they belonged.

(To Be Continued.)

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Sarnia Gets One Goal Lead on the Alerts

Heavy Ice To Liking of Londoners, Sarnia Claims—Arthurs and Loughheed Star.

SARNIA, Feb. 11.—In one of the hottest fought games of hockey St. Andrew's Arena has ever witnessed the fast-traveling, heavy-checking London Alerts went down before the Sarnia intermediates 2 to 1 in the first game of the home and home series to return a winner for the second round of the intermediate circuit. Heavy ice made the going hard for some of the locals, though the Londoners found the heavy going more to their liking than the locals. Garvey, the speed merchant of the Sarnia outfit, was kept pretty well bottled up. Arthurs and Loughheed were the bright lights for the London team. Sensational work on the part of McAllister keeping the husky defence man from scoring. McKay unhooked a wicked shot, but was wild. Hayes scored both Sarnia goals. Finch's checking bordering on the sensational at times. The teams:

Sarnia.	Position.	London.
McAllister	Goal	Arthurs
B. Crounch	Defence	Loughheed
McAllister	Defence	Kelly
Finch	Centre	Arthurs
Storoy	Wing	McKay
Hayes	Subs	Burgess
Garvey	Subs	May

CANADIAN SKATER EQUALS WORLD'S MARK

Charles Gorman, St. John, N. B., III After Effort—Toronto Girl's Laurels.

LAKE PLACID, N. Y., Feb. 11.—Winning the final in the senior 440-yard dash in the international skating amateur championship tournament today, Charles Gorman of St. John, N. B., equalled the world's record for the distance in 37.5 seconds. Gorman was taken ill after equalling the record. He will receive a diamond medal donated by William Gratton of Pittsburgh, Penn.

This established a record for outdoor performance. Bobby McLean made the time indoors in a rink at Cleveland in 1916. Weather conditions today were disagreeable, as a snow storm prevailed during the afternoon.

Miss Gladys Corinto added two more victories to her string today by winning the one-sixth mile event in 32.4 seconds, and the 440-yard dash for women in 48.4 seconds. In the latter event she edged Webster of Toronto was third.

Among this afternoon's events were the finals of consolation, and the 100-yard dash for women. The consolation races were decided yesterday.

BLENHEIM AND MORPETH IN FRIENDLY SHOOT

BLENHEIM, Feb. 11.—The Blenheim Gun Club and the Morpeth Gun Club had a friendly contest on the grounds of the former here yesterday afternoon. The contest was a close one, as will be seen by the score.

Each shooter had 25 blue rocks, and when the final shot had been fired and the count made, it was found that Morpeth nimrods were just five birds ahead in the race.

The names of the shooters and the score for each is given below. The shoot was made man against man. The odd numbers are the names of the Blenheim shooters, and the even numbers the names of the Morpeth shooters.

1. J. Wetherald, 2. J. Hastings, 13. J. Sam Hartford, 12. 4. J. McMillan, 20. 6. George Bowden, 17. 8. C. Coll, 15. 10. Charles Wetherald, 16. 14. L. Makary, 11. 18. H. Burt, 10. 19. A. B. Kinberly, 11. 21. Earl Wetherald, 14. 22. Fred Coll, 10. 23. James Marshall, 20. 14. H. Down, 19. 15. H. Hunter, 17. 18. J. C. C. C. 13. 19. O. Bentley, 20. 20. C. D. D. 12. 21. W. Gill, 17. 22. D. R. Reynolds, 16. 23. B. Harris, 24. 24. R. Passmore, 12. 25. O. Gill, 10. 26. Jim Rigby, 16. 27. E. Green, 23. 28. J. Leach, 20. 29. William Green, 13. 30. R. Kinberly, 16.

LEAGUE IS ORGANIZED

MOORETOWN, Feb. 11.—The 8th Line Methodist Church has organized an Epworth League. The following officers were elected: President, Mr. C. J. Anderson; first vice-president, Mrs. T. P. Piggott; second vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Anderson; third vice-president, Miss Young; fourth vice-president, Mrs. L. Miller; secretary, Melvin P. Piggott; treasurer, Wilfred Mason; organist, Miss Eunice Treceit.

Tonight's Bill in Sport

BASKETBALL.
London Shamrocks at Hamilton, N. H. A.
Canadiens at Ottawa, N. H. A.
O. H. A.
Senior Series—
Granites at Sarnia, Arena, 8:30 p.m.

KITCHENER SENIORS BEAT AURA LEES 5-1

Lack of Action in Game at Arena Arouses Fans.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—Kitchener defeated Aura Lee here tonight in a scheduled Senior O. H. A. fixture by a score of 5 to 1. The game was not productive of a superior brand of hockey, and at times the fans called for more action. Hiller opened the scoring for the winners in the first period after several minutes of play, on a deceptive shot that caught Stewart unawares. Muston succeeded in equalizing the count in the second period on a pretty pass from Burch after fourteen minutes of play. Hiller, however, added one for Kitchener before the period ended, thus giving the visitors the lead, which they maintained throughout the remainder of the game.

