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## CLAIMS TAX ON HYDRO IS REASONABLE

Farmers' Side of the Case Is Presented by F. M. Chapman.

The bill which was introduced in the Ontario Legislature this week embodying the main feature of the Lethbridge report on hydro distribution, and justifying a tax on power is discussed at some length in Farmers' Magazine this week by Editor F. M. Chapman as follows:

"The natural resources of Ontario should be utilized for the benefit of all the people of the province. The province has an equal right to secure a reasonable revenue from its water powers as it has from its minerals or its forests."

This simple dictum, laid down by the special committee appointed by the legislature to inquire into the operations of the distributing system used by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission, would seem to most reasonable men to be an almost unassailable and eminently sound doctrine. Yet, strange as it may seem, there are those who object most emphatically against the logical application of the principle into practical business. In other words, a strange and almost startling counter-doctrine is promulgated in its stead. The doctrine that the power belongs to those who can pay for the transmission and production from the tax free, rent free, provincially-owned water is vehemently argued by the beneficiaries of this gift. In other words, this theory is the old economic heresy of force, where might is right and the devil must take the hindmost.

Not So Willing.

Fortunately, in modern practical political economy the hindmost are not so content to be captured by this satanic fatalism. Ontario has, in a corporate capacity and by her own guarantee, constructed a big publicly-owned project of immense value, that is giving an inestimable service to the people. Particularly to those who have been fortunate enough to come inside the proximity circle of its beneficent operations. Naturally those municipalities stood to benefit most which lay adjacent to the big power projects or along the path of the high tension lines to the big cities of Toronto and Hamilton. These places have been securing power at a low cost, running as low as \$14.50 in the city of Toronto, and affording tremendous savings to the users of power, as well as of residential heat and light.

Seriously Handicapped.

Cities, towns, villages and farmers farthest inland or outside the zone, are seriously handicapped in the matter of electric service, not only in the matter of rates, but in the actual supply of any power at all. This situation, and the apparent injustices of the case, have been published persistently by Farmers' Magazine from time to time. Public opinion was so generally concerned over the prohibitive rates being quoted by the hydro commission, as well as by the dilatoriness of the commission to make any real effort to carry their power lines to other points, that the legislature appointed a commission, consisting of Messrs. J. G. Lethbridge and W. H. Casselman, U. F. O. members for Middlesex and Dundas Counties respectively, with J. R. Cooke, Conservative member for Hastings; John O'Neill, a Liberal member for Toronto, and F. H. Greenlaw, Labor representative from

St. Catharines, to inquire into the whole situation of hydro distribution.

Not Yet Discussed.

These men spent conscientious time on the inquiry, and brought in an exhaustive report, which has been printed for some time, but which report has not been discussed fully in the legislature.

Now, at the closing hours of a long session, a bill is being introduced which will embody the principles laid down in this report, although the conclusions and recommendations may not all be accepted. But the principle of the tax must be accepted.

Briefly, this commission proposed a \$2 per horsepower tax on all power produced by the provincial water powers, this tax to go into a fund to be used for the extension of hydro transmission lines into the municipalities claiming for the privileges. These proposals were:

Small Cities and Towns Helped.

1. Where the cost of power supplied to any municipality or power zone is in excess of \$30 per horsepower per year, and the distributing system is owned and operated by the municipality or local commission or supplied by the Hydro-Electric Power Commission of Ontario, then the minister of power may authorize to be paid, out of the revenues of the province, to the commission of such municipality or power zone, a sum equal to 50 per cent of the additional cost in excess of \$30 per horsepower; but that the maximum amount of assistance by the province to any such commission shall not exceed an excess of \$25 per horsepower per year.

2. When power is supplied to the agricultural industries under the conditions outlined in Clause 1, then the minister of power may give further assistance by granting to the local commission of the municipality or power zone a sum sufficient to meet 80 per cent of the cost of the transmission and distribution of power for the cost of building and maintaining in rural districts the low tension transmission lines that are necessary for rural distribution, but that such assistance shall not exceed 50 per cent of the revenue derived from power rentals, and that one of the conditions upon which such assistance may be given is that there must be an improvement in the transmission line in all rural districts served.

Such proposals at once inflamed the particular beneficiaries of cheap power, who began to argue, in ward politics fashion, against any tax being placed on power. They urged the rather specious doctrine that the cities using the cheap power were being taxed in favor of the farmers.

Wrong Arguments.

Such, indeed, was a most fallacious argument, if not a malicious and misleading one.

It is misleading because Sir Adam Beck, in his own report, showed that the principle of the tax was established long ago, because a tax of 50 cents per horsepower was embodied in nearly all the hydro contracts, although, strange to say, very little of this money has ever been paid into the provincial treasury.

It is said there is some \$600,000 in the province in this regard. Further, it is misleading because all the water powers have been paying rentals to the province when leased by private companies. The Dominion Power and Transmission Company generate 42,100-horsepower at DeCew Falls and pay \$30,000, or over 75 cents per horsepower to the Dominion Government. Other water powers under crown lease in Ontario show a rental charge from 25 cents to \$1 per horsepower.

It is a malicious argument because it seeks to play upon the emotions and the prejudices against small ones, and asserts that the province is seeking to tax these urban users for some value they do not get.

Refuted by Facts.

Any such argument is absolutely refuted by a reference to the facts of the case. Indeed, it shows, as in many other cases which reveal similar errors,

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For Ontario has spent to date \$1,700,000 for the hydro commission, not one dollar of which has been returned or charged against the commission.

Further, Ontario guaranteed all the commission's bonds, which enabled money to be obtained at a low rate, a saving of at least 1 per cent, or a total of over one million dollars to the users of hydro power, reckoning the hydro investments at only one hundred millions.

Further, the credit of the Province of Ontario is the only thing behind the whole big expenditure upon the Chippewa project, which is near completion and concerning the success of which all kinds of rumors are afloat.

What Would Happen?

Let us suppose that this big ditch fails to develop the power expected. Should the lessened power production be charged with the overhead of the whole cost by having it written off in the service charges over a series of years? Would our friends who argue that they are paying the whole costs of hydro power so willing to follow up their logic to that extent? Undoubtedly the province is bearing, and is bound to bear, a big proportion of these costs without hope of final redemption.

Therefore the specious reasoning of special beneficiaries fails to the ground. Justification is, on the same division, given to the non-users for their contention of a tax that will help to defray the costs of hydro extension into those parts where costs are prohibitive.

Sir Adam Beck inferentially agrees to the justice of the claim when he advocated as he did, and to which Farmers' Magazine entered a serious protest in its March 31 issue, that the farmers be granted a quarter of a million from the consolidated revenue funds for this purpose.

We condemned the proposal because it placed the farmers in the position of beggars, and it apparently, for a purpose, drew a herring across the trail. In that this proposal sought to make it out that it was only the farmers and not the urban people who were objecting to the present methods. Quite the contrary prevails, for over 72 per cent of the urban centres, the smaller cities, the town and the villages will stand to gain, and that of a right, not by grace.

## NOT MUCH CHANCE OF OVAL AT QUEEN'S PARK BEING USED BY ATHLETES

Western Fair Board Has Stringent Rules Governing Use of Grounds.

Alderman George Wenige believes that the oval encircled by the race track in the Western Fair grounds should be turned into an athletic grounds. He brought in a motion to this effect before No. 1 committee of the city council at a meeting on Wednesday, but also claiming for the privileges. These proposals were:

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# SATURDAY--Last Day of Month--Brings Great Sale Events

The many sales for tomorrow, and the prices listed have not been equalled for a long time. This is the turning point of the spring season with us, and the many opportunities offered will be appreciated by early shoppers Saturday.



## Clearing of Street Dresses, \$14.50

A group of 50 dresses, odd lines, picked from the racks where sizes are broken, one or two of a line, comprising fine Wool Serges, Jersey and Tricotine, in colors of navy, brown and black. All sizes in the lot collectively, not every size in each style, but a good selection in each size. See these early. Sale price ..... \$14.50

## Interesting Specials in Linen Section

Saturday specials this week are particularly interesting. The values are most attractive, and all numbers on sale are needed merchandise, marked at a great reduction in prices. Shop early and secure best selections, as quantities are limited.

LARGE SIZE GLASS AND TEA TOWELS, 25c EACH.

You have not had an opportunity in many seasons to buy a good size useful towel for as low a figure as featured here Saturday. Fifty dozen in the lot. Red and blue check, also typed kitchen. Size 21x31 inches. Special ..... 25c each

IRISH EMBROIDERED PILLOWSLIPS, 98c EACH.

Lovely quality linen finished cloth, with good embroidery and hemstitch edge. These are wonderful value at a big saving. Very special ..... 98c each

ROLLER TOWELS, 49c EACH.

Washed finish, ready to use, absolutely free from filling. Another lot for Saturday, 10 dozen only. Fine quality cotton, red border. Very special ..... 49c each

2 YARDS WIDE TABLE DAMASK, \$1.98 YARD

Grouped for Saturday only at one-third off to nearly half price. 68 and 72-inch fine Irish and Scotch mercerized damask. Your choice of any number in stock, for one day only, at this price. Very special ..... \$1.98 per yard

## At Toilet Counter

Lifebuoy Soap, Price.....3 for 25c

Palmolive Soap, Price.....3 for 25c

Oriental Bath Tablet, Price.....2 for 25c

Pond's Vanishing Cream, in jars or tubes, Price.....50c

Pond's Cold Cream, in jars or tubes, Price.....50c

Powder Puffs, in all sizes, in colors flesh or white, ranging from ..... 10c to 30c each

—MAIN FLOOR—

## Laundry Soaps

GOLD, P. & G. SUNLIGHT

12 cakes for ..... \$1.00

6 cakes for ..... 50c

—BASEMENT—

## NOVELTY BAG FRAMES

The newest Novelty Bag Frames are now shown in many shapes and colors. A smart bag can be easily made from these. We are now displaying some of these styles made up, showing the effect.

Metal Purse Frames, with the new bracelet handle, which comes in round or oval, having mirror in the top. Prices ..... \$2.50 and \$3.50 each

These also come in similar style with chain handle. Prices ..... \$1.75, \$2.50 and \$3.00

An Oxidized or Green Gold Metal Frame that widens out to make the bag more roomy, with chain or bracelet handle. These are priced at ..... \$2.50

Metal Purse Frames in oxidized only. Special ..... 75c

Metal Purse Frames in Oxidized or Green Gold, to open square. Sale price ..... 50c

Celluloid Purse Frames in Shell and Grey, with metal clasp and chain. Price ..... \$1.50

The very smart Honey-Dew Bag Frames, in all the newest shades. These are also celluloid, having a mirror set in top. Price ..... \$1.50

Heavy Quality Celluloid Frames, with handle to match. Price inches ..... 25c yard

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# SALE OF BOYS' SUITS \$9.95 SATURDAY

One hundred Boys' Suits on sale Saturday morning at \$9.95. These Suits are an exceptional value at this price. Wool tweeds that will stand the hardest kind of wear. Smart new models. Mothers should take advantage of this sale tomorrow. It affords an unusual opportunity to save much on the boy's summer suit. Be sure and see these. For boys \$9.95 7 to 18 years. Sale price .....

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## GABARDINES

Single and Double-Breasted Models, with or without belts. Raglan or set-in shoulders. Medium, light and dark tan shades. Sizes 34 to 44.

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PUBLICITY STOPS DOG  
POISONING ON WILSON AVE.

Humane Society Offers Reward for the Conviction of Miscreants.

Publicity given by The Advertiser has stopped the dog poisoning which was rampant on Wilson Avenue, West London, a few days ago. Inspector George Tustin reported today. A close watch is being kept on the district to see that there are no further cases of this kind. The Humane Society, at its meeting last night, offered a reward for information which would lead to the conviction of persons poisoning the dogs.

During the past month 314 cases were dealt with by the society, and it was found necessary to destroy 124 animals. Some of these were dogs and cats which had not received proper care from their owners and had contracted diseases.

PARTY OF IMMIGRANTS  
EXPECTED ON MONDAY

Many Applications From Farmers for Services of These Men.

John Farrell, of the London office of the Ontario Immigration Department, has received a telegram announcing that the steamer Canada is expected to arrive at Quebec on Saturday evening with a large number of agricultural immigrants on board, having been detained owing to weather and other causes. The immigrants, who are bound for Western Ontario, are expected to arrive on Sunday evening or Monday morning, and will then be ready for distribution to the various farmers in the district who are applying for their service.

Mr. Farrell has received a good many applications for these men, and is busy in fixing up the different engagements.

THE BEST SHOES for the price  
—and the price is right.  
—COOK'S SHOE STORE

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Delightful Charm  
to the Home

OUR SPECIAL WEEK-END FLOWER OFFERINGS  
INVITE YOUR INSPECTION.

ROSES, \$1.00 and \$1.50 DAFFODILS, \$1.00 per dozen.

SWEET PEAS, \$1.00 per bunch of two dozen.

Choice Assortment of All the Seasonable Flowers.

TIME TO PLANT ROSE BUSHES AND SHRUBS.

We have twenty of the best varieties in Hybrid Teas, and a large assortment of Garden and Lawn Shrubs to choose from.

Remember Mothers' Day  
Falls on May 8

A WEEK FROM NEXT SUNDAY.

Let us have your Flower Orders you wish Telegraphed to Mother



"COWAN'S"

Friday and Saturday  
Specials

Look over the following list of hardware articles and see what you need. The following list of articles are real money-savers.

HAMMERS.		
Light 23c	Medium 33c	Heavy 49c
Just the article to have around the house during housecleaning.		
CLIMAX WALL PAPER CLEANER		
Don't re-paper the walls. Use "Climax" Cleaner. Makes the walls like new. 25c per tin		
FLOOR WAX.		
Old English, 40c, 85c tin Johnston's, \$1.00 tin Leading Floor Polishes in Canada.		
LEMON SQUEEZERS		
Made from heavy metal. Can't wear out. The kitchen is incomplete without one of these. 39c each		
JAR OPENERS		
Guaranteed to open any size jar. The most handy article in the kitchen. Each 23c		
CARPET BEATERS		
Heavy three-strand wire handle, reinforced with wire ring to end. 25c		
TINNERS' SNIPS.		
Heavy, highly-polished steel blade a handy, useful article. 49c per pair		
SILVERWARE.		
A few odd pieces at cost prices:		
Butter Knives	40c	
Sugar Shells	49c	
Cream Ladles	49c	
Soup Spoons	49c	
Table Spoons	49c	

## JAP-A-LAC Demonstration This Week

COWAN'S  
COLOSSAL HARDWAREBRICKLAYERS REFUSE  
TO ACCEPT ANY CUT  
IN PRESENT WAGE

Mason Contractors Suggest Reduction of 10 Cents an Hour.

Bricklayers in this city refused to accept a cut of ten cents an hour in their wages when this suggestion was made to them by the local mason contractors at a conference on Wednesday night last. The masons are now receiving \$1 an hour, the rate fixed by a wage agreement made at the first of the year.

The contractors claimed that if the men would work for 90 cents an hour they would be given the building trade, benefiting both the men and the employers. It was said that the high rate of pay was a barrier to considerable building operations which were being held up by the high cost of construction work.

The men in their turn claimed that it was not the high cost of labor which delayed building operations, but the high cost of materials generally. They argued that the wages paid in London are not as high as the scale paid in several other Canadian cities. They believed that any reduction in wages would have a detrimental effect on the trade in London for many of the younger men would be tempted to leave the city.

APPROVE OF MODEL  
TOWNS AND VILLAGES  
FOR RETURNED MEN

Local Veterans May Pass a Resolution at the Next G. W. V. A. Meeting.

The scheme brought before the committee on soldiers' re-establishment of the Federal Government, that model towns and villages for returned soldiers similar to those in England, be built in Canada, has met with the approval of local veterans. The suggestion was brought up by H. M. Mowatt, member for Parkdale, Toronto, on Thursday. It is the opinion of local veterans that it is quite possible that a good housing both in city and country.

"A number of returned men in London would take up farming if proper housing could be had," said Secretary J. W. Cunliffe, of the local branch of the G. W. V. A. "There are numerous immigrants come to this district to farm, but when they see housing is not provided they stay in the city."

It is quite possible that at the next regular meeting of the G. W. V. A. a resolution will be drawn up asking that the scheme be put in effect.

**City Briefs**  
ISSUE WRIT.—William Scott & Son, through their solicitor, W. C. Fitzgerald, have issued a writ in the court against J. C. Fletcher for \$688.30 for material and labor and for plastering four cottages.

**DELEGATE TO CONVENTION.**—Harry Wray, of the Ontario Government employment bureau, will be a delegate at the annual convention of the Social Service Council, which opens at Peterboro on Monday, May 1.

**WATCHMAN AT JAIL.**—Arthur Bowring has been appointed night watchman at the jail to replace James Sprout who is ill in the hospital and not expected to return to the institution's employ. The new watchman will begin his duties tonight.

**ONE MORE DAY.**—Only one more day remains for the payment of income tax. Those who do not file their returns tomorrow and produce the necessary installment will incur the penalty of the law. Today has been one of the busiest since the period of payments began.

**NO WORD YET.**—No word of the resignation of James Brown, county game warden, which was ordered by Judge Talbot March a few days ago, has been received by the county authorities. If the resignation is not forthcoming by Saturday Brown will be dismissed, Deputy Sheriff B. F. Watkinson stated today.

**TENDERS CALLED.**—Tenders for a new roof for the agriculture and horticulture building in the Western Fair grounds have been called for with a time limit of one week from this Saturday. The new covering is of asphalt, but it is not decided yet whether it will be in the form of shingles or strips.

**SPECIAL FEATURES.**—The membership committee of the Y. M. C. A. is planning special features for the summer months for business boys. It is understood that a new tennis course has been secured, and a league will be formed. Some special indoor summer games have been provided. A meeting will be held shortly to consider further plans.

**KIWANIANS MEET TONIGHT.**—This evening London Kiwanians are to have a special meeting in the Tecumseh House, where a special feature of which will be an address by O. Samuel Cummings, international secretary of Kiwanis. This will be the first occasion Mr. Cummings has addressed a Kiwanis Club in Canada. Twenty-five Kiwanians will be present from Toronto, over 60 from St. Thomas and other delegates from Hamilton, Brantford and Ingersoll.

**NEAT BOOKLET.**—Through the office of John Farrell of the department of immigration and colonization there has been issued a neatly gotten up booklet on "Opportunities in Ontario." This publication is designed to meet the needs of those who may be seeking information regarding the province. A concise and complete booklet is contained therein is bound to be of great value to investors and homeseekers who have this part of Canada in view. A similar compilation regarding Northern Ontario has also been distributed.

**BRADSTREET'S REPORT.**—London reports to Bradstreet's say that there is not much change in the local business situation, wholesale trade being steady, while retail trade shows fair activity. Industry is still somewhat irregular, although showing a better tone. Wet weather is holding back seeding in certain districts. The heavier soils naturally have suffered most in this regard, while the sandy parts have seen work completed. In some cases it is feared seeding will have to be done over again. Fall wheat looks well and spring wheat, where conditions have been favorable, is showing above ground. Pasture and fruit look well. Collections are still only fair.

AIRMEN COMPLETE  
SURVEY OF CITY;  
LEAVE FOR OTTAWA

Atmosphere Unusually Clear Thursday, Making Work Easier.

Capt. H. L. Holland of the operations branch, Canadian Air Board, and his colleague, Lieut. Owen, air photographer, returned to Ottawa this morning, after having completed their aerial survey of the city of London. It was at first expected that this operation would take several days, but the weather conditions on Thursday were of such an ideal nature that practically all of the photographs necessary for the making up of the mosaic map of the city were successfully secured.

The atmosphere was unusually clear, although that cloud hung low, and no time was lost in carrying out the survey. The bank of clouds was only about 5,000 feet above the earth, so that it was unnecessary for the airmen to fly at a large number of altitudes, which was possible to carry on the work.

The operations of the aerial photographers attracted a considerable amount of attention in the city, and the movements of their aeroplanes as they circled around in close proximity to the clouds excited the utmost interest.

Ottawa is 280 miles from this city, and under favorable conditions it was expected that the return flight might be accomplished in little over two hours, but the visibility being low on account of the wet weather, this rate of speed could not be attained.

This is the first time within the history of the city that a survey of this kind has been made, and the result of the experiment in combining aerial work with land surveying is likely to prove interesting.

VICTORIA SCHOOL PLANS  
WILL BE GIVEN FINAL  
CONSIDERATION TODAY

Number 2 Committee, Board of Education, Meets This Afternoon.

Plans for the new Victoria School will be given final consideration by No. 2 committee of the board of education this afternoon. They will then be referred to the board, which holds its regular meeting Tuesday. It is probable that the committee will be given authority to call for tenders.

Members of the committee will have an opportunity to make a careful examination of every detail of the plans before passing them on to the board. The structure will entirely replace the present Victoria School. Last year the board considered making additions to the old buildings, but when tenders were called it was found that that would cost too much for the slight improvement it would make, and it was decided to erect an entirely new building.

It is estimated that this can be done for \$185,000, a sum which is well within the city's means. As soon as it is completed and ready for occupation, it is likely that the old school will be torn down, and the space which it occupied included in the playground of the new school.

