

WAITING POLICY IN MEXICO WILL BE BEST IN THE END PRESIDENT TELLS CONGRESS

Important Steps Will Be Taken to Aid Agriculture, Says Wilson—Currency Bill Will Have Far-Reaching Effect.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, D. C., Dec. 2.—President Wilson read his first annual message to Congress today, at a joint session of the two branches at 1 o'clock in the House chamber. The message, among the briefest of documents of its kind from any president, and some 3,000 words long, required less than thirty minutes for reading, though it treated upon a variety of subjects.

The Mexican situation, President Wilson dismissed with brief comment,

ably would not be obliged to alter its policy of waiting.

Not After Trusts.
No program for trust legislation was presented, further than mention of the desirability of an early amendment to the Sherman law "to prevent private monopoly more effectively than it has yet been prevented," and an announcement that the President would later address a special message to Congress dealing solely with that subject.

Railway Building.
Building of Alaskan Railways, which the President endorsed, the need for concentration by the Senate on the pending currency bill, which he emphasized; urgent necessity of rural credit legislation; self-government for Porto Rico and Hawaii; ultimate independence for the Philippines; a policy of "common council and conference" between the Federal Government and the States on the conservation question and a revision of the system of primary elections were the principal features of the President's address.

At Peace With All.
The country, I am thankful to say, is at peace with all the world, and many happy manifestations multiply about us of a growing cordiality and sense of community of interest among the nations, foreshadowing an age of settled peace and good will. More and more readily each decade do the nations manifest their willingness to bind themselves by solemn treaty to the processes of peace, the processes of frankness and fair concession.

So far the United States has stood at the front of state gain the assent, in principle, of no less than 31 nations, representing four-fifths of the population of the world, to the negotiation of treaties by which it shall be agreed that whenever differences of interest or of policy arise which cannot be resolved by the ordinary processes of diplomacy they shall be publicly analyzed, discussed and reported upon by a tribunal chosen by the parties before either nation determines its course of action.

In addition to these, it has been the privilege of the department of state to gain the assent, in principle, of no less than 31 nations, representing four-fifths of the population of the world, to the negotiation of treaties by which it shall be agreed that whenever differences of interest or of policy arise which cannot be resolved by the ordinary processes of diplomacy they shall be publicly analyzed, discussed and reported upon by a tribunal chosen by the parties before either nation determines its course of action.

There is only one possible standard by which to determine controversies between the United States and other nations, and that is compounded of these two elements: Our own honor and our obligations to the peace of the world.



PRESIDENT WILSON.

reiterating the sentiments he expressed in a special address to Congress on the same subject some time ago, and expressing the belief that the Huerta Government slowly was crumbling and that the United States prob-

WATER COMMISSIONER'S TREES SPREAD SAN JOSE SCALE

Springbank Park Wild Orchards Blamed For Causing Epidemic of Dread Fruit Tree Plague—Spraying For Byron District.

The water commissioners stand indicted.

"True, it is not with piracy on the high seas they are charged, but their alleged offence is serious enough. They are accused of being passive allies of that bane of the apple crop—the San Jose scale. Unconsciously, they are said by Secretary W. J. Bartlett, of the Byron Fruit Growers' Association, to be perpetuating the Spanish pest in the Byron district.

Wild Apple Trees.
"There are a number of wild apple trees in the Springbank Park reservoir section," says Mr. Bartlett, "that are badly affected with the scale, and

as far as I can learn, the commissioners are not aware of this.

"It is to be hoped that this will draw their attention to the matter. The trees should certainly be cut down immediately, as the scale is carried by birds to the orchards surrounding the park, and enormous damage is done.

Spraying Campaign.
Mr. Bartlett says that unprecedented preparations are being made for the immediate spraying of the orchards in the great Byron fruit belt. The growers have thrown off their lethargy and to a man are out to control insect and fungus diseases, which in many cases have shown their presence in an alarming manner.

Burglars Enter East End Store

Take Three Suits of Clothing From R. J. Young's Branch After Forcing Window.

Three suits of clothes were stolen when the east end branch of R. J. Young & Co.'s clothing establishment was broken into Monday night. As far as could be ascertained this morning these were the only articles taken. No money was missing. Sergeant-Detective Thos. Nickle was notified of the occurrence and is working on the case.

Entry to the building was gained by forcing a window at the back of the building. It is not known whether one or more men were concerned in the job.

DISPERSED STRIKERS

Chauffeurs and Teamsters Were Not Allowed to Parade.

[Canadian Press.] Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 2.—Mayor Wallace ordered the police today to disperse a parade which was proposed by the teamsters and chauffeurs who are on strike. The police kept the crowd about labor headquarters moving, and did not give them a chance to start a parade.

As an additional help to the police in preventing the parade one of the fire department's large hose wagons was loaded with policemen armed with riot guns. The machine was run through the downtown streets, scattering the pedestrians right and left. More wagons were in operation today it was reported.

The teamsters paraded wagon drivers at every opportunity, however,

HINDUS WILL COME IN THOUSANDS NOW DECLARES OFFICIAL

Judge Hunter's Decision Threatens To Spoil Labor Market in the West.

SITUATION IS CRITICAL

New Legislation To Keep East Indians Out Will Be Framed.

[Canadian Press.] Vancouver, Dec. 2.—"This judgment has brought about a critical state of affairs, and one which will be given every possible consideration by the Provincial Government in order to protect the interests of the province insofar as the Government's constitutional authority will permit," declared Premier McBride, discussing the turn of affairs in the Hindu immigration question following the issuance of Chief Justice Hunter's written judgment.

"We have always tried to make it clear that objections which the Government of this province entertains toward the entry of Hindus are not upon race grounds but are of an economic and social nature," said the Hon. Richard.

An Important Question.
The Premier intimated that he did not desire to express any opinions upon the judgment itself, but added that he believed the question would probably occupy the attention of the courts for some time.

Very much more vehement was an official who has to do with newly-arrived Hindus, and who fears there is a good deal of trouble in store. He said: "The Hindu's pen on Saturday are news was flashed to India by cable and there was no efficient method of hindering Hindus from entering the country. I believe that thousands will arrive here. It looks as if there was only one method of dealing with them. That is to have a force of workmen sufficient to force them back and not allow them to land. It is the only salvation the labor people in this province will have because if five or ten, or twenty thousand Hindus are added to the immigrant population of British Columbia, the province will be spoiled for white laborers."

NEW LEGISLATION.

[Canadian Press.] Vancouver, Dec. 2.—H. H. Stevens, Vancouver's parliamentary representative, returned from Ottawa with the announcement that the Dominion Government was considering legislation to deal with Hindu immigration in British Columbia. A radical measure, Mr. Stevens said, would be presented at the next session.

Formerly Hindus were barred from Canada under a regulation compelling them to travel by direct steamer from India, there being until a few months ago no such service in existence. Now, however, certain steamers make the direct voyage, and Hindus are entering the province in large numbers.

A court decision recently, in the case of a forcible deportation was to the effect that Hindus could be deported only for such causes as would apply to any foreign citizen.

FEARS TROUBLE.

[Canadian Press.] Vancouver, Dec. 2.—There has arrived in the city H. A. Matier, who has spent a considerable number of years in India, and therefore is interested in the problem that now confronts the Government arising from the judgment of Chief Justice Hunter in letting down the bars that formerly excluded Hindus from this province. He states that the feeling in India is being taken. The keen interest taken in public affairs shown by numerous nominations for a comparatively few offices.

Though Calgary and Regina have rejected their present mayors in most of the other cities there is a contest. At Moose Jaw two candidates are out for the mayoralty and twenty for the ten aldermanic seats. Calgary has 23 candidates for the council. Edmonton twelve, Saskatoon 13, while Medicine Hat has three aspirants to the mayoralty and twenty to the council.

Lethbridge tries out commission government, and yesterday's nominations show six candidates for mayor, six for commissioner of public works, and three for commissioner of public utilities.

In the small towns and cities the same interest prevails, there being many candidates for few offices.

LABOR EXHIBIT

Gomper's Accepts Offer of Show Building at Panama Exposition.

[Canadian Press.] San Francisco, Dec. 2.—Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, has accepted on behalf of the federation, the offer of a building on the site of the Panama-Pacific Exposition for a labor exhibit in 1915.

The building will house the exhibit to be installed by the 120 international unions, affiliated with the federation.

DAVID JACK DEAD.

[Canadian Press.] St. John, N. B., Dec. 2.—A telegram from Clifton Springs, N. Y., announces the death of David Russell Jack, one of St. John's foremost citizens. He had gone there a few days ago for the benefit of his health.

Uncle Sam's Battleship Fleet Practically Blockading the Harbor at Vera Cruz



STRICKEN ON HER BIRTHDAY

Mrs. Fraser Was To Have Attended Daughter's Wedding On Wednesday.

DIED FROM PARALYSIS

[Special to The Advertiser.] Embro, Dec. 2.—Mrs. Hugh Fraser, aged 72, stricken with paralysis, on her birthday today, died a short time later without recovering consciousness. She had not been feeling well for two weeks. Her daughter, Miss Margaret, was to have been married tomorrow, but now the wedding has been postponed.

Two other daughters, Miss McFadden and Mrs. Wm. Webster, reside in the west, and one son, James, is a teacher at Kingston.

Her husband died some years ago. Deceased was a member of the Presbyterian Church. Pending the arrival of her son the funeral arrangements have not been completed.

"DRUG RING" MAY BE EXPOSED BY CROWN'S INQUIRY

Coroner's Investigation Into the Death of Percy McRoberts Will Start Crusade.

SUSPECT ILLICIT DEPOTS

Detectives To Unearth Mysterious Source of Cocaine Supply to "Fiends."

Does a "drug ring" exist in London? If it is proved at the inquest to be held before Coroner Becher Wednesday night that drugs caused the death of Percy McRoberts last week, a thorough effort to ascertain the source from which the drugs were secured will be made by the crown authorities.

Crown Attorney J. B. McKillop and the detective force are determined that insofar as it is possible the use and sale of drugs in London shall cease.

Mysterious Cocaine Depot.
From some mysterious source cocaine is secured by those addicted to the use of the powder. The users are known to one another as "snow birds," and someone is said to be profiting from their weakness. The white powder is said to be "peddled" regularly, a curbside trade being carried on by these "merchants," and a considerable profit is secured from those who are willing to take any means of securing it.

Druggists Blameless.
The police are confident that the drug is not secured through the agency of druggists. The trade refuses absolutely to supply cocaine unless a doctor's prescription is presented, though there are few druggists who are not frequently appealed to by slaves of the habit.

The unfortunate death of young McRoberts is almost certain to be the cause of a successful investigation. The officers have secured evidence that cannot be controverted.

NO GOVT. PROBE INTO HIGH COST OF LIVING

Premier Borden So Decides After Visit With President Wilson.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, Ont., Dec. 2.—There is to be no commission of inquiry into the high cost of living. The Government signified the return of Premier Borden from his holidays by coming to this decision.

Practically it is Mr. Borden's first official act since his interview with President Wilson at Washington.

WILL RELEASE ZELAYA.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, Dec. 2.—At the State Department today, the Zelaya case was considered closed, and the former dictator's release in New York was expected by nightfall, with the agreement that he would return to Barcelona, Spain.

VESSEL OWNERS OPPOSED TO MEASURES FOR SAFETY

Great Lakes Men Start a Campaign To Influence Sentiment Against La Follette Seaman's Bill Aimed To Prevent Any More Great Disasters.

[Canadian Press.] Cleveland, O., Dec. 2.—Great lakes vessel owners today began a campaign to influence sentiment against the La Follette seamen's bill, which aims by providing for complete life-saving equipment and a higher standard of seamanship, to obviate future disasters, such as the sinking of the Titanic.

They say that conditions on the lakes are radically different from conditions at sea, and that the number of lifeboats now carried on lake steamers and the number and quality of sailors employed need no increase.

"If this bill becomes a law in its present form," said T. F. Newman, general manager of the Cleveland and Buffalo Transit Company, today, "the steamers of this company as well as those of most of the passenger lines on the great lakes will be absolutely forced to cease operations."

A pamphlet sent out by the vessel owners declares that 82,000,000 passengers have been carried by great lakes lines in the past five years without the loss of a single life due to accidents on steamers.

TEN DROWNED WHEN WAVE SWEEPED OVER TOWN OF BELTON

[Canadian Press.] Belton, Texas, Dec. 2.—Ten persons perished in a 30-foot wave which came without warning down Nolan Creek before daybreak. The creek runs through the centre of this city.

Fifty houses along the creek's banks in Belton were swept away. In the heart of the town Mrs. W. C. Polk and her four children were caught asleep in their home and drowned. Polk, carrying the fifth child, an infant, escaped to high ground.

Five fatalities—a man, his wife and three children—were reported in another family, that of a camper. His name was not known here.

When the Main street bridge in Temple, Texas, was demolished by the wave an unidentified man was on the structure. He was seen to go into the waters. It is believed he perished.

The creek's rise was the result of a downpour of four hours' duration.

CAPTAIN LUSHINGTON WAS DASHED TO DEATH

Commander of the British Naval Flying Corps Fell From His Biplane.

[Canadian Press.] Eastchurch, Kent, England, Dec. 2.—Captain Gilbert V. Wildman-Lushington, commander of the British naval flying corps, with whom Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord of the admiralty, made a long flight on Saturday, was killed today at the naval flying ground here by a fall with his biplane.

The well known aviator was flying with a brother officer, Captain Henry Fawcett, of the Royal Marines, who was piloting the aeroplane, and who suffered slight injuries when it crashed to earth and was splintered into matchwood.

Captain Wildman-Lushington belonged to the Royal Marine Artillery, and had been attached for some time to the naval flying school here.

WOMAN SUFFRAGISTS DISCUSS CONSTITUTION

May Make Radical Change To Place Association in Better Shape.

[Canadian Press.] Washington, Dec. 2.—Chief interest in the second day's session of the convention of the National American Woman Suffrage Association was in the discussion of a new constitution for the organization. The purpose of a change in constitution, it was explained, was to place the association on a basis with a budget system. Money for carrying on the work hitherto has been raised on a subscription plan. Reports of credentials, ways and means, church work, congressional and other committees took up the morning session. The committee which drew up the new constitution also was ready to report. While there was some opposition to the proposed change, leaders declared that when its full meaning was explained much of it would disappear.

BOURASSA CHARGES BISHOP FALLON IS NOT TRUE LEADER

Bitterly Assails Imperial Federation Speech Made at St. Andrew's Banquet.

"INTELLIGENCE VIVID, BUT NOT PROFOUND"

Leader of Nationalists Says the Bishop of London Is a "Modern" Speaker.

GAVE NEW ARGUMENTS

Attacks Speech as Awful Mixture of Jingoism and Mysticism.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Montreal, Que., Dec. 2.—Mr. Henri Bourassa comments today in Le Devoir with an editorial headed "Bishop Fallon and the Empire." The Nationalist leader, it is reported, said in London after the St. Andrew's banquet, where both M. Bourassa and Bishop Fallon spoke, that he would have liked to have had ten minutes in which to reply to the imperialistic utterances of the Bishop of London. He did not get the ten minutes, but his article today might be well taken as a straight answer.

A Modern Speaker.

He writes—"His grace is not a true preacher penetrated by the Sacerdotalist union. He is the modern speaker, served by a more vivid than profound intelligence, a varied culture, and all the physical gifts of a popular speaker, high stature, sonorous voice, and strength of the biceps. Bishop Fallon was, so it is said, the champion football player during his college life."

No New Argument.

"He did not give a new argument in support of his imperialistic doctrine, as a reasoning it was really childish. Bishop Fallon speaks as do the other imperialists. He does not argue, nor does he prove. He dogmatizes. To the numberless obstacles that threaten the system he advocates, he does not give a thought; he disdains them, as well as his opponents, whom he simply calls fools and tramps."

"But what amazed me is the passion with which this Irishman was cheering the dominating yoke of his race, and the violence displayed by this priest of Christ, who died for the people, in calling for the triumph of British, or rather, Anglo-Saxon imperialism."

"For what Bishop Fallon advocates is not the perpetuation of the empire by an equal alliance between the races that composed it, it is on the contrary, the subjection of all these races to the benefit of the Anglo-Saxons."

"While listening to his statement I recalled to me those barbarians enrolled in Roman legions. They became more imperialist than Caesar, they did not content themselves with accepting the yoke of Rome, they joyfully slaughtered the free people that were too weak to resist the brutal power of the conqueror."

Astonishing Position.

"But if the attitude of the Irishman conquered and enlisted is astonishing, the position taken by the priest is still more so; I have heard many a hymn to the God of the empire, but never have I listened to such a mixture of jingoism and mysticism."