Kitchener came back strong in the final frame and scored three goals, the work of Kargies, Box and Hiller. The line-up:

Kitchener.	Aura Lee.
Hawthorn	Goal
Box	Defence
Hogarth	Defence
Hillman	Wing
Clark	Wing
Stephenson	Centre
Burch	Sub
Kargies	Sub
Trushinski	Sub
Muston	Referee—Reg. Noble.

SEAFORTH JUNIORS WIN AT WOODSTOCK

Visitors Proved a Big Surprise To the Home Septette.

WOODSTOCK, Feb. 11.—The Seaforth Juniors put Woodstock away tonight in the race for the O. H. A. championship. The scores were 4 to 2 and 3 to 2 on the first and second rounds, Seaforth winning at home by 4 to 2.

The visitors proved a big surprise, as the locals felt that they would have a big advantage on the larger ice here, but the Seaforth lads took the ice to the heart of the home team.

Each side had a good goal, and the Seaforth lads took the ice to the heart of the home team. The Seaforth lads took the ice to the heart of the home team.

A Fast Period. The second period was the best of the three. The locals were all over the place, and had many opportunities to add to their count, but they were not. However, Harrington on a nice rush the entire length of the rink, scored the only counter of the period for Woodstock.

In the third session the visitors added two more. Heck Hayes and Welland doing the scoring. The visitors have a nicely balanced team and are fast skaters and check back all the time. Cudmore and Reid proved a good pair on the defence, both defensively and offensively, while Welland at centre was the star of the forward division. Cudmore in goal and Lynch in the front line were Woodstock's best men, although Harrington, the other defence man, played a strong game. The forward line played away below form. The line-up:

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WHAT'S DOING AT THE LOCAL PLAYHOUSES



Allen Dwan presents "The Forbidden Thing" at the Allen Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

What the Press Agents Say About the Shows

AT THE GRAND

DOUBLE COMEDY BILL AT THE GRAND TWICE TODAY—BERT CALDWELL, BARITONE, AND C. R. VICKERY, TENOR, ADDED FEATURES.

One of the funniest comedy bills ever presented in London is that comprising Fatty Arbuckle in "The Life of the Party," and Leslie Henson in "Alf's Buttion," which will be seen twice today at the Grand at 2:15 and 8:15. Among the added features is a Burton Holmes Travelogue and Pathe Topics of picture fun with no advance in prices. As an added attraction, Bert Caldwell and C. R. Vickery, baritone and tenor, have delighted Grand patrons the past two days with a song revue of current New York song successes.

HERBERT'S MINSTRELS AT THE GRAND FOR THREE DAYS, COMMENCING MONDAY.

It's been a long time since London has enjoyed a real minstrel troupe. There have been many so-called minstrel acts covering the vaudeville circuit, but the good old minstrel boys from the sunny southland have been one source article. Grandad, and perhaps dad, too, will remember the good old days when the minstrel troupe strutted

into town, with banners flying, the "coon band" jazzing it up in the big street parade. Minstrel troupes in those days, while not claiming such pretentious layouts as the present traveling productions, had the goods just the same, when it came to real entertainment. Their old darky melodies, their soft-shoe and clog dancing, was hard to beat. Their comedy patter was of that good old wholesome brand that meant for real laughs, and a visit of the minstrel troupe to town was the occasion of a real holiday for dad and the boys. Herbert's Greater Minstrels will feature the Grand for three nights and a matinee, commencing Monday next. The company are all real "darkies," numbering 40 artists. The press reports from cities in which they have played recently acclaim them to be the most talented troupe of negro entertainers that has ever been seen on tour. Traveling by a special car, with a carload of scenic and lighting effects that excels many big productions of more pretentious proportions, the good old days of minstrelsy will no doubt see a revival at the Grand during the company's three days' engagement in the city.

The first part setting is said to be a marvel of color and gorgeousness. The entire company, in silks and satins, the usual and much-loved "men" with their "choker" collars, bones and tambourine will sure bring back memories of the days of the traveling minstrel troupe. They will introduce for the first time in Canada some of the newest song successes, and along with the new ones some of the old plantation melodies. Some exceptionally good

soft shoe stepping is one of the features, and the company boasts a champion "stepper." In the olio will be offered six big novelty acts that would do a good vaudeville bill justice, each and every turn so diversified as to make one enjoyable feature of the program. The last part is a scenic fantasy outwitting Robinson Crusoe and Aladdin and His Wonderful Lamp. There will be a gala street parade daily at noon, and all in all one of the classiest negro entertainments on tour will be offered for the amusement of patrons at the Grand the first three days of the week.