EXCELLENT CONCERT AT  
FIRST CONGREGATIONAL

Under the auspices of the men of the First Congregational Church, an excellent concert was given there on Thursday evening. The Harmonic Quartet, Mr. Walmsley and Miss Stella Doan, rendered, furnished the program.

Rev. Matthew Kelly presided, and spoke briefly prior to the concert. All the artists were well received, and every number on the program was thoroughly enjoyed. C. Pink Percy King, Percy Roberts and Fred Dowling comprised the quartet, and Mrs. Percy King acted as accompanist.

LEAMINGTON RECTOR ON  
HIGH SCHOOL BOARD

Rev. A. Kinder Fills Vacancy Created by Removal of L. J. Wright.

Leamington, April 29.—Rev. A. Kinder, rector of St. John's Anglican Church, here, has been appointed to fill the vacancy on the high school board caused by the removal of L. J. Wright to Toronto.

Thomas McCormick is in a critical condition at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Lord of Ruthven, following a paralytic stroke. He is 90 years old.

At a well-attended meeting held in the town hall, a tennis club was organized with the following officers: Honorary president, Rev. W. F. McConnell; president, B. W. Cox, secretary-treasurer, Charles W. Campbell; executive, R. P. Donald, Dr. E. W. C. Landon, W. C. McSweeney, Dr. R. D. Sloan; grounds committee, Dr. Turnbull, J. W. McKinnon, G. A. Campbell, Dr. Sloan, Ray McSweeney, W. C. Landon; canvassing committee, Ray McSweeney, Chas. W. Campbell, Dr. E. W. C. Landon, Miss Marie Prosser, Miss B. Moss, Miss E. Kerr.

The engagement is announced of Miss Margery T. Fleming, youngest daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Fleming of the Ridge, to Mr. Elmer Whitney, son of J. C. Whitney of Essex. The marriage will take place in May.

A quiet wedding was solemnized at the Baptist parsonage on Wednesday evening, when Miss Mary J. McCombs became the bride of Thomas A. Noble. Both young people are from Ruthven.

**DAVID BAINARD.**—David Bainard of Lambeth died at his home there on Thursday in his 50th year. His widow, two sons, Edward of this city and Charles of North Yorkmouth survive him. The funeral will be held on Saturday at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in Glanworth Cemetery.

If you have any article for sale that you want to dispose of very quickly use an advertisement in The London Advertiser. If you lose your shopping bag or pocketbook try an advertisement in The London Advertiser. This column is looked at by all The Advertiser subscribers. The rate is 2c per word each week.

APPOINT DELEGATES  
TO SOCIAL SERVICE  
COUNCIL CONVENTION

London Members Also Approve of Proposed Organization to Combat Venereal Diseases.

At a meeting of the Social Service Council held Thursday night in the Y. M. C. A., a resolution was passed supporting the proposed organization for combating venereal diseases as follows: "That the Social Service Council of London express its pleasure at the prospects of organization of a council for combating venereal diseases, and pledges its hearty support to such an organization." Dr. W. H. Hill introduced the subject, and has also been instrumental in getting such an organization started.

The following were appointed delegates to the annual convention of the Ontario Social Service Council to be held in Peterboro on May 8, 9, 10: Rev. D. C. MacGregor, James Gray, president of the local council; Rev. M. Kelly, Rev. Dean L. N. Tucker, Rev. R. G. Paever, Harry Wray, W. E. Kelly and Rev. T. D. McCullough.

Rev. T. D. McCullough, the secretary, gave a report on the progress of the social survey, which was held in the latter part of last year. Mr. McCullough stated that after the industrial relations committee had turned in their report, the matter would be compiled and printed in pamphlet form for the use of the general public, giving them interesting information regarding the city.

AUTOISTS IN POLICE  
COURT WITH ALIBIS

Three Get By With Excuses, But One Man Fined \$3.

J. J. Gilmour appeared in police court this morning because he failed to have three lighted lamps on a parked car after dusk and before dawn a few nights ago, and was fined \$3 and costs. He claimed that the same consideration should have been shown him as was shown other motorists. Others had been warned when their lights were out, but he had not been notified at the time. As the case had been adjourned three times, the court thought that the defendant had been shown considerable consideration.

William Abell drove a car about the streets without 1921 markers. He pleaded that he was going to get them and rather than walk had driven his car, but had 1920 markers on it. He was ordered to go after he had paid the cost of the new markers. Earl Lounsbury, charged with a similar offence, was dismissed when he explained that he had lost his markers on the road between Lucan and London.

Allen Hopper was allowed to go because he had been summoned to court by mistake. His car did not bear the number that the officer had recorded in his book. Another man who was charged with the offence of not having the number that the police obtained will face the magistrate in a few days.

BRANTFORD RESOLUTION  
IS "RATHER RIDICULOUS,"  
SAYS REV. McCULLOUGH

First Congregational Church of Telephone City Wants "Drys" to Dispose of Their Stocks.

The congregation of the First Congregational Church at Brantford passed a resolution at a meeting on Thursday night that all the members "to be free from the taint of alcohol dispose of any alcoholic beverage they may have in their cellars, and send it to the hospital, sanatorium or institutions."

Rev. T. D. McCullough, who was secretary of the London Prohibition Association, stated that in connection with London he did not think that any who were members of the church should be hypocrites to the extent that they would vote dry, and yet have a store of liquor in their cellars to amount to anything, and looked upon such a resolution as "rather ridiculous."

CALL TO DUTY STRONG  
IN SERGEANT TOM FISH

Working in Garden When Drunk Hove Into View—Arrest Follows.

Benjamin McKaig pleaded guilty in police court this morning to obstructing a police officer in the discharge of his duties, but was allowed to go with a warning when he stated that he did not know that the complainant was an officer.

McKaig's son, who pleaded guilty to being intoxicated and was fined \$10 and costs, was walking past the house of Sgt. Thomas Fish when he was arrested. The officer was working in his garden when he saw the prisoner, and went out to the street and apprehended him. The father interfered and so was summoned to court. He said he had no intention of committing an offence, for he had known that Sgt. Fish was an officer he would not have bothered him.

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY SYSTEM  
TIMETABLE CHANGES

SUNDAY, MAY 1, 1921.  
Commencing Monday, May 2, train now leaving London 12:30 p.m. daily except Sunday for Toronto and principal intermediate stations, will leave London at 12:25 p.m., arriving Toronto 4:55 p.m., same as at present.

Commencing Monday, May 2, train No. 75 will leave London 6:30 a.m. daily except Sunday, arriving Glenside 7:25 a.m., instead of 7:30 a.m., as at present. Apl 25, 27, 28, 29, 30.

## I. D. B.

Illicit Diamond Buying in South Africa.

It is a crime to dispose of or acquire a Diamond unless licensed to do so. Exchanging of Diamonds in any way without a license is liable to 15 years' imprisonment. This is to safeguard the miners. It is no wonder they guard South African Diamonds, as they are becoming more valuable all the time, especially the blue white Perfect Diamonds sold by John A. Nash, My Jeweler. His store is 182 Dundas street. "Where you will eventually buy."

If you have any article for sale that you want to dispose of very quickly use an advertisement in The London Advertiser.

INTERESTING TALK  
ON WORK OF SUNDAY  
SCHOOL TEACHERS

Sunday School Exists to Instruct in Righteousness, Says Rev. Mr. Clarke.

Two very instructive and interesting lectures, one by Rev. A. L. G. Clarke, and the other by Lieut.-Col. W. J. Brown, constituted a treat for those who attended the annual meeting of the East Middlesex Deane Sunday School Association in Christ Church last night.

"The Sunday School exists to instruct in righteousness," said Rev. Mr. Clarke, discussing the subject. "How can we make our Sunday school teaching effective? It aims more at moral training than intellectual training." Love of work, love of the child, and love of Christ were the requisites of a good teacher.

He urged that a teacher not only prepare the lesson from week to week, but learn the whole scope of the work for the year, in order that a broader view of the work might be obtained.

A reference library is very necessary in a Sunday school, he stated, and added that a good dictionary and handbook on the life of Christ should be on its shelves.

**Child Study Difficult.**  
Dealing with the child material was a very hard matter. The child was neither a little man nor in the romantic stage. The children were of an infinite variety. They had no idea of sequence of time or any other sequence, so that they could not be taught by following the work according to time. The lesson had to be approached from the standpoint of the children. There would be a lot of things in a lesson that the teacher would have to leave out, as the children could not grasp them all in a half hour.

He said that the teacher should inspire confidence in the child, by not making promises that he could not keep and by setting a good example in deed and word.

He advised that the teacher co-operate with the home and enlist the support of the home in the teaching of the child.

**An Unsolved Problem.**  
Speaking on "The Sunday School and Grown-up People," Lieut.-Col. Brown said that it was with a great deal of diffidence that he discussed the subject as the problem was an unsolved one.

Christ should be taught by one's works and life. The difficulty with the church was that the congregation depended on the clergyman for almost everything. "We think that because they are trained they can do it alone," he remarked.

"The church is simply an organization of Christians banded together to carry out Christ's work. 'The world was looking upon it today. A great many people have been looking at the church with the unsettled conditions and chaos that the church had lost its grip and was not able to solve the problem. Books could be found which say that the church is deteriorating. This, he said, was the wrong point of view.

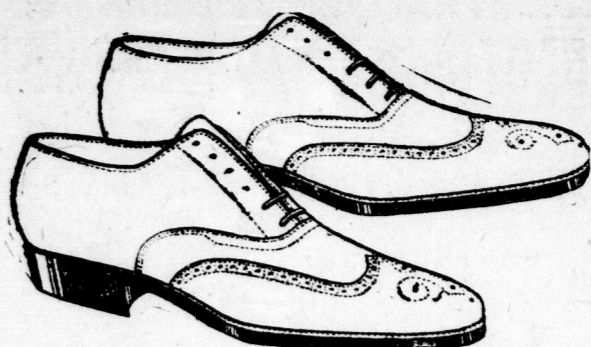
The responsibility was placed on the shoulder of every Christian. "If we can place the proper emphasis on home life we can save civilization. Home life was destroyed by its home life. The earliest Christians had grappled with the problem. Marriage had been made sacred instead of just a contract.

**Divorce Means Chaos.**  
At the rate divorces were being granted in the United States at present it had been figured out that by 1950 every couple in the United States would have a divorce. "That simply means chaos," he declared.

The Sunday school was said to be part of the church. The Sunday school today was the church of tomorrow, and it needed the best of attention. Too much assistance could not be given it. He bore out the assertion of the former speaker that the co-operation of the home was necessary. The colonel stated that the problem was going to be tackled in this city. Hand-picked bodies of men and women from each church to study the problem were necessary. He suggested that a census of the people of a parish be taken and the extent of their education be ascertained so that it might be known what class of people were being dealt with.

**Secure Suitable Teachers.**  
P. D. Mitchell, B. A., who was in the chair, said that as long as suitable teachers could be secured, the attendance would follow. He was of the opinion that a fee should be attached to the course for teachers to insure their attendance at every meeting during the time the course was being given.

Mr. Mitchell who was president of the Deane Sunday School Association for the past year was returned to office.

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Your feet ought to be very comfortable in them on the hottest days we'll have. Their construction is very light, and we fit them perfectly. We're showing cool Oxfords in a number of very new, very stylish models, and the prices are more moderate this summer.

Brown Calf Oxford, all toes,

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by acclamation. Among others elected to office were: Rev. A. L. G. Clarke, vice-president; C. Milligan, secretary-treasurer; Rev. Dr. C. C. Waller, superintendent of teachers; finance and statistics, Rev. G. Q. Warner; interdenominational committee, Miss Matthews, Col. W. G. Brown, A. P. Willmot, P. D. Mitchell and Mr. McLeod.

**BIRD NOTES**  
(Contributed by Melvyn Ornithological Club.)

Our field men found nothing new on Thursday morning, but there are two arrivals that have not been mentioned—the Blue-headed Vireo was first seen on the 27th, and on the same morning was heard the song of the Bobolink. But the latter species illustrates the disadvantage of living in the city for John Morden at the pond and Bill Davis near Byron, each report the Bobolink two days earlier, on the 25th. There is no more welcome songster in the spring than this harlequin with the indescribable music, and this was impressed on the writer last summer by the immense satisfaction taken in its song by Frank Farley, formerly of St. Thomas, now of Camrose, Alberta, who had not heard a Bobolink for 20 years or more. It was almost impossible to tear him away from the field where he lay and listened to the singing.

An occasional Red-headed Woodpecker stayed with us all winter on account of the heavy crop of beech-nuts, but the spring arrivals are just now coming the first having been seen on the 24th.

On Saturday, the members of the Bird Club are to visit a heronry near Ingersoll, where there are usually about 20 nests of the great blue heron in a small woods. The party is to meet at the Y. M. C. A. at 2:15, and rubber boots will be in order. Some members of the Rotary Club have kindly volunteered their cars to assist in transportation. This bird's custom of nesting in communities makes it rather spectacular in the breeding season, and one can never quite get over a feeling of surprise of finding the nests of such an awkward-looking bird in the tree tops.

Friday and Saturday  
Specials

Castile Soap, cakes, 5 for 25c	
Palmolive Soap	8c
100 Bland Pills, improved	17c
Toilet Paper, rolls, special (limit 16 rolls)	4 for 25c
50c Coconut Oil Shampoo	29c
35c Djer-Kiss Talcum	24c
50c Gin Pills	35c
50c Fruit-a-lives	3 for \$1.00
25c Fig-Lax	17c
35c A. B. S. & C. Tablets (100 in bottle)	25c
\$1.00 Eno's Fruit Salts	79c
\$1.00 Burdock and Sarsaparilla	79c
25c Electric Oil	19c
25c Mentholatum	17c
50c Mentholatum	34c
50c Peerless Hair Restorer	29c
\$1.00 Lydia Pinkham Compound	99c
35c Rigo Water	5 for \$1.00
\$1.50 Scott's Emulsion	\$1.19

## FIFTEEN PEOPLE ARE MURDERED WITHOUT CAUSE, SAYS GREENWOOD

In Impassioned Speech Irish Secretary Declares Irish Republican Army Are Murderers — Fifteen Protestants Killed Under Revolting Circumstances — Lloyd George Refuses To Delay Elections — Will Listen To Anyone Who Has Better Plan Than Government's.

LONDON, April 28.—In an impassioned address today in the House of Commons on the Irish situation, Sir Hamar Greenwood, the chief secretary for Ireland, described the Irish republican army as murderers, and declared that the deaths of fifteen Protestants were being perpetrated in Ireland which was difficult for British civilians, the military or police to believe could be done by human hands.

For example, declared Sir Hamar, the murder of Protestants was in progress as a deliberate plan, and there had been a "horrible case of the desecration of a Protestant church," while fifteen Protestants had been murdered recently, "without rhyme or reason, and under revolting circumstances."

Not Religious War.  
It was not, however, a case of Roman Catholics against Protestants, he said. There was also a deliberate plan to attack, intimidate and in some cases commit the murder of women.

The chief secretary said documents had been captured showing that an offensive was being opened in Ulster to interfere with the coming elections, the plan including possible action against the Belfast water supply, and other methods of sabotage.

One document, said Sir Hamar, stated that if the Irish republican army had to contend with the coming elections in this hostile territory, there was compensation in that it would not have to consider the population, except to a small extent.

Newspapermen Threatened.  
In introducing the vote for the Irish office the chief secretary expressed regret that since the last debate the Sinn Féin threat to newspapermen in Ireland had become more pronounced, and he declared one of them had been obliged

to leave the country under the menace of death.

Dealing with the police force, Sir Hamar said the auxiliaries had a special duty, which could be performed by no other force—a statement which brought forth cheers from the House. He said the auxiliaries had to go into the most disturbed areas and said that the order from Sinn Féin headquarters was to shoot them on sight. The discipline of all the crown forces in Ireland, he said, under the circumstances, was extraordinarily good and was improving.

Will Not Differentiate.  
The Government, Sir Hamar said, declined to differentiate between the North and South of Ireland in applying the home rule act. He continued: "We decline to have an act of Parliament torn up by the intimidation of anybody in Ireland. We will have a parliament functioning in the North in June, and we hope, the South will also. That is the key to the political solution of the Irish problem, but if it does not function every preparation has been made in the act to carry on successfully. Everyone except the extremists wants peace. The obstructionists are those who refuse a conference with the Government as to the best method of securing accord between the two governments."

Will Not Postpone.  
The prime minister, replying in the debate, declined to postpone the elections, because that would give the impression that Parliament could not be trusted. To Ireland must be left the responsibility of accepting or rejecting.

Mr. Lloyd George's speech was largely a repetition of his former statements that an insurrectionary movement in Ireland is what was happening when Britain, as during the war, had her thoughts and energies preoccupied elsewhere. The prime minister challenged his critics to suggest any alternative policy to that of the Government, except surrender, and he would not be responsible for a policy of surrender. Hence, the Government must persist in the policy of re-establishing the authority of the law, however long it took, just as did the United States in the fight against secession.

Has Anyone a Better Plan?  
Mr. Lloyd George concluded by reading from a document drawn up after consulting with Mr. Balfour, and which he generally interpreted as having some connection with Lord Derby's recent visit to Ireland, in which the prime minister reiterated his willingness to see any member of Parliament not under suspicion of murder, without stipulating any conditions.

"If there is any man in Ireland who thinks he has a better plan than the Government's, and he comes with authority and representing Irish opinion," said Mr. Lloyd George, "I will meet him and the Government will meet him. He may make any proposals he likes, that will be his responsibility. And it will be the Government's responsibility whether they accept or reject them."

SARNIA C. I. NINE FAIL ON PATHS AGAINST PT. HURON

SARNIA, April 28.—Failure to take advantage of scoring opportunities cost the S. C. I. their opening clash with the Port Huron High nine last night. Ties for the S. C. I. and Sherry for Port Huron allowed six blows, three for two-baggers, along the route. Teskey and Corey formed the Sarnia battery, with Sherry and Corsant the winning combination.

SURROUNDED IN SWAMP.  
GUELPH, April 28.—The first escape from the Ontario Reformatory at Guelph since the institution was taken over from the military authorities occurred yesterday when one of the prisoners, who had reached the "trustee" stage, and was working in the prison orchard, decided to make a break for complete freedom. His disappearance was discovered a short time after he got away and he was traced as far as Moffat, which he disappeared in a swamp. Today it was reported that the swamp had been surrounded.

Capt. Marlow to the Rescue.  
Capt. Marlow read about the case in the newspapers and was tremendously interested in the misfortune of Miss Buckle. He called at the court and then wrote a letter to the judge, offering to find a home for the child and to provide for him, and also to find honorable work for the mother. The judge freed the girl, accepting Captain Marlow's offer, praising him in the highest terms for it, and calling his a "noble action."

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He is adviser to the president, and also a statistician of the Chinese government. After a month's visit in Canada and the United States, which he is now making, he will proceed to Geneva for the League of Nations meeting, with Dr. Wang, chief justice and a delegate from China.

Born in Pekin, of English parents he has been intimately connected with life in China for 25 years.

## GIRL, 16, DESERTS BABY, RECOVERS HIM, FINDS HELP

Arrested When Reclaiming Child, Is Cared for by Red Cross Man.

LATTER BECOMES INSANE

But Publicity Given to Case Assures Young Mother of Aid.

LONDON, April 28.—Although her American fairy prince can no longer come to cheer her up, buy her chocolate, take her for long taxi cab rides and assure her that her child will be well cared for, Miss May Violet Buckle, 16 years old, is no longer the friendless, homeless, distracted girl she was when she left her 18-months-old baby boy on strange doorsteps not long ago. Then week she has had a dozen offers of marriage, many chances to work and opportunities to accept a home, but more than all, persons in various ranks of life have indicated to her that they would gladly care for her child until she is in a better position to assume the burden of his support.

Miss Buckle's fairy prince, otherwise Capt. Ernest Marlow, formerly an American Red Cross worker, is responsible for her sudden change of fortune, but he is unable to appreciate how he helped her. She has disappeared from her life, as most fairy princes do sooner or later, but she will never forget him.

For a long time Miss Buckle tried to support her child, meanwhile hoping that a British army officer, the father of the baby, who went abroad, would return. Finally, hungry and hopeless, she resolved to place her child in better hands. She left him on a doorstep and hurried away. Then remorse struck her and she regretted her action. She hurried back to get the baby, but he had been taken in by two persons at whose door she had left him. She searched more than a child herself and he frantically sought a policeman and told him what she had done. She recovered her child, but was arrested.

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He is adviser to the president, and also a statistician of the Chinese government. After a month's visit in Canada and the United States, which he is now making, he will proceed to Geneva for the League of Nations meeting, with Dr. Wang, chief justice and a delegate from China.

Born in Pekin, of English parents he has been intimately connected with life in China for 25 years.

## CHIEF JUSTICE OF THE SUPREME COURT OF CHINA



DR. WANG is spending a month in Canada and the United States, to become better acquainted with the attitude of these countries regarding certain points afterwards to be discussed at the meeting of the League of Nations in Geneva. He is one of the ten delegates chosen to revise the covenant of the league.

