

# IRISH AMBUSH PARTY KILLS FOUR POLICEMEN NEAR DUBLIN

BOARD OF EDUCATION TANGLE  
COLLEGE QUESTION  
COST CITY \$6,000

Above Amount Covers Interest Only—Cost of Structure Will Also Be Advanced Several Thousand Dollars, in Opinion of A. A. Langford.

Failure of the board of education to get its estimates prepared by the end of this month as a result of the supporters of the central high school scheme to stick to their word will probably cost the city considerably more than the \$5,000 additional interest, which will have to be paid to carry on the city's business," said Trustee A. A. Langford in conversation with an Advertiser reporter today.

The delay will also mean in all probability that the cost of any building that may eventually be decided upon will be increased by several thousands of dollars owing to the advance of the building season. Any building contractor will tell you that contracts placed early are less costly than those placed after the contractor has planned his season's work.

"Can you understand men going back on a definite compromise agreement, made possible by those of us who honestly believe the unit system the one which will give the citizens the best results, according to the building of a 10-roomed school on the central site in order to break the deadlock? I cannot," said Mr. Langford to the reporter.

In order to try and overcome the serious situation created at the meeting of the board on Tuesday evening, the whole question of high school accommodation was referred back to No. 3 committee as early as possible. Trustee Langford, chairman of the committee, is trying to arrange a meeting of the committee for tomorrow. Should the meeting be arranged for Friday it will probably have to be held in the forenoon, as the afternoon is already booked for the regular monthly meeting of No. 1 committee.

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# READY TO SERVE" CHARGE LEVIED BY CITY GAS CO. IS DECLARED ILLEGAL BY ONTARIO RAILWAY BOARD

Injunction Issued Restraining Company From Collecting the Extra Charge—No Ruling Made Regarding the Charges Previously Paid—Parties Interested Have Not Yet Received Copies of Decision.

The "ready to serve" charge levied by the City Gas Company was declared illegal by the Ontario Railway and Municipal Board at Toronto today, and an injunction was issued restraining the company from collecting it. No ruling was made in regard to the charges collected up to date. The board only has power to prevent the collection of the extra charge and has no authority to order refunds.

The decision reached the city in the mails, from Toronto shortly before noon. Parties directly connected with the case had not received copies of it at a late hour, although some of them were expecting it.

The decision is the result of the case brought before the board at a sitting in London about ten days ago. The plaintiff was the City of Toronto, and the defendant was the City Gas Company. The city did not participate in the case, although it was the subject of the decision.

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# CAPITAL SHIPS BACKBONE OF NAVAL; AIRPLANES AND SUBS OF SECONDARY IMPORTANCE

American Naval Board Returns This Opinion in Report Made After Thorough Investigation—U. S. Policy Is To Be Equality in Sea Power, But Nation Will Not Institute Competitive Building Campaign.

Washington, D. C., Feb. 3.—The major ship remains the basis of sea power, and those who argue that the aeroplane and the submarine have supplanted it are asking the United States to "accept" hopes for accomplishments," the navy general board says in a report to Secretary Daniels, made public today. The general board, having kept in touch with naval progress along all lines, says the report, "reiterates its belief in the battleship as forming the principal unit of the fleet. Without them the United States cannot hope to cope with existing navies."

Urging that "equality in power" be the continuing naval policy of the United States, the board says there is "no thought of instituting international competitive building," and "no other nation can in reason take exception to such a position."

The report was approved by Secretary Daniels, and was transmitted by him to the Senate naval committee for its information in consideration of pending disarmament and "naval policy" resolutions.

START A CAMPAIGN AGAINST LIQUOR SMUGGLING INTO U. S.

Detroit, Feb. 3.—Frank D. Richardson, regional prohibition enforcement director, will advise action to be taken by his agents against liquor smugglers who are getting whiskey into the United States from Canada by aeroplane, boat and automobile, he declared. Mr. Richardson said that the federal government would direct the seizure of warehouses to five cases, practically stopped altogether bootlegging from the United States.

Express Rates Will Jump 25 to 35 per Cent

The New Rates Will Become Effective On February 9.

Small Shipments

New Increase Applies to Shipments of Minimum Weight.