"I confess that I prefer the old method of preaching, the one employed by the Christ, who said, 'Give to Caesar what belongs to Caesar, and to God what belongs to God,' even at the risk of being called a tramp. I contend that if the new method is the proper one to have heads smashed for the empire, the old one is more effective to win souls to truth."

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—MILD, UNSETTLED. LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The following were the highest and lowest temperatures recorded for the 24 hours preceding 8 p.m. Monday: Highest, 48; lowest, 42.

The highest and lowest temperatures previous to 8 a.m. this morning were: Highest, 46; lowest, 43.

Forecast.

Toronto, Dec. 2—8 a.m.

Light to moderate variable winds, cloudy or partly cloudy today and on Wednesday, with a few local showers and continued mild.

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

Station	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	48	42	Cloudy
Calgary	46	38	Clear
Winnipeg	34	28	Cloudy
Port Arthur	40	34	Cloudy
Parry Sound	46	38	Cloudy
Toronto	48	40	Cloudy
Ottawa	46	34	Cloudy
Montreal	46	38	Cloudy
Quebec	36	30	Cloudy
Father Point	34	28	Cloudy

The disturbance which was near Bermuda yesterday has dispersed. Pressure is now high over the greater portion of the continent.

Showers have occurred again locally from Lake Superior to the Maritime Provinces, while the weather remains fine in the West.

Postoffice Annex

In anticipation of the Christmas rush the store adjoining the postoffice in the Carling Block, is being used by the 35 outside letter carriers for receiving and sorting their mail. Forty-six men in all work in this department, ten inside men being occupied in distributing the mail to proper carriers.

The next adjoining store will be used for the parcel post office when that new postal department opens about the first of the new year.

HAS NO RELIGION

Court's Decision in Dealing With the Case of Foster Child.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, Dec. 2.—That the welfare of the child and not the religion of the parents is the deciding factor in determining to what foster home a child shall be confided is the decision of the appellate division in dismissing the appeal of Philip Kenna, of Montreal, from the decision of Mr. Justice Middleton.

The court mentions that the statutes refer to "Protestant" child and "Roman Catholic" child, and adds: "A child of tender years has no religion of its own, nor is the question of its religion considered a pressing one. It cannot be properly designated as a Protestant or a Catholic child."

ELECTED PRESIDENT.

[Canadian Press.] New York, Dec. 1.—Fairfax Harrison, president of the Chicago, Indianapolis and Louisville Railway Company, was today elected president of the Southern Railway Company, to succeed the late W. W. Finley.

---and the Worst Is Yet to Come

WRONG SIGNALS WERE PUT UP
DECLARES CAPTAIN STEVENS

Would Not Have Dared To Put Out in Storm Had He Known It Was Coming, Says Mariner at Inquest Into the Lake Disaster.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Goderich, Dec. 1.—Six more witnesses were on the stand for four hours today, when the inquest into the lake disaster resumed.
The testimony of Captain Stevens was most important. He expressed the opinion that Goderich would never be a proper harbor, giving as his reasons that any place where a sailor had to turn his boat and get it into the trough of the sea was no fit place for a harbor, and would not be any good. Of course, if improvements were made, such as building the breakwater higher, dredging out the basin which lay between the sea wall and the shore, it would be better for mariners, but it would never be a good harbor of refuge.
"Where would you find any better harbor?" asked County Crown Attorney Seager.
"Where would you find any worse?" re-echoed the captain, as a laugh went around the courtroom.
Asked about the signals, the mariner said that they had misled him. He said that the signal betokened a northwest wind, whereas a northeast wind was blowing. He would not have gone out if he had known that the meteorological department in Toronto knew that a storm of unusual severity was coming. He went out, however, and weathered the gales safely.
"I think the cause of several boats going out was in consequence of their commanders being misled by the signals," he continued. "The captain mistook the direction of the coming storm."
Witness saw the Wexford about fifteen miles north of Point Clark, and he thought that she should have reached Goderich before the storm struck her.
Weather Details.
Mr. Wm. Allan, of the meteorological office at Toronto, gave some interesting evidence. He affirmed that a heavy gale signal was ordered up from the office at 10:10 on the morning of Nov. 7 and remained up until Nov. 10. A general forecast predicting wind with snow was issued at 9:30 that morning, and had been published in nearly all the evening papers sent to all the telegraph offices in Ontario, also sent to the wireless station at Midland. It was customary to send out reports after the weather charts had been made up at 9:30 a.m. and 10:30 p.m. daily. No word had been dispatched to the various stations after Saturday morning, although the department knew at 10:30 on Saturday night that a storm of unusual severity was sweeping its way across the continent.
No Hurricane Signal.
Crown Attorney Seager asked if a bulletin could not have been issued on Saturday night which might have reached the Wexford lying at the "Soo" and prevented her loss. Captain Allan acknowledged that it would have been possible to have sent out the report, but owing to the fact that all the telegraph offices closed early on Saturday, he did not think the message would have been delivered. At this time the signals were up and they were the only means the department had to reach the sailors. He contended that wireless would be of great value to the sailors. The heavy storm signals had only been ordered up five times this season, once in July, in September, twice in October and on Nov. 7th, stated Mr. Allan. Since the storm the department had been sending out regular signals to the wireless station at Midland. Witnesses said that the most urgent signals the department possessed had been displayed. The department had not a hurricane signal, and he did not think that any meteorological department in the world, with the exception of those in the tropics, where hurricanes were common, had such signals. On inland waters, the witness declared, hurricanes were rare.
Shifting Beards.
Captain Alex. Lawson, a retired

mariner, said that the harbor should be deepened and widened, and there should be a flashlight on the end of the breakwater. He understood that freighters did not carry shifting boards, and held that the law should compel all vessels to be equipped with them. It was his opinion that the wooden lifeboats now in use were not seaworthy, and if put into water were in such a condition that they would not float. He advised that vessels be equipped with steel boats. Captain Lawson contended that crews in most cases were not capable of handling lifeboats.

Lake Huron's Toll.
Mr. R. A. Harrison, of the American Lake Carriers' Association, said that on Lake Huron eight vessels had been lost, five of those being American and three Canadian. The lives lost on that lake he placed at 191, 58 bodies having been recovered.
In reply to a query of Coroner Hunter as to the reason why so many sailors from the Carruthers had not been identified, he said that the Lake Carriers always kept a record of all the men employed on American boats. With the exception of one body buried here, which he was pretty certain was that of Andrew Kelly, of Virginia, all the American bodies had been practically identified.
The coroner said that the next sitting would be the last, and therefore it was better to adjourn for at least ten days. It was finally decided to meet on Dec. 13.

MR. AND MRS. J. HITCH
WEDDED 50 YEARS AGO

Most Enjoyable Celebration Was Held at Their Home in Ridgetown.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ridgetown, Dec. 2.—A most enjoyable reunion was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Hitch, Erie street north, on Saturday to celebrate their golden wedding anniversary. Ten sons and daughters gathered to celebrate with them, only the eldest daughter, Mrs. J. Crook, of Greensboro, S. C., being unable to get home.
The house was prettily decorated for the occasion with yellow and gold, yellow chrysanthemums predominating. The bride and groom were led down the altar over a path of gold, and stood together as they had 50 years previously. Mendelsohn's Wedding March was played by Mrs. Dan Hitch. They were presented at this time with a basket of gold, which was carried by Kathleen and Edward Hitch, grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. Hitch.
A beautiful illuminated address, printed in gold, and framed in a gold frame, was read by Mr. Charles Herbert Hitch, the youngest son of the aged couple.
After the presentation a splendid address was given by Rev. C. R. Jones, pastor of the Baptist Church. The guests to the number of 39 then sat down to a splendid banquet.
Mr. John A. Gane, of Niagara Falls, N. Y., presided as toastmaster, and introduced a list, which was responded to by all.
A number of letters of congratulations were read, and a check was one on behalf of the Baptist Church, to which Mr. and Mrs. Hitch have belonged for over a quarter of a century.

Emperor of Austria
ENTHRONED 65 YEARS AGO

Aged Monarch Still Works Hard,
Often Putting In Twelve
Hours a Day.

[Canadian Press.]
Vienna, Dec. 2.—Emperor Francis Joseph is celebrating today an event unique in the world's history, the 65th anniversary of his ascent to the throne of Austria. The emperor has ordered that no ceremony or festival mark the occasion. It is announced that this is not due to his health, which is declared to be excellent notwithstanding the recent crisis which entailed constant attention to state business. It is said that the aged monarch worked twelve hours every day during the period of danger from the Balkan war, and he still keeps a close grip on the situation.
The emperor was King Alfonso's host at luncheon at Hofburg Monday.

Emperor Francis Joseph is 83 years old. He ascended the throne of Austria on Dec. 2, 1848. He was crowned King of Hungary in 1867.

AMUSEMENTS

Clergy Approves Rosary.
Seldom does an author portray such a character as that of a Catholic priest and have it meet with approval from the clergy. But this is just what has happened to Edward E. Rose, author of "The Rosary," which will be seen at the Grand tomorrow evening. In "The Rosary," Mr. Rose has drawn a character of Rev. Brian Kelly, a Catholic priest, who interlopes in domestic troubles between man and wife, and eventually shows the unlimited amount of good that can be done by a priest, not of conventional stage character, but a real man, a big man of faith, strength and conviction. The character has been endorsed by the clergy all over the country, and it is said to be the strongest character of the kind ever presented on the American stage. The character will be portrayed by Mr. Harry M. Royale, an exceptional artist, who goes through his work convincing the audience that he has mastered the author's conception of the role. The rest of the cast include Myrtle Bigden, Art. Walton, Harry Beale, Donald Clinton, Lillian Stoops, Dixie Dow, Oliver Stoops.

A Gigantic Production.
So much has been said of the production which comes to the Grand Opera House on Friday and Saturday evenings, "The Rosary," that it is hardly necessary to say more. The production is a masterpiece of the kind, and it is said to be the strongest character of the kind ever presented on the American stage. The character will be portrayed by Mr. Harry M. Royale, an exceptional artist, who goes through his work convincing the audience that he has mastered the author's conception of the role. The rest of the cast include Myrtle Bigden, Art. Walton, Harry Beale, Donald Clinton, Lillian Stoops, Dixie Dow, Oliver Stoops.

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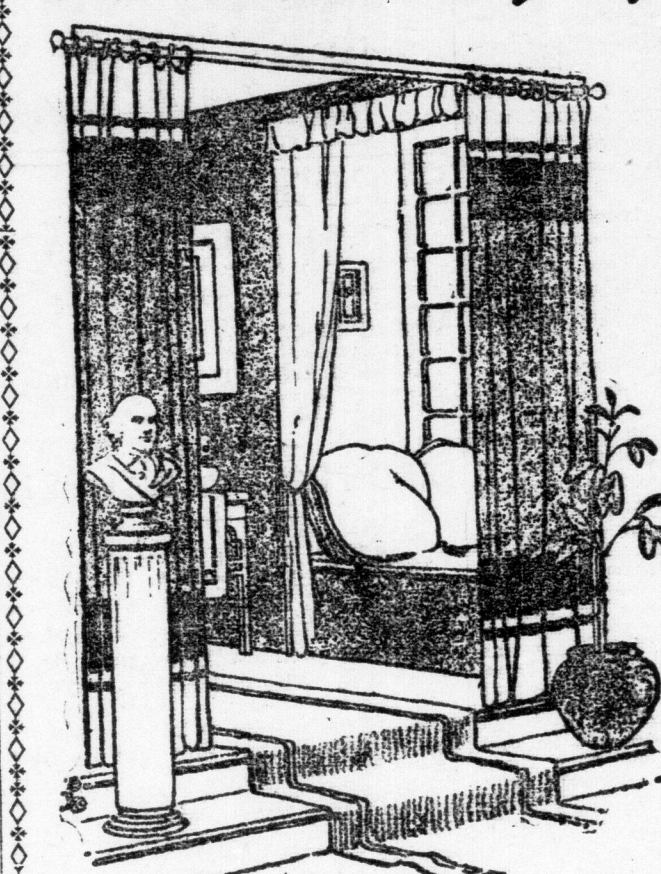
This Is the Week to Complete the
Family Christmas Shopping List

With this very thought in view—the season when your average expenses are greater owing to the purchasing of gifts, we made our preparations months ago, to be in a position to present to the public as many opportunities for saving as is consistent with high-class merchandise and honest dealing. It is not your earnings, but what you save of your earnings, that makes the savings account balance at the end of the year.

Economical advantages, through special purchases from European manufacturers, are passed on to our customers day by day, and every dollar you save through wisdom in taking advantage of same is an extra dollar each time added to your earnings. It is our aim to make your dollar go as far as possible at this season. SHOP EARLY IN THE WEEK.



Christmas Gifts for the Home



New Portieres, Side
Curtains, Valances,
Net Curtains, Bed
Spreads or
Decorative Covers

A gift such as mentioned above is appreciated and enjoyed by every member of the family, by the giver as well as the receiver—a constant reminder every day in the year. If you have such in mind, it will be necessary, if same are to be made, to order now, as we expect this week will bring sufficient orders to keep us busy until Christmas in our drapery work-room.

We are showing many new and wonderful fabrics from which to have artistic drapings and decorations made, suggestions and estimates for which will be gladly given. These are popular lines.

Reversible Velours, in greens, rose, blue, brown, crimson, terra and olive, yard... \$2.00
Single-faced, in same colors, yard... \$1.00, \$1.65 and \$2.00
Monks' Cloth, reversible, yard... \$1.75
Repps... \$1.00, \$1.65 and \$2.00
Drapery Silks, popular colors, yard... \$1.75, \$2.00 and \$2.25
Sunfast Drapery Fabrics, all colors, yard... \$1.00, \$1.65 and \$2.00
Printed Linens, yard... \$1.50, \$1.65, \$1.75 and \$2.00
Shadow Cloth, yard... \$2.75 and \$3.00
Printed Cottons, yard... 75c to \$1.25
Tapestries for Portieres, yard... \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2.00
Above are a few of the many fabrics in this section.
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These pens are constructed upon entirely different lines from others, and are nearer perfection than any made. They are air and ink tight, and can be carried in any pocket, in any position when filled, and are absolutely guaranteed not to leak. This important feature is appreciated by users.

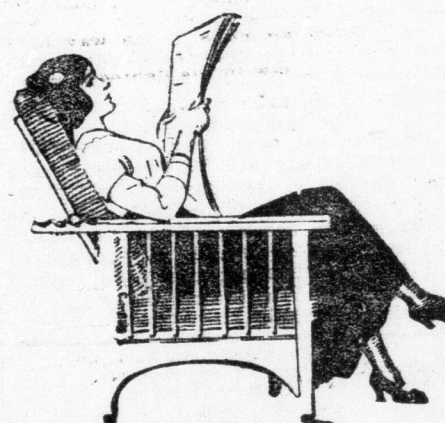
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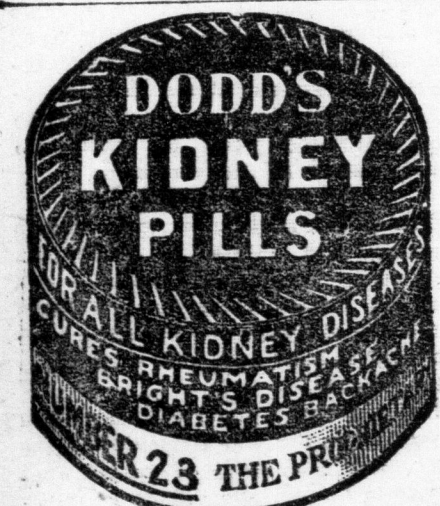
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Do not miss another day without trying Dr. Chase's Ointment. It will cure you of hemorrhoids, piles, itching, burning, and all other ailments of the rectum. Sample box free if you mention this paper and enclose 10 cents to pay postage.

Saturday matinee, that it seems as though the entire vocabulary of praise has been exhausted in extolling the merits of this notable undertaking. The press of the country have united in praising it the most praiseworthy and gigantic production of recent years. People who have seen it, have gone away wildly enthusiastic and it is this month to mouth praise which has proven the greatest factor in the wonderful success of this production. It is no unusual thing to hear people on the railroad train talking about having seen the most magnificent performance in such and such a town. -- adding "If you happen to be

in a city where 'Salome' is given, don't miss it, you have never seen anything like it in your life!" Seat sale opens tomorrow at 9 a.m.

DIED AT GALT

Mrs. John Rayfield Was in Her 100th Year.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Galt, Dec. 1.—Galt's oldest resident died last night in the person of Priscilla Willmore, relict of the late John Rayfield, who, if she had lived till June 15, 1914, would have celebrated her hundredth birthday. She was born in Deliford, England, but came to Canada thirty years ago with her husband and daughter. Surviving are one daughter, P. H. Galt, and three sons, John, of Galt; Joseph, of Shelburne, Ont., and George, of Orangeville, Ont.