LONDON'S SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA. London will demonstrate next week that it does not want to take a second place to Ottawa, Halifax, Winnipeg, Calgary, Vancouver or any other Canadian city that is supporting a symphony orchestra. Conductor Jordan has been working very earnestly on the program to be prepared, and a great treat is in store for those who attend.

A great orchestra has been gathered together, made up of amateur and professional musicians of this city, augmented to more than 150 players by musicians from the Detroit and Toronto symphony orchestras.

The program will include masterpieces of orchestration, such as Beethoven's 5th Symphony, Wagner's Overture to "Queen of the Night," and other works. The soloists will be Miss Vera Curtis, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, who will sing an aria with orchestra and a group of songs with piano, and Miss Jean Little, who will sing in the last Hungarian fantasia for piano and orchestra. Miss Curtis is a dramatic soprano, and is one of the very few singers who have been able to enter the Metropolitan Opera without elaborate preparation. In nearly every large city in Canada there is at the present time some agitation for the development of local choruses and orchestras, and some of money are being raised by public subscription for the purpose of organizing such organizations. The Winnipeg Chamber of Commerce has undertaken the task of raising the necessary amount to keep up its symphony orchestra. Toronto is raising a fund for its orchestra, and a fund for its orchestra. London, as a city, has never been asked to do more than to subscribe for tickets for the concert.

What is needed now is a large public auditorium where the greatest artists and the best music can be heard at a nominal admission fee, and the hearty support of every citizen in supporting such entertainment as may be presented.

"THE BOY," AT THE GRAND NEXT FRIDAY AND SATURDAY.

"The Boy," announced as the attraction at the Grand two nights and matinee, February 18 and 19, will afford local amusement lovers unusual opportunity for analysis of modern stage entertainment as contrasted with that of other days. A musical sensation of the hour, its success is frankly attributed to the fact that it harks back four decades and is a comedy classic of our grandfather's theatre-going period resurrected and revived in the present-day garb of the girl and music show. In fact, the London press hailed it as a managerial triumph, and was unanimous in declaring the second scene of the second act in which the orchestra is silent and there is not a scantily-dressed girl in sight, to be the high-water mark of enjoyment in the performance.

The unusual situation is due to the fact that the musical comedy is founded upon Sir Arthur Wing Pinero's famous farce, "The Magistrate," and follows the original with such marked fidelity that the complete narrative, the continuity and even the structure, form of the classic remain intact. To do this, keeping within the correct psychology of the story, the personnel of the chorus and atmosphere of musical comedy had to be excluded from the court scene, which is presented precisely as done at the premiere of "The Magistrate" at the Royal Court Theatre, London, 35 years ago. But, perhaps to make amends to the dancers and professional stage beauties thus offered—every moment of fidelity that the complete narrative is jammed with pretty girls and music, action, color and the frivolity of musical comedy. "The Boy" will be presented here as it was played for two years at the Adelphi Theatre, London, England. Seats on sale Tuesday next at 9 a.m.

WHAT IS HELIOTROPE?

One of the most fascinating studies is that of words and their origins. Heliotrope, for instance, comes from two Greek words, helios, meaning "sun," and trophe, "to turn toward."

Hence, in its original meaning, heliotrope referred to any plant that habitually turned toward the sun, and included the sunflower and marigold. Now, however, heliotrope is confined exclusively to the pretty light purple flower with which we associate the name. It is probably the only flower that has ever served as the namesake for a big motion picture production.

Like the flower, the prototypal "Heliotrope" has interesting origins. It comes from the famous story of Richard Washburn Child, the directing skill of George D. Baker, and the histrionic talent of a fine cast of players. This three-act combination has caused the screen "Heliotrope" to blossom into one of the most unusual photoplays ever seen. The story concerns a convict and his love for his daughter. How the convict sacrifices himself to keep his daughter's romance unclouded is revealed in the great picture. You will want to see it at the Grand Theatre the week of February 21.

AT ALLEN'S

"THE FORBIDDEN THING" AT THE ALLEN MONDAY. "The Forbidden Thing" is to be shown at the Allen Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Cross currents of human passion ever playing at cross purposes. The spiritual arrayed against the physical in the race for love. The wiles of a physical woman for the soul of a man—and on the other hand the sweet, refining influence of another woman battling for the possession.

"The Forbidden Thing" is a story that ripples with amusement at times, and at other times bubbles with human emotion. It is a tragedy, a comedy, a romance, and then comes love and happiness and contentment. Somewhere, somehow, its characters are confronted with "the forbidden thing," and somewhere, somehow, romance is met and defeated. Romance, thrill, the appeal of the story, the tense interest, the scenes and situations, all combine to create a picture which will long be etched in the memory as one of the year's best. Among the numerous added attractions will be the always-interesting Allen News, Chester Outing Pictures, and Rolin Comedy Overture, "Beautiful Galatea," and special musical program arranged by Maurice Pouré.