## HOUSING AID FOR RETURNED SOLDIERS UNDER CONSIDERATION

Building of Houses Not Keeping Pace With Need, Says Thomas Adams.

OTTAWA, April 28.—(By Canadian Press).—Before the soldiers' re-establishment committee today H. M. Mowatt, member for Parliamale, Toronto, again brought up his suggestion of model towns and villages for returned soldiers similar to those in England. Thomas Adams, town planning adviser to the commission of conservation, and S. Maher of the soldier settlement board were questioned regarding housing.

Mr. Adams said there was a great need of good housing, both in the cities and country. Isolation and poverty were as bad in effect as overcrowding. There were about 100,000 marriages in Canada during the past year, and only about 11,000 new houses had been built. There, will in addition, be the immigrants to be housed. The building of houses was not keeping pace with the growth of population.

Mr. Adams favored some method of housing aid to returned soldiers.

## PALM, 96 FEET HIGH, GROWS THROUGH ROOF

BROOKLYN, April 28.—A great Brazilian palm tree in the Botanic Garden at Bronx Park, said to be the tallest in this country, was cut down because it had reached such a height that the hot-house could no longer hold it. Several times it had forced its way through the glass at the very apex of the immense glass dome in the central part of the Botanic Garden.

The top of this dome is 96 feet above the ground. It can be seen at a great distance. The upper fronds of the gigantic tree, which towered above very other tree in the garden, pushed against the glass. Three times the tree was cut and three times the dome has been mended. The tree will be put in the museum at the park as a dry exhibit.

The tree stood in a colossal tub in the midst of a little grove of palms under the central dome. Its bole is a foot and a half thick, and shoots up, straight as a ramrod, for about 60 feet before a single frond is reached. The palm was removed to the Botanic Garden from Central Park in 1903, and as an illustration of the remarkable speed with which it has grown, it may be said that at the time it was only 37 feet high. As it stands now, upright and triumphant, there is something almost sinister about it. Some of the palms in the garden are benign, and some as so much like actual evil genies of the dark, damp forests, where human feet seldom stray, that they give one a creepy feeling.

## Children Cry FOR FLETCHER'S CASTORIA

## WALES TO ESCORT HEIR OF MIKADO

Will Be Constant Companion of Japanese Crown Prince for a Week.

LONDON, April 28.—The Prince of Wales will be the constant companion of the Japanese crown prince during the early part of the latter's visit. The English prince will meet him at Portsmouth on his arrival and will "take him under his wing" for a week. They will visit Aldershot and Sandhurst, where the Japanese prince will be shown how both British soldiers and officers are made.

Following this the Prince of Wales will go on a long planned tour of the west of England, including his Duchy of Cornwall and his seldom visited property on the Scilly Islands, where he is deeply interested in early fruit, flower and vegetable growing in the mild air of the Gulf Stream.

Admiral the Hon. Sir Somerset Gough-Calthorpe, who is commander-in-chief at Portsmouth, will have charge of the first reception to the Japanese crown prince. He is one of the few British naval officers who have actually commanded a Japanese naval unit, having had a division of Japanese destroyers under him when he was in command in the Mediterranean during the latter part of the world war. He paid a warm tribute to the keenness of the Nippon seamen and was decorated by the Mikado.

The visit of the Japanese crown prince is counted as the star feature of the London season, which is promising now, for the first time, to reach pre-war levels of gaiety—if the coal strike is settled. That already has caused the celebration of many pre-season festivities, but if it is settled there will be three courts at St. James' during May. The first will be on May 4, which will be largely official and diplomatic. There are a large number of debutantes waiting

## ST. THOMAS WILL JOIN IN PROTEST

Dissatisfied With Mothers' Pensions Regulations and Fire Platoon System.

ST. THOMAS, April 28.—The city council will co-operate with other outside civic bodies in the movement started by the Woodstock mayor and aldermen, to place some limitations on the powers of the Provincial Legislature, through their own efforts and that of a joint public expression from the urban and rural municipalities, which the Government is exercising in usurping the rights held under former Provincial Governments, and insisting on the disposition of the finances of the municipalities without consent of the parties who created the fund. The question will be discussed at the meeting of the council Tuesday night. One item in the couple of dozen charges made against the Government was instigated by City Solicitor Doherty, was the mothers' pension act. All that the municipal council is permitted to do, declared the solicitor, is to pay the pension allowance, whether the parties receiving the contribution are approved by the council or not. The council has no voice in the matter. The board directing the payment of the sum to the mothers are all private parties without any responsibility as to the distribution of the monthly payments or amounts. Also the two-plateon fire department enactment. And there are others.

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### YOUTHS' BOX KIP BLUCHERS

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Walking heels and some French heels, broken lines of higher-priced goods. 8-Day Sale price ..... **\$3.45**

### LADIES' FINE BROWN CALF OXFORDS

In brogue, semi-brogue and plain styles, Goodyear welted. This line includes the best Canadian and American made shoes. Regular \$9.00, \$10.00 and \$12.00. 8-Day Sale price ..... **\$7.45**

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These are in brogue style, also ordinary type, Goodyear welted. Sale price ..... **\$7.95**

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**SEVEN-CENT FARE  
NECESSARY IN TORONTO  
SAYS CHICAGO ENGINEER**Bion J. Arnold Declares Five-Cent Fare  
Would Lead to Deficit.

TORONTO, April 28.—Bion J. Arnold, Chicago, electric railway expert, testifying again today before the Government commission inquiring into the radial schemes of the Ontario Hydro-Electric Power Commission, estimated the earnings of the hydro radials at 7 1/2 cents per mile, as an average. While the standard passenger fare was 2 1/2 cents, Mr. Arnold assumed that special and half-rate tickets would lower the average.

For the Guelph radial railway ten one-man cars were provided for in the tenders, so as to give a ten-minute service instead of a twenty-minute service as at present, Mr. Arnold said. An increase of 25 per cent in the revenue was expected. On the line between Hamilton and Elmira the crew hours, on the basis of running time, were 1 hour and 50 minutes for express trains, and 2 hours and 20 minutes for local trains, being equivalent to an average speed schedule of 28.3 and 22.3 miles an hour.

Mr. Arnold said a 7-cent fare was necessary on the Toronto street cars. If the present 5-cent fare was continued, he said, the people would have to be taxed to make up the deficit.

**NO ANNOUNCEMENT OF  
LUMBER PRICES MADE****London Man Elected President  
of Southwestern Ontario  
Retail Lumbermen's  
Association.**

SARNIA, April 28.—The two days' session of the Southwestern Section of the Ontario Retail Lumber Dealers' annual meeting was brought to a close tonight, but no mention of future lumber prices was announced by the delegates. The session, according to the delegates, was one of the most successful ever held, and the guests are fond in their praise of the hospitality of the local lumbermen, their families and the citizens of Sarnia in general. The following officers were elected: President, John F. Wallace, London; vice-president, E. C. Russell, Walkerville; secretary-treasurer, B. F. Clarke, Glenora; directors, S. Heath, M. R. Bosworth, John McGibbon, Col. J. W. Green, Charles Hubbell, J. O. McPherson, T. C. Warwick and George Helton.

Judgment Reserved.  
The non-jury supreme court sittings

near conclusion tonight with the completion of the case of John A. Kerr et al against the corporation of the town of Petrolia, on which Chief Justice Mulock reserved judgment and gave respective counsel until June 1 to submit written arguments.

In this action the plaintiff sought to recover \$2,254.53, the amount claimed to be owing under the terms of a five-year lease entered into by the defendant corporation with the late John A. Kerr dated December 16, 1915. The lease was for a store known as the Tecumseh building to be used for hydro purposes.

**Case Dismissed.**  
The action of A. White & Sons, butchers, against the Sarnia Creamery Company and W. D. Ferguson, was dismissed with costs by Chief Justice Mulock at the third day of the supreme court sittings in the county court house late yesterday afternoon. In this case the plaintiffs sought to recover \$2,000 damages for alleged negligence on the part of the defendants in allowing a quantity of beef stored in their cold storage plant to thaw out and become partially unfit for use or sale. A writ conducted the case for the plaintiffs, and L. D. McCarthy held the brief for the defendant company, the Sarnia Creamery, and F. Ferguson, defendant Ferguson.

If you have any article for sale that you want to dispose of very quickly use an advertisement in The London Advertiser.

**CONTRACTS LET FOR  
PAVING OF STREETS****Arrangements Made To Lower  
Sidewalk On Ross Street.****KILLS DOG WITH CLUB****Animal Believed To Have Been  
Mad, Was Locked in  
Residence.**

ST. THOMAS, April 28.—The contract for the paving of several streets in the city, including White from Talbot to the M. C. R. tracks, and on Mondamin street from Talbot street to Curtis street, was given by the board of works tonight to the Standard Asphalt Company, Ottawa. The terms of the contract to be submitted to and approved by the council. The city engineer was instructed to proceed with the construction of a sidewalk on Elm street from the top of the hill to Fourth avenue. The committee arranged with Mr. Kennedy to lower the sidewalk on Ross street between Wellington and McIntyre streets, the property owners agreeing to protect the earth from falling over and blocking the pavement.

**Claim For Damages.**  
Scott Maddock and Mitchell, North Bay contractors, asking for the payment of expenses, amounting to \$18.10, incurred in connection with their tender for sewers on William, Locust, Eagle and Inkerman streets, but operations on the streets were stopped because of some legal technicalities. The account was given the solicitor and Chairman Curtis with power.

So that some of the unemployed may be given work operations will be started by the contractors on Monday. John Jolly was given permission to locate a gasoline tank at 935 Talbot street.

The Imperial Oil Company's tender to supply oil to sprinkle the streets was accepted.

**Arrested for Serious Crime.**  
Charged with having seduced a girl under 16 years of age, Margaret Palmer of Vienna, Edward Soper, 65 years old, was arrested in Bayham, was locked up this afternoon, and elected later to be tried summarily. The offence is alleged to have been committed a couple of weeks ago, and, coming to the knowledge of the authorities, a warrant was issued.

**Extending Operations.**  
The Car Owners' Garage Company of London has leased the building and premises of William Tomlin, Aylmer, and the hotel barn and lot of Mr. Vanorder at Port Huron.

David Bainard, an old resident of Lambeth, died this morning at his residence, in his 80th year. He was born at the old homestead, Glenworth.

**A Valuable Animal.**  
A syndicate consisting of Norman Watson, A. J. Plain, Albert Koyle, M. Nicol, and John Alexander, Daniel and Neil McGowan, have purchased a Percheron stallion, named La Fayette Stock Farm, London, at \$2,000. Sergeant-at-Arms Rendle slew a mad dog with a club last evening, which had been locked in a room upstairs of a west end residence building.

**Ordered to The Curb.**  
Fearing that the small news boys and girls may be injured at the L. and P. station, orders have come to have the platform cleared of the little people, and that they conduct their business on the Talbot street curb.

**F. E. Benson in Town.**  
F. E. Benson, Los Angeles, representing the United Artists' Corporation, and for some years Mary Pickford's manager, is in the city. Mr. Benson is traveling through Canada in the interests of the moving picture industry. Mr. Benson is representing Mary Pickford, her husband, Douglas Fairbanks, Charlie Chaplin, and the producer, D. W. Griffith.

**Donated \$2,500.**  
The balance of the fund of the old 25th Regiment, amounting to \$2,500, which remained over after the regiment was disbanded, has been voted to the Elgin Memorial Hospital. The donation will be applied to some outward mark to commemorate those of the officers and men of the old regiment who gave their all in the big war for Britain and homeland.

**Cook—Gage.**  
The marriage of Miss Agnes Louise Gage, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William P. Gage, 281 Talbot street, and Stanley B. Cook, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, Yarmouth Heights, took place last evening at the residence of the bride, Rev. Mr. Hayes of St. Luke's Church officiating. Mr. and Mrs. Cook will reside at Yarmouth Heights.

**LARGE AUDIENCE  
WELCOMED NOTED  
ENGLISH SUFFRAGETTE**

Mrs. Pankhurst Opens Campaign  
Against V. D. in Border Cities.

WINDSOR April 28.—Before an audience which crowded the Collegiate auditorium, Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, speaking under the auspices of the Border Cities branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, tonight told of experiences which led her to decide that the woman's viewpoint must be brought to bear on questions affecting the moral and physical health of the country.

At the conclusion of Mrs. Pankhurst's address, the chairman, Rev. Canon Arthur Carlisle, stated that he would make every effort during the next two or three weeks to have a branch of the National Council for Combating Venereal Diseases established here.

**Depression Disappearing.**  
Claiming that the excess profits tax in the United States had a great deal to do with the business depression in that country, Frank G. Smith, vice-president of the First and Old Detroit National Bank, addressed the members of the Border Chamber of Commerce today. The speaker said that the federal reserve bank system in the United States had been instrumental in a large way in preventing a panic. Business depression, he said, was rapidly disappearing.

About 200 Masons from Chatham were entertained by members of the local Scottish Rite tonight at a banquet and entertainment at the Scottish Rite home.

**Fine \$1,000 and Costs.**  
George Gouin of Sandwich East was fined \$1,000 and costs in police court today. He pleaded guilty to having liquor in a place other than a private dwelling.

Mrs. Ella Wright of Detroit today pleaded guilty in police court to taking a diamond ring valued at \$300 from the store of W. H. McCreery. She was remanded for sentence.

**ST. THOMAS Y. W. C. A.  
ORGANIZES FOR YEAR**

ST. THOMAS, April 28.—The local branch of the Y. W. C. A. organized for the year last night and elected as new directors for St. John's Anglican Church Mrs. W. T. Little and Mrs. Roy Sutherland; Trinity Anglican Church, Mrs. J. D. Curtis and Miss G. Elliott; Church of Christ, Mrs. W. J. Peacock; Central Methodist, Mrs. George Ingram; Grace Methodist, Mrs.

C. Pearce and Miss E. Peters; Alma Presbyterian, Mrs. Gaddes.

The annual financial statement showed a balance to the good of \$194, after disbursing \$5,726. The receipts included \$238 for membership fees, and \$4,908 board revenue. Over 120 transient guests were looked after during the year and meals served to visitors amounting to \$197, both sums reaching \$400. The superintendent, Miss Gung, made an appeal for the extension of the good work of the association.

**SUDDEN DEATH OF  
MRS. ORVAL MURPHY**

Taken Ill Upon Return From Visit to  
London Friends.

ST. THOMAS, April 28.—Returning from a visit to friends in London tonight, Mrs. Orval Murphy, Hinks street, wife of Orval Murphy, a com-

mercial traveler, was suddenly taken ill and died shortly after the arrival of the family physician, apparently from paralysis of the brain. Mrs. Murphy was in her usual health when she left for London today, and her sudden death was a great shock to her family and friends. She was the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. Wilson, Southwick street. She is survived by her husband, and daughter, Miss Helen Murphy.

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Children's Rain Capes and Coats, just in; the finished tweed effects give an added smartness; all sizes, 4 to 14 years. Prices, . . . **\$3.98 to \$6.75**

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Sport Coats—Clearing a special line in polo and velours, in the ever-fashionable reindeer, sand, . . . **\$18.75**  
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Full range of Brassieres, back and front fastening. . . . **50c to \$1.00**

Summer Fine Knit Vests, slightly imperfect, three for . . . **\$1.00**  
Corset Covers, trimmed with lace. . . . **75c**

Creme Kimonos, in an exceptionally fine quality of cotton crepe, serviceable and good-looking, in pretty floral designs or plain, rose, open, helio and pink. . . . **\$4.25, \$5.25**

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250 pairs of Ladies' Pure Silk and Fibre Silk Hose, with ribbed and widened top, seamless, double heel and toe, in black and navy only; some with the fashionable back seam; slight imperfection in feet or tops. . . . **75c**  
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If you are looking for Hose for every-day, serviceable wear, see these sub-standards. Three pairs for. . . **\$1.00**

Ladies' Highly Mercerized Lisle Hose, double sole and heel and toe, widened top. Splendid hose for the warmer weather, in black, white, navy and brown. . . . **59c**  
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Boys', Girls' and Misses' New Hats, in colored and black straws, all the newest shapes. Selling. . . . **\$1.50**

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## ARE THE PAYMENTS OF SALARIES TO SIR ADAM BECK EITHER JUSTIFIED OR LEGAL?

Part of Sir Adam Beck's letter in reply to the attorney-general is very interesting. Read the following:

**Who Can Challenge?**  
"Under these circumstances, I am curious to know who can have any status in challenging the validity of these various payments, unless, indeed, it is the attorney-general himself."

This is not only interesting but rich. What becomes of responsible government?

Then take the following:  
**Situation in 1917.**  
"This was the situation, when, in 1917, the hydro-electric power commission acquired the capital stock of the Ontario Power Company by purchase of the shares of that time a new board of directors of the company was elected, and I, as chairman of the hydro-electric power commission, was elected president. Since then the business of the Ontario Power Company has been carried on as a separate undertaking of that company."

"It is now being so carried on. All contracts and engagements with customers, including the hydro-electric power commission, are being carried out as company transactions, in the same manner as they were carried out prior to the purchase of the shares. This involves the performance of all duties and all the work of those who prior to that time had been the officials and officers of the company."

This is richer still. The hydro-electric acquired control of the Ontario Power Company and the head of the hydro-electric was elected president. The Ontario Power Company is continued as a separate company and "all contracts and engagements with customers, including the hydro-electric power commission, are being carried out in the same manner as they were carried out prior to the purchase of the shares." Who has a right to challenge or complain? Carry this operation a step or two further. This adds \$6,000 to the salary. Let us start another company, or buy control of another company, and keep up the old organization, but the head of the hydro is to be the president. His salary is to be \$6,000, and so on ad infinitum, multiply the companies and multiply the president's salary. "Damn the expense, chuck on another herring!" Who has a right to question it or complain? The country was too young in the days of the Family Compact. They were the days of small things anyway, but this is a good idea. Every time you want another \$6,000 organize or buy another company and express surprise if anyone has the hardihood to claim any right to question or criticize such an act. What a tussle the head of hydro would have making a contract with the president of one of these companies. It is rough. It is the hand of Esau and the voice of Esau, too.

## THE REASON FOR MOUNTING COSTS.

Some decidedly interesting facts in reference to increased railway costs and deficits are revealed in an investigation made by the Wall Street Journal. If conditions in Canada are similar to those across the line, it is no wonder that there is a deficit running into millions. The Journal points out that when a locomotive goes to the shop for repairs, men of three, four, even of five crafts have to be used to do what the men of two crafts and even of one craft did four years ago.

When a locomotive headlight generator has to be removed, six men have to be employed to do what after all is a simple job—an electrician with his helper, a sheet metal worker and his helper, and a machinist with his helper. Four years

ago two men, a machinist and his assistant, did the whole job.

When a railway engine boiler springs a leak, three craftsmen, each with a helper—under the rules that now regulate railway labor—have to be employed to make the necessary repairs.

Four years ago an ordinary handy shopman could change a nozzle tip in the front end of a locomotive; he could do it today if the rules would permit it. But the rules require that six men shall be employed to do that small task—a boilermaker and his assistant, a pipeman and his assistant, and a machinist and his assistant.

These are all railroad shop craft jobs. All the workmen are highly paid. All belong to the skilled labor classifications. For each illustration given a hundred more might be cited, all calculated to show just what the railroads of the United States are up against.

## ARE WE APPRECIATIVE?

To many people the next three weeks are the most delightful of the whole year. With millions of buds bursting open, flowers on every hand, and the wonderful verdancy that Spring alone produces in evidence everywhere, the picture is a delightful one. A drive through the country or through the tree-lined parks and streets of the city makes one rather grateful that Western Ontario is enjoying its usual peace and prosperity. In striking contrast are the stories of unrest and want in many of the larger centres of population. In even greater contrast stands out the news carried by many of the cables. Pitiful famine in China, upheaval in Russia, one of the greatest strikes in history in England, unrest and real want in many parts of Europe. These are only a few vivid touches in the picture, high lights that stand out in a glance at world conditions. And the return of normalcy in these countries seems a long way off. In the meantime the people of London and vicinity are free to carry on with their various occupations, undisturbed by either famine spectres, the shadows of revolution, or threats even of any serious industrial disturbances. One can easily imagine if people from some of the lands mentioned could suddenly find themselves located in this district living in comfort and security, how grateful and how relieved they would feel.

## PERMANENTLY DEPRECIATED.

Europe's currencies are unlikely ever again to regain their pre-war international values, according to Dr. Henry A. E. Chandler, economist of the National Bank of Commerce in New York. The reason for this, he says, is the radical reduction of the purchasing power of this money. Even the re-establishment of normal trade balances could not alone bring the exchanges back to par, he points out.

"With two or three exceptions there is nothing in the European situation to justify the hope that the present currencies of the former belligerents will return to the pre-war mint parities," Dr. Chandler says. "The actual parity to which present exchange rates tend to conform is, in the case of most of the currencies of the former belligerents, so far below the old mint parity that for purposes of analyzing our present problems the latter may be considered obsolete."

"Gold has practically disappeared from the channels of trade of nearly all important European countries, and in its place we find a group of heterogeneous paper currencies, which have been issued frequently in such volume that many of them lack any semblance of stability of value."