TO BUILD SCHOOLS.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Stratford, Dec. 2.—The city council

last night decided to vote \$14,000 for additional public school grounds in Shakespeare Ward, and \$11,000 for a new site and extensions in Avon Ward.

FOUR.

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LONDON, TUESDAY, DEC. 2.

A PROBLEM OF EMPIRE.

The decision of Chief Justice Hunter at Vancouver last Saturday, to the effect that the federal regulations cannot keep Hindoos out of British Columbia directs attention to one of the serious problems of Empire. Is there, or can there be, a common imperial citizenship? Can a person be a British subject in one part of the Empire, and an alien in another? Under imperial Rome citizenship conferred special rights all over the empire. Is there no similar privilege in the British Empire? Common citizenship would seem to be the logical accompaniment of Imperialism. And in theory it would be all right. But in practice it will not work.

If there is to be an all-embracing Imperialism then it would seem that his majesty's Asiatic subjects should have full recognition in the Dominions which are component parts of the Empire. But that seems impracticable. Australia and New Zealand will not admit them. Canada has objected, and has proposed to keep them out under immigration laws. In British Columbia, especially, the admission of Asiatics is a vital question, because that is the gateway by which they come from over the Pacific. And the people of British Columbia will resist with all their power the admission of Hindoos, whether subjects of the Empire or not. They are as objectionable as Chinamen and Japanese.

Here in the east the matter is not of such moment, because the immigration of those nationalities is not so great. We may say that the feeling of those Western Canadians is unreasonable. But if we were in their place we might possibly feel the same. At all events, whether reasonable or not, the feeling exists, and has to be reckoned with. It may be inconsistent with an ideal imperialism; but imperialism, so far as it exists, is a condition and not a theory.

The British Empire is world-wide, and embraces men of every race and clime, people whose temperaments, habits, morals and religion, are of the most diverse, even antagonistic, character. But the centre and governing power of the Empire is in the British Isles, and must necessarily be there. To expect that the control of the Empire should be surrendered to the overseas dominions, is to expect a surrender which no nation has ever voluntarily made. Britain would be willing to let her dominions separate from her, if they so desired; but would certainly not surrender the control of Empire into their hands.

If, then, any attempt is made to weld the Empire into an homogeneous nation, it will have to be in accordance largely with the ideas of the people of Britain. And racial antagonisms do not exist to any great extent in Britain. The Asiatic and the African occupy a position there different from what they occupy in the dominions. Possibly that is because the Briton has less racial prejudice, more likely because he is not brought into contact in his own country with these alien races to any extent. Many specimens of them walk about the streets of cosmopolitan London almost unnoticed. But they are little known outside of the large cities, and are not a disturbing element in either the industrial or the social or the religious world. So the question of imperial citizenship would be settled by the controlling power of the Empire uninfluenced by the prejudices or ideas of the people in the dominions. Nor this question alone. A federated empire, governed by a federal council or parliament, would have so many and so diverse problems to solve, that discord would result, and in all probability disintegration be the end. The only safe basis upon which the Empire can be founded is that of the fullest autonomy for each integral part. The crown colonies and dependencies must necessarily remain under the more or less direct control of the Imperial Parliament. But every self-governing dominion must have perfect freedom to manage its local affairs, while the inherent loyalty of each will be depended on for mutual aid and for the defence of the Empire. If that loyalty is not strong enough for the work in itself, artificial bonds will only weaken it still more.

Chief Justice Hunter's decision in the Hindoo case will doubtless be appealed, or modified by further legislation. But, after all, the wishes of the Canadian people in this respect, as in all others, will have to prevail.

HERE ALREADY.

The local Liberal organ would open Canada wide to the American beef trust. A local contemporary. Oh, no, we wouldn't. If The Advertiser had its way one combine would fight the other, if we must have them. Let bad dog eat bad dog! But

it does happen that the American beef trust is in Canada already "with both feet." It has an agent in this city. We can give our contemporary his telephone number, if necessary.

GILBERT HOWARD MACINTYRE.

St. Marys lost a valuable citizen, and Canada a worthy son, when Gilbert MacIntyre died Monday. Born in St. Marys on Feb. 17, 1852, he was educated in his native town, studied pharmacy, kept a drug store, and finally became a private banker. Recognizing his duty to the municipality in which he lived, he entered civic life, and filled acceptably several important offices, including that of mayor. Quite naturally, he went into politics, and sat as the representative for South Perth in the House of Commons from 1904 to 1911, when the anti-reciprocity wave swept over him, and he gave place to Dr. Steele.

Though a decided Liberal, he was as independent as any party man could possibly be, and on several occasions voted against his own friends. But he was recognized by his associates as a man whose services were of value to the country, and in 1909 he was elected deputy speaker. It is doubtful if any man ever held this position more acceptably to all parties in the House. Versed in parliamentary rules, he was also a capable French scholar, and could address the House in that language as well as in English. His character in the House may be judged by the fact that the Toronto News, the leading organ of the Conservative party, could speak of him as "a party colour and scholarly gentleman who fought his political fights fairly." Canada needs more men like Gilbert MacIntyre in her service. And the man who knew him only by reputation will join with his more intimate friends in mourning the untimely loss his death has brought upon us.

THE DEFENCE OF TAXED MOUTHFULS.

In a sophisticated article on "Food Cost in Canada," the Free Press of this city says:

"The Underwood tariff has now been in force for some weeks, and there has been no decrease or downward tendency noticed in market prices in the United States."

Give the pot time to boil. In the meantime, does anybody notice that the food prices in Canada are going up?

Again says the Free Press:

"The matter of transportation enters into the problem to a much greater extent than does the tariff."

That must be why Canadian pork sells so cheap in Great Britain. Finally, our contemporary declares for "eliminating the middleman." Now nobody really wants to eliminate the middleman, Conservatives, who profited by the energies of combines in 1911, least of all. But the point that our local contemporary altogether misses, by chance or design, is that the easiest way to check those exuberant energies is to make food imports free of duty. For a while American trusts may simply control the influx of foreign products, but will not Canadian exporters soon compete with them, as they do in England? Won't Canadian pork be sold in the United States as cheaply as in Great Britain, i.e., at much lower prices than in Canada? And similarly is it not reasonable to suppose that American firms, which will also sell cheap in England, will be willing to do at least as well for us in Canada, once our food market is as free as Britain's or their own?

The Free Press lifts up a mock wall for the farm which would be deserted if we imported food from abroad. The first point is that we should not import to any great extent what we can grow ourselves, but the fact that we could do so would force our combines to drop their inflated prices to local consumers, in order to meet the foreigner. The second point is that Canadian farmers will have all the better chance once the combines get knocked in the head by the removal of the tariff on food. The combines hurt them almost as much as they hurt the consuming public. There is no consistency between this wall for the farmers and the declaration that the "elimination of the middleman" is the all important thing. Eliminate the combines by eliminating its fortress and its strength, the tariff on food products.

WAITERS.

It is as we thought! Toronto has lost that charm of homeliness that was hers only yesterday. She becomes more like New York every day. She is a place of idle rich, flamboyant vests, chests slipped under belts, Italian motors, cubist front cover girls who have been twisted into their clothes, old men and women selling papers, and—! newspaper gentlemen who write cynically of waiters and tipping waiters!

We had thought that the writing gentlemen of Toronto would be the last to take up with anything new; the last to lead the existence of Lobster Palace (or is it Oyster Palace in Toronto?) But we can almost understand it of the editorial chaps of the Toronto Star; their Bohemianism is increasingly evident.

It was, in fact, one of them who wrote an article entitled "Waiters," in which he assumed a nattering acquaintance with such things as stuffed eggs a la russe and filet mignon, and a sipping acquaintance with consommé Pavlova. He was discussing the question of tips for waiters, having in mind his favorite Henri, no doubt, and his knowledge of the subject was broad, and his attitude was that of a jaded connoisseur. These tips are such a bore! Why not pay the bally waiters more and have done with this splitting

of quarters and halves! Pay the chaps a good wage, etc., etc. Upon the up-province journalist this state of mind reacts with a freezing shock. Can it be that the newspapers of Toronto have perfected the old system of giving squash for subscriptions and artichokes for advertising? Are these scribes merely devouring a half-column of top-page, next-to-reading-matter, or are they as swell and as cynical as they would have us believe? If the latter is to be believed, the old boys' associations of Huron and Grey counties will have extra-attraction celebrities in their respective midsts when old home week rolls around again.

Every time Huerta takes an extra highball another battle starts. Have you done your Christmas neck-tieing yet?

Miss London is perfectly charming in Red Stockings. Box up your presents, but don't box up your Christmas.

There have been three great wars in many years. The "movies" will be served.

While the male population is demanding protection from the deadly batpin, how about the four-inch waxed moustache?

It will take her three weeks to select her fiancé's Christmas gift, but she will decide on father's in about three seconds.

When the fair Alberta casually remarks, "I saw a love of a caracul scarf down town," it isn't a hint, it's a "hunch"—for father.

We are grieved to learn that no one accused of whistling "The Trail of the Lonesome Pine" is to come up for trial at the next assizes.

London has no trouble with the Pay-As-You-Enter cars. But it is strange not to have those antique "coffee-pots" passed around.

The latest Paris fad in woman's dress is exhibiting the uncovered ankle. It's not likely to become popular in Canada until the spring.

The Christmas cantata is rampant through the land. Each night countless children in Sunday schools chant, "Johnny wants a pair of skates," etc.

From the point of view of value, that egg-laden boat from New Zealand makes a Spanish treasure ship look like a Lake Erie mud-scow.

Fourteen children were taken to foster homes from the Protestant Orphan Home last month. Society isn't as wretched and stony-hearted as some people tell us, is it?

Every letter that comes out of Toronto has its stamps cancelled with the following appeal, "Help the Muskoka Free Hospital for Consumptives." By the same method London might advance some good cause.

AHEAD OF HIS TIME.

[Washington Star.] "You are going to fiddle while Rome burns." "Yes," replied Nero. "But you can't play the fiddle." "That's all right. That fact won't be noticed in the moving pictures."

MUSIC.

[Walter Savage Landor.] Many love music but for music's sake; Many because her touches can awake Thoughts that repose within the breast half dead. And rise to follow where she loves to lead.

What various feelings come from days gone by! What tears from far off sources dim the eye! Few, when light fingers with sweet voices play, And melodies swell, pause and melt away, Mind how at every touch, at every tone, A spark of life hath glinted, and hath gone.

VICE IN THE COUNTRY.

[Kingston Standard.] Would-be reformers are always at

ABE MARTIN



It used to be a common sight to see a feller in ordinary circumstances greasin' his saw with a bacon rind. A house divided again itself is bad enough, but a skit is th' limit.

tackling vice and immorality in the cities. What about the small country towns and villages? Are we to suppose that they are all models of virtue and morality? Those best qualified to judge know that human nature is the same in the country as it is in the city, and the results are the same. But would-be reformers in country places are not welcomed.

FORESIGHT OR FOLLY.

[Puck.] "No, my man, this is not mine. It was a \$20 bill I lost." "But it was a \$20 bill before I got it changed, sor?" "What did you get it changed for?" "Och, sure, so the owner could conveniently reward me, sor."

JUST THE SAME.

[S. E. Kiser.] Fifty million dollars was the fortune when he died. Fifty million cold ones on the morning when he went. Yes, he left it all behind him, and it cannot be denied. That he's just as dead today as if he hadn't left a cent.

SIR JOHN'S "CONVERSION." [The Khan, in Toronto Star.] A revivalist has been claiming that he "converted" Sir John A. Macdonald. I happen to know something about that incident.

A party of which Sir John A. Macdonald was one, on the way home from the House of Commons one night, dropped in at a great where there revival meetings were in full swing, just to see the show. During the exercises the revivalist on the platform shouted:

"All who want to go to heaven stand up!" As most every sane individual wants to go to heaven, we all stood up—I say "we," for I was there, too, and after the preacher had viewed the wondrous miracle which had taken place under his supervision, we were told we could sit down. If you will read the Autobiography of James L. Hughes, now running in the Toronto Weekly Star, you will learn that we did the wise thing to stand up, whether we wanted to or not. It was dangerous of anyone in the audience to remain seated. Mr. Hughes speaks of a case where a revivalist was picked up and dashed against the ceiling with such force as to leave a dent visible for years after. Another time, no one wants to be conspicuous. If you remain seated, you immediately become the cynosure of all eyes.

"Oh, la, la! There's a bad man who doesn't want to go to heaven!" The best thing you can do is to get on your feet as quickly as possible. The revivalist hath largely fallen into the same trap. What also can be expected? The revival was a blessed and a sacred institution while it remained in the hands of a professional, good man, properly sneaking, is one who plays the game for the love of it. But just as soon as the revival became professional, good men began to worry about it. The amateurs filled the courts of God with unnumbered souls, but the professionals rarely took one through the golden gate!

John's alleged conversion was a standing joke while he was alive; but no one wishes to laugh about it now.

HE MISSED THAT.

[Chicago Record-Herald.] Adam never had to stir up the dust by reaching under the bureau for his collar button.

THIS PRICKS HIM.

[Orillia Packet.] The Parry Sound North Star triumphs over Orillia in the fact that the weather reports from that town are published in the daily papers, but not those of Orillia. So would the readings from the North Pole, if the observatory people could get them.

BRALEY'S POEM TODAY

THE FARMER

My hands are gnarled and horny,
My face is seamed with sun,
My path is sometimes thorny,
My living grimly won
By labor uncomplaining,
And hard and bitter toil;
Forever I am pitting
My strength against the soil;

The city's lights and glamor
Are not for me to know,
But neither is its clamor,
Its squalor and its woe,
Not mine its pleasure places,
But mine the good brown loam
The air, the open spaces,
The quiet peace of home!

And, though by all my labor,
I win no mighty prize,
I still can face my neighbor
And look him in the eyes;
I am no speculator
Within the wheat-pit hurled;
I am the weaver of the world,
Who helps to feed the world.

One with the Empire-makers
Who bring a better day,
I till my thrifty acres,
And bow to no man's sway;
My gold might heap up faster
Were I to crook the knee,
But no man is my master
And I am strong—and free!



SILK and WOOL SAN TOY DRESS GOODS

Silk and Wool San Toy is popular for dressy costumes; its rich silky texture is adaptable to all kinds of draping and gathering. Shown in all wanted shades such as Copenhagen, navy, rose, shell pink, sky, pale blue, apricot, reseda, mid and dark navy, black and navy cream; 42 inches wide. Special value, per yard and white dice pattern, very fashionable for skirts and one-piece dresses, 50 inches wide. Usual \$1.50 quality. Special value, per yard \$1.19

Corduroy Velvets
The Popular Weave for Suits, Coats and Dresses.

A heavy weight Corduroy Velvet, with chiffon finish, richly dyed in all wanted shades; used extensively this season for suits, coats and dresses, also for boys' suits; 22 and 27 inches wide. Regular 65c and 75c qualities. At, per yard..... 50c

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A Special Number in
Black Silk

Black Paillette Silk. This is an elegant satin-finished silk, much-used for waists and dresses. We can recommend the quality for wear and satisfaction. Black only, 36 inches wide. Usually sold at \$1.00 per yard. Our price..... 85c

See this silk if you want to give mother a dress pattern for Christmas.

Christmas Displays Are Becoming
More Interesting Every Day

Holiday shoppers are looking in earnest for holiday suggestions and our advertisement from now until Christmas will offer valuable information for the shopper who wishes to buy useful gifts, and make her money do the utmost. In other words, the store helps the shopper who wishes to put economy and sapience into Christmas buying.

Sunday School Committees Are Asked
To Make Early Selection

Especial attention is given to superintendents and teachers buying for Sunday Schools. Our Books have been carefully selected for this purpose and are suits for Gifts and Prizes.

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239, 241 and 243 DUNDAS STREET

ODD ONES
IN THE DAY'S NEWS

Another Paul Revere.

Chicago.—Jesse Phelps, an Illinois farmer, rode ten horridly miles on the cowcatcher of a late locomotive, where he was thrown from his position and his buggy dashed to pieces.

Convincing the Skeptical.

Saginaw.—Dr. George M. Laughlin, an osteopath, successfully performed their engagement, Sylvester Luby, a large gathering of surgeons.

Some Engagement.

Kalamazoo.—Just thirty years after their engagement, Sylvester Luby, and Sarah Gordon have been married.

To Keep Tab on 'Em.

Legislature to require every hunter to wear on his back a license tag as large or larger than the tags now used for automobiles.

A Royal Surprise.

London.—Princess Arthur of Connaught surprises her friends by carding her English touseau for French cretons.

Gods Failed to Deliver.

Chicago.—"Prince Otoman," leader of 14,000 sun-worshippers, is forsaken by his gods and goes to jail for sending his book, "Inner Studies," through the mails.