SOCIETY WOMAN ON ALLEN STAGE NEXT WEEK AS "THE MASKED SINGER."

One of the most surprising and delightful events in concert in London this season will be the appearance on the stage of the Allen next week of a popular young singer, Miss Maybelle Mignon, who will be seen in musical comedy success, "The Boy," at the Grand next Friday and Saturday with Saturday matinee.

Charles Ray's newest, "19 & Phyllis," and on Monday, "The White Circle," will be seen at the Allen next Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

Charles Ray has a unique role in "19 and Phyllis," when he is seen this time as a love-struck youth of the city, in a play of puppy love. "19 and Phyllis" is coming to the Allen next Thursday, Friday and Saturday. It is all about a whirlwind dash through reels of real comedy, with Charles Ray as the lover, and Phyllis as the girl in tighty, or you'll short-circuit with the electricity of mirth. Live your youth over again by seeing the bashful beau of 19 woo his Phyllis, though the heavens fall, and the boss fires him. On the same program will be on of those special two-reel Christie Foxes comedies, a snappy trip around the world with the Allen World News, and a host of other attractions for kiddies and grown-ups.

MAJESTIC

"MRS. WIGGS OF THE CABBAGE PATCH" AT MAJESTIC NEXT WEEK.

All comedy lovers of London have a real genuine treat coming next week at the Majestic, when that international comedy success, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch," is presented by The Majestic Players. Manager William A. Grew has been industriously with a big staff of scenic artists and carpenters, whipping the many details for the production into "show-shape." Mr. Director Grew has been hard at "rehearsals" with a big augmented cast putting the finishing touches on the production end.

The piece calls for a big cast, and Manager Grew has been quite fortunate in securing the services of several local players. Stage Manager Rigall has been working industriously with a big staff of scenic artists and carpenters, whipping the many details for the production into "show-shape." Mr. Director Grew has been hard at "rehearsals" with a big augmented cast putting the finishing touches on the production end.

AT LOEW'S

BILLIE BURKE'S NEW STARRING VEHICLE. The late Clyde Fitch undoubtedly was



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one of the most successful playwrights of his day. One of his most popular comedies was "The Frisky Mrs. Johnson," and it enjoyed a long run in New York. This play has been pictured with dainty Billie Burke as the star, and it will be shown at Loew's Theatre for three days, beginning Monday next. Miss Burke is delightfully cast in this picture.

The vaudeville bill embraces Cabaret de Luxe, musical offering, La Toy's Models, posing act, and York and Mabelle, in a novel turn, "Molody and Humor." The added film features include a funny Mack Sennett Comedy and Loew's Screen Pictorial.

"THE WHITE CIRCLE." Bound by his word of honor to visit once each year a lonely spot on the Scottish sand dunes in the expectation of receiving the bullet in his heart that would end it all—that is the strange card carried out by the youthful hero of "The White Circle," Maurice Tourneur's latest screen production. The picture will be shown at Loew's Theatre for three days, commencing next Thursday. "The White Circle" was adapted from Robert Louis Stevenson.

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MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—With Wednesday matinee, Herbert's Minstrels.

THURSDAY EVENING—London's Symphony Orchestra, Miss Vera Curtis, soprano, from the Metropolitan Opera Company, soloist.

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS, FEBRUARY 18 AND 19, WITH SATURDAY MATINEE—Musical comedy success, "The Boy."

ENTIRE WEEK OF FEBRUARY 21—Daily matinee, the Master Special, "Heliotrope," and Miss Marjorie Fringle, Canada's Own Soprano.

ALLEN. TODAY—"A Voice in the Dark." "Edgar's Sunday Courtship." Mutt and Jeff cartoon, Allen World News, overture from "Carmen."

MONDAY, TUESDAY AND WEDNESDAY—"The Forbidden Thing." Popular Society Girl, Allen News, Chester Outing Pictures, Rolin Comedy, special music, and overture, "Beautiful Galatea."

NEXT THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY—Charles Ray, in something different, "19 and Phyllis."

MAJESTIC. TODAY, TONIGHT—"Madame X." ALL NEXT WEEK—Matinee Wednesday and Saturday, "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch."

LOEW'S. TODAY (Continuous 1 to 11)—William S. Hart, in "The Cradle of Courage."



Diana Allen and Wilfred Lytell in a scene from the Cosmopolitan Production, "Heliotrope," a Paramount Picture.

One of the big picture successes of the year which comes to the Grand the entire week of February 21, Miss Marjorie Fringle, soprano, will also be featured on the program.

Today 2:15 **GRAND** Tonight At 7

BIG DOUBLE COMEDY BILL—3½ HOURS OF LAUGHS!