"The exchange problem is, of course, extremely complex, and even those most familiar with it hesitate to offer explanations of some of its most puzzling details. However, some widely-spread misunderstandings arise not so much from the complexity of the problem as from failure to recognize certain clearly-established major elements in the situation. The first step is to point out two principal sources of misunderstanding, viz., our habit of thinking in terms of the pre-war mint parities, and our habit of trying to explain all exchange problems in terms of the international trade balance."

"In measuring the extent of the depreciation by the difference between the pre-war mint parity and the exchange rate many people have been led into serious errors. In the case of most of the currencies the range of possible fluctuations is actually much narrower than such a method of measurement would suggest. The exaggeration of the possibility of these fluctuations has, in some cases, led to a needless degree of uncertainty, and therefore to placing impediments in the way of normal international trade. Again, in misunderstanding the nature of the post-war parity many people have been led to purchase foreign currencies for speculation hoping that the exchanges would return to the pre-war levels."

## WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CANADA?

ANSWERS TO SATURDAY'S QUESTIONS.

- 1—Since confederation the total subsidy allowances granted by the Dominion Government to Ontario have been \$76,601,945 (\$219).
- 2—The Prince of Wales (King Edward VII) laid the cornerstone of the Parliament buildings at Ottawa in 1870.
- 3—Dr. A. L. McCrimmon is principal of McMaster University, Toronto.
- 4—The area of Yukon is 207,076 square miles.
- 5—The largest herd of elk in the world is in Manitoba. It comprises between 4,000 and 5,000 head, and is one of the last known herds on the continent.
- 6—The marine department has charge of the meteorological service of Canada.
- 7—The coureurs des bois, or "runners of the woods," were Frenchmen who, in the early days, broke away from the restraints of civilized life and went to live with the Indians, to share their freedom, explore the wilderness, and carry on the fur trade.
- 8—Etienne Brule was the pioneer explorer of the Province of Ontario, including Georgian Bay, the country of the Hurons and the Neutrals, and Lake Ontario. He was the first explorer of the northern state of New York and the Susquehanna River. Although a Frenchman, in 1629 he piloted the English to Quebec, where he served them during their occupation. Later he returned to the country of the Hurons where he was clubbed to death and eaten by the savages.
- 9—Conscription, introduced during the great war, came to an end in England, March 31, 1920.
- 10—Cape Breton was called formerly Ile Royale.

## TODAY'S QUESTIONS.

- 1—What is the total subsidy allowances granted by the Dominion Government to Manitoba since confederation?
- 2—Who is principal of Knox College, Toronto?
- 3—Name the first three Canadian high commissioners in London.
- 4—Who is Charles Sangster?
- 5—When was Canada's first trans-continental railway completed?
- 6—What administrative department has charge of the maintenance of winter communication between Prince Edwards Island and the mainland?
- 7—Who were the seigneurs of New France?
- 8—Why were Cartier's voyages opposed by the merchants of St. Malo?
- 9—What is the meaning of the title "K. T.?"
- 10—Who first attempted to make a map of Canada's lake region?

## LETTERS

### DENIES THE CHARGE.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:  
Will you be good enough to publish the following over my own signature regarding the inaccurate statements of certain press reports and headlines?  
I have not placed on record, and I positively refuse to place on record, any apology for expressions not made by myself in relation to the council meeting of March 7. I have never at any time said what the Toronto Globe charged me with, saying viz: "That members of the legislature could or might be bribed."

HENRY B. ASHPLANT.

## OTHERS' VIEWS

### HOW TO LET THE FURNACE OUT.

[New York Herald.]  
The first thing to do, in the important process of laying up the home heating plant for the summer, is to let the fire go out. If you can make the furnace think that it is midwinter and that you are going to be absent all the evening the fire will die in a few hours. If, on the contrary, it is evident to the heater that you want the coal quickly to turn grey and cold it may be several days before the trick is done. In a warm spring a furnace fire has more vitality than a rich grandchild.

### STILL EXPERIMENTING.

[Dearborn Independent.]  
Government never will be efficient through and through because that is not what Government exists for. But in its tasks, in the various things it undertakes to do as specific services for the people, it should be a model of efficiency. After all is said and done, Government is a business organization and some of the things it does are the culmination of national purpose and aspiration. It is as foolish to require efficiency of a Government as of a poem. That is the sphere of government—of efficiency. But if it is a matter of digging a canal, of surveying a road, of delivering a letter—if it is anything like the things men undertake in individual or lesser corporate capacity, then we have a right to expect of the Government a perfect performance.

These services, however, are but a part of the work of Government. They lie on the factory side of Government, so to speak, and should be organized under efficient superintendents who are held responsible for results. But there is a great region of policy and progress where efficiency, by the very nature of the case, cannot be maintained, and where wisdom is indispensable. Efficiency consists in doing in the best possible way anything which we already know how to do. But in the field of government there are some things which we have yet to learn how to do. We are still in the experimental stage.

### WHAT DOES LABOR WANT?

[Farmers' Magazine.]  
No Government in Canada has given the rights of labor more consideration than has the Drury Government in Ontario. Two members of the cabinet represent Labor. Several statutes particularly favorable to labor interests have been made law. Labor men are consulted on all important matters. Yet we find rampant criticism of the Farmers' Government at some of these Niagara peninsula labor meetings. What does labor want? Will labor be satisfied without complete dominance of the situation? These questions are being asked by sane men everywhere, and labor men of influence would get further if they put their ears to the ground. There is such a thing as traveling too fast.

## COCAINE SWEEPS PARIS; SMUGGLED FROM GERMANY

Drug Habit Grows in Horrifying Swiftiness in Night Life of Gay Capital.

### PEDDLERS GETTING RICH

Women Predominate Among Addicts—Old Foe Suspected of Secret Purpose.

PARIS, April 28.—Bartenders, newsboys, waiters, chauffeurs, and in fact nearly every one who caters to the Montmartre public, as well as to the people of other Paris quarters, are getting rich from the sale of cocaine, according to social investigators, who are unanimous in declaring that more cocaine is sold in Paris in a single night than elsewhere in Europe in a whole month, while the prices at which the drug is offered defy all competition and are certain to attract cocaine addicts from all parts of France.

So far the Paris police have been unable to prevent this illicit traffic in cocaine, but they have captured one stock of the drug worth a quarter of a million francs, and which had been hidden under the bed of a woman, who is being held for trial. With this evidence, the police, it is understood, are tracing the ramifications of a highly organized band which directs the cocaine traffic here from drugs purchased in Germany, and which are smuggled across the frontier and finally distributed to agents in the Paris underworld where the packets are sold at five francs for each half gramme of cocaine.

The fact is that the French laws are not severe enough against the illicit sale of drugs, persons who sell them in this way being punished by only a few days in prison, which is easily compensated for by the enormous profits these drug vendors make. One chauffeur, when questioned, admitted that his "patron" handed to him a hundred packets nightly, all of which were sold before midnight, with a profit to the vendor of 50 francs.

In the vicinity of the Place Blanche so accustomed have many chauffeurs, waiters and bartenders become to the demand for cocaine that they merely smile and deliver over a packet of it when one whispers "Have you got it?" and if the night's supply has not yet arrived any one of them will point out another trafficker in the neighborhood, who will share his profits with this man. Meaningful glances are scattered throughout Paris seeking new clients who may be too timid to invade the Montmartre drug centres. Recognizing drug users by their dilated pupils trembling lips and uncertain steps, these agents boldly address them in the streets with the information, "I have got it."

According to police inspectors in more changes hands within five minutes after the addict has been approached by a vendor, either passing under cover of a newspaper or slipped under an apron saucer in a nearby cafe.

"But the stranger thing is that most of the drug users here are women," a report on the drug evil says. "Only a few men addicted to the drug habit have been observed. Just as in the days when abstinence was France's greatest menace, the women have taken up to greater excess than the men the habit of either snuffing cocaine or, if they are further advanced in ways of administering it, resorting to a corner in a subway station and injecting it with a small hypodermic needle."

The report ends with the assertion that drugs of all kinds are being supplied by Germany in the hope of causing a collapse of the French morale and of weakening the next French generation to such an extent that France will not be able to combat Germany's still dominant militarism.

When first Sir Courtenay became legal member of the council of the government of India in 1882. This is an office which only a man of great distinction, of profound learning and of great tact could fill with success.

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Boys' Splendid Tweed Bloomers, lined, good patterns and colors, all sizes .....	\$1.48
Splendid Soft Cuff Dress Shirts, in heavy percales, splendid patterns, at .....	\$1.48
Children's Rompers or Play Suits, cover all, strong wash materials .....	\$1.48
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New, Newsy  
News

## THE SPORTING SECTION

From All  
Sportdom

MUTT AND JEFF—Jeff Figured This Guy Could Get Away With a Big Sage.

Buzz Rolls Up Old Umbrella  
And Leads Squad Silently  
Out of Training CampGame With Tiffins Will Be Start of Barnstorming Trip  
Home For London Tecumsehs—May Return Next  
Spring.

DELAWARE, O., April 28.—Just before Buzz Wetzel retired Wednesday night he received a wire from Bill Kuhn, who was in Tiffin, stating that all arrangements for the proposed game were completed, and the fracas was a go. The only thing the Canadian manager could do was pack up and tear out.

Before 7 o'clock today Wetzel had his traps packed up, and the crowd had their paraphernalia together. By 10 o'clock the champions of the Michigan-Ontario League were entrained on their trip north, which will land them in their home park, where Wetzel is expecting a great reception. From Tiffin the Londoners will journey to Toledo and then to Jackson, where they will figure in a long-suffering series of three games. In this Michigan city the Tecumsehs will tangle with their first opposition of any note. They will play Saturday, Sunday and Monday at Jackson, and at Kalamazoo the following three days.

Wetzel declared today that final arrangements for the games at Lansing and Grand Rapids had not been made, but he is assured the Londoners will appear there before they start east for home.

**A Few New Faces.**  
Wetzel left here with a number of new faces in his line-up, but they are to deliver the goods. Twenty rookies reported to Wetzel during the spring training, and from this list he has selected an array of new members that will delight the home fans. George Stutz, the clown from Down, a Philadelphia, who frolics around the third sack, is the liveliest in the crowd and will furnish the grandstands with feature stuff at every appearance. Stutz is not a rookie, but he is a seasoned dust-bitter, and is not classed with the list of beginners.

Lerton Pinto, a rough farmer boy from Chillicothe, O., and a pitcher, is among the first on the list. He hurls 'em out of his left mitt and gives promise of being a sure hit, even though he lacks experience. He lacks a year of being a voter in this State.

Next to him comes a fellow townsman, Pook Curry, a year the senior of Pinto, and one who has caught for the southpaw on the sand lots in the city. Curry is a fighter with a smooth line that works well behind the plate, and he is a handy receiver, who can handle his deliveries.

Clay Class, who belongs to the steel town of Southern Ohio, Middletown, is a semi-professional, who can handle himself best in the gardens, but can pitch on the infield when necessary. He is only a fair batter and a scrappy man, who takes defeat like poison. He can look the sun in the eye and nab a pop when it comes his way.

Korwood Lambert, the smallest kid in the out, began his baseball career on the One O'Cat commons in 1911. He ate baseball when he was a youngster and has got the heart of a champion. He is a right-hander, who is a clever right-hander, who has the stuff.

Fowlkes, who is called Stuff for some reason, was annexed when he displayed a likely ability as a catcher. He will also be added to the string with Joe Briger, whose stand is well established. He hails from Waverly, Tenn. Leaving today with the Londoners were also Cal Cabert, Walter Slay, Bill Kuhn, Brigger, Critchlow, Walter Malmquist, Carmen, Wheeler, Quinn and Delottelle.

The weather man was more in favor of the training this year than last and dispensed a better lot of weather.

However, it rained at inopportune times and cut the Londoners out of several games that has set them back to some degree financially. There was more good training booked down in the books this year, and the team is in better shape than the day they departed last year.

Before leaving Wetzel made temporary arrangements to return next season for the pre-season work. The Ohio Wesleyan University officials and students have been free in their expression of their appreciation at having this crowd of leaguers here, and are looking forward to next year. Some got to know the members of the aggregation this year pretty well.

**AT A GLANCE**

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Cleveland	10	4	.714
Washington	9	4	.692
New York	6	6	.500
Boston	5	6	.454
St. Louis	5	6	.454
Chicago	3	5	.375
Detroit	4	7	.363
Philadelphia	3	8	.272

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Washington 5; New York 9.  
Boston 8; Philadelphia 2.  
Cleveland 18; Detroit 8.  
Rain at Chicago.

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

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	10	3	.768
Brooklyn	9	5	.643
Chicago	6	4	.600
New York	6	4	.600
Boston	5	6	.454
Cincinnati	6	8	.423
Philadelphia	5	7	.416
St. Louis	1	8	.111

**Yesterday's Results.**  
Brooklyn 2; New York 1.  
Phillies 11; Boston 9.  
Rain at St. Louis.

**Today's Games.**  
Boston at New York.  
Phillies at Brooklyn.  
Cincinnati at St. Louis.  
Chicago at Pittsburgh.

SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
At Atlanta	9	4	.692
New Orleans	8	4	.667
At Little Rock	8	4	.667
Birmingham	6	6	.500
Memphis-Nashville (rain).			

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION.			
	W.	L.	Pct.
At Toledo	8	4	.667
Louisville	7	4	.636
At St. Paul	7	4	.636
Kansas City	6	4	.600
At Minneapolis	3	8	.272
Milwaukee	2	8	.200
Indianapolis-Columbus (postponed).			

**MAY WITHDRAW TEAM.**  
BRANTFORD, April 28.—The Industrial Boys' baseball club, which won the junior O. B. A. A. in 1920, is reported to be ready to drop out of the City League this year and enter a trolley league along with other Grand River towns. The I. B. C. team is scheduled to play Kitchener in the City League schedule on Saturday, and the league has received no official word of the withdrawal of the former team.

JUDGING OF DOG  
SHOW TO BE ALL  
FINISHED TODAYMrs. R. S. Richardson, Mimico  
Beach, Winner With  
Pekinese.LOCAL TERRIER WINS  
Globe League o' Nations Re-  
peats Other Successes—  
228 Entries in All.

The biggest dog show on record in Western Ontario opened in this city in the dog buildings of the Western Fair grounds on Thursday. Two hundred and twenty-eight entries were received, and some of the best dogs in North America were among them. "Globe League o' Nations," owned by J. C. Luman and Vincent Perry of this city, was on exhibition and carried off the first prize of the Boston Terrier class. This dog has been shown in New York and Detroit, and in each case has carried off some of the highest prizes. Mrs. R. S. Richardson of Mimico Beach carried off the honors in the Pekinese Spaniel class. "Nogata Wi Chun," a bitch, owned by her, won first prize, and "Boltonia Tui Ty," also one of her bitches, was the reserve winner in this class. Mrs. W. C. Ingram of Mimico Beach with "Ingram's Sweetheart," won first prize in the bitch Boston Terrier class. Several of Mrs. Richardson's dogs were entered.

The present show is the fourth one that has been held in London, and each year it appears to be gaining greater significance. Some splendid prizes have been offered and keen interest is being manifested. George Ward of Toronto is judge.

It is expected that the judging will be completed today. It will be commenced at 11 o'clock.

The winners of the first day's judging were:  
Boston Terrier, dogs—Globe League 'O Nations, owned by J. C. Luman and Vincent Perry, London; reserve winner, Ingram's Fussy Willow, owned by Mrs. W. C. Ingram of Mimico Beach.  
Boston Terrier, bitches—Ingram's Sweetheart, owned by Mrs. W. C. Ingram; reserve winner, Globe Sweet Jane, owned by Mr. Luman and Mr. Perry.

Fox Terrier, dogs (smooth)—Clay-cliff Razzo, owned by Joseph Russell, Toronto; reserve winner, Sabine Reflex, owned by H. M. Whitsett, London.  
Fox Terrier, bitches (smooth)—Miss Clarion, owned by Sam Bamford, Toronto; reserve winner, Clapton Fascination, owned by Mr. Bamford.

Bull Terrier, dogs (wire)—Weycollar Barrister, owned by Mr. Bamford; reserve winner, By-Town Spice 'Em, owned by Joseph Russell, Toronto.  
Fox Terrier, bitches (wire)—Ward's Mischief, owned by James Bain, Toronto; reserve winner, By-Town Little Lady, owned by By-Town Kennels, Ottawa.

Yorkshire Terrier, dogs—Baldred Teddy, owned by F. W. Anderson, London; reserve winner, Peter Pan, owned by Mrs. McCully, London.  
Yorkshire Terrier, bitches—Baldred Eve, owned by Mr. Anderson; reserve winner, Trixie, owned by J. D. A. Saunders, London.

Toy poodle dogs—Gypsy, owned by Richard Burch, London; reserve winner, Brandy Wine, owned by Mrs. W. McKibbin, Brantford.  
Pekingese Spaniel, dogs—Fun 'Yen Chutz, owned by Mrs. A. E. Carter, Toronto; reserve winner, Toy Ty, owned by Mrs. W. F. Hier, London.  
Pekingese Spaniel, bitches—Nowata Wi Chun, owned by Mrs. Richardson; reserve winner, Boltonia Tui Ty, also owned by Mrs. Richardson.

Pomeranian, dogs—Woe Waggit, Toronto; reserve winner, Lord Lansdown, owned by H. Ughart, Toronto.  
Pomeranian, bitches—Andale Negress, owned by Mr. Waggit; reserve winner, Sable Dainty, owned by Norman Lane, Welland.

The officers in charge of the show are: honorary president, Mayor E. S. Little; honorary vice-president, Col. McEwan; president, Victor Jackson; first vice-president, Vincent Perry; second vice-president, Dr. E. P. Smith; secretary-treasurer, J. C. Luman; executive committee, Capt. W. Smith, J. Egan, Mayor Little, A. A. Hughes, J. Murphy, H. Evans, F. H. Westbury, George Bowman, H. Whitsett, J. E. Keayes, F. Simmons, G. Craig, H. Lawder, D. Soper; show superintendent, F. J. Simmons; veterinarian, Dr. W. McDonald; show secretary, J. C. Luman.

**FULTON'S OPPONENT HAS ANOTHER APPOINTMENT**

New York, April 28.—The fifteen-round boxing match between Fred Fulton and George Culley, which had been arranged for a Jamaica, Long Island, club tonight, was called off at the last minute. The club management announced that Culley had declined to enter the ring, but gave no reason.

LONDONERS IN BILL  
KUHN'S HOME TOWN  
BEAT VILLAGERS14-1 Score of Game Which  
Carmen Hurlled With  
Regular Backing.

TIFFIN, U.S.A., April 28.—The London Tecumsehs struck Bill Kuhn's home town today, and the local team were just Tiffins for the Canadian sluggers who beat them, 14-1. Manager Wetzel loaned the locals Lambert and Pinto to hurl, and both these looked bad against Carmen and Wheeler with the regular Tecumseh support behind them.

The score: R. H. E.  
London ..... 14 16 0  
Tiffins ..... 1 4 3  
Carmen, Wheeler and Curry; Foulkes, Lambert, Pinto and Lusky, Briger.

**TORONTO LEAFS AND NEWARK STEP INTO LEAD TOGETHER**

Oracles Trampled Over for Bisons' Third Win.

BALTIMORE, April 28.—Good hitting by Buffalo, and bad fielding by the Orioles enabled the Bisons to win the second game of the series, 11 to 5. Home runs by Bentley and Jacobson featured the hitting. The score: R. H. E.  
Buffalo ..... 101 001 305—11 10 4  
Baltimore ..... 022 000 100—5 9 2  
Rogers and Traggesser; Frank and Egan, Lefler.

**UP AHEAD.**  
NEWARK, April 28.—Newark evened the series by beating Rochester 4 to 2 today. Walsh stole home on a double steal in the third, when Newark got three of its runs.

The score: R. H. E.  
Rochester ..... 000 100 010—2 5 3  
Newark ..... 103 000 005—4 10 2  
Wisner and Ross, Mattox, Hargraves; Hill and Whitrow, Smith.

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College Men Make  
Good With TrisTen On Squad Came Direct  
From College Diamonds.

Manager Tris Speaker of the Cleveland Indians is going strong for college players. He already has ten on his squad, including eight pitchers, and indications are he will add several more before the season is over.

Of the pitchers, Walter Mills, who joined the tribe shortly before last season ended, is a graduate of St. Mary's College, California; Bob Clark came from Susquehanna; G. R. Ellison from the University of California; H. L. Kline from Ohio State; J. Edwards from Mississippi College; C. C. Hamilton from the University of Iowa, and B. Henderson from Texas A. and M. Wayne Middleton, a recruit southpaw, Lavery, Birchall, Alday, and Brewer,

attending Simmons College, Ablene, Texas will report June 1.

In addition, Manager Speaker has Shortstop Joe Sewell and Second Baseman Riggs Stephenson of the University of Alabama, and may sign Catcher Luke Sewell and Third Baseman Hall of the same school before the year is over.

"My reason for showing more consideration to college players and particularly pitchers," Speaker said, "is that practically all the colleges have good coaches, former big or minor leaguers. As a result college pitchers come to you with a pretty good pitching knowledge."