FORGER WAS GIVEN
THREE-YEAR TERM

Charles Rosenberg Secured Money From Banks by Fraud. [Canadian Press.] Toronto, Dec. 2.—Charles Rosenberg, alias Ross, who is wanted in Montreal for forgery, was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary on three charges of obtaining money by false pretences from the Bank of Commerce and the Imperial Bank, and one charge of forgery. He was arrested shortly after two men named Kahn and Reiley were arrested on charges of forgery. It was thought that the three of them had formed a conspiracy to obtain \$150 from the Imperial Bank, but this case was with-drawn and Kahn and Reiley were allowed to go.

ASKS \$5,000 DAMAGES

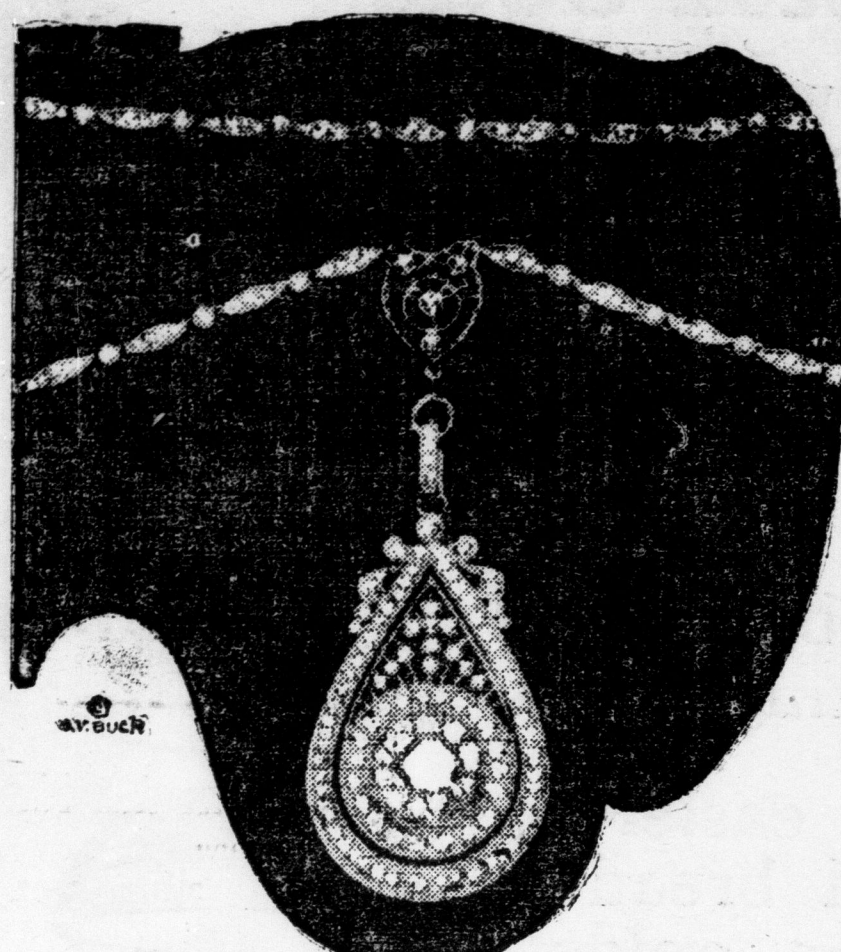
Strathroy Manufacturer Wants Re-compensation for Flooded Cellar. A \$5,000 writ for damages was entered for trial in the supreme court this morning. Robert W. Nicholson, owner of a furniture factory at Strathroy, is suing the Grand Trunk, John Mills and J. C. Scott, of that place, for the alleged damaging of a drain which resulted in the flooding of his factory last March. The factory was so badly flooded that operations were suspended for about two weeks. J. M. McEvoy, of this city, is suing the Grand Trunk, John Mills and J. C. Scott, of that place, for the alleged damaging of a drain which resulted in the flooding of his factory last March. The factory was so badly flooded that operations were suspended for about two weeks. J. M. McEvoy, of this city, is suing the Grand Trunk, John Mills and J. C. Scott, of that place, for the alleged damaging of a drain which resulted in the flooding of his factory last March. 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FOR THE WOMAN OF TODAY

Cynthia Grey's Column
Style and Home Hints
What Women Are Doing

Diamond Pendant Congressmen Give to White House Bride



The necklace and diamond pendant selected by Miss Genevieve Clark for the members of the House of Representatives as their gift to Miss Jessie Wilson, now Mrs. Francis B. Sayre. Its value is \$2,000. The pendant is outlined in pear shape and weighs 6 1/2 carats. The small diamonds are placed around the large stone in rings of platinum lace work. The contrast of the blue and white of the small stones and the yellow of the Canary diamond, the large stone of the pendant, gives it both distinction and beauty. The chain around the neck consists of delicate platinum work and contains 154 small diamonds.

Cynthia Grey's Mail-Box

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn. No letters can be answered privately.]

Wants Flowers for Christmas.
Dear Miss Grey: As this is my first letter to you, I will be like the rest, come to you for help:

1. How will I clean a bright red sweater-coat?
 2. How do you wash a home-crochet fascinator?
 3. What time should bulbs be planted in order to have them flower about Christmas?
 4. Now for the old question, what do you think of penmanship?
- Thanking you in advance for my troublesome questions, I remain,
SUNRISE.
1. Rub cornmeal well into the coat; put into empty drawer for two or three days, rubbing it frequently with the meal. Then take out, shake and brush. If very much soiled, a second treatment may be necessary.
 2. Make a lather of tepid water and white soap; wash through the hands, rinse twice, and dry without bluing. Another method is to steam the fascinator over a suds for several hours, then rinse.
 3. They should have been planted about two weeks ago. I fear it is a little too late now. But, of course, if they bloom in January the blossoms are always bright and cheery.
 4. It is fairly good.

Poets and Swells.
Dear Miss Grey: As I am a girl of eleven years of age, could you help me?

1. Could you tell me about the lives of the two poets, Charles Dickens and William Bryant, and some of the poems which Bryant wrote?
 2. I would like if you could please give me a good candy recipe, a cheap recipe, if possible.
 3. What do you think of my penmanship?
- I remain,
JEAN W.

A-1. It is impossible to give you more than a very brief account here. Charles Dickens, English novelist (not poet, as you state) was born in Portsmouth, in 1812. At an early age he became a reporter on the True Sun, and later on the London Chronicle. In the latter he contributed his "Sketches of Life and Character" later published under the title of "Sketches by Boz." The famous "Pickwick Papers" also appeared in the Chronicle, running as a serial. In 1838 he married Catherine, daughter of George Hogarth, a musical critic. Dickens, accompanied by his wife, paid a visit to America in 1842, and in "American Notes" satirized the people of the United States very freely. Other glimpses of his impressions of American life are given in Life and Adventure of Dickens, running as a serial. In 1857 Dickens purchased Gadshill Place, near Rochester, and resided here until his death in 1870. Unpleasant domestic conditions caused a separation between Dickens and his wife in 1857.

Besides the volumes mentioned, Charles Dickens gave the world his immortal David Copperfield, 1850; Oliver Twist, 1839; Nicholas Nickleby, 1840-41; Dombey and Son, 1848; Bleak House, 1852; Little Dorrit, 1857; and others. The Mystery of Edwin Drood was unfinished at the time of his death. Dickens was buried in Westminster Abbey.

William Cullen Bryant, an American poet and journalist was born in 1794, at Cummington, Mass. In 1810 he entered Williams College as a student of law, but left without a degree in 1815.

Hood's Sarsaparilla

Cures all blood humors, all eruptions, clears the complexion, creates an appetite, aids digestion, relieves that tired feeling, gives vigor and vim. Accept no substitute; insist on having Hood's Sarsaparilla. Get it today.

little vanilla flavoring may be added just as you remove the candy from the stove.

8. It is very good for your age.

Send Stamped Envelope.
Dear Miss Grey: I am enclosing a stamped, addressed envelope. Would you please send me a copy of the poem entitled "The Blind Girl"?

2. I am fifteen years old, five feet, six inches high, and weigh one hundred and eight pounds. What do you think of my size?

3. What is your opinion of my penmanship?

Thanking you in advance, I remain,
AN INTERESTED READER.

A-1. The copy has gone forward to your address.

2. You are a pretty tall girl for your age, and rather slight. But no doubt as you grow older you will "fill out."

3. It is very neat and graceful.

No: Just Send a Card.

Dear Miss Grey: Please answer a

few questions for me and oblige.

1. Would you advise me to send a gentleman friend with whom I have been corresponding for ten months (but have only seen once) a Christmas present?

2. My girl friend has dark brown hair, brown eyes, and a fair complexion; what are her colors?

3. I have dark brown hair, gray eyes, and a fair complexion; what are my colors?

4. Would it be advisable for a young girl and her gentleman friend to attend the show which is coming to the Grand Friday and Saturday (Salome).

Thanking you in advance,
INQUIRER.

A-1. Send a Christmas card or booklet, but no gift.

2. and 3. You will both look well in brown, gray, black, rose, pink and probably pale blue.

4. Personally, I have not seen the opera, so can hardly advise. I believe the company presenting it here is a good one, however.

The Advertiser Red-Stocking Club



At 6 o'clock last night some 100 Red Christmas Stockings had been given out, and the demand is steadily going on.

OUR AIM NOW IS FOR 200 RED STOCKINGS!
When we first asked for 100 kind-hearted readers of The Advertiser to fill as many Red Christmas Stockings we feared that this might seem a good deal to ask.

But so generous has been the response to our appeal, that we believe the number will probably reach over twice that mark.

Won't it be great to feel that there is no little Christmas-tide of 1913? And best of all how good it will be to think you have had a share in it!

It will doubtless be better if the Red Stockings are not returned to us for a week or so, as the candy and other eatables will then be fresher. We ask, however, that all Stockings be returned by the 20th inst.

On each Red Stocking brought into our office be sure to pin a slip of paper stating the name of the person who filled it, whether the contents are for boy or girl, and the age for which the toys, etc., are suitable.

If you know of any little boy or girl in need of a Happy Christmas be sure and let us know so that we may send him or her a Red Stocking.

THE ADVERTISER RED STOCKING CLUB.

Victorian Order Made Good Progress in the Dominion

Cottage Hospitals and District Nursing
Two Outstanding Features.

The work of the Royal Victorian Order of Nurses in Canada has made wonderful progress during the past year. A special effort at the present time is to establish cottage hospitals and nursing homes in various parts of the Dominion.

Miss Mary Aldred McKenzie, the head of the Victorian Order in the Dominion, while on a western tour of inspection this summer, had the pleasure of opening the Lady Minto Cottage Hospital in Ashcroft, B. C. She will shortly inspect the new hospital at Chislehurst, Ont.

District Nursing.
District nursing is another feature of the Victorian Order work and a phase which the branch of the order in London are specially interested in. There are now two nurses, and much need of a third, to carry on this excellent work here. The services of the nurse are cheerfully given night or day, and besides the actual nursing the Victorian nurse frequently gives instruction in the art of making sick-room dishes, and endeavors to instill principles of sanitation and cleanliness into the minds of those whom she visits.

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The Victorian Order has led the world for high standards of district nursing during the past sixteen years, said Miss McKenzie in a recent address. Those standards were set down in the royal charter, she stated. A nurse must be a full graduate from a hospital before she can join the order. A four months' post-graduate nursing course is given by two Victorian instructors in one of the four training centres—Toronto, Ottawa, Montreal and Vancouver.

The Cook-Book

Bouillon.
Put one pound of chopped round beef in a bowl with one chopped onion, a piece of parsley, turnip, tough ends of celery, one-half dozen whole white peppers, same of whole cloves and allspice, two or three bay leaves, small piece of carrot, three eggs with shells, mix thoroughly, and add two quarts cold clear stock. Heat until it looks clear, preventing boiling by adding cold water. When clear boil 20 minutes. Strain through a strainer covered with a thick cloth, and serve.

Figs in Syrup.
Pick over, wash and drain a half pound of dried figs and steam until they begin to look soft. Boil together for five minutes a half cupful each of sugar and water. Into this drop the figs, cover closely and draw to the side of the fire where they will keep very hot, yet not simmer, for half an hour. Transfer the figs to a serving dish and boil down the syrup until quite thick and rich. Take from the fire, add a half tablespoonful of vanilla and two tablespoonfuls of lemon juice, pour over the figs and set aside. Serve very cold with cream and cake.

Women are for the most part, good creatures, as they fall among those who practice vice or virtue.—Samuel Johnson.

Z STANDS FOR ZEBRA



AS TOLD BY AUNT GERTIE.

"Oh, look at the striped horse, mammal!"

Two little girls were standing looking through the railings at the animals in the Zoo the other day. And, as Artist Barnie and I walked by, one of them called out about the "striped horse."

We turned to see what it could be. Guess!

It was a zebra—a striped creature, to be sure! You know, boys and girls, the zebra belongs to the horse family. The little lot was not so far off, after all.

The zebra's real home is over in Africa, but there are not many left there now. So we see them in zoos and menageries, where they are very

CAN YOU VOTE?

Here Are the Voting Qualifications for the Women of London.

Name Must Be Entered on Assessment Roll as a Property-Holder.

In view of the proposed action of the London Suffrage Society to awaken the women ratepayers of the city to a sense of their responsibilities and privileges in exercising the municipal franchise, it is interesting to note the qualifications necessary before a woman can vote.

The Qualifications.
Every widow or unmarried woman of the full age of 21 years, a British subject by birth or naturalization, not disqualified, rated or entitled to be rated, on the last revised assessment roll of the municipality, for land held in her own right, or as a tenant, or entitled to be rated for income, for \$400, in either case, shall be entitled to be entered on the voters' list. The last day for appeals against the voters' list is Dec. 5, 1913.

Every woman entered on the assessment roll as a ratepayer for less than \$400 shall be entitled to vote for school purposes only. If, through any error, a name has been omitted from the assessment roll, or if a change is to be made thereon, City Clerk Baker will receive corrections any time up to Dec. 30. Although no election day, this will still entitle the woman whose name has been added to vote for members of the school board. The additional time is allowed by a special provision of the educational act.

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time the girls were manicuring their nails. The counter is usually untidy, too. If they would give more attention to it and less to their fingernails, or else do their manicuring at home, it would look better.

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Have you entered upon any line of employment to find those around you shirking, indifferent, or uninterested? Then don't make the mistake of emulating their example. Look about you and find some task that every body neglects. Make it your special work to have that task well done. It may be keeping the labels and price-marks on your boxes up-to-date; it may be careful letter-filing; or indexing, or keeping the showcase neat and well-polished. The more valuable you make yourself to your employer, by superior work, the bigger asset you become. "Doing things better" is a most excellent motto to weave into the threads of your business life!

A New York woman feels so keenly the indifference of many working women, that she is going to write a book on the opportunities in the business world of today. "The trouble with the average living creature," she says, "is that the faculty of curiosity is not cultivated. Stenographers don't find out all there is to know about their shorthand and typing, and the things that go with

them. If people took the trouble to find out things there would be less complaint about wages, lack of employment, and slowness of promotion. The more inefficient workers there are the better chance there is for the capable ones—the ones who have curiosity about their own capability, its possibilities, its limitations, about their work and its development, and about the chances that the world affords."

It's worth giving a lot of serious thought, girls. Think first, "How much am I worth?" and then you will not need to worry so much about the problem of "How much (or little) do I cost!"

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SIX.

COUNCIL AFTER MILKMEN WHO INCREASED PRICES

Committee Finds They Are Making 100 Per Cent. and Dealers May Be Prosecuted For Combining—Farmers Get Very Low Rate.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Berlin, Dec. 2.—The city council last evening adopted a report of the special committee appointed to investigate the milk question with a view of learning the justification for the increase from seven to eight cents a quart, which recommended that the citizens be advised to abstain from the use of milk as much as possible. It was also decided to have the city solicitors take the necessary steps to break up the illegal combine, if such exists.
The committee, in its report, which was made following a conference with the dealers, found the dealers were operating an agreement to maintain a uniform price. The dealers pay the farmers 16 cents a gallon, and dispose of it for 23, thus charging as much for distribution as the farmer secures for its production. The committee, supporting its contention that milk is unduly high, quoted the prices in Paris, Elmira, Preston, Hespeler, Elora, New Hamburg, Waterloo, Brampton, Galt, Woodstock, Stratford, Guelph, Brantford and London, which were lower than 8 cents a quart.
It is probable that a judicial inquiry will be instituted to learn whether a combine exists among the dealers.