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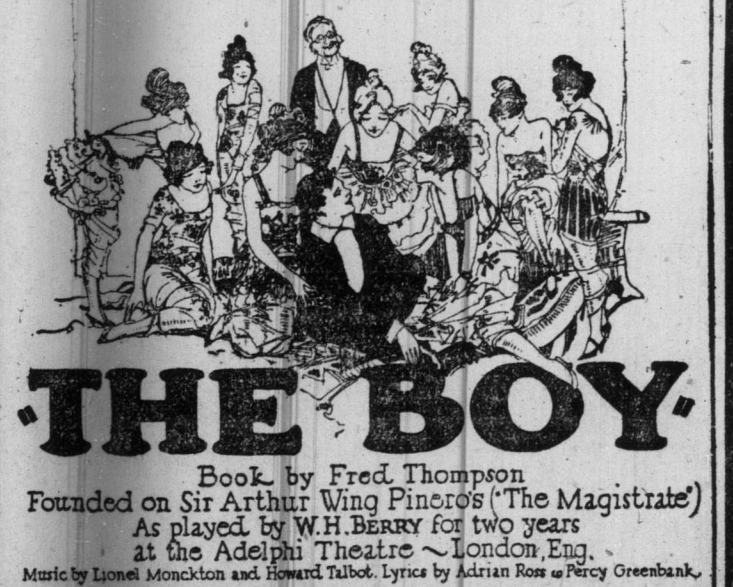
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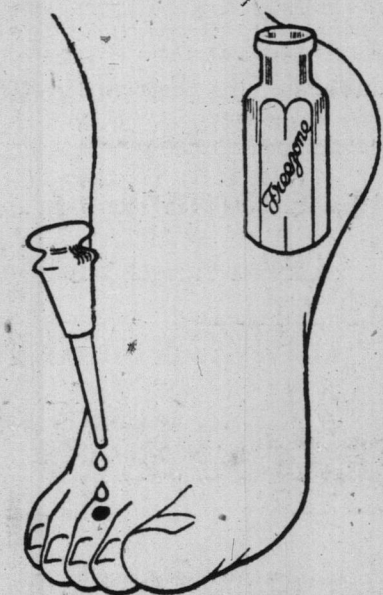
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CURR SCORES ILLEGAL SALE OF WHISKEY

Would Spend Every Dollar To Stamp It Out, He Says.

[Special To The Advertiser.]
TORONTO, Feb. 11.—Condemning illicit whiskey selling as an offence comparable to murder, burglary, theft and arson, J. W. Curry, K.C., Liberal, S. E. Toronto, in the Legislature today, justified the employment of liquor "spotters" in the enforcement of the T. A. If he had been honored with the attorney-generalship he said he would spend every dollar in the province to stop illicit liquor sales.

"It is well within the knowledge of many connected with the administration of the law generally that inspectors in Toronto were in the pay of the bootleggers," he declared.

Two of these officials, he said, fled the city and the others were dismissed from office. In reply to members' questions, the member for S. E. Toronto declared he certainly would employ men of the Italian type to hunt down the bootleggers and countenance their drinking liquor in these establishments upon cases of necessity.

Mr. Curry charged that there was a determined effort among men of standing in the province to discredit the T. A. It was the disregard of the law by such men, he declared, which encouraged the bootlegger in his business. Instead of calling upon the courts at the attorney-general, he declared, it was the duty of every right-minded citizen to hold his hands and help wherever possible in wiping out the liquor business.

Mr. Curry explained the mystery of how the recommendation for O. T. A. appeal to high court judge came to be in the report of the special committee when that committee had voted unanimously to appeal to county court judges. As a member of the sub-committee appointed to draw up the constitution of the main committee, he said, he drew up his own conclusions and sent them forward when it became apparent that the sub-committee was not going to do it.

No Amendments.
Mr. Curry's was the concluding speech in the debate on county court judges. He was carried without amendment.

Hon. A. E. Ross, Conservative, Kingston, who preceded him in the debate, advocated that little latitude be afforded to bootleggers to be allowed to dwellers in cities. He thought it might well to meet the views of city dwellers and leave the law in the country as it is.

SINN FEINERS MURDERED 21

Some Victims Apparently Killed After Having Been Wounded.

DUBLIN, Feb. 11.—The official survey of conditions in Ireland during the week ending February 5, issued today, states that the campaign of outrages against the crown forces was continued with intensity, entailing 35 casualties among these forces during the week. It came in the form of a most extensive operation, it is recounted, was the big ambush at Brangan, County Limerick, where eleven of the police were killed. The survey says the appearance of some of the bodies of victims of the ambush suggest the men were killed in cold blood after having been reduced to helplessness by wounds.

The feature of the week, it is declared, was the increased frequency of bomb attacks on police and military forces on the streets of Dublin, "entailing a callous disregard for public safety." There were seven such attacks during the week.

The effects on the crown forces was slight, but one boy was killed and fourteen other persons injured.