Hamilton, Ellison and Kline jumped from college to the Cleveland team and Hamilton and Edwards are still in school. Mills and Clark had minor league experience.

**WASPS' LINE-UP.**  
The following players of the Grand Trunk soccer team are requested to make the L. and P. S. R. station in time for the 3 o'clock car on Saturday afternoon: Knowles, Gann, Brown, Astles, Milliken, Askew, Lowrie, Evans, Wayne Middleton, a recruit southpaw, Lavery, Birchall, Alday, and Brewer.

**UP AHEAD.**  
NEWARK, April 28.—Newark evened the series by beating Rochester 4 to 2 today. Walsh stole home on a double steal in the third, when Newark got three of its runs.

The score: R. H. E.  
Rochester ..... 000 100 010—2 5 3  
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Dodgers Make It  
Four From GiantsPhillies Won Game On Homers  
and Even Break With  
Braves.

BROOKLYN, April 28.—Brooklyn made only four hits off Ryan and Sallee today, but bunched three of them off Ryan in the lucky seventh, winning their eighth straight game, and their fourth from New York. The score was 2 to 1. The score: R. H. E.  
New York ..... 010 000 000—1 7 0  
Brooklyn ..... 000 000 205—2 4 0  
Ryan, Sallee and Snyder; Rueher and Miller.

**THREE PHILLY HOMERS.**  
PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—Three home runs, two of them with the bases filled, gave Philadelphia an 11 to 6 victory over Boston today and an even break of the four-game series.

The score: R. H. E.  
Boston ..... 110 000 031—6 15 1  
Philadelphia ..... 401 001 145—11 12 0  
Scott and O'Neill; Meadows and Briggs.

**RAIN.**  
ST. LOUIS, April 28.—Cincinnati vs. St. Louis; game postponed; rain. Only three games scheduled.

**WANDERERS BEAT POINT 5-0 AND WIDEN LEAD**

SARNIA, April 28.—Sarnia Wanderers went into a commanding lead in the Lambton County Junior series tonight when they defeated Point Edward, 5-0, in the strongest scoring game of the year. Perry scored three times for the winners, Bending and Phillips dropping the other two in. The teams:

Wanderers: Goal ..... Point Edward.  
Marquis ..... Back ..... Burns  
Marquis ..... Back ..... Manning  
Maughan ..... Back ..... Cook  
Durance ..... Half ..... Manore  
McKenna ..... Half ..... Prudence  
Prendergast ..... Half ..... Cook  
Perry ..... Forward ..... McCord  
Bending ..... Forward ..... Lynch  
Bethel ..... Forward ..... Langsdon  
Phillips ..... Forward ..... Hearst  
Geary ..... Forward ..... Cuttford  
Referee—Win. Cambray.

**PERRY WEAKENED.**  
BOSTON, April 28.—Perry weakened in the fourth inning today, Boston making three runs and eventually winning from Philadelphia by 6 to 2.

The score: R. H. E.  
Philadelphia ..... 100 000 100—2 6 2  
Boston ..... 100 300 205—6 10 0  
Perry, Keefe, Hasty and Perkins; Bush, Myers and Ruel.

**CITY CHAMPS BANQUETTED.**  
GUELPH, April 28.—The members of the Stove Company Hockey Team City League champions for 1920-21 were tendered a complimentary banquet at the Royal Canadian Cafe tonight by the employees of the firm which they represented.

**YANKS BREAK JINX; SENATORS DO SLIDE**

NEW YORK, April 28.—The Yankees broke their long losing streak today, defeating Washington in the last game of the series by a score of 9 to 5. Rice, Lewis and Harris worked a triple steal in the first inning, the former stealing home. Glaverty and Ruth almost came to blows in the fourth inning, but were separated by Umpire Moriarity.

The score: R. H. E.  
Washington ..... 310 000 010—5 10 3  
New York ..... 140 110 025—9 12 1  
Zachary, Brickson, Courtney and Glaverty; Piercy and Schang.

**GET TY'S SMILE!**  
CLEVELAND, April 28.—The Cleveland Indians set a season's record today, defeating Detroit 18 to 5, making 25 hits for a total of 33 bases. Each Indian made at least one hit and scored at least one run.

In addition to keeping Detroit to scattered hits and being effective in the punches, Uble made a home-run with the bases filled and got two singles, driving in six runs, his home sending Leonard to the showers.

The score: R. H. E.  
Detroit ..... 002 000 021—5 11 1  
Cleveland ..... 105 500 275—18 23 3  
Leonard, Cole and Bassler; Manning; Uble and O'Neill.



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A pair of 75c Braces given with every purchase of Pants valued at \$3.50 and over.

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Every fifth purchaser of a pair of Pants valued at \$3.50 or over will be presented with \$1.00 in cash. **HUNDREDS OF ITEMS** in this sale which are not advertised today.

**LOT NO. ONE**  
Pants worth up to \$4.50 for **\$2.50**

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**LOT NO. THREE**  
Pants worth up to \$8.00 for **\$5.00**

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from Montreal Shirt Co., The Crescent Shirt Co., Lang Shirt Co., and Dominion Shirt Co., on sale today and Saturday. Regular values up to \$4.50. One price **\$1.95**

**2,672 WORK SHIRTS**  
Divided into two lots. Values, \$2.00 to \$3.25. Sale price \$1.45 and \$1.95

**200 Dozen ENGLISH-MADE SOCKS**  
65c value, for, pair ... 29c

**350 RAINCOATS**  
DUNTEX, best English make, Regular \$18 Coats for. **\$9.25**  
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## MAKE FINAL DRAFT OF RACING DATES

O. L. C. Opens in First Series On May 21, For Seven-Day Meet.

TORONTO, April 28.—The Canadian Racing Association met here today and prepared the final draft of dates for this season's racing. Sir Montague Allan, who, with J. K. L. Ross, represented Blue Bonnets Club, president, and others who attended the meeting were: Raymond Beaudry, Dorval; Col. Wm. Hendrie, Ontario Jockey Club; H. J. McIntyre, Hamilton Jockey Club; George M. Hendrie, Windsor, and J. H. Maddigan, Port Erie.

Apart from the revision of the schedule of dates, only routine business was transacted. The schedule follows:

**First Series.**  
Ontario Jockey Club, Toronto, Saturday, May 21 to May 23.  
Dorval Jockey Club, Montreal, Monday, May 24 to June 6.  
Montreal Jockey Club, Club, Montreal, Tuesday, June 7 to June 14.  
Connaught Park Jockey Club, Ottawa, Wednesday, June 15 to June 22.  
Hamilton Jockey Club, Hamilton, Thursday, June 23 to July 1.

**Second Series.**  
Niagara Racing Association, Port Erie, Saturday, July 2 to July 9.  
Windsor Jockey Club, Windsor, Tuesday, July 12 to July 19.  
Kenilworth Jockey Club, Windsor, Wednesday, July 20 to July 27.

**Third Series.**  
Hamilton Jockey Club, Hamilton, Saturday, July 30 to August 6.  
Niagara Racing Association, Port Erie, Monday, August 8 to August 15.  
Windsor Jockey Club, Windsor, Wednesday, August 17 to August 24.  
Dorval Jockey Club, Montreal, Friday, August 26 to September 2.  
Montreal Jockey Club, Montreal, Saturday, September 3 to September 10.  
Connaught Park Jockey Club, Ottawa, Tuesday, September 13 to September 20.  
Ontario Jockey Club, Toronto, Saturday, September 24 to October 1.  
Kenilworth Jockey Club, Windsor, Tuesday, October 4 to October 11.

**NORTHERN HIGHS FORM LEAGUE**  
Will Play Soccer Now, But All Sports in Season.

HARRISTON, April 28.—A local league has been formed to be known as the Northern Counties High School League, with the following officers: President, T. Hobbs, Harriston; vice-president, G. L. Brackenbury, Wingham; secretary-treasurer, R. H. Archibald, Listowel; executive committee, T. Spence, Mount Forest, and A. E. Kelson, Kincardine.

This comprises five high schools at present; other schools may be admitted later. It was thought was to have the interschool activities this spring confined to football. The schools were divided into two groups: Listowel, Harriston and Mount Forest; Wingham, Kincardine and Mount Forest.

The schedule of games is as follows:  
May 7—Mount Forest at Listowel.  
May 11—Harriston at Mount Forest.  
May 14—Listowel at Mount Forest.  
May 18—Harriston at Listowel.  
May 21—Kincardine at Wingham.  
May 24—Wingham at Kincardine.  
May 27—Wingham at Kincardine.  
The winners from each group are to be declared by May 24, and the final games to be played by the end of May. The activities for next fall are to consist of basketball by the girls, football by boys and an athletic meet. The winter activities are to be arranged at the time of the track meet.

**LACROSSE**  
J-A-B-S

HARRISTON, April 28.—At a well attended gathering of lacrosse players and supporters held in the council chambers tonight, it was unanimously agreed that a lacrosse team be organized here for the coming season, and to affiliate with the Harriston Amateur Athletic Association.

The officers are: Honorary president, Reeve Dale; president, Mayor Fawcett; vice-president, J. J. Pritchard; manager, W. Dixon; secretary, Jack Dale; committee, Messrs W. B. Thompson, E. Constable, J. Mundy, secretary and manager representative to W. A. A. A. B. Whitestone.

As Canada's national game has been dormant here for several years, it was decided for this season not to enter a league, but to arrange exhibition games with nearby towns, and to judge from the enthusiasm displayed by the young blood, together with the experienced players, Harriston should give a creditable account in the lacrosse arena this season.

**EMMA GEES HAVE HARD GAME ON TOMORROW**

The game between St. Thomas Rovers and Machine Gunners at the heights tomorrow will decide the leadership in B group of the London and District. Mudd's departure for England has left a big hole in the Emma Gees' line, but they are more than confident, despite this.

The Gunners' line-up will be: Goal, F. Thwaites; backs, C. Taylor, H. Hobbs; half backs, G. Taylor, A. W. Taylor, C. Rawson; forwards, H. Turner, D. McGlenaghan, J. Henderson, N. E. Fairweather, Harry Woods; reserves, J. English, J. Stewart, P. Thwaites. The kick-off will be at 6 p.m.

**J. B. M. Ferguson Leads London Tennis Club**

Will Entertain in W. O. T. L. and Launch City League.

At an enthusiastic tennis meeting held in the Y. M. C. A. last night the London Tennis Club got away to a flying start on its second year.

Many good suggestions for boosting and promoting the game were brought forward. It was decided to enter a team in the Western Ontario Tennis League, and if possible, to open up a field for an inter-club league in the city.

A campaign for new members is now being way to increase the membership of the club.

The following officers were elected: Hon. president, Hon. C. S. Hyman; president, J. B. M. Ferguson; vice-president, Mr. P. D. Mitchell; vice-president, Miss Helen Woolley; secretary, Iolo Williams; treasurer, A. D. Walker; membership committee, J. G. Boucher, Williams, Fred Beattie, Dr. Seale Holmes, Marion Gray, Ethel Spence, Violet Siddall.

**ABOUT THE MINTERS**  
"AMATEUR" LOOKS GOOD.  
BRANTFORD, April 28.—Beecher is at present holding down a position at short in the Brants' line-up, and Manager George Orme may make him a regular if he keeps up his good work. Eight twirlers worked out in a trial game today between the regulars and amateurs, and several more pitchers are being sent on by Harry Stupp in order that they may be given a workout.

**BEAVERS WORK HARD.**  
KITCHENER, April 28.—As a result of the change in his routine forbidding the playing of exhibition games among M. O. teams by President Manly, the Kitchener Beavers will play in Brantford on Saturday. The Beavers are working hard to get in shape for the struggle, and Manager Jordan is promising a surprise to local fans in Saturday's game. There will be a crowd of fans accompany the team to the Telephone City.

**SARNIA, April 28.**—For the first time since the practice sessions began "Hump" Pierce has his infield aspirants cavorting around in their positions today. If the outfield is as good as the infield, and the pitching staff is as good as it is at all, the local pastimers are going to be the team to beat for the bunting this season "Buck" Boyle has first base corralled. No one is even contesting his right to the bag. He showed class yesterday. Keonig and Watson are battling it out for second, though Hump is putting Keonig in the outfield Saturday.

Morris, a clever youngster, is making a bid for Worley's job at short-stop, but Hump will likely shift him over to second. He is the most finished infielder of the lot, and it is going to be hard to the pitching staff to get him line-up. He backs up his fielding with a healthy wallop at the bat. Watson is a pretty fielder and hardly looks like a discard.

Kelly and Close are working around third base, but the Bay City rookie picked out the hardest man on the team to replace. If Close is retained it will likely be for his hitting, where he has been showing up well in practice. Kelly has the most powerful whip of any player on the team.

Taking them all round the Port Huron-Sarnia infield right now the good, if not better than anything the Mint League had hanging around last season.

There will probably be eight teams in the Manufacturers' League when the organization slips down the ways at a special meeting to be held at Brisco's store next Tuesday night.

It was expected that the league owing to the rearrangements of the teams, this was impossible. R. C. R.'s who created quite a stir in Quebec and Montreal baseball circles last year are the latest entries with Scott-Chamberlain as the seventh team. Ruggles are considering entering and will know definitely before the next meeting thus making an eight-team organization.

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300 pairs Overalls, all makes, Every-body's, Bob Long and Kitchen Union Label garments at **\$1.95**  
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**Police Suspenders**, at pair **49c**  
**Shop Caps**, each **40c**  
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Tonight's practice over at Tecumseh Park will really be the second turnout, though some of the squad turned out on Wednesday night, despite orders. A full outfit is expected to jump into the game tonight, and if all the stick-wielders in town are there, the old ball ground is going to look a bit crowded. There should be forty there at least.

This year's squad is remarkable for other things besides numbers. One of them is a perfectly obvious spirit that doesn't often afflict lacrosse players—or hasn't of late years. It's always been a drag to get anyone to turn out, but this year's squad are careering their sticks like long-lost pets.

**Are Keen.**  
It may not be the best kind of training in the world for a bunch to get out, but this year's squad are careering their sticks like long-lost pets.

A number of the fans have decided the squad is worth a trip over the river to see, and from now on they'll be sure of lots of action.

**Juniors.**  
Knechtel, McLean, E. Whitby, Spearman, Dickson, Dingle, Hodgins, Antone, Smith, Scheiding, Lutton, Roach, I. Whitby, Russell, Cook, Slattery, Petherly, Sid Rankin, F. Barnard, J. Burgess, H. Hicks, C. Donohue, Jackson, J. Manly, V. Donohue.

**VANCOUVER WORLD IS SOLD.**  
Vancouver, B. C., April 29.—Canadian Press.—John Nelson, publisher of the Vancouver World newspaper, announces that ownership of the newspaper will be published on and after Monday, May 2, by Charles Campbell of Vancouver. Mr. Nelson has been asked to remain in charge of the newspaper, and has consented to do so for a short time. He stated last night that he had no future plans except that he hoped to take a long rest.

**STEAMER SAILINGS.**  
Antwerp, April 24.—Borderer, Britishly Havre for Montreal.  
Bordeaux, April 25.—Georgie (French) for Montreal.  
Manchester, April 28.—Manchester Exchange for Montreal.  
New York, April 28.—Adriatic from Southampton. Asla from Marseilles.  
Trieste, April 22.—Argentine from New York.  
Bremen, April 23.—New Rochelle from New York.  
Bremen, April 24.—Susquehanna from New York.  
Naples, April 22.—Giuseppe Verdi from New York.

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Corn Syrup, 2-lb. tins 25c  
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Minute Tapioca, 2 pkgs. for 25c  
Pork and Beans, 4 tins for 25c

Snowflake Ammonia, 3 pkgs. for 25c  
Silver Gloss Starch, 2 pkgs. for 25c  
Carnation Milk, large tins 3 for 80c  
Magic Baking Powder, per lb. 35c  
Rinsos, 3 pkgs. for 25c  
Domestic Sardines, 3 tins for 25c  
Macaroni, per pkg. 10c  
Seeded Raisins, 15 ounce pkg. 25c  
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GOVERNOR-GENERAL EN ROUTE EAST.

WINNIPEG, April 28.—Having concluded his last official visit to Western Canada, the Duke of Devonshire passed through Winnipeg this morning en route east. The governor-general, accompanied by the Duchess of Devonshire, has spent the past month in visiting the four western provinces. The vice-regal party will stop for a brief period at the head of the lakes this evening.

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Parliament.

SCIENTIFIC RESEARCH

Occupied Attention of House  
For Main Part of the  
Day.

OTTAWA, April 28.—By Canadian Press.—A slack House tonight discussed the permanent international court of justice to be created under the aegis of the League of Nations. For a large part of the day there had been a debate on the second reading of a bill to authorize creation of a national institute for scientific research. Sir George Foster, who has the bill in hand, laid emphasis on the importance of scientific research in the development of industry.

"If," exclaimed Sir George, "if Canada is to compete with other countries most attention must be devoted to scientific and industrial research." There was general agreement that scientific research should be encouraged, but criticism on the ground that the proposed institute would duplicate expenditure.

Hon. Charles Murphy frankly admitted that he was "from Missouri." He claimed that the institute would be an unjustifiable addition to present research machinery in the public departments.

"This institute," so Mr. Murphy said, "will attract men who by constantly advertising their own talents have made the people of Canada believe that they are scientific experts." The bill went into committee, and "progress" was reported, Sir George Foster making the observation that overlapping of departmental research would be avoided.

Instructional Justice.  
At the evening sitting Rt. Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of agriculture, outlined the purpose of the international court of justice and the method of its appointment.

"International justice," Mr. Doherty declared, "is of the greatest importance if peace is to be secured. Justice must be the foundation of any lasting peace."

The highest interests of humanity," added Hon. Newton W. Rowell, "were furthered by the men who drew up the constitution of this court."

Some opposition came from the Liberal ranks. Suppose the court sat for months on Asian disputes, queried Lucien Cannon (Dorchester), who would foot the bill? Canada did not have the means for such a project.

The House was in committee at the time, and after a discussion lasting until almost midnight "progress" on this bill also was reported.

**AMEND CIVIL SERVICE.**

OTTAWA, April 28.—(By Canadian Press.)—A bill to amend the civil service act was introduced by Hon. E. K. Spence, Yarmouth, and Clague at the opening of the House of Commons this afternoon. The bill contains a number of tentative amendments, but Mr. Spence announced that he would ask for the appointment of a special committee to consider the whole subject of revision of the civil service act.

Hon. W. S. Fielding said that the Senate of the United States had approved an extradition treaty providing for the extradition of certain classes of offenders from Canada to the United States. He asked whether or not this treaty had been submitted to the Parliament of Canada.

Rt. Hon. C. J. Doherty, minister of justice, replied that the treaty in question was one that had been standing for some time, and as far as his knowledge went it had not been submitted to the Canadian Parliament. The matter would be investigated, and the exact situation would be ascertained.

Hon. W. S. Fielding: "Is it understood that we always wait in all things for a lead from Washington?"  
Mr. Doherty replied that this was not always the case, but that Canada was withholding action, pending acceptance of the treaty by the United States.

Hon. Rodolphe Lemieux asked if Parliament was going to sit on Ascension Day, Thursday next.

Rt. Hon. Arthur Meighen: "The matter has not been under consideration, but no doubt the usual practice will be followed."

Relief Measures in Force.  
Hon. H. S. D. (Beauregard) asked as to the truth of reports that a large number of returned men, some of them disabled and in dire circumstances, were out of work. He also asked if the Government had any measures for their relief, and if not, what measures were contemplated.

Mr. Meighen answered that last winter the Government had taken relief measures and was especially in the cases of disabled men. This spring there had been certain modifications, but subject to these modifications the relief measures were still in force. Suggestions for the relief of unemployment had ranged from the initiation of public works to placing unemployed soldiers on army pay and allowances.

"Many requests have been made," Mr. Meighen added, "on the supposition, no doubt, that there is an infinite reservoir of supply. As yet these additional special requests have not been granted."

Work Eminently Successful.  
On second reading of the bill to amend the research council act to provide for the establishment of a national research institute, Sir George Foster, minister of trade and commerce, said that the work of the research council had been eminently successful.

Sir George referred to two or three of the more notable achievements of the research council. Investigations by the council into the pest industry of Canada had resulted in reducing the cost of manufacture of air dried peas. Last summer 5,300 tons of peas from the bog at Alfred, Ont., had been sold in Ottawa and throughout Central Canada. There was an excellent demand for it, ten times as much could have been disposed of had it been available. The peas were sold at a good profit.

The briquetting of low-grade lignites of Manitoba and Saskatchewan had been investigated by the research council, and results were very satisfactory. If Canada were to compete with other

countries more attention must be devoted to scientific and industrial research. It was proposed that Canada should now take definite action to help producers of the Dominion through scientific research. Work along these lines was not purely for the benefit of the manufacturer. The agriculturists and the home-maker might derive the greatest benefits from research.

The research council, which now consisted of eleven members, would be increased to fifteen on account of the establishment of the institute. The men on the council would not be paid a salary, with the exception of the chairman.