FISHERMEN TO GET \$200,000

A Record Fall Catch Is Being Made at Port Stanley.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Port Stanley, Dec. 1.—The largest fall catch of fish on record here has taken place during the past ten days, some fishermen making daily hauls of 20 tons from their nets.
Over sixty carloads have been already shipped to the United States, which will sell for over \$100,000. The fish sell from 4 to 5 cents per pound, and it is expected before the big run is over another 60 carloads will have been shipped, which will bring a total of \$200,000. This will be divided up among the owners of the eighteen tugs fishing at the port.

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TWO WERE STABBED

Provincial Police Are Investigating a Serious Case at Sandwich.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Windsor, Dec. 1.—Two men were stabbed, one seriously and possibly fatally, in a drunken row which occurred in Sandwich some time last night, and Provincial Detectives Smith and Nash are searching for two Hungarians suspected of having inflicted the wounds.

BROKE IN TWO

Crew of Steamer Nicholas Were All Taken Off Safely.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Sarnia, Dec. 1.—The steamer I. W. Nicholas, aground near North Point, Lake Huron, broke in two yesterday. Her crew was rescued by the Reid Wrecking Company's tug Sarnia City. Capt. Tom Reid in command. The tug had been working trying to release the vessel and the crew were taken aboard, and taken to Alpena when the Nicholas broke up. The boat succumbed to the battering of the seas. Capt. Reid is of the opinion that he can save the cargo and hull.

FOUND DEAD

Mrs. Richard Sanders Stricken Unexpectedly at St. Thomas.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, Dec. 1.—Mrs. Sanders, aged 61 years, widow of the late Richard Sanders, of St. Thomas, died suddenly last night at her home here. She had been out walking, and returning home, when she was found lying dead on a couch. Three daughters and one son survive her.

CANADIAN STEER IS CHAMPION AT BIG STOCK SHOW

Sheep From This District Also Swept the Prize Lists at Chicago.

MORE WINS TO COME

Judges Declare That Canadian Animals Will Beat All Comers.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Chicago, Dec. 2.—Competing against thousands of animals from all parts of the American corn belt, Canada took first honors in the prize cattle class at the International Live Stock Exhibition today.
Glencarnock Victor II, owned by James D. McGregor, of Brandon, Man., was declared champion of the grades and cross-breeds.
The award was made by J. R. Campbell, of Scotland, who is recognized as an authority on cattle. Mr. Campbell spent most of the day in examining hundreds of prize steers from numerous sections of the United States and Canada.

Keen Competition.
Many of the nominations had been entered by state agricultural colleges and experimental stations, and competition was keen throughout.
The selection of Glencarnock Victor II was followed by noisy exclamations of joy from scores of Canadians in the arena, and a group of students from the Dominion split the air with their college yells. Three Canadian colleges are represented at the show. They are the Ontario Agricultural College, of Guelph; McDonald College and the Manitoba Agricultural College.

Splendid Sheep.
Ontario is chiefly interested in the sheep department of the big show. The judges began their tedious task of picking out the prize winners during the day, but their awards will not be announced until some time tomorrow. It was made known, however, that J. and D. P. Campbell, of Woodville, had been awarded first and second prizes with their yearling wethers. The Campbells showed a magnificent type of sheep. The judges characterized them as strong, dense-fleeced, well-balanced and full-legged. Ontario will undoubtedly carry away several more prizes.

LIVE STOCK AND PRODUCE MARKETS

PRODUCE.
TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Business is limited with the feeling easier in wheat. However, the receipts are limited, and Ontario grades are still quoted at same prices. Cables from Liverpool are lower. Manitoba grades were easier earlier, closing firm. There was a good demand around 90c in Chicago for May. The value supply in the United States decreased \$25,000 bushels. Flour—Ontario wheat flour, 90 per cent. are quoted at \$3.45, seaboard, and at \$3.40 at local points.
Ontario. Manitoba—First patents, in jute bags, \$5.30; do second, \$4.80; strong bakers', in jute bags, \$4.60. Manitoba wheat—No. 1 northern quoted at 92½c to 93c, on track, bay ports, and No. 2 at 91c to 91½c. Ontario wheat—No. 1 wheat at 88c to 84c, outside. Oats—No. 2 Ontario oats quoted at 33c to 34c, outside, and at 36½c to 37c, on track. Toronto. Western Canada old oats quoted at 39½c for No. 2, and 38c for No. 3, bay ports. Peas—Nominal at \$1.95 to \$2.00. Barley—Good malting barley quoted at 56c to 58c, outside. Corn—The market is quiet and firm; new Ontario. Rye is quoted at 76½c, all rail. Toronto. Rye—No. 2 nominal at 68c to 70c, outside. Buckwheat—Prices are nominal around 70c, outside, with none offering. Bran—Manitoba bran is quoted at \$2.10 to \$2.15 a ton, in bags, Toronto freight. Shorts, \$2.20 to \$2.50. Toronto.
MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 1.—Wheat—December, 82½c; May, 87c; No. 1 hard, 85½c to 86½c; No. 1 northern, 85½c to 86½c; No. 2 northern, 84½c to 85½c; No. 3 wheat, 79½c to 81½c; No. 3 yellow corn, 62½c to 63c; No. 3 white corn, 62½c to 63c. Flour—First patents, \$3.95 to \$4.25; second patents, \$3.75 to \$4.05; first clear, \$2.70 to \$3.50; second clear, \$2.50 to \$2.70. Bran—\$2 to \$2.50.
DETROIT, Dec. 2.—Onions—\$1.15 per bu. \$2.25 per sack of 100 lbs.; Spanish, \$1.40 per crate. Potatoes—In bulk, 60c to 65c per bu. in sacks, 70c to 75c per bu. for carlots. Honey—Choice to fancy new white comb, 10c to 12c; amber, 10c to 11c; extracted, 7c to 8c per lb. Dressed poultry—Chickens, 14c to 15c; hens, 12½c to 13c; No. 2 hens, 8c to 10c; old roosters, 7c to 10c; ducks, 12c to 15c; geese, 14c to 15c; turkeys, 15c to 20c per lb. Poultry—Spring chickens, 15c to 13½c; hens, 12c to 12½c; No. 2 hens, 9c; old roosters, 8c; turkeys, 11c to 13c; geese, 13c to 14c; ducks, 14c to 15c per lb.

LIVE STOCK.
TORONTO, Dec. 2.—Receipts at Union stockyards this morning: 3,205 cattle, 508 calves, 2,406 sheep and 1,712 hogs. The market was brisk and everything sold rapidly.
CHICAGO, Dec. 2.—Cattle—Receipts 7,000; market steady; beefs, \$8.60 to \$9.60; Texas steers, \$6.65 to \$7.35; stockers and feeders, \$5.80 to \$7.40; cows and heifers, \$3.30 to \$8.10; calves, \$6.50 to \$11. Hogs—Receipts 22,000; market dull; light, \$7.10 to \$7.70; mixed, \$7.40 to \$7.80; heavy, \$7.45 to \$7.85; rough, \$7.40 to \$7.50; pigs, \$5.70 to \$7.00; bulk of sales, \$7.55 to \$7.75. Sheep—Receipts 26,000; market strong; native, \$3.50 to \$5.10; yearlings, \$5.15 to \$6.50; lambs, native, \$5.90 to \$7.55.
DETROIT, Dec. 2.—Cattle—Market steady. We quote: Best steers and heifers, \$7.50 to \$8.50; steers and heifers, 1,000 to 1,200 lbs., \$7 to \$7.50; steers and heifers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.50 to \$7.50; steers and heifers that are fat, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6 to \$6.50; choice fat cows, \$5.75 to \$6.50; good fat cows, \$5.25 to \$5.75; common cows, \$4 to \$4.50; canners, \$3 to \$4; choice heavy bulls, \$6 to \$6.25; fair to good belzona bulls, \$5.50 to \$5.75; stock bulls, \$5 to \$5.50; choice feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.75 to \$7.50; fair feeding steers, 800 to 1,000 lbs., \$6.25 to \$6.50; choice stockers, 500 to 700 lbs., \$6.50 to \$7.50; fair stockers, 5 to 70 lbs., \$5.75 to \$6.25; stock heifers, \$5 to \$5.75; milkers,

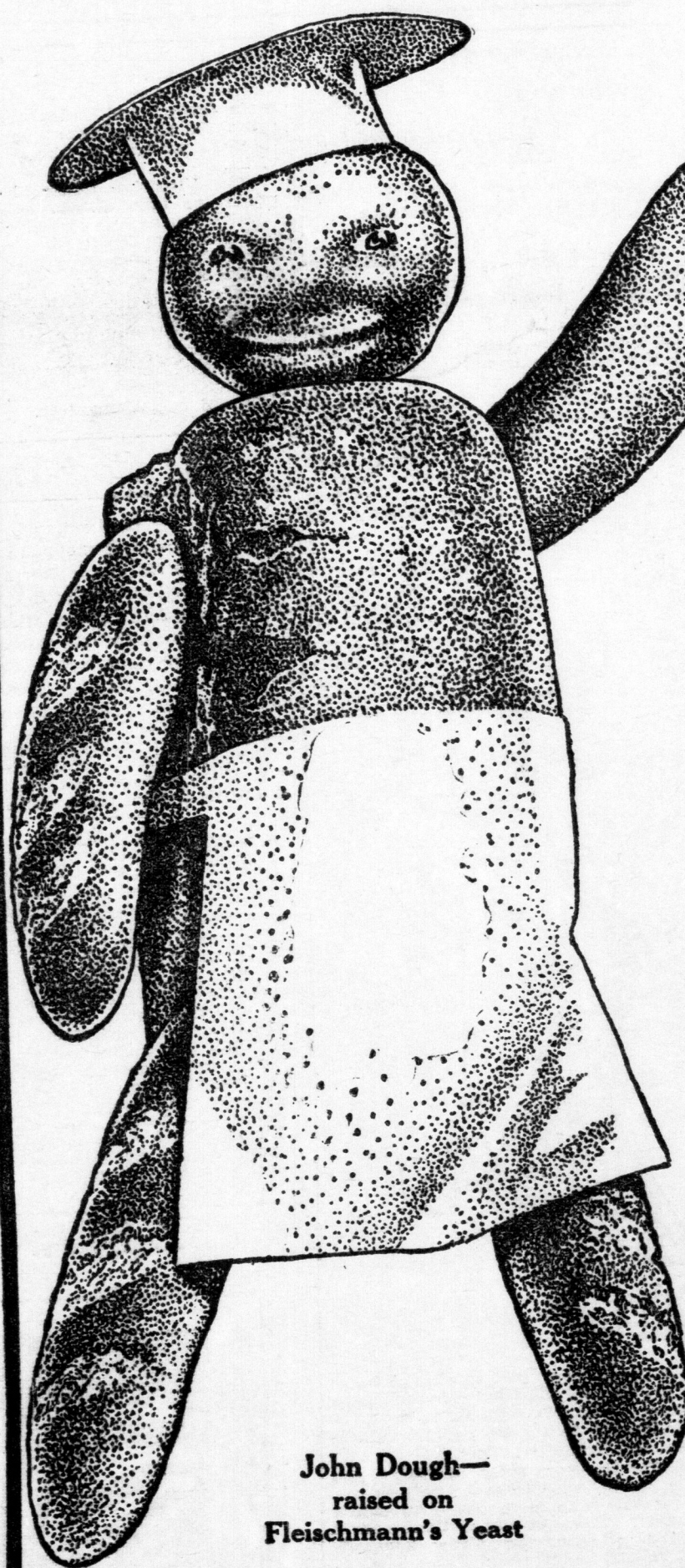
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DIVIDEND NO. 106
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that a quarterly dividend of 2 per cent for the three months ending Dec. 31st, 1913 (being at the rate of 8 per cent per annum), and in addition thereto a Bonus of 1/2 of 1 per cent, has been declared upon the paid-up capital stock of this company, and will be payable at the company's offices in this city on and after 2nd January next to shareholders of record of 5th December.
By order of the Board.
A. M. SMART, Manager.
London, Canada, December 1st, 1913.
Capital paid-up, \$1,750,000. Reserve, \$1,450,000.
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created. Several loads of heavy steers were sold today at \$8.25, while medium grades were purchased freely from \$6.50 to \$7. The receipts today were heavy, 1,500 cwt. being received, with 3,025 cattle, 308 calves, 1,112 hogs, and 2,456 sheep and lambs. All told, the quality was a great deal better than that received last week.
The prevailing prices on the market this morning were as follows:
Cattle—Choice butchers, \$8 to \$8.50; good medium, \$6.50 to \$7.25; common, \$5 to \$5.50; fat calves, \$4.50 to \$5.25; common calves, \$3.50 to \$4.50; butchers' bulls, \$5.75 to \$6.50; canners, \$3.50 to \$4.50; sheep and lambs—Light, \$5.50 to \$6.50; good quality, 800 lbs., \$6 to \$6.25; light, \$5.50 to \$6.50; calves—Good veal, \$8.75 to \$10; common, \$4.75 to \$5.50.
Sheep and lambs—Light ewes, \$4.50 to \$5.50; heavy, \$3 to \$3.50; bucks, \$3 to \$3.50; spring lambs, \$3.50 to \$3.80, with 75c per head deducted for all buck lambs.
Hogs—Fat and watered, \$3.50 to \$4.00; off cars, \$3.35.

Among the large purchases today were: Corbett, Hall & Coughlin bought 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., \$7.50 to \$8.50; Steers, 1,200 to 1,300 lbs., \$7.50 to \$8.50; \$5.50 to \$6; medium, \$4.50 to \$5.25; feeders, 800 to 700 lbs., \$5.75 to \$7; bulls, \$6.50 to \$7; lambs, \$3.40 to \$3.10.
E. Puddy bought 25 steers—1,100 lbs., \$7.80; 200 lambs, \$5.25 to \$6.50; 75 sheep, \$3.50; 100 hogs, \$3.25 f. o. b.
C. Mayhew bought 70 stockers—550 to 700 lbs., at \$5.25 to \$6.25.
Swifts Canadian Company bought 300 cattle—Fair to good butcher steers and heifers at \$7 to \$8; cows, \$5.50 to \$6.50; canners and cutters, \$3.50 to \$4.25.
Gunn's Limited, bought 125 butchers' cattle—Steers and heifers, \$7 to \$8; cows, \$6 to \$6.50.
H. P. Kennedy bought two loads of stockers, 700 to 1,000 lbs., \$5.50 to \$6.70.
Matthew Lang Company bought 150 cattle—Butchers' steers and heifers, \$7 to \$7.75; medium, \$6.55 to \$6.80; cows, \$5.50 to \$6.40; mixed, \$4 to \$4.75.
The management announced yesterday that on Monday, Dec. 8, the market will

open at 7:30, in order to get the rail-way market stock in before the special auction sale of prize-winning cattle, which takes place at 10 o'clock.
The following were the quotations:
Butcher cattle, choice, 48.00 to 49.50
Butcher cattle, medium, 6.50 to 7.25
Butcher cattle, common, 5.00 to 5.50
Butcher cows, choice, 5.25 to 6.00
Good butcher cows, 4.50 to 5.00
Common butcher cows, 3.50 to 4.00
Medium butcher cows, 2.75 to 3.00
Feeder bulls, 8.70 to 4.50
Feeder cows, 6.50 to 8.00 lbs., 4.00 to 4.25
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Stockers, 650 to 800 lbs., 4.00 to 4.25
Stockers, medium, 4.00 to 4.25
Stockers, light, 3.50 to 4.00
Canners and cutters, 3.50 to 4.00
Milkers, choice, each, 3.50 to 4.00
Milkers, common and medium, each, 25.00 to 45.00
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TUESDAY, DECEMBER 2, 1913.

ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTS

By "Bud" Fisher

Mutt and Jeff Might Be On Their Way to Mexico Now It--

CITY HOCKEY LEAGUE WILL
DISCUSS NORTHERN LEAGUE
IDEA ON WEDNESDAY NIGHT

First Hussars Have Already Entered a Team in Northern League and Other Clubs in the City League Will Likely Follow Suit After Matter Is Discussed at City League Meeting.

[BY JINX.]

The London City Hockey League will hold a meeting in the A. M. C. rooms tomorrow evening for the purpose of discussing the question of making the league a district branch of the Northern Hockey League, as proposed at the meeting of that organization in Palmerston yesterday afternoon. Just what action will be taken is at present unknown.

A Good Proposition.

The idea of forming the local league into a northern group, on the face of it, is a good one. However, there are many things to be considered before the proposition is adopted. There is little doubt that four good strong City League teams can be formed that will give any of the Northern League teams a hard battle, and it is an even chance that the winner of the City League can bring the championship of the former organization to this city. Last year some fast hockey was played in the City League, and with the lifted restriction on O. H. A. players to help strengthen the league this year should be even better.

First Hussars Entered.