Ottawa, Feb. 3.—The new express rate increases as set forth in an outline of the judgment of the railway commission do not improve on acquaintance and are considerably more drastic than would appear at first consideration. They go into effect on February 9, after which date existing first-class rates will jump 35 per cent and second-class 25 per cent. The increases apply to small shipments as well as to those of 100 pounds and over, and are effective on each "graduate" below 100 pounds. This was not the case in the last increase authorized.

Where there is no commodity tariff in effect the second-class tariff increase of 25 per cent will likely apply.

On February 4 an increase of 26 per cent on international express rates will go into effect. This will particularly influence the cost of fruit, vegetables and other perishable products.

Declines Call As Assistant Pastor of St. Andrew's Church

Rev. Archibald Graham, Chaplain at Westminster Hospital, Gives Decision.

Rev. Archibald Graham, chaplain at Westminster Hospital, and formerly minister of Chalmers Presbyterian Church before going overseas, has declined to accept the call as assistant pastor of St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church.

Rev. Graham gave as one of his reasons for not accepting the call, that a younger man than himself is needed at St. Andrew's, and further that his whole time is devoted to the work in the Westminster Hospital. These two reasons, with others which he did not define, was why he declined the call.

At a recent congregational meeting MacGregor asked for more assistance so many organizations in the church and the need for leadership of the young people of the congregation, made the appeal necessary.

The work mentioned in the suit was part of the plan for opening a ship canal between the Duluth, Chicago and Buffalo through the waters of the Great Lakes.

# FOOD INSPECTOR SEIZES HONEY

One Hundred and Forty-Five Pounds of Sweetness Confiscated.

FROM LONDON GROCER

Beekman Had Failed to Insure Name and Address On Containers.

Twenty-nine 5-pound pails of honey were seized by Dominion Food Inspector W. E. Wilson from a London grocer on Wednesday. Recent orders from the department of health in Ottawa were to the effect that any honey container which did not have the name and address of the beekeeper would be confiscated and given to some charitable institution. He intimated that there were several other stores in the city where honey was kept without the proper identification and that these places would be cleaned up next week.

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# DOLLAR DAY BARGAINS GREATLY APPRECIATED BY LONDON PEOPLE

Large Crowds Throng Stores at Early Hour.

MERCHANTS ARE PLEASED

State Biggest Dollar Day Business Yet Encountered.

Bright and early today, at least it was earlier than usual, patricians were roused from their cozy cot by the fragrance of an appetizing breakfast, while his appearance at the table was greeted with genuinely bright smiles and good morning hugs of more than average warmth, but why participate in the agony of mystery, today was "Dollar Day."

That the unwanted welcomes and coaxings had not been without their desired results was quite apparent to regular passengers of early morning cars, the comfortable seat which it was their habit to occupy, and to business being either already filled or the arrival of some lady passenger who was bent on securing a seat for the play the role of a stranger.

Briefly stated, all uptown street cars were early packed with thrifty housewives bent on taking the fullest possible advantage of the big dollar day bargains advertised by the local merchants for disposal today. Nor was it merely city-folk who participated in the pilgrimage, for all the roads leading into the city were alive with rigs of all kinds, from the homely but useful buggy drawn by steady-going Dutch, to the high-powered and almost pelican automobile.

Thronged Early. By 9 o'clock the business streets in all directions were thronged by unwelcome early-morning crowds of shoppers eagerly bent on securing the early bargains, even though circumstances forbade them sharing in the joy of buying. Many of the women, for the early bargains comprised mainly women's necessities, were accompanied by their children, manifested almost as much interest and eagerness to participate in the bargain-hunting as their parents.

But all the excited search for bargains was not confined to the family members of the community, for the early morning crowds were made up of all kinds of people, including the unemployed, who were waiting for the day's work, and the early morning crowds were made up of all kinds of people, including the unemployed, who were waiting for the day's work.

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## Every Winter She Suffered

Read of Mr. Ryder's Relief from Eczema—A BRIEF STORY

With another letter for the liquid wash for eczema, from a sufferer who had chronic attacks—covering her face—winter after winter, Mrs. J. E. Ryder of Brockville, N. B., tells of the many dollars spent with doctors and other remedies, of her suffering and discomfort, winter after winter, and of her relief with one bottle of D. D. D.