The survey stated that Sinn Feiners assassinated four civilians during the week. Ninety-seven arrests were made for outrages and political offences.

WANT DECEPTION MADE AN OFFENCE

Ontario Horticulturists Protest Against Nursery Stock Misrepresentation.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—Miss Mary Yates, of Port Credit is the first woman chosen as head of the Ontario Horticultural Society. Miss Yates was elected president of the society at the annual meeting here today. The other officers elected are as follows: Rev. W. M. McKay, Weston, first vice-president; J. E. Jaffray, Galt, second vice-president; C. A. Benson, St. Catharines, treasurer; Lockie Wilson, Toronto, secretary and editor.

The directors are: Rev. A. H. Scott, D. D., Perth; H. Middleton, Lindsay; Charles W. Wilson, Port William; T. D. Lockery, Toronto; W. D. Burgoine, St. Catharines; Wm. Hartney, Seaforth; Dr. F. E. Bennett, St. Thomas; J. E. Kirtley, Guelph, and J. E. Brown, Kingsville.

The Ontario Horticultural Society decided to request the Legislature to punish misrepresentation and deception in the sale and distribution of diseased or mis-named nursery stock; also to ask the Dominion Government to appoint a competent person to inspect all bulbs imported into Canada, and to deal with any diseased bulbs as such officer might deem advisable.

WESTERNERS SEE FAMOUS SHORTHORN

Visit Guelph Farm and Inspect \$35,000 Bull From Scotland.

GUELPH, Feb. 11.—A number of Western Canada Shorthorn breeders who have been in Toronto this week attending the annual meeting of the Dominion Shorthorn Breeders' Association, came to Guelph today and visited the farm of J. J. Elliott to see the noted Shorthorn bull purchased in Scotland last year for the record price of \$35,000. G. E. Day, secretary of the Shorthorn Breeders' Association, met the party at the station and accompanied them to the Elliott farm.

The police have received two telegrams from Winnipeg regarding W. H. Bibby, now in custody here on a charge of passing worthless checks. According to the Winnipeg police, W. H. Bibby, alias W. H. Handford, alias Buster Handford, has a bad record in the West, and several warrants are out for his arrest. Chief C. H. Newton of Winnipeg has asked the local police to hold the prisoner following him here. The Winnipeg police learned of his arrest this city after Bibby had communicated with a woman in the western city for money with which to pay his fine.

DECLARES DECISION SETTLES ISSUE OF MIXED MARRIAGES

Protestant Clergymen Hall With Delight Judgment of Privy Council.

MONTREAL, Feb. 11.—(By Canadian Press.)—The news of the privy council's decision on the Tremblay-Despatie marriage case was received tonight by the ministers of the non-Roman churches with great delight that found expression in many mutual congratulations, and these were intensified when it was found that the judgment had also covered the vexed question of "mixed" marriages in this country.

Bishop Tardif of Montreal commented that the judgment was "most satisfactory." It gives us everything for which we have contended for a long time past. It is, in my opinion, one of the most momentous decisions we have ever had. Had it been otherwise it would undoubtedly have occasioned prolonged trouble, which would only have served to accentuate the religious differences of this province.

Definitely Settled.
L. H. Davidson, chancellor of the Montreal diocese, was satisfied with the decision that the entire issue of mixed marriages was definitely settled. Protestant clergy can now, he said, not only marry those of different faiths but even couples where both were Catholics. He emphasized the point that the privy council judgment confirmed the judgment of the supreme court of Canada.

"Emminently satisfactory," was the comment of the Rev. Dr. Hanson, who has been convener of the special committee of the Montreal Presbytery, which has been studying the problem. "The judgment preserves the civil status of Protestant ministers and the rights of the people," he said.

Rev. Father J. O'Rourke, chancellor of the archdiocese of Montreal, in a statement issued tonight says that "the decision of the privy council does not alter the decisions of the Catholic Church in interpreting her law on behalf of her own subjects. If the civil authorities in London have decided differently that is another question, but does not in the least alter the church's decision. All these expressions of pleasure and satisfaction from those of other beliefs seem strange and uncalled for, when the case in question concerns the interpretation of the Catholic marriage law in regard to two Catholics."

WHITE STAR BUYS MONSTER LINER

LONDON, Feb. 11.—The White Star Line has purchased the steamship Bismarck, the largest vessel in the world, for its New York service.

The Bismarck, a vessel of 55,000 tons, was built at Hamburg for the Hamburg-American Line. Last fall it was reported that fire had badly damaged the vessel while lying at her docks in Hamburg. The Bismarck was to have been delivered to the Allies under the terms of the peace treaty.

SUSPENDED SENTENCE

Indian Is Allowed to Go On Payment of \$60 Costs.