The First Hussars team of the City League have already applied to the Northern League for admittance. A telegram was sent to Secretary Burt at Palmerston yesterday by the writer, asking that the First Hussars' entry be accepted. Some time later, the writer got into communication with Mr. Burt, and he was told that the nearest group the London team could be placed in would be 70 miles away from this city. This would mean considerable travelling expense, and the First Hussars would hardly consider such a proposition. The idea of making the London City League a four-team group was then broached. Just whether this will be satisfactory or not is a question.

Another Team Needed.

At present there are only three teams in the City League, or at least one is intended. These clubs are the Orientals, A. M. C. and Hussars. Club Windsor, manager of the Orientals, was asked his opinion of the matter this morning by the writer, and he stated that he did not know enough about it at present to discuss it with any certainty. He said it looked like a

favorable proposition, though, and would likely appeal to the Orient Club.

Manager Harry Marshall, of the A. M. C. team, was also questioned about it. He had not heard of the proposition until the Advertiser called up, but it looked good to him. He thought the City League should hold a meeting as soon as possible and decide one way or the other.

Who Will Control City League?

The only trouble that is liable to crop up in the case of the City League accepting the offer is the question of whether the City League will control the league, or whether the Northern League will control it. Each of the City League clubs will have to pay an entry fee of \$2 to the Northern League, and an additional bond of \$25 will have to be put up by each club as a guarantee that they will finish the season. The winner of the group must be returned by Feb. 10.

The Other Groups.

The officers of the Northern League elected yesterday and the other groups in the organization are as follows: Hon. president, G. L. Allen, Montreal; president, H. B. Coleman, Palmerston; vice-president, R. Whitmore, Harrison; secretary, J. Gordon, Burt, Listowel; treasurer, J. B. Morrison, Owen Sound. The executive committee is composed of the above officials.

Group No. 1—W. Lustig, at Chesley; Owen Sound, Warton and Chesley; and Hanover and Markdale as possible clubs to join.

Group No. 2—A. McCartney, at Walkerton, Port Elgin, Mildmay, Paisley and Walkerton.

Group No. 3—T. Wiseman, at Palmerston, Dravton, Harrison, Mount Forest, Palmerston, Lucknow and Wingham. Group No. 4—G. Burt, at Listowel; Elmira, Linwood, Wellesley, Milverton and Listowel.

Group No. 5—W. H. Rhodes, at London; London City League.

Charlestown Results

First race—All ages, selling, purse \$300, 5 furlongs—1 Terra Blanca, 2 Tom Boy, 3 Elsewhere. Time—1:03.
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Third race—3-year-olds and up, conditions, purse \$400, 1 mile and 70 yards—1 Ringling, 2 John Furlong, 3 Donald MacDonald. Time—1:46.
Fourth race—All ages, for Sumner Inn, inaugural handicap, \$1,500 guaranteed, 6 furlongs—1 Theresa Gill, 2 Carlton G., 3 Raymond Johnson. Time—1:14 1/2.
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Sixth race—3-year-olds and up, selling, purse \$400, 6 furlongs—1 White Hall, 2 Lightning, 3 Briar Path. Time—1:15.

Doings in City Hockey Circles

The London Hockey Club will not play in Cleveland until after the O. H. A. season is ended. Secretary Vining received a letter from Manager Shannon yesterday, stating that the Cleveland club has all its dates filled up until the first of January, but it would like a game with London after that. However, as the local club will then begin its O. H. A. season, the Cleveland dates will have to be put off until March or until such time as London is through with the O. H. A. season.

The local intermediates will likely go to Detroit, however, for two games on Dec. 18 and 19. The arrangements for these games have not been completed, but the local club expects from Manager Brown today saying definitely that those dates have been set aside for London.

The Lawson and Jones team of the Manufacturers' League will play the Ingersoll intermediates an exhibition game in the latter town as soon as cold weather comes along, and gives the ice-makers a chance to lay a sheet. "Mushy" Ross, of last year's juniors, and McAtter, a former Cornwall player, will be members of the Lawson & Jones' team this winter.

The London Hockey Club will endeavor to arrange a game with the Hamilton Alerts before the regular O. H. A. season commences. Secretary Vining will be in Hamilton for a short time today, and he will make an effort to arrange the game then. The Hamilton Alerts have an artificial sheet of ice, and Hamilton players are already working out on it. The game with Preston on Christmas will also be played. Several of the London players have agreed to make the trip to the mineral springs town on the holiday and a good game should result. London beat Preston in this city last Christmas.

President Casselman and Secretary Vining of the London Club left this afternoon for Toronto. They will attend the O. H. A. meeting which is being held in that city tomorrow. The different groups will be arranged at this meeting, and will be published Monday.

With two exceptions, all the candidates for the junior and intermediate teams were out at the Princess rink last evening, taking the tri-weekly exercises. Laurie Gillies was present for a few minutes only, while Hall was out of the city. He is suffering from neuralgia and toothache, but it is nothing serious.

RITCHIE FAVORITE
FOR DEC. 10 BOUT

Lightweight Champion Is Being Held at Odds of 12 to 8 To Beat Murphy.

BOTH MEN ARE TRAINING

Betting Has Been Light So Far, Backers Apparently Waiting Until Weights Are Announced.

San Francisco, Dec. 1.—The Willie Ritchie-Tommy Murphy contest, a genuine world's championship dispute, is the next thing to attract the attention of the followers of Quesberry sport. The fight will meet in Coddell's Eighth street arena on the night of Dec. 10.

Both Boys

Are Training Hard. The principals are already in training. Ritchie being quartered at Millets, near Shannons, San Rafael. Light weight has begun at both strongholds. At Millets Ritchie went in for bag punching and rounds skipping, and also sparred three rounds with Joe Getz.

Betting on the lightweight championship has begun, quite a number of wagers of the small dimension have been made. To & the commissioners seem to think that the price against Murphy will lengthen to 10 to 7.

Weight Scale

Decides the Price. It remains to be seen, however, whether public opinion will continue in the same groove when the date of the match draws nearer. The training of Ritchie and Murphy will be watched closely by hordes of sports, and the work done at the rival camps may be viewed as such a cause of sentiment among betting men.

SOME FAMOUS SHOOTERS
ATTEND ST. THOMAS SHOOT

Three Ladies Are Among the Number—Some Good Scores Registered in Blue Rocks Competition.

St. Thomas, Dec. 1.—Famous marksmen from many parts of Canada and the United States are in attendance here at the opening of the grand five-day shoot today. The weather was cloudy, but otherwise favorable. Some 65 or 75 shooters registered and 59 took part in the competition today.

The visitors include three women, Mrs. John S. Boa, Montreal; Mrs. Vogel, Detroit, and Mrs. F. H. Conover, Leamington, Ont. In the competition shoot at 100 yds rocks today 25,000 blue scores were made. J. R. Taylor, Columbus, Ohio, made 83; J. R. Graham, Ingleside, Ill., 82; W. L. Taylor, Ridgetown, 82; F. C. Koch, Philadelphia, 82; J. O. Loan, Chatham, N. B., 81; J. E. Celn, 80; S. Shortley, 76. These men will shoot off the ties for first, second and third high averages Tuesday morning.

Other scores were: Geo. A. Brown, Seneca Falls, N. Y., 88; Geo. McCall, St. Thomas, 77; W. C. Vall, St. Thomas, 76; Rip, St. Thomas, 67; J. J. Ham, Watertown, N. Y., 85; F. Kerr, Crediton, 82; C. L. Frantz, Seneca Falls, N. Y., 89; W. J. Marshall, Galt, 90; Mrs. Vogel, Detroit, 82; G. M. Faltom, St. Thomas, 47; E. Roehler, St. Thomas, 74; E. G. White, Ottawa, 87; C. F. Moore, Pittsburg, 88; G. R. Hassam, Buffalo, 79; John Eberts, Buffalo, 89; L. Blackmer, Buffalo, 95; Geo. Fish, Lyndonville, N. Y., 89; John S. Boa, Montreal, 87; Joe Jennings, Tadmorden, 90; H. D. Bates, Ridgetown, 91; Mrs. J. S. Boa, Montreal, 69; S. Vance, Tillsonburg, 88; H. O. Loan, Chatham, 83; Nelson Long, Hamilton, 88; E. S. Graham, Ingleside, Ill., 82; G. K. Mackie, Scammon, Kansas, 66; F. A. Graper, Custer Park, Ill., 92; Mrs. Conover, Leamington, 67; J. E. Celn, Leamington, 73; W. S. Hoon, Jewell, Flo., 82; F. H. Conover, Leamington, 84; L. S. German, Baltimore, 95; Geo. Dunk, Toronto, 90; J. W. Broderick, Niagara Falls, N. Y., 84; W. B. Clayton, Portland, Me., 87; W. S. Hare, Winnipeg, 70; R. S. Day, London, 85; P. Galbraith, London, 81; W. Hart, Dresden, 83; J. Coffey, St. Thomas, 83; T. Smith, St. Thomas, 65; A. McRitchie, St. Thomas, 86; Geo. Mannix, St. Thomas, 85; W. H. Hendley, St. Thomas, 64; N. F. Baxton, St. Thomas, 66; C. Oxford, St. Thomas, 75; J. A. Vance, Tillsonburg, 81; W. G. Pow, Tillsonburg, 65; F. A. Dalton, Tillsonburg, 79; H. Smith, Tillsonburg, 88.

OLD COUNTRY GAMES.

London, England, Dec. 1.—These games were played today: Sheffield 4, Aberdeen 0. Celtic 1, Alfretonians 0. Stockport 0, Huddersfield 0.

"WEE WILLIE" KEELER
IS A "BASEBALL BOOB"

New York, Dec. 1.—Wee Willie Keeler, now a Giant scout, has been told he is a baseball "boob," according to a story he related today. The once "greatest baser" was watching two amateur teams play when a howl went up over a decision by the umpire.

"Wasn't that a strike, mister?" asked one captain, turning to Keeler.

The veteran nodded an affirmative answer.

"What does that boob know about baseball?" spoke up the other captain.

And Keeler faded away.



ART ROSS, captain and point player of the Wanderer Hockey Club, Montreal, who has refused to sign a contract under the reduced rates. He may head an all-star team of eastern players to play exhibition games across the line.

WOLGAST WILL MEET
RIVERS OR DUNDEE

Bout Will Probably Take Place in Milwaukee on Dec. 30.

Cadillac, Mich., Dec. 1.—Ad Wolgast today signed over his services to Promoter Mulken, of Milwaukee, for Saturday, Dec. 30. The Cream City man will put Joe Rivers or Johnny Dundee against the Cadillac fighter according to Wolgast. Rivers is the favorite. Wolgast figures that he and Rivers will draw \$15,000 if they meet. Ad began his training here today, and will work here until a few days before the battle in Milwaukee.

The Cadillac fighter has also disposed of his ranch holdings in the vicinity of Medford, Ore., and states that hereafter he will stick to Michigan.

CURLING CLUBS WILL
SHARE SOCIAL EVENING

Thistle and London Club Curlers Meet at Thistle Rink Friday Night.

The London Curling Club and the London Thistle Club will hold committee meetings at the Thistle Rink on Friday evening for the purpose of naming the district cup and Ontario tankard skips for the coming season. After the meetings both clubs will join in a progressive euchre party. It will be the first social evening the clubs have shared since the London Club decided to curl at the Thistle Rink for this season. All the members are invited. Prizes have been donated for the card party.

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DETROIT ARENA SEVEN
BEAT CLEVELAND 4 TO 3

First Hockey Game of Season in Michigan City Results in Win For Home Team.

Detroit, Dec. 2.—With both teams showing speed and team play remarkable for an opening game, the Detroit hockey team downed Cleveland last night, 4 to 3, at the Arena, in the first tilt of a two-game series. Had it not been for the heavy fog that enveloped the players from start to finish, it is altogether probable that the record crowd of 1,800 spectators would have seen much more than they did in the way of combination play. "Seem" is used advisedly, as it was almost impossible, through practically all of the playing time, for the field of action to be observed in its entirety, the fog being of the "heavy London" brand.

Mathewson Goal Odmark Black Point Winter Skelly Cover point Jamieson Grady Rover Vernon Meyers Centre Trimble Kennedy Right wing Debernardi Johnson Left wing Irving

Final score—Detroit 4, Cleveland 3. Goals—Detroit: First half, Grady, 18 minutes; Meyers, 28 1/2 minutes; Kennedy, 29 1/2 minutes. Second half, Johnson, 1 1/2 minutes; Cleveland: First half, Trimble, 17 minutes; Second half, Trimble, 4 minutes; Trimble, 18 minutes. Penalties—Johnson, one minute; References—Hoffman, Cleveland. Timekeeper—Dick Jackson, of Detroit.

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Herb Fisher, who played with the Eaton O. H. A. team several seasons ago, is playing in British Columbia this winter.

The T. R. and A. A. team will leave for Winnipeg about the 17th inst. A game will be played at Detroit on route west.

Ernest Higgins and Groser Bedard, two forward players last season with Brockville, will this winter be found with the Syracuse team.

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DEATHS.

DRUMMOND—In this city, on Monday, Dec. 1, 1913, Elizabeth, widow of the late Alexander Drummond, in her 81st year. Funeral private on Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1913, from the funeral parlors of John Ferguson & Sons, interment at Mount Pleasant.

HORNBY—At his late residence, 65 Ashkin street, on Monday, Dec. 1, 1913, Arthur Clifford, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hornby, in his 18th year. Funeral private from above address on Wednesday afternoon at 3 p.m., service at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Woodland Cemetery. 80c.

MEETINGS.

I. O. O. F.—EUREKA LODGE, No. 80, meets tonight, Oddfellows' Hall, initiation. Large attendance requested. Visiting brethren welcome. S. Crawford, N. G.

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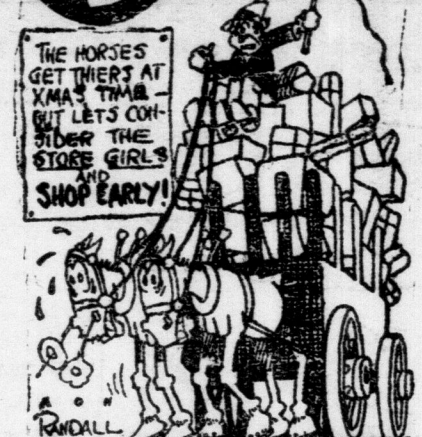
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DESERTER SURRENDERS.

Guelph, Dec. 1.—Charles A. Beckitt, a deserter from Wolseley Barracks, in barracks on Nov. 9.



Editorial

If we SAID the \$9.75 Coat was a "30.00 Coat" it might bring some unthinking ones to buy, but would it make the coat any different? We would rather deserve the confidence of those who think.

DID CHILD WAKE UP CROSS OR FEVERISH?

Look, Mother! If Tongue Is Coated Give "California Syrup of Figs."

Mother! Your child isn't naturally cross and peevish. See if the tongue is coated; this is a sure sign its little stomach, liver and bowels need a cleansing at once. When listless, pale, feverish, full of cold, breath bad, throat sore, doesn't eat, sleep or act naturally, has stomach-ache, diarrhoea, remember, a gentle liver and bowel cleansing should always be the first treatment given. Nothing equals "California Syrup of Figs" for children's ills; give a tea-spoonful, and in a few hours all the foul waste, sour bile and fermenting food which is clogged in the bowels passes out of the system, and you have a well and playful child again. All children love this harmless, delicious "fruit laxative," and it never fails to effect a good "inside" cleansing. Directions for babies, children of all ages and grown-ups are plainly on the bottle. Keep it handy in your home. A little given today saves a sick child tomorrow, but get the genuine. Ask your druggist for a 50-cent bottle of "California Syrup of Figs," then look and see that it is made by the "California Fig Syrup Company." Counterfeits are being sold here. Don't be fooled!

One rub with Old Dutch Cleanser

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ASK FOR REPORT ON EAST LONDON MARKET COSTS

Council Requests Engineer To Prepare Estimate Bylaw To Be Submitted.

LOCAL IMPROVEMENTS

Aldermen Put Through Big List on Petition and Two-Thirds Vote.

The council Monday night after a lengthy discussion instructed the city engineer to prepare an estimate of the cost of establishing an East End market, and if it is found desirable a bylaw will be submitted to the ratepayers for the necessary expenditure and also for the paving of the down-town market.

A deputation from the East End Progressive Association appeared on behalf of the separate market idea. Ald. J. G. Richter thought that there was no sense in submitting a bylaw to spend the small sum of \$1,000 or \$1,500 in fitting up the proposed East End market, and believed that the engineer should submit an estimate of the cost, to be presented to the council at its next meeting, when it could be determined which was the best way to go about the proposed improvement.

Ald. E. J. L. Stin charged Ald. Richter with having worked to knock out the East End market idea when the estimates were being drawn up. "That is absolutely untrue," replied Ald. Richter, "that I helped to knock out the East End market. Be a man, now, and produce the evidence." Ald. Stein lamely explained that Ald. Richter had voted against the proposition.