If you have not been reading the weekly letters from Canadian sufferers, all healed, most of them after expensive and useless doctors' treatments, come in and we will tell you of what D. D. D. has done right in your own neighborhood. We don't hesitate to guarantee that the first bottle will give you relief, or your money back. Stop this itch at once. \$1.20 a bottle. Try D. D. D. Soap, too.

**D. D. D.**  
The Lotion for Skin Disease

Strong's Drug Store, Standard Drug Co., Limited, and Taylor's Drug Store, 280 Richmond Street, London.

## GRIP

Take  
**Grove's**  
Laxative  
**Bromo**  
Quinine  
tablets 30c.

Be sure you get  
**BROMO**

The genuine bears this signature

**E. W. Brown**

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Nujol will give you the healthiest habit in the world. Without forcing or irritating, Nujol softens the food waste. The many tiny muscles in the intestines can then easily remove it regularly. Absolutely harmless—try it.

The Modern Method of Treating an Old Complaint

**Nujol**  
For Constipation

## LABOR COUNCIL TO ATTACK PROBLEM OF UNEMPLOYMENT

Committee Appointed as Advisory Representation to Local Labor Bureaux.

In an endeavor to find a solution to the present unemployment situation in this city and means to prevent future unemployment, the Trades and Labor Council, meeting Wednesday evening, appointed a committee of six to co-operate with the provisions of an act passed several months ago by the Federal House. The executive of the council was also instructed to request the local Chamber of Commerce to appoint its employees to work in conjunction with the labor committee as an advisory council to the labor bureau.

This action was taken as the result of a communication received at the last meeting of the council from the Dominion Trades Congress recommending that in addition to immediate relief to those in need of assistance, the trades council in each city should endeavor to put the onus on the unemployed. At that meeting a committee of five was appointed to bring in a report on the communication.

A. Mould, acting as chairman of the committee, recommended that many steps should be taken to relieve the unemployment situation and strongly recommended that the trades council should be formed. As the result of the committee's report, A. Mould, W. A. Blewett, J. Menzies, F. Thompson, and W. T. Wile, with power to add to their number, were appointed to represent labor on the council.

The committee recommended that the city should accept the assistance of the Federal and Provincial Houses in conducting relief work in this city. Such action would divide the cost, and it would put the onus on the unemployed to register. It would also abolish all stigma of charity. The city should start all construction work possible. The Provincial Government should be urged to start road work in the vicinity of the city as soon as possible, and the Dominion Government should undertake the erection of any public building planned for this city. It is recommended that the hours of all public work should be limited to an eight-hour day at most, and if necessary, less than that.

Interviewed Mayor.

Secretary W. Burke, reporting for the committee which interviewed the mayor recently on local unemployment, said the mayor had promised that it was discovered that the city could not cope with relief work, assistance should be accepted from the two governments. The mayor was quoted as having said that if any person was in urgent circumstances and with a recommendation from some reliable person or organization.

Mr. John Ashton, vice-president of the council, said that anyone was afraid to approach Mr. McCallum he would interfere on his behalf. Every speaker attacked the mayor's policy of refusing assistance from the governments. They believed that his fears of making this city a pauper city were unfounded. It was reported that between 1,400 and 1,800 men were out of employment.

The question of appointing a paid organizer for this city was again discussed to some length. It was decided to circulate all locals in this city to discover their attitude towards the question. Several speakers claimed that there was a great need for a paid man to keep the existing unions intact and to form others.

Delegates A. Mould, F. McKay and J. Hevey were elected as a board of trustees. Treasurer Cummings and F. McKay were re-elected trustees of the

Labor Temple funds. The annual meeting of the Labor Temple directors will be held on Tuesday night next. Owing to the usual large number of meetings on Friday night the Western University extension lectures in the Labor Temple will be held on Monday night, starting February 14.

Because there are more than 70 unions in this city, and more than 20 are not affiliated with the T. and L. Council, the secretary will write each local and the headquarters of every organization not sending delegates requesting them to become affiliated.