At the institute itself there would be a staff, consisting of a director and such scientific, technical and other employees as were necessary. The director would act under the supervision of the minister of trade and commerce, and would devote his whole time to his duty. He would have the right to be present in discussions of the research council, but not the right to vote. The institute would undertake to promote utilization of the natural resources of Canada, endeavor to improve industrial methods and discover new methods.

Use Waste Products.  
Its aim would be the use of waste products from which no economic benefit is now derived. Manufacturers in Canada meeting with a difficulty in this regard would be offered the facilities of the institute. They might send their investigators to work in the institute's laboratory. Already certain large industries had signified their intention of doing research work once the institute could offer facilities.

Hon. Charles Murphy (Russell) observed that such an institute as projected would undoubtedly involve large expenditures of money, and at the present time expenditure was something to be avoided. It would be of interest to the House and to the people of Canada to know just what additional outlay would be occasioned by the setting up of this new department.

It might cause a very heavy initial expenditure, which at this time no prudent government would embark upon.

Mr. Murphy agreed on the advisability of applying science to industry, but he was not agreed on the methods. This proposal, he said, was an unjustifiable addition to the present research machinery maintained in the various departments. It would be better to go ahead with what we already had.

The mines department in particular had many capable men engaged in research work, who, during the last few years, had been leaving the Government service to go into private work, where their remuneration was more in keeping with their duty, and where their future was much brighter.

Instead of creating this research institute, Mr. Murphy thought it would be more to the point to retain the services of the good men.

The institute, he feared, would not attract men, who, through the constant exercise of advertising their own talents, had made the people of Canada believe that they were scientific experts. These were the class of men who would fasten themselves upon such an institute.

The member for Russell instanced the case of one man, who, he said, had persuaded people that he was an authority on peace. As a result he was given a job when the celebration of 100 years of peace was proposed. Then when war broke out he became an authority on war, and succeeded overnight in getting another job as a war expert. When the armistice was signed he changed again to an authority on re-establishment of soldiers, and again secured a job. Mr. Murphy feared that this was the class of scientific expert who would be attracted to this sort of institute.

Industrial Science.  
The minister, in stating what the research council had accomplished, had spoken of the pest industry and lignite briquetting. In each case it was a promise of something which it was hoped would be done in the future. Many people in Ottawa had tried to burn peat fuel as produced by the Government experts and had been cured.

Up to the present time the Government had expended some \$2,000,000 on apparatus for officials in the various departments. The present replacement cost of that research equipment would probably be about \$4,000,000. That would be scrapped if the research institute were established.

Hume Cronyn (London), chairman of the House committee which investigated scientific research, said experts in Great Britain, United States and Canada were unanimous that universities should be confined to a great extent to the study of pure science. Industrial science must be carried on outside of universities. This was one of the reasons for a research institute. An immense amount depended on those in charge of the institute. The best available men were necessary or the scheme would not be a success. Nothing would be more disappointing than to have a "newspaper scientist" placed in charge. Mr. Cronyn said he had received an enormous number of suggestions with regard to the institute. He quoted evidence from the United States to show that similar institutions were strongly supported there, both by manufacturers and by organized labor.

The bill was given a second reading, and discussion on it was continued in committee.

Danger of Overlapping.  
Sir George Foster stated that he had no intention of taking the bill out of committee today. Some of the clauses required redrafting.

Joseph Armstrong (East Lambton), asked if there was not danger of overlapping in the work now performed by the mines department and geological and survey and the research council.

The minister replied that overlapping would be avoided. He then gave the committee some information in regard to the production of peat at Alfred, Ont. This work was being done by the Federal Government in co-operation with the Provincial Government of Ontario.

Peat was now a commercial commodity, and substantial demand for it had been created. The machinery for its production was being improved. Progress was reported.

Second reading was given to the bill to authorize the ratification and carrying into effect of the protocol of December 16, 1920, accepting the statute for permanent court of international justice.

Grand Jury Returns  
TRUE BILL AGAINST  
McFADDEN AND HOTRUM

TORONTO, April 28.—True bills were returned by the grand jury at the spring assizes here today against Roy Hotrum and William McFadden, alleged hold-up men, who are charged with murdering Leonard Cecil Sabine, a local druggist, on March 5 last. The grand jury also returned a true bill against Frank Caswell, a druggist of this city, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Mrs. Ethel Rosnick, for whom he had filled a prescription. It is alleged that he made a mistake in medicine.

CRERAR AT FREDERICTON.  
FREDERICTON, N. B., April 28.—Hon. T. A. Crerar, leader of the Farmers party of Canada, arrived in the city this afternoon. He came here from Ottawa to address a series of four meetings in the by-election campaign in York-Sunbury.**Quality--**of FABRICS and TAILORING  
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IF THE Young Women's Christian Association did no other work than meet transients at the station, their's would be a most important welfare work, for hundreds of girls and women are met annually by representatives of this organization; many are guided on their journey; many are directed to places in the city; all are protected from mistakes or pitfalls.

But the work of the Y. W. C. A. just begins there. Boarding places are provided for the girls coming to the city, either at one of the association's two residence homes or in a private home with proper atmosphere.

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Everything that the Y. W. C. A. does is for the good and the betterment of womanhood.

When you make your annual donation to the United Welfare Fund you will know that the Y. W. C. A. is amply provided for by the budget assigned to them this year.

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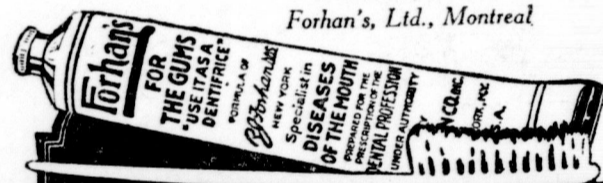
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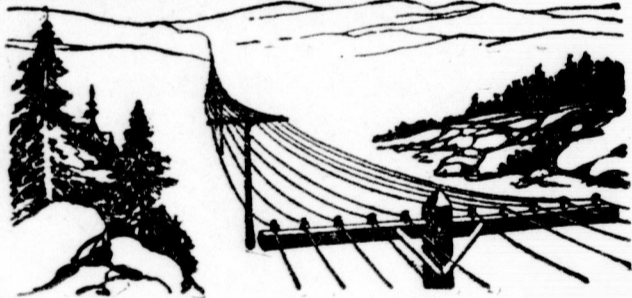
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### THREE ARE SENT FOR TRIAL AS RESULT OF HARTFORD SHOOTING

Hilton, Henry and Webster  
Receive Preliminary  
Hearing at Simcoe.

SIMCOE, April 28.—George Hilton Sherry, Elmer Henry and James Webster were this morning committed for trial at the next assizes, after a preliminary hearing into the shooting of Joseph Howard, the general storekeeper at Hartford.

On the night of April 5, Howard was in his barn, where he had gone to the loft to throw down some hay. After being in the loft for about five minutes he descended the stairs leading to the ground floor. Upon getting down stairs he was faced by two masked men, one armed with a revolver which was pointed at Howard's head. Howard grabbed at the man who held the gun. He pulled the trigger and the bullet entered Howard's right shoulder.

He called Dr. J. McCracken of Hagersville and after a thorough examination the doctor said that he was unable to extract the bullet and Howard was immediately rushed to the Hamilton Hospital.

Dr. McCracken was called by the crown and testified to the best of his knowledge that Mr. Howard would make a good recovery, but that his arm would be lame for some time.

Articles identified. (which were used as masks) and a cap were produced in court and were identified as the ones worn and used by the robbers on the night of the shooting.

George Sloat storekeeper at Little Buffalo was then called to the box and said that he had been out delivering meat, when he happened to be passing Sherry's home. Sherry came to the road and called him in, stating that he had an organ to sell him.

He said in court that Sherry also tried to sell him a revolver for ten beans. The revolver was produced and was identified as the same by Sloat. Upon being asked the date of the interview with Sherry, Sloat said March 31. Then on the 5th of April Sherry called on Sloat and asked him to come over and buy the organ at his own price. April 6th Sloat called on Sherry and bought the organ for \$15 and asked Sherry where the gun was. Sherry said that he had sold the gun a couple of days before.

Several other witnesses were called. No defence was given this morning and the magistrate committed the prisoners for trial before a judge and jury at the next assizes.

H. P. Innes, K. C., is acting for Hilton Sherry and Elmer Henry, A. A. Winters for James Webster, W. E. Kelly, K. C., for the crown.

### KOMOKA

Komoka, April 27.—Mrs. James Brown, who is suffering with a broken shoulder as the result of an automobile accident, is slightly improved. Her many friends hope she will soon be able to be around again.

The Girls' Club, with Miss McDonald as president, held a splendid meeting at the home of Mrs. Wm. Farber, on Tuesday evening. The Komoka Breeze, the paper edited by the club, was read, and very much enjoyed.

The farmers in this district have most of their spring seeding done, and are looking forward to a busy season. William Murch of Parkhill has moved here, and will open the blacksmith shop formerly owned by his father.

The Boys' Club, recently organized, held its first meeting at the home of Mrs. A. Hord.

W. Parsons has sold his house and lot to Albert Westbrook and intends moving to London.

**Children Cry  
FOR FLETCHER'S  
CASTORIA**

### SIBERIA FEARS BANDIT GANGS

Vladivostok Rifle Is Unable To  
Control 25,000 Force Rob-  
bing Farmers.

Vladivostok, April 27.—The presence of 25,000 hostile officers and men within a few hours' ride of this city, and ready to fight the moment their arms are restored, is proof of the helplessness of the so-called Vladivostok Government and the chaotic condition in Eastern Siberia. The idle host is ready for any escapade, from looting a farmer's barn to leading an organized revolution.

The Semenov Cossacks help themselves to locomotives and cars, get in the habit of searching passenger trains, and are arresting and executing Communists until timid citizens are afraid to travel between Vladivostok and Harbin. The Kappel survivors are more peaceful, declaring that they shed blood only in the interests of political principles. However, except a few hundred who are bravely hunting jobs in Vladivostok, they are not anxious for work, although they are not averse to loot, steal coal from passing trains, intimidate the crews and passengers, and rob neighboring farmers while awaiting the renewal of the fighting.

Blame Each Other. This stock of human explosives is harbored within the area of the Japanese expedition. The territory is nominally under the jurisdiction of the Vladivostok Government, though the final police authority rests with the Japanese. The Far Eastern Republic, again, neither does the local officials of the Japanese. Each blames the others for the continued presence of these men.

"The Japanese authorities brought these soldiers within their area of occupation," said M. Kulagin, inspector of Russian militia. "We did not want them, and we have urged them repeatedly to return to their homes at our expense. We do not understand why the Japanese do not use force and compel them to vacate." Both Kappelists and Semenovists say that if Japanese were to evacuate the area, they themselves would be forced to flee for their lives.

"So long as the Japanese are here," explained the Cossack chief, naively, "we are safe, because the Vladivostok Government is unable to send armed forces into the area to evict us. So long as we are here the Japanese have an excuse for remaining in Siberia, because the Chita Government is unable to claim that the republic is united, and that there is no further need for the Japanese remaining."

Protest Act of Bands.

On account of the interference with the operation of the railroads, protests against the acts of these bands were made by Charles H. Smith, the American representative on the Allied railway commission. The latter, consisting of representatives of Russia, China, Japan, Britain, France and the United States, stopped the practice of the Semenovists of inspecting and visiting the passports of passengers on all trains passing through the area. Soldiers with women and children occupy 552 cars of the crippled railroad, filling the sidetracks and maintaining possession of numerous stations.

### Forestry Department Plans Beautification of Roads

Provincial Forester Tells Galt Citizens  
—Will Co-operate with the  
Municipalities.

Galt, April 27.—For the second time within a month Provincial Forester H. J. Moore tonight visited Galt under the auspices of the Board of Trade and addressed a public meeting in the city hall on "Beautification of the Approaches of Galt." There was a large attendance and delegates were present from civic bodies and horticultural societies from Hamilton, Hespeler, Preston and Kitchener.

Mr. Moore's address was illustrated by a number of views, roadways, boulevards, parks and city groves. In a clear and convincing manner he outlined the Government's policy for the beautification of the provincial highways by planting trees along them and creating little groves for the convenience of touring motorists.

He declared that there were great possibilities of making Ontario attractive to tourists and said the department of highways was prepared, with the co-operation of the city folk and farmers, to make the Hamilton-Galt highway 56 feet wide instead of 55 feet, so that it would be possible to have rows of trees which would not be interfered with by telephone or telegraph wires.

With the co-operation of the municipalities, the department would beautify the approaches to them by boulevards with the shrubs and fancy trees and all the municipalities would be asked to do was to care for the maintenance of such improvements. As an illustration of what was being done along this line, he told of work under way at St. Catharines. Some useful information on the growing of shrubs and roses was also given.

W. Philip, manager of the Royal Bank, today received word that the contract had been let to the Dickie Construction Company of building, in this city, work on which it is expected will be commenced immediately.

The Standard Paving Company which is now paving Water street, north, in this city, has been awarded the contract to pave the main street of Elmira.

### KERWOOD

Kerwood, April 27.—The Ladies' Aid of the Methodist Church will meet on Wednesday, May 4th, at the home of their president, Mrs. Frank Hull. A good attendance is requested as there are two quilts to be quilted. There will also be an election of officers for the coming year.

A new butcher shop is being erected on the property next to A. Law's general store.

Owing to the heavy rain on Friday evening the social planned by the mission circle was postponed indefinitely. Sacramental services will be held in the Methodist Church next Sabbath morning. The evening service will be held at Bethesda.

### EMBRO

Embrow, April 27.—A number of villagers are bothered with water in their cellars, especially on Huron street. At present men are deepening the ditch on that street to see if it will carry the water away. Last week there was three inches of water in the basement of Knox Church.

Owing to the rain last week many farmers with low land will be unable to work it for some time. The crops of those who have had their seeding done a few weeks ago and on high land are looking good.

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## L. M. MONTGOMERY PLEASES AUDIENCES OF WOMEN'S CLUBS

Author of "Ann of Green Gables" Gives Charming Recital.

L. M. Montgomery, the creator of the immortal "Ann of Green Gables," delighted a large audience of the Women's Club yesterday afternoon, when she met them on the platform of the Talbot Street Baptist Sunday School room and read to them little masterpieces of story and poetry from her own works. From the loving manner in which she read of her own characters, it was not difficult to see that she really lives in the little world of her own creation, and that she loves to let others peep in there too. "Great-aunt Eliza's Visit," from her novel, "The Golden Road," was one of the selections chosen for yesterday afternoon's reading, and in this, not only proved herself a master humorist, but one with a delicious appreciation of a dramatic climax. Another masterpiece, a little bit of humorous prose read was one of her short stories, all about the man-hating woman and the woman-hating man, who found that they didn't mix so badly after all when forced to put up with each other's society through circumstances which could not be helped.

Delightful Poetry. Then came her delightful poetry, which cannot be described but only quoted from. Among the selections read was her well-known and loved poem of the sea "When the Dark Comes Down," which opens with the following stanza:

"When the dark comes down, oh, the wind is on the sea,  
With hissing and a whisper to the red reef's threnody.  
The boats are sailing homeward now across the harbor bar.  
With many a jest and many a shout from fishing grounds afar.  
So furl your sails and take your rest, ye fisher folks so brown.  
For task and quest are needed when the dark comes down."

"Life," was another poem bearing through it the thought which this one line tells:

"I would drink deeply, life, of thy great chance."

"Genius" was the title of a third little poem written to commemorate the great army men and women who have died unknown, in order that one genius coming after them, might live and flower.

"A hundred generations have gone into its making,  
With all their love and tenderness, with all their dreams and tears,  
Their vanishing joy and pleasure, their pain and their heart-breaking,  
Have colored their rare blossom of the long-unfruitful years."

"Their victory and their laughter for days have strong men given,  
For this have sweet, dead women paid in patience, which survives—  
That a great soul might bring the world, as from the gate of heaven,  
All that was rich and beautiful in those forgotten lives."

Reads Before Girls' Club. In the evening Mrs. Evan MacDonald, for that is her everyday name, read again, this time before the "Girls' Canadian Club" and largely from her newest book, as yet in manuscript form, entitled "Rilla of Ingleside." This book is a picture of the life of the present-day girl, over which the shadow of the great war falls. The reading was from the first chapter, a pathetic, yet humorous account of a seventeen-year-old bidding farewell to her boy chum, who is leaving for overseas. The reader left the girls eager for more, and impatient for time which will elapse until August and the new book is published. A pretty tribute from the girls was a huge armful of Ophelia roses, presented to the guest of honor by Miss Kathleen Bond. Similar floral tributes were showered on the authoress by the Women's Canadian Club in the afternoon, and by the Women's Free Club later in the evening.

## "CHURCH AND HOME" SUBJECT OF PAPER

Deanery Also Hears Address On "Church Financing" by Edwin Smith.

"Church Financing" was the subject of the address given by Edwin Smith at the afternoon meeting of the East Middlesex Deanery in Christ Church on Thursday. Mr. Smith pointed out that it is just as necessary to have a systematic way of financing a church as it is to finance a business. Mr. Smith also advocated that all asking for money be done through a finance committee and not through the pulpit. "This is a thing ministers should guard against, and if the members of the congregation who have the welfare of the church at heart are asked to try and raise certain amounts for different purposes, they will not come far short of their objective," said the speaker.

Mr. Smith advised all congregations to use the envelope system and gave a simple illustration of how church books may be so kept that the auditors can see how things stand at a glance at any time. A discussion followed his address by the clergy, and Mr. Smith was busy for fifteen minutes answering questions.

The Home and Church. Mrs. H. E. Gahan gave the other paper on "The Home and Church." Mrs. Gahan commenced by saying that some might think her opinions old-fashioned but nevertheless the truth. Education and religious training must begin in the home. The home is God's school for character building, and the parents must be the master builders," said the speaker. "It is handed down in the scriptures that we must teach our children the knowledge of the Bible, and if all the home had a more spiritual atmosphere, the problems in the world today would be more easily solved."

"The Sunday school is the nursery of the church. And are our Sunday schools what we would wish them to be? They may be as regards building and other details, but if the teachers are not true Christians the Sunday school will fail in its mission. The social and commercial obligations of our people today take them away from their homes to such an extent that the Sunday school is looked to for religious and moral training for our young people, and so it is most necessary that our Sunday schools are efficient in every detail. The church should arouse indifferent parents to their responsibilities. Mr.

preach sermons along a more educational line, and should devote more sermons to missionary studies.

Are Necessary Evils. Mrs. Gahan did not approve of the many organizations in the churches today, and thought that it had a tendency to belittle the church and take young people away, rather than bring them into the church. Some of the clergy present termed these organizations as "necessary evils."

Mrs. Gahan's paper met with hearty applause, and the deanery passed a resolution to have the paper printed as given by the speaker and published broadcast.

FIRE IN GARAGE.—The fire department was called Thursday afternoon to the garage of Beemer & Co. Ltd., on Queen's avenue, where an automobile had caught fire. The blaze damaged the car to the extent of \$50.

but was extinguished before the firemen arrived.

## MRS. WILLIAM CONSTABLE DIES VERY SUDDENLY

Had Suffered Fall Monday, But Was Not Seriously Ill.

Mrs. William Constable, 817 York street, died suddenly Thursday afternoon apparently from heart-failure. She had been feeling ill for some days, and her illness, while not severe, may have been complicated by a fall which she suffered while down town on Monday. She was 47 years of age. She is survived by her husband, her mother, Mrs. William Pugsley of London; two daughters, Mrs. H. Sutter and Mrs. C. Duesling, both of this city, and one brother in Vancouver, B. C. Only a few minutes before her death

she had been talking to visitors who had called and seemed quite well at the time.

## NEW KIWANIS CLUB FORMED.

INGERSOLL, April 28.—The Ingersoll Kiwanis Club was organized tonight at a splendid meeting of leading citizens held at the Ingersoll Inn. Members of the London and Hamilton Kiwanis Clubs were present and assisted at the inauguration of the new club. The following officers were elected and installed: H. P. Stoneman, president; J. E. Gayer, vice-president; P. L. Smith, treasurer; board of directors, D. E. Robinson, J. V. Buchanan, R. B. Hutt, G. Mason, J. A. Coulter, George Sutherland, W. J. Elliott. After the meeting the visitors and their hosts were the guests of George Mason at his theatre.

## YOUNG PEOPLE'S RALLY.

HARRISTON, April 28.—In the vestry

of Knox Presbyterian Church representatives from the Methodist and Presbyterian Churches of Fordwich, Clifford and Harriston met to consider a proposal for a young people's rally. There was a good attendance, and all were enthusiastic regarding the proposed program. It was agreed to hold the rally on May 23 at Fordwich. Dr. J. Robertson has been booked, and the committee are trying to secure William Cook and Miss Olive Heigler to speak. Afternoon and evening sessions will be held, and will include an athletic program.