BLENNHEIM, Feb. 11.—The Indian, Tom Johnson, who was arrested by County Constable George Peters and Provincial Officer Low, came up for sentence and for examination before J. C. Whittington, J. P. Crown Attorney H. D. Smith conducted the inquiry into the charges of striking the other Indian, Pearce, with an axe and biting his finger. There seemed to be little interest for such conduct, and it was a surprise to all that he had dealt the blow, as he had previously borne a good reputation with those he had worked for. His father said this was the first time he had ever been in trouble. His wife and four small children were present. The court, after pointing out the seriousness of the case, warned him, and let him out on suspended sentence, with fine and costs amounting in all to \$66, which were paid. He is required to report every month for a year to the justice.

Young People's Contempt For Manual Labor Grave Menace

High Prices Due To Lack of Production On the Farm, Declares Prof. Reynolds of Guelph—Canada's Greatest Asset, He Says, Is Her Rich Productive Soil.

[Special To The Advertiser.]
CHATHAM, Feb. 11.—Provision of properly trained help to aid in bigger and better production of grain and foodstuffs on Ontario farms was the keynote struck in an address to the Ontario Agricultural College, Guelph, by Prof. J. B. Reynolds, M.A., president of the Ontario Farmers' Union. He declared that one of the gravest dangers facing Canada today was the lack of proper food production on Canadian farms.

A Vital Factor.
"This action on the part of the rural population is having a great effect on the material welfare, social character and political stability of the country," he stated. "As long as I believe that the cause can be cleared up and the farmers adopted for fostering industries other than agriculture. These methods have placed the farmer at serious disadvantages in the produce, money and labor markets."

"Our biggest and best asset, our most enduring resource, is the top six inches of our Canadian soil," stated the speaker amidst applause.

Don't Like Work.
He went on to show that the extreme animosity of the rising generation to the tillage of the soil was in a great many cases due to their ill-conceived contempt of the manual labor necessary to the success of this work.

The rapid trend to the cities has lost thousands of tons of food produce that would be saving grace in this time of high prices," he stated, and submitted that the rapid increase in food prices and a corresponding increase in all prices, while precipitated by the war, has been actually caused by the non-production of the essential foods on the farms of Ontario.

Disruptions among the labor element came in for strong criticism from the speaker, who stated: "As long as there is dissension in the ranks of labor and the farmers live in cities and towns, caring very little about the productivity of their farms, there is

bound to be and will continue to be the high prices that we are trying to pull down."

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SUMNER—At St. Joseph's Hospital, Feb-
ruary 9, 1921, to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph
A. Sumner, a son.

DIED.
ELLIOT—On Friday, February 11,
1921, at 9, concession 2, North Dor-
chester, Janet Elliot, in her 90th year.
Funeral from the above address, on
Monday, February 14, Services at 1
o'clock. Interment at Ford Mills
Cemetery.

HAWKEY—At St. Joseph's Hospital,
on Friday, February 11, 1921, John J.
Hawkey of Parkhill.
Funeral will be held from his late
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ton County has made rapid strides in corn growing, and is taking a leading part in the production of corn. A feature of the exhibits was the display

made by the school children. Special attention is being given to developing the school children as experts in agriculture, and great results are promised.

LARGES A SYSTEM OF CREDITS TO AID FARMERS

The Report of Committee Is Tabled in House—Hon. Manning Doherty Says Govt. Will Fight Freight Rate Increase.

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—With J. W. Curry, K.C., Liberal member of the Legislature for Southeast Toronto, the speaker, the debate on the report of the committee on the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, Mr. Curry admitted that the sub-committee of the committee of the Ontario Legislature on the enforcement of the Ontario Temperance Act, which he had introduced, had been passed by the committee, but he said it was his ideal of a report.

Mr. Curry expressed confidence in the Drury Government, and said he believed the government had acted wisely in appointing a commission to investigate the radial railway projects.

Brigadier-General Ross, Conservative, Kingston, said the Conservative members were opposed to the government giving away water powers as it was doing. As to the O. E. A. General Ross expressed the opinion that a man should be able to get a drink of beer if he wished to do so.

General Ross criticized the government for not having put up a stronger front against increased freight rates, express and telephone rates. The city of Toronto had done all the fighting, he said.

Hon. Manning Doherty, minister of agriculture, said the government had engaged counsel to fight the freight rates.

Rural Credits. The report of the committee on rural credits was tabled in the Legislature this afternoon. It states that "in the rural sections of Ontario the need for short term credit is felt keenly, whereas there is, in many localities, very little need for long term credit."

Dealing with New Ontario, the report states: "There are many sections where the need for mortgage (long term credit) is very pronounced. In many of these cases money cannot be obtained at all by those who have land as yet of little value and are unable to obtain a loan from the banks or other sources."

"We realize that the security which farmers in that part of the province can give is by no means as good as that of the greater credit assumed by the producers in the more fertile sections."

"We are justified in saying that we would be performing a valuable service to the country, to the urban population and to the farmer in providing him with a system of credit which is practical, sound, adapted particularly to his conditions."