W. C. T. U. Gets \$900. Insurance of \$900 was given by the city on the burned W. C. T. U. building at the Western Fair grounds, will be placed to the credit of the organization, and it is likely that at the beginning of the new year the council will be asked for assistance to provide for the erection of a new building. The report of the manufacturers' and reception committee dealing with the petition for a bylaw was sent back for further consideration, and will be considered at a special meeting of the council next Friday.

Suburban Postal Delivery. City Clerk Samuel Baker reported that the postal department had advised him that it was considering the matter of postal delivery service for the two annexed districts, and that the all had had heard from them. Ald. Glass asked if the special report regarding the waterworks was a mere appraisal of the property, or if it dealt with the economics of separating the waterworks and hydro department.

Mayor Graham replied that a special meeting of the committee would be held probably this week to consider the report, which had only recently been presented. The annual report of the board of health was received and ordered printed in the minutes.

Local Improvement List. The board of works' report, calling for the following local improvements by petition, was adopted: Twenty-four-foot concrete pavement and 6-inch cement curb on both sides of Windsor avenue from Ridout street to Tenth Avenue Company's property. The pavement is to cost \$3,418.06, and the curb, \$746.63.

A 6-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Queen's avenue from Adelaide to Elizabeth street, costing \$953.45.

The following improvement which, in the opinion of the engineer, are necessary, were ordered constructed on a two-thirds vote.

Six-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Clarence street from Bathurst to Horton, \$712.65.

Six-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Clarence street from Bathurst to Horton, \$712.65.

A 6-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Richmond street from Bathurst street to G. T. R. tracks, \$223.85.

A 21½-foot vitrified brick pavement on Wortley road from Stanley street to Beaconfield avenue, \$5,434.67.

A 29½-foot asphalt pavement on Wortley road from Beaconfield avenue to Byron avenue, \$3,396.85.

A 37-foot asphaltic concrete pavement on Clarence street from York street to Bathurst, \$3,240.

A 24½-foot asphaltic concrete pavement on Clarence street from Bathurst street to Horton street, \$3,509.70.

A 24½-foot asphaltic pavement on Richmond street from Bathurst street to G. T. R. tracks, \$1,073.74.

A 37½-foot vitrified brick pavement on Talbot street from York to Bathurst, \$3,215.92.

A 6-inch curb and 15-inch gutter on both sides of Talbot street, from York to Bathurst, \$489.05, and from Bathurst to Horton, \$489.05.

HOUSE WAS WRECKED. (Canadian Press.) Calumet, Mich., Dec. 2.—The home of a non-union workman at the Quincy mine in the copper strike district was badly damaged by dynamite early today. The kitchen was shattered, but members of the family, although thrown from their beds, were not hurt. Elsewhere in the district was quiet.

A Cube to a cup

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Many uses and full directions
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MIDDLESEX HAS INDIAN POPULATION OF 1,373

County Has Surprisingly Large Representation of the Aboriginal Inhabitants of Canada On Its Three Reserves in Caradoc and Delaware.

To the average Londoner, the Indian is something in history, something associated with the wild and woolly world of his boyhood days. The fact that the red man still exists in no inconsiderable numbers, despite the ravages of tuberculosis, is something that possibly never occurs to him, yet within a few miles of London there are no less than 1,373 full-blooded Indians, true descendants of the original inhabitants of Canada and of the Indian braves who fought with Brock and Tecumseh.

The county of Middlesex has a population of 41,991, and a total acreage of 757,683 acres. It might seem rather surprising to the average man to know that 1,373 of the county population and 16,071 acres of land represents Indian residents. Such is the case.

Lo, the poor Indian seems to be inaccurate so far as the Middlesex reservations are concerned. Figured on the 1912-13 report the Indians own a little better than 11 7-10 acres apiece. Compared to the average acreage of their white neighbors it is a very respectable amount. After subtracting the area of London and of the Indian reserves from the total acreage of the county, there works out a little better than 17 acres a head for the 40,826 white residents of Middlesex.

Interesting Stories. Tucked away in odd corners of the "official reports" that are found in the annual report of the department of Indian affairs for the year ending March 31, 1913, and which has just been issued by the king's printer, Ottawa, are a number of very interesting stories. The blue book on Indian affairs is possibly not quite so musty as the average Government blue book. At any rate, it contains a mass of reports found between its covers is some information about London's Indian neighbors that is most interesting.

Three Tribal Units. There are three tribal units in Middlesex—the Oneidas, the Chippewas and the Munsees. The former band is on the Oneida reserve in Delaware Township, while the Chippewas and Munsees are on the Caradoc or Muncey reserve in Caradoc Township.

The population as given by the blue book is: Oneidas 778 Chippewas 480 Munsees 115

Methodist Indians Predominate. According to the census table there are more Methodist Indians than of any other denomination. The Anglican Church is a close second, with the number of its adherents in the Caradoc reserve being 127 members. Of the 15 given as adherents of other denominations, the only three religious sects represented are the Methodists, Anglicans and Baptists. The Oneidas have 127 members of the tribe who are classified as "Pagans." Neither of the other two tribes have any pagan members.

A table of religious beliefs follows: Baptists 6 Anglicans 127 Methodists 233

Few Old "Braves." The "three score years and ten" allotted span of life seems to have no place in the Indian's world. There are comparatively few who have reached the age of 65. According to the census out of the 480 Chippewas of the Caradoc reserve there are only 6 who are 65 or upwards. There are 4 of the 115 Munsees who are that age or more, while out of the 778 Oneidas the number who are placed from 65 upwards are but 28.

The number of births and deaths recorded in the Chippewas, Munsees and Oneidas respectively is:

Births—5, 3, and 16. Deaths—2, 2, and 18.

In full, the reports on each of the three tribal units, as compiled by Indian Agent S. Sutherland, follow:

Oneidas of the Thames. Reserve—The Oneida reserve is situated in the township of Delaware, county of Middlesex, on the east side of the River Thames. It contains 5,271 acres of choice farming land.

Population—778. Health and Sanitation—Sanitary precautions have been well observed during the year. Whooping-cough was the only epidemic.

Occupations—The principal occupation is day labor. There are a few good farmers. They earn a large amount of money from pulling flax, berry-picking, cutting wood among the whites, and from employment in connection with canning factories.

Buildings, Stock and Farm Implements—The dwelling houses are mostly frame buildings, in fairly good repair. There are a few brick and cement block houses. Those who farm are well supplied with implements and farm buildings. Most of their land is fenced by wire. These Indians do not raise much stock, but what they have is of average breeding.

Characteristics and Progress—Generally speaking, the Oneida Indians are industrious and law-abiding. There are a few members of the band who are progressing very well.

Temperance and Morality—It is to be regretted that some of the members of this band use intoxicating liquors, and that the marriage law is not observed as well as it might be.

Chippewas of the Thames. Reserve—This band occupies a part of the Caradoc reserve, county of Middlesex, comprising 8,702, which for the most part is a beautiful undulating tract of country.

Population—480. Health and Sanitation—Sanitary precautions have been well observed during the year. No epidemic broke out.

Occupations—The occupations of this band are principally farming and day labor. A good deal of money is earned by these Indians from employment in connection with the canning factories, from pulling flax, and wood-cutting among the whites.

Buildings and Stock—The dwelling houses are mostly small frame and log buildings, although there are sev-

eral brick buildings of fair size. The barns and stables are usually small and in fairly good repair. Most of the Indians do not keep much stock, but what they have is of average quality. Characteristics and Progress—These Indians are usually law-abiding and industrious. There are a few who are making fair progress and are getting along well, but the majority are content with a bare living.

Temperance and Morality—The majority of these Indians are very temperate, though there are a few who sometimes use intoxicating liquors. It is to be regretted that the marriage law is not observed as well as it might be.

Munsees of the Thames. Reserve—This band occupies a tract of 2,098 acres, it being a part of the Caradoc reserve.

Population—115. Health and Sanitation—Sanitary measures have been well observed. The health of the Indians has been very good during the year.

Buildings, Stock and Farm Implements—The buildings on this reserve are mostly log and frame. Those who farm are well supplied with farm implements. Not much stock is raised, but what they have is of good quality.

Characteristics and Progress—These Indians may be considered as fairly industrious. Their progress is slow. Temperance and Morality—Very few of the Indians are addicted to the use of intoxicating liquors. There have been no cases of intoxication during the year. Their morals are improving.

COUNCIL NAMES COMMISSION TO OPERATE L. & P. S.

Selects Electrification Slate To Run Road After Sharp Debate.

ALD. BENNETT DECLINES

Refuses To Allow Nam To Be Voted On After Denouncing Opponents.

Hon. Adam Beck,
Philip Pocock,
Ald. William Spittal,
M. D. Fraser.

Ratification of the commission to operate and construct the electrified London and Port Stanley Railway was given by the council on Monday night. The "slate" went through without a hitch, but not before considerable discussion was caused, and some pertinent questions had been directed to the mayor, as well as some heated remarks bandied about the council chamber.

Politics Featured. Politics, with a capital "P," was played by the electrificationists in securing their slate. However, had it not been for the withdrawal of Ald. B. W. Bennett it is more than likely that his name would have been in preference to M. D. Fraser, law partner of Ald. J. P. Moore, who nominated him, and incidentally president of the London Free Press Printing Company.

There was no opposition to the selection of Adam Beck and Philip Pocock for the two-year term. There was, however, opposition of the strongest kind to the selection of Ald. Spittal and Mr. Fraser.

Labor Men Ignored. The ignoring of the labor men in the selection of the "slate" was an unfortunate obstacle that nearly meant a stumbling block for the electrophores, Ald. B. W. Bennett, one of the three labor men in the council, moved that Ald. G. E. Rose be added to the list in place of Ald. Spittal as a representative of the labor men. Ald. Rose, seconded by Ald. Stein, the third labor man, nominated Ald. Bennett. Both labor representatives declined the honor, and Bennett after a denunciation of certain of the aldermen who endeavored to make capital out of his opposition to the original electrification scheme.

Objects to Principle. When Ald. Moore presented the names of Hon. Adam Beck and Philip Pocock, for two-year terms and Maxwell D. Fraser, K. C., and Ald. William Spittal for one year, with the mayor as an ex-officio member of the board, Ald. Richter objected to the principle of naming an alderman to the board involves a principle condemned by political parties when in opposition and condoned when in power," he declared. "If members of council are to be appointed there are two men here whose long service and experience entitle them to the place. I refer to Ald. Bennett, who is a railway man of many years' experience, and to Ald. White, who is a large shipper."

Ald. Richter further suggested representation on the commission of the Southeastern Railway board, because of the close alliance. F. E. Bonar, a former member of the Ontario railway board, and now of the Southeastern, would be a suitable person for appointment.

Opposition No Bar. The fact that a man had opposed the electrification of the road should not bar that man from serving on the board, but should rather be a reason for his appointment. He did not like the principle of appointing a member of council, but urged that if this was to be done someone well qualified be chosen. For the one-year term he suggested the names of T. B. Escoff,

VOTERS' LISTS, 1913

Municipality of the City of London, County of Middlesex

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that I have transmitted or delivered to the persons mentioned in Section 9 of the Ontario Voters' Lists Act the copies required by the said section to be so transmitted or delivered of the lists made pursuant to said act of all persons appearing on the last assessment roll of the municipality to be entitled to vote in the said municipal elections for members of the Legislative Assembly and at municipal elections.

Persons who are aware of errors or omissions in the said list, or changes which have been rendered necessary by reason of the death or removal of any persons named therein, or by reason of any person having acquired the necessary qualification as a voter since the return of the assessment roll, are hereby called upon to give notice of the same within 21 days from the 15th day of November, 1913, being the date of the first publication of this notice.

And further notice is hereby given that a court will be held pursuant to the said act, by his honor the judge of the county court of the County of Middlesex, at the County Buildings, London, on the 17th day of December, 1913, at the hour of 11 a.m. to hear and determine complaints of errors and omissions in the said Voters' Lists.

Clerk of the Municipality of the City of London, County of Middlesex.
Dated this 17th day of November, 1913.
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Important Auction Sale

of choice furniture for Mr. M. O. Brittain, 628 Queen's avenue, Thursday, Nov. 4, at 10 a.m. Parlor in old pieces, large rockers, library table, extension table, chairs in massive oak, 4 choice rugs, curtains and blinds, contents of 4 bedrooms, brass and iron beds, mattresses and springs, dressers, stoves, chamberware, centre table, dishes, fruit and cans, glass ranges (new), kitchen table, a lot of china, kitchen utensils. Terms cash. J. S. BROWN, Auctioneer, 97 Carling street, Phone.

Seven new milch cows, 12 young stock, potatoes, barley, hay, oats, etc., lot 76, W. T. S. Townsend, 1000 Dundas street, miles north and west of Lambeth, on Wednesday, Dec. 3, 1913. Sale at 1:30 p.m. Conveyance will be made from cars. Terms at sale. W. C. Pack, proprietor; Thomas Clark, auctioneer. 87c-wty

Auction Sale of New Furniture

At 4035 Clarendon street, Dec. 3, at 2 o'clock sharp: 16 yards linoleum, contents of 3 bedrooms, iron beds, dressers, bedding, 6 dining chairs (leather seats), pedestal, round and oval tables, 4 rugs, 1 Oxford Crown Prince range, 1 large-sized heater, kitchen table, blinds, 1 antique lounge, 1 antique chair, 1 never been used. Get there. Positively no reserve as proprietor was called hurriedly away. E. H. L. LAWSON, auctioneer, phone 1013.

Col. Hobbs, R. C. Struthers, D. H. Howden and others, any one of whom he thought, would give splendid service on the board.

Ald. B. W. Bennett took a hand in the discussion by nominating the name of Ald. J. G. Richter in place of M. D. Fraser, and Ald. G. E. Rose in place of Ald. Spittal. The aldermen had received the highest votes at the last municipal election. Ald. Richter would be a valuable asset to the board because of his financial experience, while Ald. Rose would represent the labor interests.

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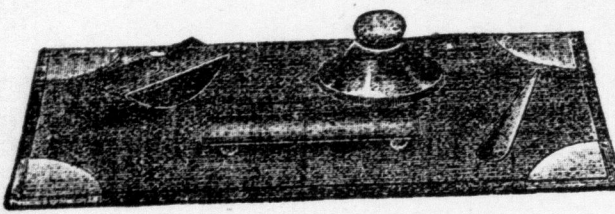
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WAITING POLICY

(Continued From Page One.)

the world. A test so compounded ought easily to be made to govern both the establishment of new treaty obligations and the interpretation of those already assumed.

Mexican Situation.

There is but one cloud upon our horizon. That has shown itself to the south of us and hangs over Mexico. There can be no doubt that the peace in America and Gen. Huerta has surrendered his usurped authority in Mexico; until it is understood on all hands, indeed, that such peaceful governments will not be countenanced or dealt with by the Government of the United States. We are the friends of constitutional government in America; we are more than its friends; we are its champions; because in no other way can our neighbors, to whom we would wish in every way to make proof of our friendship, work out their own development in peace and liberty. Mexico has no government.

The attempt to maintain one at the city of Mexico has broken down, and a mere military despotism has been set up, which has hardly more than the semblance of national authority. It originated in the usurpation of Victoriano Huerta, who, after a brief attempt to play the part of constitutional president, has at last cast aside even the pretense of legal right and declared himself dictator.

As a consequence, a condition of affairs now exists in Mexico which has made it doubtful whether even the most elementary and fundamental rights either of her own people or of the citizens of other countries resident within her territory can long be successfully safeguarded, and which threatens, if long continued, to imperil the interests of peace, order and tolerable life in the lands immediately to the south of us.

Even if the usurper had succeeded in his purposes, in despite of the constitution of the republic, and the rights of its people, he would have set up nothing but a precarious and hateful power, which could have lasted but a little while, and whose eventual downfall would have left the country in a more deplorable condition than ever. But he has not succeeded. He has forfeited the respect and the moral support even of those who were at one time willing to see him succeed. Little by little he has been completely isolated. By a little every day his power and prestige are crumbling and the collapse is not far away. We shall not, I believe, be obliged to alter our policy of watchful waiting. And then, when the end comes, we shall hope to see constitutional order restored in distressed Mexico by the concert and energy of such of her leaders as prefer the liberty of their people to their own ambitions.

The Currency Bill.

I turn to matters of domestic concern. You already have under consideration a bill for the reform of our system of banking and currency, for which the country waits with im-

patience, as for something fundamental to its whole business life and necessary to set credit free from arbitrary and artificial restraints. I need not say how earnestly I hope for its early enactment into law. I take leave to say that the whole energy and attention of the Senate be concentrated upon it till the matter is successfully disposed of. And yet I feel that the request is not needed; that the members of that great House need no urging in this service to the country.