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Shoulder Roast Veal . . . 30c

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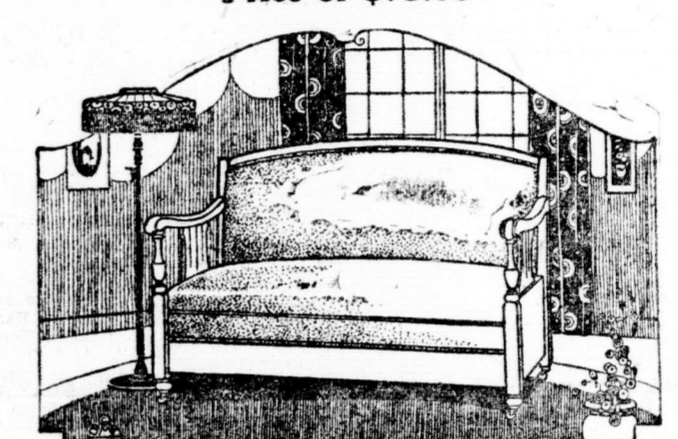
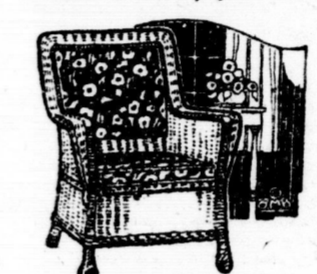
We frankly believe that one of the many reasons for the popularity of this store amongst the people of our city is due to our constantly offering the very latest things in Furniture of all kinds. You'll always find the newer designs here just as soon as the manufacturers offer them.

At this time we take particular pride in showing the beautiful new creations in Summer Furniture. While people refer to wicker furnishings as Summer Furniture, it's really a misnomer, as this very serviceable, practical Furniture is in great demand the year around. We want you to personally inspect these new designs and see how unusually low prices are.

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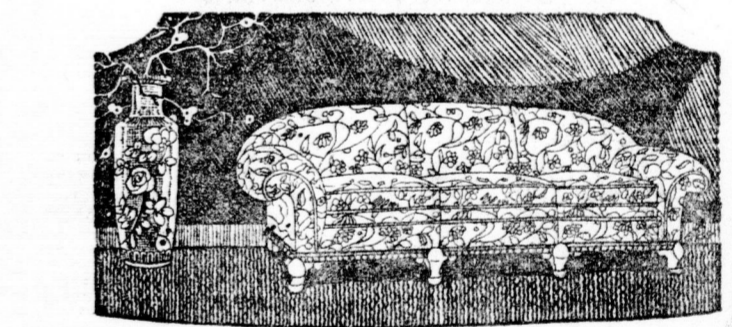
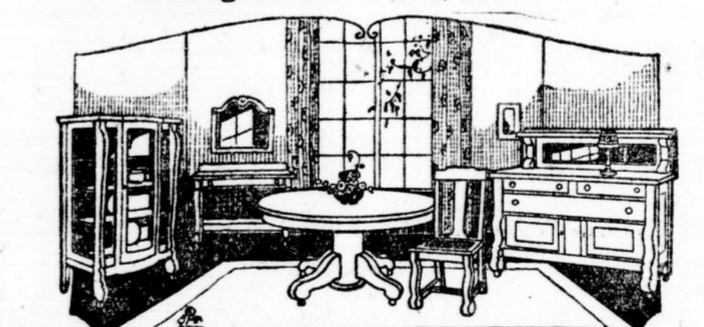
Fiber Furniture to-day is as durable as any wood furniture made, and this handsome, comfortable Fiber Chair, is typical of the fine summer furniture we offer. It has a tapestry covered back and spring seat.

Unexpected company and no extra sleeping quarters! Ever have this happen? You'll be prepared the next time if you have this pullman davenport in your home. It opens into a full size bed, and when closed it is a handsome, comfortable davenport. The frames are oak and the upholstery is Bradley Spanish leather.

They come in frosted brown, green, gray and ivory finishes, with large removable zinc flower boxes, that hold several good size plants or ferns. Only a few on sale at this special price, 50 come early.

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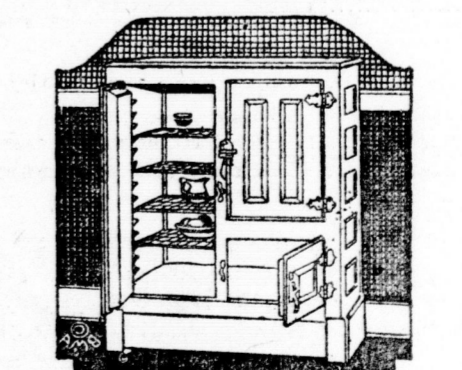
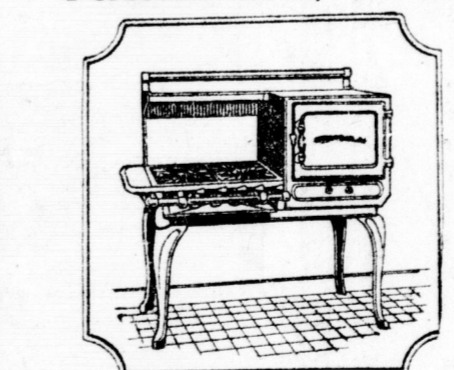
Choose the complete Suite or any combination of pieces you desire. You get Furniture that will last a lifetime so substantially constructed is this suite. The table extends to six feet, and the large buffet has a French plate mirror. It comes in solid oak, golden or fumed finish.

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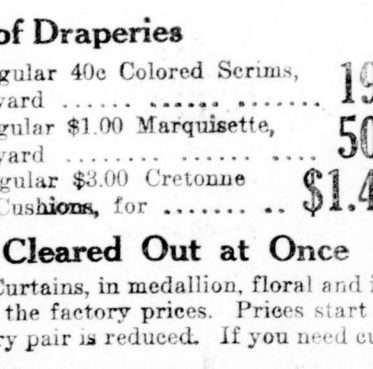
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# COAL STRIKE NEGOTIATIONS AT COMPLETE DEADLOCK

Miners Refuse Government's Latest Offer To Increase the Subsidy.

# STAND BY THE DEMANDS

Strike May Last Another Week—Government Will Make Another Effort.

LONDON, April 28.—Negotiations which have been in progress with the purpose of ending the coal strike reached another complete deadlock today when the Miners' Federation rejected the Government's latest offer to increase the temporary subsidy to the industry from £7,500,000 to £10,000,000. The rejection was made by an overwhelming majority of the miners' delegates, because the offer "fails to concede the fundamental principle for which we stand." All the delegates of the mine workers who have been attending the conference in London are returning to their respective districts. Although the miners themselves could override the decision of the delegates, this is considered unlikely.

Frank Hodges, secretary of the Miners' Union, said the Government's offer would mean a reduction in the miners' wages of 4s in July and 4s 6d in August, and that this was more than they could agree to.

National Wages Board. The fundamental principle contended for by the miners is a national wages board and a national pool, and this both the mine owners and the Government still oppose. Apparently, therefore, nothing can prevent the strike from continuing another week or longer, although the belief is that the Government will continue its efforts to bring about a settlement of the dispute.

The inconvenience to the public as a result of the strike daily is growing worse. The railway and railway services are to be still further cut, and the Government is said to be contemplating the extension of daylight saving by one hour. (Great Britain already has one hour of "summer time" in effect.)

The first court of the season at Buckingham Palace, which had been fixed for next Wednesday, has been indefinitely postponed on account of the coal strike.

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New York—Liverpool. Apr. 30, June 1, July 2, Caronia. May 14, June 15, July 16, Carmania. June 7, July 12, August 20, Albania. Sept. 3, Oct. 1, Scythia.

Boston to Liverpool and Glasgow. April 28, May 14, Massilia. May 21, July 14, Castalia.

New York—Cherbourg—Southampton. May 3, May 24, June 15, Aquitania. May 12, June 3, July 14, Mauretania. June 2, June 20, Berengaria.

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# COST OF LIVING HAS RISEN TEN PER CENT IN LAST TWO YEARS

OTTAWA, April 28.—There is an increase in the cost of living to the average man of about 10 per cent over two years ago, according to C. Grant MacNeil, secretary of the Dominion command of the G. W. V. A.

Mr. MacNeil has today submitted figures and facts to H. Cronyn, M.P., London, Ont., chairman of the parliamentary committee on pensions and rehabilitation. These figures supplemented a statement recently made by Mr. MacNeil on the cost of living to the committee.

# BELETED EFFORT TO SECURE CHEAP POWER FOR FARMS

U. F. O. Members Urge Government To Put Bill Through Before Prorogation.

TORONTO, April 28.—The Star says today: A last minute attempt to have the Legislature pass a bill to cheapen hydro power to the farmers and townspeople of the province is being made today. A bill has been drafted with that end in view, and it was being considered by the Drury cabinet at noon. It is hoped by its supporters that it will be introduced into the House this afternoon, but its fate is trembling in the balance.

The bill originally called for the appointment of a minister of power, and for the bonusing of rural transmission lines out of an increase in water rentals. These provisions had no chance of passing at this time, and so have been abandoned. In its latest form the bill is understood to provide:

(a) For the province bearing 50 per cent of the cost of transmission lines.

(b) For a bonus of 30 per cent to small urban centres.

(c) For the payment of the bonuses during the next twelve months out of uncollected water rentals, which are said to total \$500,000.

# SPANISH RIVER PAPER COMPANY CUT TIMBER WITHOUT A PERMIT

Interesting Evidence Given by Crown Agent at Timber Probe.

TORONTO, April 28.—Timber was cut by the Spanish River Pulp and Paper Mills, Limited, in McCullum Township, in McBeth Township and in Gooderham Township, without a permit in any of these cases. According to evidence given today by J. T. McDougall, crown timber agent, before Justices Riddell and Latchford, in the timber investigation, with reference to the McCullum Township incident, the witness said some spruce was removed in 1917, "but we stopped that."

Timber was cut by the company without permission in other places as well, McDougall said. One of these places was in the Kenney Siding along the Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railroad, in 1919, and the company had not received a permit. He recommended a trespass rate of \$8 per thousand, but the department charged \$12. This was pine timber, and not within the concession granted to the company for cutting pulpwood, and was taken without authority. The company at the time explained that the walking boss had been under the impression that a permit had been granted.

Referring to the several instances of timber having been cut without a permit, Mr. Justice Riddell asked the witness: "Why didn't you stop it?" "I am not an authority," was the reply.

# O. B. U. NOT DEAD CLAIMS R. A. RUSSELL

Conductors and Motormen Demand That W. E. R. Company Recognize the Union.

WINNIPEG, April 28.—Conductors and motormen of the Winnipeg Electric Railway, at a mass meeting early today, adopted a resolution demanding recognition by the company of their One Big Union organization. The resolution, as made public, when R. A. Russell, general chairman of the O. B. U., instructed the negotiating committee to go back to the company and demand that the street railway employees' unit, O. B. U., be recognized in full; failing that, the committee shall have power to use what methods they deem best to bring about the desired effect.

The committee was reported to be in conference with officials of the company this afternoon. Tonight the meeting of conductors and motormen will be resumed.

Denial is made by A. A. Russell and other officials of the One Big Union that the organization is in danger of a "split."

# CHURCH MEMBERS MUST CLEAN THEIR CELLARS OF BOOZE

The Brantford Congregational Church Goes On Record To This Effect.

BRANTFORD, April 28.—Following the passing of prohibition of liquor imports in Ontario the congregation at the First Congregational Church here has gone a step further in asking for clerical dominion over the cellars of church members. The following forms part of a resolution sent to Rev. Ben Spence and other notables tonight:

"It is resolved by the Congregational Church of Brantford, in regular business session assembled, that no church member of whatever denomination, having marked his ballot in favor of that prohibition, can conscientiously and honestly have in his home or cellar such articles which are prohibited of import. And that it is the duty of the Christian ministers to demand that the homes of the members of their congregations be clean and free from the taint of alcohol, which, if required for medicinal purposes, can be secured by a doctor's prescription. And that any stores so disposed of can with advantage be given the hospital, sanatorium or similar institutions."

# TEN KILLED IN FIGHT WITH MEXICAN BANDITS

Pay Roll of Oil Company Carried Off by Raiders.

HOUSTON, Texas, April 28.—In the bloodiest payroll hold-up in the history of the oil fields of Mexico, a band of fifteen Mexican bandits held up officials of the Agul Oil Company and obtained approximately \$35,000 pesos in Mexican gold near Tampico April 27, according to delayed advices reaching Houston. Ten persons were killed, including two bandits, in the fighting that accompanied the hold-up.

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Our business year closes May 1. To make room for incoming goods we must sacrifice several beautiful phonographs and pianos at record-breaking prices.

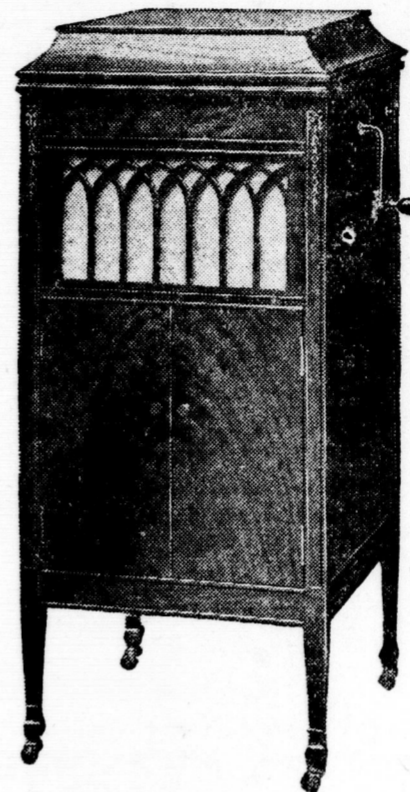
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Mason & Risch Cabinet Phonograph, large model; regular price, \$225.00. Special price....\$175.00	Edison Diamond Disc Phonograph; regular price, \$185.00. Special price.....\$160.00
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Columbia Cabinet Phonograph; regular price, \$160.00. Special price.....\$135.00	Goulay, Winter & Leeming, Louis design in mahogany; regular price, \$575.00. Special price.....\$360.00
Pathe Phonograph; regular price, \$85.00. Special price.....\$55.00	Canada Piano, colonial design, mahogany; regular price, \$475.00. Special price.....\$250.00
Sherlock-Manning Baby Grand Phonograph; regular price, \$325.00. Special price....\$225.00	Artist Piano, in ebony case. Special stocktaking price....\$225.00

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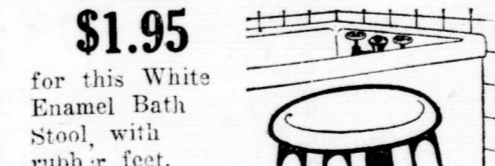
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<b>\$23.00</b> buys an English Fine Woven Tapestry Rug. These were former \$45.00 rugs.	100 pieces only of that popular Panel Net, 2 1/2 yard lengths, for, each, <b>60c</b>
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For this \$25.00 All-Brass Bed. Two-inch posts **\$16.90**



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For this Crib, exactly as illustrated, all steel. Regular \$15.00. **\$11.75**

# Standard Time for Long Distance

SOME communities are adopting Daylight Saving; others will continue on Standard Time.

In the absence of a Federal enactment making Daylight Saving general, Night Rates for Long Distance Service must be based on Standard Time.

Care should be exercised in making appointments for Long Distance calls in view of the variations in time used.

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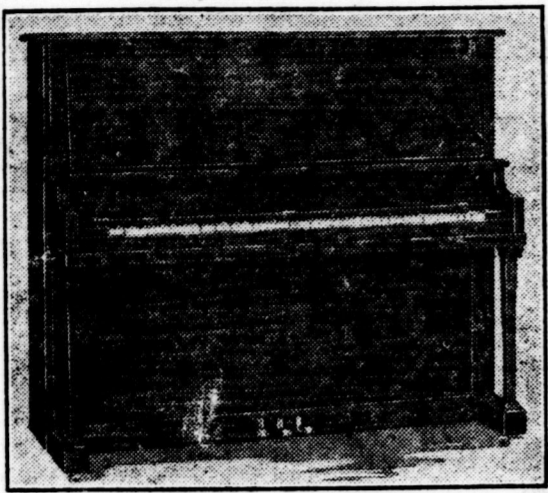
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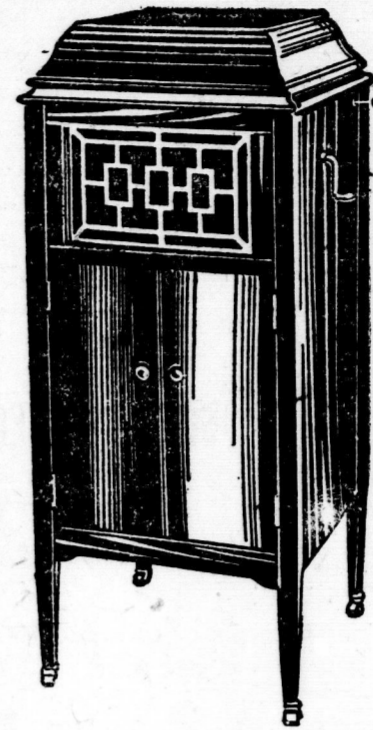
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Mahogany and fumed oak.  
Double spring motor, guaranteed.  
Plays all makes of records.  
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Open Evenings  
During Sale

NOTICE—Any instrument bought during this sale may be exchanged for one of greater value at any time within one year without loss to the purchaser. Out-of-town customers write for catalogue and special offer.

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LONDON.

## EGYPT'S POPULAR LEADER, ZAGHLUL, RETURNS TO CAIRO

Conferences Begin Immediately, Which Will Solve Egyptian Problem.

### BUSINESS SUSPENDED

National Chief, Leading Fight For Independence, Has Not Been in Native Land Since 1919.

Cairo, April 28.—Saad Zaghlul Pasha, leader of the Egyptian Nationalists in their fight for independence, will arrive here from Europe for his first visit to his native land since 1919. Monday and Tuesday, it is predicted here, will be the two most important days in modern Egyptian history, for with the arrival of Zaghlul will begin conferences which it is generally believed will result in the solution of the Egyptian problem.

## Was Suffering From INDIGESTION No Fear of Pains Now.

Indigestion is one of the worst forms of stomach trouble, and many people suffer terribly after every meal they eat. The rising and souring of the food, pains in the stomach, heartburn, water brash, belching of wind, vomiting shortly after eating, etc., are some of the symptoms. There is no need for any person to be troubled with indigestion, dyspepsia, or any other stomach trouble if they would only take Burdock Blood Bitters, which contains a combination of nature's roots, herbs, barks and berries; a combination that cannot help but put the stomach right.

Mr. H. H. Collins, Norton, N. B., writes: "I was with the overseas forces for four years and two months, and in October, 1918, I was unfortunate enough to be wounded and taken prisoner. I was a prisoner for 2½ years, and the food they gave us was not good, at times, and after a few months I found I was suffering from indigestion. When I came home in July, 1919, I was nearly a wreck. I was told to use Burdock Blood Bitters. I did so and found great relief, and can now eat without fear of pains and sickness. I would recommend B. B. to all who suffer from indigestion."

Burdock Blood Bitters has been on the market for over forty years, and during that time has made a reputation second to none for relieving all stomach troubles. Manufactured only by The T. Milburn Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

the railway route to Cairo which latter planned to welcome Zaghlul according to their ability. Business will be entirely suspended throughout the country on Tuesday.

Every officer and man in the British forces on duty here are ordered to remain in barracks until day. So far as can be learned only the usual police forces, reinforced by Egyptian native troops, will be in evidence. With the lessons of previous demonstrations which have ended seriously in mind, it is believed, however, that the British troops will be in a state of preparedness for any eventuality.

The plans for the reception of Zaghlul were entirely in the hands of a native reception committee. The advice of such guardians of public safety as Russell Bey, the English chief of native police, and the commanding officers of the British troops, stationed here, has also been sought, and with their assistance the route of the parade was laid out. It traversed the main portion of the European quarter, passing the two chief hotels, where many tourists, the vanguard of the season, are stopping, and was to be dismissed at the home of Zaghlul in the exclusive Kasr el Doukara section, in the "suburb" of the residence of Lord Allenby, high commissioner of Great Britain.

Despite the utmost precautions of the Nationalist leaders, who desired a dignified reception of their hero, bands of students have appeared in the streets in the last few days, waving banner and shouting their slogan, "Egypt for the Egyptians."

No disorders have been reported, and, in fact, the native police use stern measures to put down any attempts at anti-foreign or anti-British demonstrations. The students of the Mohammedan university at El-Azhar, who come from all parts of the Moslem world, are especially noticeable in these night parades, wearing their distinctive "galabiyehs," with white turbans. The neighborhoods of the foreign hotels is selected as the centre of such demonstrations, with native cheer leaders, familiar with English and French, prompting the marchers. The city is bedecked with crimson banners bearing a single crescent and the triple-starred emblem of Egypt. The business quarter is a mass of red from one end to the other. In this section nationality is subordinated to discretion. Thus Armenians, Syrians, Jews and Greeks vie with one another in decorating their shops and buildings with the Egyptian colors. The foreign traders are withdrawing railway shipments to other parts of Egypt until the demonstrations are over. Railway travel will be suspended throughout the country from midnight Monday until a 6 o'clock Tuesday night, except the special train ordered for Zaghlul.

Heads Ontario Manufacturers

W. C. COULTER, of Toronto, who was elected chairman of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, (Ontario Division).



RUSSIAN GOLD  
THROWN ABOUT  
325 Million Gold Rubles Can Not Be Accounted For Consistently.