The council unanimously decided to support a request of the international organization of machinists that steps be taken to induce the government to lift the financial blockade against Soviet Russia. It was felt that if trade with Russia was unrestricted business would be improved in America, as it would open a large market. In this way, the unemployment situation would be relieved. It was decided to forward communications to Premier Meighen and the minister of labor requesting that the blockade be lifted.

A request made by the local hospital that the council recommend that none but organized labor should be employed in the erection of the new Children's Hospital, will be granted.

A request that the council should increase a petition prepared by the electrical workers of the city that the work should be carried on under licenses, was laid over.

Some of our friends among the grocers, in speaking of our letter to the press on grocers' profits, have indicated that apparently it has been construed by some readers to mean that Red Rose Tea was the only article on which the grocer takes a smaller profit. In order to give his customers a higher quality.

It was not our intention to convey such an impression, as we know that most grocers sell well-known brands of other goods at less profit than they could make on some brands equally well known, and for the same reason that they recommend Red Rose Tea, simply to give their customers the best possible value.

In our letter we mentioned Red Rose Tea because it naturally came first to our mind and because we knew that grocers were selling it at a least profit than they make on other teas. F. H. Estabrooks Company, Limited, Toronto, Ont.

**REPUTABLE CONFESION.** Baltimore, Md. Feb. 2.—Henry A. Brown (colored), alleged slayer of Harry Kavender, a white man, who was shot at Annapolis, repudiated his sworn confession of guilt today in the preliminary hearing before United States Commissioner Supple.

**AVOID THE WASTE**

And the wear and tear caused by undigested food that exhausts your digestive organs, does not nourish, but blood, and weakens instead of giving strength.

Hood's Sarsaparilla is a splendid tonic for the blood, stomach, kidneys and liver. It creates an appetite, perfects digestion and assimilation, secures 100 per cent nourishment from your food.

More than this, it purifies, vitalizes and enriches the blood, which is the life of the body, eliminates catarrhs, scrofula, rheumatism, that tired feeling, and other diseases, the poisons of diphtheria, scarlet and typhoid fever, and influenza.

Take Hood's Pills for a gentle laxative (small dose) or an active cathartic (large dose).

## PUBLIC UTILITIES TO HOLD REGULAR MEETING TODAY

Important Proposals Regarding Public Playgrounds.

REPORT OF AUDITORS

Will Be Received by Commission—Estimates Ready by End of Month.

While the auditors' report on the finances of the public utilities commission will be received by the commission today, the commission holds its regular meeting this afternoon, they will be so far advanced that it will be possible to present a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the various departments of the commission's activities, said General Manager E. V. Buchanan this morning.

As soon as the auditors' report is completed the work of preparing the estimates for the ensuing year will be started. This work will occupy about two weeks, and the estimates for the waterworks, parks and playgrounds departments will have been submitted to the city council by the end of the month, as requested by Mayor Little, in order that the city budget may be ready by March 1.

Plans and specifications for the extension of the city greenhouses at Springfield will be submitted by Manager Buchanan for the consideration of the commission. Errors are being made to prepare estimates of the cost of constructing additional roads in the park, but it is not expected that these will be ready for consideration at today's meeting.

Three other important proposals will be made to the commission by its report. The committee will recommend that the McClary Manufacturing Company be asked to donate to the city a plot of land on Birkett's Place adjacent to the playgrounds, and that the Western Ontario Government be asked to grant the city a site, approximately eight acres, adjacent to the Ontario Hospital, for the purposes of a park and public playgrounds, and that the city be asked to grant the use of the ground inside the racetrack at Queen's Park for use as a public playground.

Consideration of securing a site in West London for a public playground, also under way by the playgrounds committee, but it is not expected that any report on the matter will be made to the commission today.

The city playgrounds and their equipment will be inspected this afternoon by a deputation from the Chatham Chamber of Commerce, appointed to gather data on civic supervised public playgrounds. The deputation arrived in the city at 1:15 o'clock, and will probably meet the members of the public utility commission before returning to Chatham.

**FURTHER EXTENSION OF HOUSING SCHEMES NOT ADVISABLE HERE**

Toronto Plans Not Applicable in London, Says Commissioner E. R. Dennis.