Help Farmers.

I present to you, in addition, the urgent necessity that special provision be made for our agriculturists and the credits needed by the farmers of the country. The pending currency bill does the farmers a great service. It puts them upon an equal footing with other business men and masters of enterprise, as it should; and upon its passage they will find themselves quit of many of the difficulties which now hamper them in the field of credit. The farmers of the country should be given no special privilege, such as extending to them the credit of the Government itself. What they need and should obtain is legislation which will make their own abundant and substantial credit resources available as a foundation for joint, concerted local action in their own behalf in getting the capital they must use. It is to this we should now address ourselves.

Are Lagging Behind.

It has, singularly enough, come to pass that we have allowed the industry of our farms to lag behind the other activities of the country in its development. I need not stop to tell you how fundamental to the life of the nation is the production of food. Our thoughts may ordinarily be concentrated upon the cities and the hives of industry, upon the cries of the crowded market place and the clangor of the factory, but it is from the quiet interspaces of the open valleys and the free hill-sides that we draw the sources of life and of prosperity, from the farm and the ranch, from the forest and the mine. Without these every street would be silent, every office deserted, every factory fallen into disrepair. And yet the farmer does not stand upon the same footing with the forester and the miner in the market of credit. He is the servant of the seasons. Nature determines how long he must wait for his crops, and will not be hurried in her processes. He may give his note, but the season of the market where his products are sold, is not known in the broker's office or as familiarly known as it might be on the counter of the banker.

Assist Agriculture.

The agricultural department of the Government is seeking to assist as never before to make farming an efficient business, of wide co-operative effort, in quick response to the needs of the community. The farmers and the Government will henceforth work together as real partners in this field, where we now begin to see our way very clearly and where many intelligent plans are already being put into execution. The treasury of the United States has, by a timely and well-considered distribution of its deposits, facilitated the moving of crops and the securing of available funds too often experienced at such times. But we must allow ourselves to depend upon extraordinary expedients. We must add the means by which the farmer may make his credit constantly and easily available, and com-

mand when he will the capital by which to support and expand his business. We lag behind many other great countries of the modern world in attempting to do this. Systems of rural credit have been studied and developed on the other side of the water, while we left our farmers to shift for themselves in the ordinary money market. You have but to look about you in any rural district to see the result, the handicap and embarrassment which have been put upon those who produce our food.

Block Monopolies. Conscious of this backwardness and neglect on our part, the Congress recently authorized the creation of a special commission to study the various systems of rural credit which have been put into operation in Europe, and this commission is already prepared to report its report ought to make it easier for us to determine what methods will be best suited to our own farmers. I hope and believe that the committee of the Senate and House will address themselves to this matter with the most fruitful results, and I believe that the studies and recently-formed plans of the department of agriculture may be made to serve them very greatly in their work of framing appropriate and adequate legislation. It would be indiscreet and presumptuous if any one to dogmatize upon so great and manifold a question, but I feel confident that common counsel will produce the results we must all desire.

Turn from the farm to the world of business which centres in the city and in the factory, and I think that all thoughtful observers will agree that the immediate and important task of the business communities of the country is to prevent private monopoly more effectively than it has yet been prevented. I think it will be easily agreed that we should let the Sherman anti-trust law stand, unaltered, as it is, with its delicate and about it but that we should as much as possible reduce the area of that debatable ground for further and more exact legislation, and should also supplement that great act by legislation which will not only clearly fix but also make it fair to all concerned. No doubt we shall all wish, and the country will expect, this to be the subject of our deliberations during the present session; but it is a subject so many-sided and so important that the list of cases and discriminating discussion that I shall take the liberty of addressing you upon it in the special message at a later date than this. It is of capital importance that the businessmen of this country should be relieved of all uncertainties of law with regard to their enterprises and investments and a clear path indicated which they can travel without anxiety. It is as important that they should be relieved of embarrassment and set free to prosper so that private monopoly should be destroyed. The way of action should be thrown wide open.

Labor Questions. Three or four matters of special importance and significance I beg that you will permit me to mention in closing. Our bureau of mines ought to be equipped and empowered to render even more effective service than it renders now in improving the conditions of mine labor and making the mines more economically productive as well as more safe. This is an all-important part of the work of conservation, and the conservation of human life and energy lies even nearer to our interest than the preservation from waste of our material resources. We owe it, in mere justice to the railway employees of the country, to provide for them a fair and effective employers' liability act; and a law that we can stand by in this matter will be no less to the advantage of those who administer the railroads of the country than to the advantage of those whom they employ. The experience of a great number of the states abundantly proves that. We ought to devote ourselves to meeting pressing demands of plain justice like this as earnestly as to the accomplishment of political and economic reforms. Social justice comes first. Law is the machinery for its realization, and is vital only as it expresses and embodies it.

PHYSICIAN CLAIMS UNFAIR PROSECUTION

Dr. Craig D c'ares He Is Absolutely Innocent in Knabe Murder Case.

[Canadian Press.]

Shelbyville, Ind., Dec. 2.—Dr. Wm. B. Craig was portrayed as an innocent man, who was being unfairly prosecuted by the state, in the opening statement of the defence made by Henry N. Spaan today at the trial of the former for the murder of Dr. Helene Knabe.

Mr. Spaan denied that there was any greater intimacy than that of good friendship between Dr. Craig and Dr. Knabe. He said there was never any promise of marriage or any talk of marriage between the two.

"Dr. Knabe was a manish woman, a fighter, but she was not successful," said Mr. Spaan. "She borrowed money from her friends frequently, because she was unable to make a living at the practice of medicine, and at the time of her death she was preparing to train herself for physical culture work."

He asserted that her cousin, Dr. Augusta Knabe, knew that she was despondent because of her failure in life, and had told her friends who would be produced as a witness that she was afraid Dr. Knabe would commit suicide.

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SMALL CALENDAR IN COUNTY COURT THAT OPENS TODAY

Few Civil Actions Entered—Some Important Criminal Charges.

PROBLEM FOR THE COURT

Location of Temporary Hall For Wednesday Is Perplexing—Shrine, Court and Council Mixed.

December sessions of the peace for the County of Middlesex opened at 1 o'clock this afternoon in the Masonic Temple. Senior County Judge Talbot Macbeth presiding. The list of cases to be tried is not a particularly heavy one. Six civil actions are to be tried, but none of these involve very large sums of money. The most serious of the criminal cases is that of "Carol to Lacey," the young woman of Dorchester, who is charged with neglecting her infant child, with the intent to secure its death. The child died at first laid against the woman, but this was later reduced to the charge of neglect.

Assault Charges. George Jensen will answer to a charge of indecent assault laid by a London Township young woman, and Dan Delaney, of Caradoc, will face a charge of assault occasioning actual bodily harm preferred by a woman of that township. The other cases in the list are of minor importance. A horse deal that did not turn out profitably will be aired under the false pretences charges. William R. Aldrich, of London Township, claims that J. W. Hartnell obtained a bay mare valued at \$125 from him by representing himself to be the owner of a farm near Byron. The complainant claims that this turned out to be untrue.

"Pussy Wants a Corner." An interesting situation may possibly develop Wednesday in regard to the place of holding court. The Masonic Temple has been secured for today, but the Mystic Shrines are meeting there Wednesday, and will require the building all day. It was proposed to move the court to the county council chambers for that day, but at the meeting of the county council Monday afternoon, some of the councillors objected to this arrangement, saying that it would cause interference with the work of the council, which is sitting this week. Unless an amicable arrangement is reached today it will be a clear case of "Pussy wants a corner" Wednesday.

HELD FOR ASSAULT

Constable Is Chief Witness Against Western Miners.

[Canadian Press.] New Westminster, B. C., Dec. 2.—At the assizes yesterday the trial commenced of seven miners from Nanaimo on charges of assault and aggravated assault on Provincial Constable Harry Taylor. Taylor was the officer who had his gun and badge taken from him forcibly by miners, and who was otherwise maltreated. The chief witness against the accused man was Taylor himself.

MAY END STRIKE

[Canadian Press.] Indianapolis, Ind., Dec. 2.—A committee composed of representatives of all crafts affiliated with the Central Labor Union today began efforts to end some way in which the strike of the teamsters and chauffeurs could be ended peacefully. At a meeting of the Central Labor Union last night this committee was appointed to try to bring about a settlement of the strike.

At the close of the committee meeting, Wm. J. Beatty, president of the Central Labor Union and chairman of the committee, announced that no decision as to the plan of procedure had been reached. The status of the strike early today remained unchanged.

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RADIALS, GOOD ROADS, HYDRO, ALL BEFORE COUNTY COUNCIL

Many Important Questions Before Councillors at December Session—Move to Reorganize the County Constabulary—Resolutions of Sympathy.

Business preliminary to the important work of the county council at its December session was disposed of at the first sitting held in the county council chambers Monday afternoon. A number of important matters will be dealt with at this session, as was indicated in the remarks of Warden A. K. Hodgins, when the council convened. After welcoming the members of the council, the warden proceeded to outline some of the projects which he would like to see discussed at this session. Chief among these was the question of hydro power and radial railways. He felt sure, he said, that other counties were getting a little start of Middlesex in the matter, and that it was just because the people of this county didn't know the right way to go about starting a project of that kind. He would like to see the matter given the fullest discussion, so that all the arguments for and against it might be brought out.

Want Power Information. His remarks bore fruit later in the afternoon in a resolution introduced by Councillor C. N. Currie, of Glencoe, in which he suggested that the warden secure somebody familiar with the power situation to address the council at this session, and explain matters to them. The resolution was adopted, and the discussion will likely be brought on this afternoon. The warden also told the councillors that full reports on the court house repairs would be laid before them at this session, including a report of the architect in charge.

The question of good roads will also be taken up, and it is probable that a resolution embodying very definite ideas will be the result, as the public roads commission have asked to be allowed to meet members of the council on Dec. 16, and the council deems it desirable to have clear and definite propositions to make to them. Mr. Hodgins congratulated Reeve C. W. Hawkinson on his recovery from his late serious illness.

Councillor R. W. Jackson was appointed secretary pro tem, in the absence of Captain T. E. Robson. A number of communications were read by him, and referred to the various committees for action.

High Constable's Report. High Constable Gumb presented his annual report. It was a lengthy document and covered the year's work of the county constabulary. He was unable to present a financial statement because of the lack of system in making up accounts which he claimed existed throughout the force. His remarks along this line precipitated a warm discussion on the efficiency of the county force in general.

Councillor Rush, of Wardsville, charged that two-thirds of the county constables are never on hand when they are wanted, and that the men who are paid a stipulated amount each receive only the customary fees for each arrest. He knew cases, he said, where these men had refused to move without their pay. C. W. Hawkinson referred to the recent action of York county council, in dismissing its whole county force, if York county council had that power, he did not see why the Middlesex council should not exercise the same power if the force was found to be inefficient.

Would Reorganize Force. John McGugan thought that the high constable should be resident in London, and a sufficient salary granted him to enable him to take up his residence here. "We should consider a reorganization of the county force and see if we can get more efficient service," he said.

Furniture As Christmas Presents

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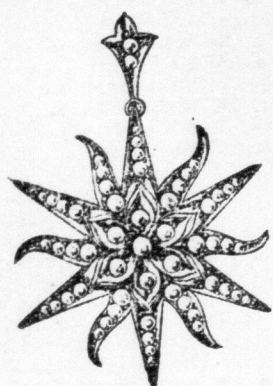
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Successful Sale.—A successful sale of work was held by the Rectory Street Mothers' Club for the purpose of equipping the playgrounds. The proceeds amounted to \$40.
Flag of England Concert.—The Flag of England concert will be given tonight in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church. A special chorus, numbering over one hundred voices, being the combined choirs of St. Andrew's and Centennial Churches, with others, under the direction of Mr. Charles E. Wheeler, will render this grand patriotic work in addition to a program of miscellaneous numbers.

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FRATERNAL VISIT

St. John's A. V. P. A. Visited St. James' Branch, South London.
St. John's branch of the Anglican Young People's Association, were the guests of St. James' branch on Monday evening, and a pleasant gathering resulted. Mr. H. W. Lyons, B.A., secretary of the Men's Federation, addressed the young people on some phases of the work which the federation is attempting to accomplish in London. He dealt particularly with some of the problems presented by the immigrants from foreign countries who are coming here. It was difficult, he said, to arouse interest in these people among the citizens generally, but this was being largely

overcome, and the outlook for the future was much brighter.
A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Lyons for his splendid address.
Following the address, a social half-hour was spent during which refreshments were served by the ladies of St. James' branch. Miss Clara Rowlands delighted the gathering with two excellent vocal numbers.

SCOTCH CONCERT PLEASURES

Entertainment in Knollwood Presbyterian Church Voted a
The concert given at Knollwood Park Presbyterian Church on Monday evening was advertised as a Scotch concert, and contained just enough

Scotch to keep everybody in good humor. The program was a most excellent one throughout, and the large audience was greatly pleased with every number.
Rev. P. E. Nichol was chairman, and Mr. F. L. Wilgoose, organist of New St. James' Church, acted as accompanist. The program was: Solo, Mr. Frank Webster; recitation, Miss L. M. Plewes; solo, Miss Myrtle Hicks; reading, Mr. Thos. Alexander; quartette, Misses Decker, Tolfer, McKenzie and McCrimmon; solo, Mr. Sawyer; solo, Miss Hayes; violin solo, Mrs. Grant-Harris; solo, Mr. Elmer Haynes; Scotch songs, Master Alan Tagg; solo, Miss Clark; solo, Mr. Taylor; solo, Mr. Forbes.

Sale Closes

Our Removal Sale closes Saturday, Dec. 6. It has been a great sale. We offered remarkable inducements, so that we might have a large sum of money at its close. We have already almost realized what we needed. Thousands are pleased with the sale—so are we. This will be a great week's selling. It is not necessary to again emphasize this chance for you. Everyone knows what goods from Diamond Hall mean—THEY ARE ALWAYS THE BEST; at one-fifth off they are better than the best. See our windows this week for SPECIAL PRICES ON WATCHES AND DIAMOND RINGS especially. OUR TWO STORES WILL BE OPEN ON WEDNESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY AND SATURDAY EVENINGS of this week to give every one a fair chance for great jewelry bargains.

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Walter Gordon Craig, of Toronto, Presents "Macbeth."

Shakespeare's "Macbeth" was the subject of a lecture-recital by Walter Gordon Craig, of Toronto, in St. Andrew's Hall Monday night under the auspices of St. Andrew's Young People's Guild.
In an entertaining manner Mr. Craig presented the play, reciting in a fine elocutionary, yet unaffected and natural manner, leading passages from it, and connecting each with the succeeding one by a simple and pleasing explanation of the intervening scenes.

"Macbeth," he said, was one of the most fascinating plays of Shakespeare. He spoke of the "sombre grandeur pervading it," and characterized Macbeth as being generous, honest and fair, but with some latent weakness in his character, which made him listen to the counsels of Lady Macbeth, who, keenly ambitious, deliberately strangles her conscience that she might murder the king.
Rev. H. McFarlane presided at the recital.

COURT PRIDE'S ELECTION

A. O. F. Lodge Holds Annual Meeting on Monday.

The annual meeting of Court Pride of the Dominion, Ancient Order of Foresters, was held Monday night, when the following officers were elected:

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"E" COMPANY CONCERT

Members of Seventh Regiment Have Weekly Entertainment.

"E" company of the Seventh Regiment gave a splendid concert last evening in the Armories before a record crowd. The concert given under the auspices of the several companies of the regiment are meeting with increasing popularity. The men of the company are proficient entertainers, and rounds of applause followed each number.
Previous to the intermission, Captain T. J. Murphy delivered a patriotic speech in which he exhorted the soldiers to follow in the service of the Empire, and to serve faithfully the flag which was theirs by right of birth.
Interpersed with the numbers on the program were pleasing Victrola selections.

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M'CARTHY-BOLAND

Pretty Wedding at Sacred Heart Church in Parkhill.

A very pretty wedding was solemnized in the Church of the Sacred Heart, Parkhill, on Wednesday, when Miss Anna Boland became the bride of Mr. Joseph McCarthy. Rev. Father O'Neill officiated. The bride, who is the youngest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Boland, was attired in white satin with pearl trimmings, with a wedding hat of white satin velour, and carried a bridal bouquet of white chrysanthemums. Miss Anna McNelis, of London, who was bridesmaid, wore a dress of pink satin, with over drapery of corded pink nylon and black marabout trimmings and carried pink chrysanthemums. The groom was supported by his brother, Mr. J. McCarthy. For travelling the bride wore a navy blue suit and navy blue hat with lighter blue ostrich trimmings.
Mr. and Mrs. McCarthy left on the afternoon train for Stratford and Toronto. Upon their return the young couple will reside in McGillivray.

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