## HEARING OF ALLEGED MANSLAUGHTER IS AGAIN POSTPONED

Daylight Saving Becomes Effective in Kitchener On Monday.

KITCHENER, April 28.—The case of A. Martin, charged with manslaughter in connection with the death of Stanley Kramer, who was knocked off his wheel by a motor car on the night of April 18, has been further adjourned until Wednesday, as the crown has been unable to line up all its witnesses for the preliminary hearing tomorrow. The verdict of the coroner's jury was that the evidence pointed strongly to the fact that it was Martin's car that caused the death of Kramer.

Extend Street Railway. The Kitchener light commission announced today that the street car service will be extended on Monday to the eastern limit of the city as a result of the Grand River Railway discontinuing to use that section of the city's right of way. The commission will double-track the right of way some time this year.

Daylight Saving. Daylight saving will be effective in this city Monday. Mayor Greb issued a proclamation today calling on all citizens to observe daylight saving time until September 4.

Mrs. (Rev.) S. R. Knechtel, for many years a resident of this city, died at her home today following a brief illness. Deceased was Miss Mary Ann Otto and was 67 years old. Besides her husband she leaves one daughter, Mrs. (Rev.) J. B. Dengis of Hespeler.

W. S. FISHER NOMINATED. ST. JOHN, N. B., April 28.—The annual meeting of the Maritime division of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association was held here this morning. W. S. Fisher was nominated for election to the presidency of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association at the annual convention at Quebec, June 7, 8 and 9.

## RUSSIAN GOLD THROWN ABOUT 325 Million Gold Rubles Can Not Be Accounted For Consistently.

VLADIVOSTOK, April 28.—How \$325,000,000 in gold looted from the military of several nations and kept the flames of civil war burning in Siberia for three years, costing thousands of lives and untold suffering, is one of Russia's most dramatic stories.

Today Siberia is appealing to outside nations for sufficient means to sustain life while the golden coins are untraced except for a few millions in the hands of former generals whose patriotism did not stand in the way of personal profit.

It is a grim joke that the men who captured the vast fortunes are facing starvation and are being offered a daily pittance of the gold they once possessed on condition they abandon their principles and accept a new leader.

Lieut.-Col. Nakakoka, attached to the headquarters of the Japanese expedition, gives the first coherent account of the fabled fortune which brought misfortune to every possessor.

Gold Was Captured. "After the Bolsheviks took Moscow and Petrograd in October, 1917," he said, "550,000,000 in gold rubles (a gold ruble is equal to 50 cents) was taken from the state banks and moved to Kazan for safety. The Kappell group captured Kazan and the gold and brought the treasure across the Ural Mountains to the Kolchak headquarters, then at Omsk. Between the middle of 1918 and November, 1919, Admiral Kolchak spent many millions of it for the support of his army. He paid 200,000,000 rubles to the British, French, Americans and Japanese for supplies.

"He had less than 450,000,000 rubles when he retreated from Omsk to Irkutsk. Kolchak, in December, 1919, started 28,000,000 rubles for Shanghai, but Gen. Semenov stopped it at Chita, suspecting the shipment was for personal purposes. Gen. Semenov kept the money, not paying it to the Japanese and not returning it to Admiral Kolchak.

"In January, 1920, Admiral Kolchak held 400,000,000 rubles guarded by Czech-Slovaks. What became of this gold is a mystery. The Czechs say that after Kolchak's death they delivered it to the Soviet revolutionists, recognizing them as the authorized government. Many say the fact that the fifth Red army did not molest the retreating Czechs indicates the former received the gold in return for permitting the Czechs to retreat. The Bolsheviks say the Czechs kept the larger part of the gold. In any event, all of it has vanished.

Scattered His Money. "When Gen. Semenov evacuated Chita, in October, 1920, 20,000,000 rubles remained of his acquisitions. Of this he kept 12,000,000 rubles and gave the remainder to Gen. Verjbitski, head of the Kappellists. During the preceding nine months, Semenov had scattered 74,000,000 rubles taken from the imperial bank in Chita. Most of Gen. Verjbitski's money was spent in support of the retreating troops. Gen. Semenov is alleged to have kept his 13,000,000 rubles. "When the Kappellists reached Chita territory, they had 1,200,000 rubles which they entrusted to Col. Isome, to

transport to the Japanese for safety. On his arrival in Vladivostok, Col. Isome delivered the money to Semenov, considering him commander-in-chief of the former Kolchak forces."

Today Gen. Semenov is offering to pay the bankrupt Kappellists if they will join his Cossack refugees, while the Far Eastern Republic is trying to mortgage its national resources to borrow gold in America and Japan to revive industry and trade and to save the suffering civilians.

## QUITS BOARDING BUYS AN ISLAND

Bachelor Denies That He Is a Hermit, But Merely Seeks Comfort.

PHILADELPHIA, April 28.—"I got tired of living in boarding houses and being told to move if I didn't come across with the room rent right on the spot, and so I made up my mind to build my own house and pay myself the rent."

There you have the reason why A. T. Linkletter, the "hermit of Avalon," went to live a more or less secluded life on the seven-mile-long island just off the New Jersey coast.

Linkletter came into public notice when he was discovered in bed with pneumonia in his shack amid the sand dunes which, with his animal friends and the "great out of doors," had been for many years almost his only companions.

Denies Being Recluse. "It makes me mad to hear people talk of me sometimes," he said. "They seem to think I'm some kind of a freak. I was never a recluse and I wasn't a hermit. I got tired of knocking around and living in boarding houses. Someone told me about this island and I thought it would be a good place to go to."

"I went there when I was 51 years old. Now I'm 63. Not many men could handle me when I was in my prime. For two years I lived on that island in a tent."

"Then I built my shack. I carried my own lumber more than a mile over the dunes."

Linkletter, who says he is of German and Scotch extraction, is five feet five inches tall, but broad-shouldered and stockily built. His once fan-shaped whiskers are now trimmed to a pointed beard. His eyes are deep blue and clear. His voice is strong.

"Why didn't I marry? Well, I just never got around to it. Women, you know, have a lot of terror in them." He explained that by "terror" he meant "temper." "I'm a bachelor. I wish now, sometimes, that I did have a home of my own, for I know I can't go back to the old life. I'm too old. I'll go down there this spring and plant my garden and stay this summer, but this fall I'm going to live with relatives."

During the years he was on the "island" he cleared three acres of land and planted it, growing all kinds of vegetables and selling them at nearby resorts.

One of his delights is to read and study the Bible. The wild animals near his shack became his familiars, and he had pet black snakes, some of them as big around as a man's arm. He also had a white horse to help him in farm work, but it died several weeks ago.

## GERMANS TALK ALLIED BOYCOTT

Take Steps to Counteract Economic Coercion to Enforce Treaty Terms.

The Hague, April 28.—German correspondent of the Dutch evening news papers declared today that business and political interests of Germany have agreed that it would be better to accept any consequences than yield to the demands of the Allies and already are taking steps to counteract any economic coercion.

The Berlin correspondent of the Rotterdamse Courant says the Hamburg Chamber of Commerce has sent out a questionnaire to mercantile and shipping interests asking:

1. Whether it would be advisable to conclude any new contracts

in Allied countries.

2. Whether they would be obliged to carry out their orders if they received only part of the purchase price.

3. Whether it would not be advisable to withdraw all German deposits in Allied banks.

### Unions Back Government.

According to the Vaterland, labor unions in Essen, the Rhine district and Westphalia, representing 500,000 workers have resolved to urge the Government to oppose firmly any concessions to the Allies.

The Courant's Essen correspondent, following reply from Dr. Walter Simons, the German foreign minister, in response to a request of Essen authorities that he stand firm on reparations.

"The knowledge that the entire German nation is back of the government strengthens my heart and lightens my heavy duty in London. Together with the municipal council of Essen, we also are convinced we only may enter into agreements which the German nation's economic life can carry out."

Protest New Customs. Another dispatch from Essen says the United Chamber of Commerce is the occupied district has published a protest against the establishment of additional customs imposts, declaring this conflicts with article 270 of the peace treaty, which only permits them if they favor the economic interests of the population of the occupied region.

### W. OF. W. VISIT SARNIA.

SARNIA, April 28.—Two hundred delegates attending the camp of the Woodmen of the World at Port Huron were given an enthusiastic welcome to Canadian soil this afternoon, when 45 automobiles met the incoming party at the tunnel depot and took them for a tour through the city, following which addresses of welcome were made at Victoria Park before a large gathering of Sarnia citizens, who were effusive in their greetings of the visitors. The program in Sarnia was arranged by the chamber of commerce, the Sarnia Automobile Club and the local lodge of the Woodmen of the World. The auto parade through the main streets of the city created quite an impression.

## Red Star Vapor Oil Stoves Put in Your Home For \$5

and small weekly payments for the balance. These wonderful Stoves give you the same smokeless and odorless heat as does the gas range. It is wickless, ashless and dirtless. Truly a distinct advancement over the old style oil stove. Burns 22 hours on one gallon of fuel, or in other words, a whole week's cooking for an ordinary family. Why pay high gas bills? Come in and see the Stove to-day. The Stove for your summer cottage.

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## BRASS BEDS at Manufacturers' Prices

If you are contemplating purchasing a new Bed come and see the wonderful values we are offering. Here's just one example:

\$35.00 Brass Bed, two-inch continuous post, ribbon finish, heavy fillers

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## GRASS RUG SALE

You'll need a new rug for the veranda this year and now is the time and this is the place to get it. For Saturday we are offering our entire stock of Grass Rugs at money-saving prices.

\$6.50 Grass Rug, choice of patterns, in 4'x7' feet, for

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By Mrs. Baillie Reynolds. Directed by Robert Ellis.  
The story of a girl who paid for the shortcomings of her mother.

## TOPICS AND SCENES

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Old songs of England, Ireland, Scotland  
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Note Change of Location.

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## RUMMAGE SALE

IN

**East End Town Hall**

Under auspices of Ridout Street Meth-  
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WANTED—SECOND-HAND CLAY  
tile machine, cheap. Address Box 51,  
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WANTED—YEARLING CATTLE TO  
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**BORN.**

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**BRUNTON—CARTER**—On Tuesday,

April 26, at Ridout Street Methodist

Church, paragon, Allan Leonard

Branton, Bachelor, Ont. to Miss Leslie

Blanche Carter, Thamesford. b

**DIED.**

**ANDERSON**—In London Township on

Friday, April 29, 1921, John Anderson,

aged 70, of his late residence, Lot

9, Concession 3, London Township, on

Sunday, May 1, at 3 p.m., service at

Interment at St. Andrew's

Cemetery, St. James street. b

**BAINARD**—At his late residence, Lam-

beth, on April 28, 1921, David S.

Bainard, husband of Martha

E. Bainard, in his 80th year.

Funeral (private) from the above

address, April 29, Services at 2 p.m.

Interment at Glenview Cemetery. b

**CAITON—Margaret Elizabeth**, wife of

W. J. Caiton, of Detroit, on Monday,

April 26, 1921, at Dayton, Ohio.

Funeral will be held from the resi-

dence of her sister, Mrs. A. R. C.

Howard, 670 Queen's avenue, on

Saturday, April 30, at 2 o'clock.

Interment at 2 o'clock. b

**COLVIN**—In Canoe Township on

April 27, 1921, Annie Colvin, in his

61st year.

Funeral from his late residence, lot

19, concession 1, on Saturday at 3

p.m. Service at 2:30. Interment at

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mation. b

**CONSTABLE**—On April 28, 1921, Mrs.

William Constable, at her late resi-

dence, 317 York street.

Funeral notice later. b

**MILLER**—At Old Springs, on April 26,

John R. (Laddie) Miller, dearly be-

loved and only son of Walter F. and

Hattie Miller, aged 8 years and 10

months.

Funeral at Victoria Hospital.

April 29, 1921, Geo. W. Pitt, in his

86th year.

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**TINDAL**—At the residence of her son-

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street, on Thursday, April 28, 1921,

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## NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION—NOTICE



# FARMERS GET ONLY 45 CENTS FOR POTATOES

Thousands of Bushels Are Being Shipped From Caradoc Tp.

Strathroy, April 23.—Heavy shipments of potatoes grown in Caradoc Township are being made from the local station. It is estimated that close to 5,000 bags have been sent away in the last couple of weeks. Many are going to London, Toronto and Montreal. The average price to the farmer is stated to be 45 cents a bag. This is rather a striking contrast to prices now being received in the cities, and also to prices prevailing a year ago. In spite of the low prices a large acreage of potatoes will be planted in Caradoc this season.

Farmers have been somewhat delayed in their spring work by the recent heavy rains. Generally speaking the crops have been made owing to the previous fine weather, and farm work is pretty well along.

"Drive" for Members.

The local Law Bowling Club is commencing a drive to increase its membership. Officers have been elected as follows: President, D. Brooks; 1st vice, A. P. Malone; 2nd vice, L. H. Campbell; captain, W. H. M. Hill; Treasurer, J. W. O. B. A. F. P. Hughes; alternate, J. W. O. B. A. F. P. Hughes; secretary, J. W. O. B. A. F. P. Hughes; and members, Dr. R. A. Willmott, W. T. Rapley, John A. Newton, and others.

The funeral of Mrs. Catherine Urquhart held at Strathroy Cemetery was conducted by Rev. John Moore. Mrs. Urquhart was 84 years old, and had been a resident of Strathroy for half a century. She is survived by two sons and four daughters: William, of Strathroy; Alexander, of Lansing, Mich.; Mrs. Wm. Collins and Mrs. C. Butler, of Strathroy; Mrs. Chas. Thomas, of Peoria, Ill.; and Mrs. Grace McIlroy, of New York. Mrs. James Webster, of London, Ont., is a sister.

Victim of Pneumonia.

Particulars have been received of the death at Elsinore, Cal., recently of Charles E. Lauler, only son of Samuel L. Lauler, formerly of Strathroy. He was ill only a few days with pneumonia. Dr. Lauler was born at Amherburg in 1882, and went to Elsinore in 1915. He was a prominent member of the Masonic circles, being a member of Valley Lodge, No. 229, and Al Malika Shrine of Los Angeles.

## SIGNALERS TRAINING

Exceptionally Large Turnout at Wednesday Night Parade.

No. 1 Signalling Company of Military District No. 1 opened spring and summer training Wednesday evening in the Armory. There was an exceptionally large turnout, considering that the company has just been formed.

Practically all the equipment has been secured. The wireless apparatus will be of the most up-to-date kind in Western Ontario. The regular weekly training will be held on Wednesday evenings, when recruits will be accepted. Major M. L. McIlwain of this city is in charge of the company.

## G. W. V. A. EXECUTIVE

Members Meet Tonight to Consider Matter of New Secretary.

Secretary J. W. Cunliffe's resignation from the local branch of the Great War Veterans' association has been accepted, and thus far no person has been appointed to fill the position, and no applications have been received by the executive which meets this evening to consider the matter.

Mr. Cunliffe stated to The Advertiser today that he would not reconsider holding the position after Saturday. He has been appointed several times this week by various officials of the association asking that he remain secretary till the annual meeting in June.

The special trial committee which heard the case of two comrades who engaged in a "scrap" at a comrades meeting on a month ago, will hand its report to the executive this evening. It is expected that one of the comrades will be expelled from the association.

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PHONES 2420-652.

# 115 STUDENTS WANT TO WRITE COLLEGE LOWER SCHOOL EXAMS

Applications Being Handled by Inspector V. K. Greer.

One hundred and fifteen applications for permission to write lower high school examinations have been received by Public School Inspector V. K. Greer. The students making application of this kind are required to make a deposit of \$5. The applications are handled by the public school inspector as a disinterested party. He is not connected with the high school, but is connected with the provincial department of education.

## ESCAPED INMATES WERE CAUGHT THURSDAY NIGHT

Two Women Patients at Ontario Hospital Apprehended on Downtown Streets.

Edith Campbell and Margaret Crew, two inmates of the Ontario Hospital, who escaped from the institution early Thursday morning, were apprehended downtown late last night. Miss Campbell was sent to the hospital only a few months ago on the order of Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon, when she came before him in police court. She had given the police trouble several times, on two occasions sleeping in snowbanks in the south end of the city.

## SHIPS IN PLACE OF RAILS URGED

Senator Reed Would Use Rivers, Canals to Cut High Freight Rates.

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"Until a short time ago trade went on well," said the representative of a large Paris corporation. "More than 1,000,000 francs (nominally about \$200,000,000) worth of goods changed hands. The favorable rate of exchange between the mark and the franc made it advisable for us to buy as much as possible in Germany. Large contracts were placed for future delivery. Suddenly a complicated system of export and import licenses was clamped on, and every German merchant had to obtain special permission from Berlin to trade with France, and to pay heavily for each permit. The German merchants were pleased that they could not be held to prices already quoted, and raised them not once but several times."

At End of Credit.

"Such manoeuvres were not applied to merchants dealing with Great Britain and the United States, because Germany believed that commerce with these countries would help to raise her rate of exchange. The government in Paris has advanced the last centime it is willing to pay for the franc in the north for the reconstruction of their factories. It can borrow no more in London or New York. If the ravages of war are to be made good before it is too late, France must turn to Germany. She wants raw materials, such as timber, brick, coal and steel. She does not want huge staffs of German architects or technicians."

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BERNSTORFF EXPLAINS CABINET'S OBJECT IN APPEALING TO U. S.

Berlin, April 23.—Criticism levelled at the German cabinet's appeal to President Harding in the reparations question was calculated to weaken still further the position of German diplomacy abroad, according to Count Bernstorff, former ambassador to the United States, in his maiden speech before the Reichstag yesterday.

"The United States is actuated chiefly by economic motives in its treatment of European problems," he said. "America cannot possibly be interested in seeing Germany dismembered, or deprived of territory which is now coveted in western Europe. It is interested in a far-reaching political and economic union of the world. I believe, would be an error. The present issue, however, is not purely political, but it involves the principle of firmly establishing the solidarity of the interests of all nations."

"Proof of this may be found in prevailing world conditions. The United States is overstocked with raw materials, and it is in the interest of the solidarity of nations, however, involves the principle that the negotiations be conducted on a basis of equality. The imposition of the penalties which have been expected to be levied on Germany is tantamount to a resurrection of a state of war. Under these conditions, we feel we are justified in making an eleven-hour appeal to arbitration. To this end we proposed to the League of Nations that it should be empowered to propagate the principle to which its president, as well as its former administrations have fully subscribed."

WILL REPORT TO HARDING.

Washington, April 23.—The status of negotiations regarding counter-proposals on reparations put forward by Germany was expected to be reported by Secretary of State Hughes today to President Harding upon the latter's return from Hampton Roads, where yesterday he reviewed the United States Atlantic Fleet.

Secretary Hughes has discussed the situation with the diplomatic representatives of Great Britain, France, and Belgium and received the views of their governments. The French ambassador, who is in the city, has been informed that the three powers regard the German offer in its present form as unacceptable.

GATHERING IN LONDON.

LONDON, April 23.—Allied diplomats are gathering in London for the "four big powers" of the Allied supreme council Saturday, at which will be decided what steps shall be taken for exacting the reparations from Germany.

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Sold Today for \$10.75 and \$11 Per Hundredweight — Oats, Hay, Potatoes, Butter and Eggs, Also Down in Price.

Inclement weather conditions had no effect in cutting down the attendance at the local market on Friday. A heavy supply of live hogs was on hand, but the demand was poor. Prices as a result took a further slump, and are now at the lowest level they have reached for over six years.

Manitoba Flour—Government standard, track, Toronto, cash prices: first patents, \$10; do, second, \$9.50; do, third, \$9.00. Milled in Canada: delivered, bran, \$3.35 per ton; shorts, \$3.50 per ton; good feed flour, \$2.10 per ton. LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, April 23.—Cattle—Receipts, 5,000; beef steers active, strong to 15c higher, top \$8.75 paid for 1,457-lb steers and good yearlings; bulk of beef steers, \$7.80 to \$8.40; butcher stock, \$6.50 to \$7.50; calves and yearlings, \$5.50 to \$7.00; hogs, \$6.50 to \$7.50; pigs, \$5.50 to \$6.50; sheep, \$4.50 to \$5.50; lambs, \$5.50 to \$6.50; chickens, \$4.50 to \$5.50; turkeys, \$4.50 to \$5.50; ducks, \$4.50 to \$5.50; geese, \$4.50 to \$5.50; eggs, \$4.50 to \$5.50; butter, \$4.50 to \$5.50; cheese, \$4.50 to \$5.50; milk, \$4.50 to \$5.50; cream, \$4.50 to \$5.50; ice cream, \$4.50 to \$5.50; candy, \$4.50 to \$5.50; confectionery, \$4.50 to \$5.50; fruit, \$4.50 to \$5.50; vegetables, \$4.50 to \$5.50; flowers, \$4.50 to \$5.50; poultry, \$4.50 to \$5.50; game, \$4.50 to \$5.50; fish, \$4.50 to \$5.50; shellfish, \$4.50 to \$5.50; seafood, \$4.50 to \$5.50; meat, \$4.50 to \$5.50; poultry, \$4.50 to \$5.50; game, \$4.50 to \$5.50; fish, \$4.50 to \$5.50;