"But in what respects is the existing credit system inadequate? It is inadequate from the point of view of agriculture."

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Charming Billie Burke, who will feature Loew's program Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday next in her latest success, "The Frisky Mrs. Johnson," from the play by Clyde Fitch.

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Another rule amended to permit players who have been in the major leagues for ten consecutive seasons to demand an unconditional release after waivers have been served on them. Under the former rule a club could claim within ten days after the waiver period.

The matter of umpires was not discussed, this having been adjusted at the Chicago meeting. League officials decided to limit requests for world's series tickets for newspaper prizes in contests to newspapers in cities having major league teams. The officials also authorized payment of \$100 each for buttons to be awarded to players on winning teams of world's series.

MATCH WILSON AND MALONE. Crawford of Port Burwell, garage-keeper, was charged this afternoon with selling liquor contrary to the O. P. A. act, and the hearing of the case continued until late in the evening.

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HALLAM ASKS BAIL IN CHATHAM CASE

TORONTO, Feb. 11.—William Hallam, charged with the murder of a woman, has been held in custody as a material witness in connection with a charge of manslaughter.

Against his brother, Stanley Hallam, for fatally wounding Mrs. Ruby Cross, appeared in the police court here today, and through his counsel, asked for bail in connection with a charge of assault and robbery laid against him in Chatham. Magistrate Denison said he had nothing to do with the Chatham charges, and referred Hallam to the attorney-general of the province.

EMPIRE TIES ARE STILL HOLDING FAST

NEW YORK, Feb. 11.—(Canadian Press)—Commenting on General Smuts' recent visit in South Africa, the Wall Street Journal this morning says that the result has been an overwhelming defeat for the secessionists, and points out to its readers that at a time when "for various purposes, none of them particularly creditable to the British Empire, it is important to remember that the British Empire is far stronger than her critics pretend. There are good and compelling reasons why the British Empire is far stronger than her critics pretend. There are good and compelling reasons why the British Empire is far stronger than her critics pretend."

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

EGGS SELL AT 50 CENTS PER DOZEN

Wholesale Quotation Drops to 42 Cents On Saturday Market.

The wholesale quotation of eggs dropped to 42 per dozen at the local market on Saturday morning, and the retail price was 45c. The former wholesale price was 45c, and the retail 55c. All this week eggs have been subjected to sharp declines, and there is every indication that prices will continue on the down grade.

Potatoes were offered in large quantities, and there was a good demand. The bulk of the potatoes were sold at 25c per bushel, and the retail price was 30c.

Only 30 loads of hay were offered during this week, but the maximum price only reached \$24 per ton. There will be a good demand next week.

Front and hind quarters of pork were on the square at 15c per lb. Prices remain at 25c and 23c per lb. for hams and 24c and 22c per lb. for hams.

Grain, Per Cwt.—Oats, per cwt., \$1.55 to \$1.57. Wheat, per cwt., \$2.25 to \$2.27. Barley, per cwt., \$1.80 to \$1.82. Rye, per cwt., \$1.50 to \$1.52. Corn, per cwt., \$1.25 to \$1.27.

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Potatoes, per bag, \$1.15 to \$1.17. Lettuce, per doz., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Cabbage, per doz., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Carrots, per doz., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Celery, per doz., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Parsnips, per doz., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Rhubarb, per doz., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Asparagus, per doz., \$1.00 to \$1.02.

Fruits, Retail—Apples, per bu., \$2.00 to \$2.02. Oranges, per bu., \$2.00 to \$2.02. Lemons, per bu., \$2.00 to \$2.02. Limes, per bu., \$2.00 to \$2.02. Peaches, per bu., \$2.00 to \$2.02. Plums, per bu., \$2.00 to \$2.02.

Honey, Wholesale—Clover, per lb., \$1.20 to \$1.22. Alfalfa, per lb., \$1.20 to \$1.22. Buckwheat, per lb., \$1.20 to \$1.22. Rape, per lb., \$1.20 to \$1.22. Safflower, per lb., \$1.20 to \$1.22.

Hay and Straw—Timothy hay, ton, \$21.00 to \$21.20. Clover hay, ton, \$21.00 to \$21.20. Alfalfa hay, ton, \$21.00 to \$21.20. Rape hay, ton, \$21.00 to \$21.20. Safflower hay, ton, \$21.00 to \$21.20.

Dairy Products, Retail—Butter, creamery, lb., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Cheese, creamery, lb., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Eggs, strictly fresh, \$1.00 to \$1.02.

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Provisions—Dressed meat, retail, lb., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Dressed meat, wholesale, lb., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Dressed meat, retail, lb., \$1.00 to \$1.02. Dressed meat, wholesale, lb., \$1.00 to \$1.02.

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11:10, 11:15, 11:20 p.m.
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