Further extensive housing schemes in London would be inadvisable until all the houses now being erected by the commission are completed, Commissioner E. R. Dennis asserted today, when Mayor Dennis in Toronto was brought to his attention. There is already a demand for houses here, and I think it will be increased in the spring, but at the same time it is not a good policy to erect an extensive scheme until we dispose of all the present houses," he said.

Mayor Dennis' plan is to erect a thousand cottages of a less expensive character than those built by Toronto's defunct housing commission. He would rent these houses to bona fide residents of Toronto with the option of purchase. The rentals would be about \$25 a month. He would arrange to raise a fund of \$1,000,000 for the purpose of making advances to bona fide residents who would be allowed to purchase a medium class of houses, the advances not to exceed 75 per cent of the total cost. The plans would be prepared by the city architect and supplied free to prospective buyers.

Application may be made to the Parliament for a special bill to authorize this scheme for Toronto.

"Toronto, like every place else, is evidently suffering from a building boom. Houses cheap enough to meet the needs of the average worker," said Mr. Dennis. "The requirements for domestic architecture in the past. It is no longer possible to use post foundations and other cheap and unsatisfactory methods. It may be the long run to erect the proper kind of a house in a better policy to build proper houses even if the initial cost is greater."

Reverend Mr. Dennis, who would be a good policy, particularly in regard to the more moderately-priced ones built with the first five per cent loan. It is just as cheap to buy as to rent, because the payments are so small.

**FIRE ALARM SYSTEM FOR HOMES COULD BE CHEAPLY INSTALLED**

Would Prevent Tragedies Such As Occurred Monday, Says E. V. Buchanan.

That if it would be comparatively easy and not excessively costly to install in all the homes of the city a fire alarm system which might aid in the prevention of such tragedies as occurred in a Bathurst street home on Monday, when a mother and three little children were suffocated as the result of an outbreak of fire, was submitted by E. V. Buchanan, general manager of the public utilities commission, when questioned today by an advertiser reporter.

The plan suggested for Mr. Buchanan's consideration proposed the installation of an electric current, which would ring an installed outside alarm, going when the temperature in the building reaches the danger point. The inside alarm would, it was claimed, awaken the inmates of the house, while the outside alarm would attract the attention of passers-by, making it possible before fatal or dangerous results materialized.

Mr. Buchanan pointed out that such an installation would be comparatively

# February Furniture Sale

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Today we wish to call to your attention the splendid opportunity this February Sale of Furniture offers in savings on BEDROOM FURNITURE.



## Brass Beds and Bedding At Reduced Prices

All our Brass Beds are made either by Simmons, Limited, or by Canadian Mercantile Company, and are of the highest grade possible to procure. All beds are evenly lacquered and are ribbon finish.

Brass Beds, ribbon finish, 4 feet wide, 2-inch posts, 3/4-inch top rods and 5/8-inch fillers. February sale price ..... \$18.95 each

Other Brass Beds, full size ..... \$26.50, \$32.00, \$34.00, \$40.00 and \$49.00

Simmons' Link Fabric Springs made on tubular steel frames, with high riser ends (like cut), all sizes. February sale price ..... \$7.65

Coil Wire Springs on heavy steel frames. February sale price ..... \$9.95

## Special Purchase of Cretonnes

About 350 yards of Fancy Cretonnes, choice of light and dark grounds, splendid washable material, suitable for side curtains, lounge covers, slip covers for furniture, box or window seat covers, suitable for bedroom or living room. 36 inches wide, 48c yard. Fourth Floor.

## Novelty Spring Wash Fabrics Just Opened

The advanced delivery of spring novelties in Wash Fabrics. These comprise a beautiful collection of Voiles, plain and fancy designs; new Organdies, in all the fashionable shades; Suitings in beach cloths; Gabardines and Ratine in plain white and all the new spring colors. See the new displays on the counters. All at very attractive prices. Aisle B.

## VALENTINE SUGGESTIONS AT STATIONERY COUNTER.

Valentine Lunch Sets for parties, in decorated crepe paper, "red heart" designs, one table cover, twelve napkins, twelve doilies and twelve plates. Price ..... \$1.25 set

Valentine Place Cards, two designs, six in a box ..... 18c

Valentine Invitations for parties ..... 15c each

Valentine Cutouts, Cupids and Hearts. Price ..... 18c package

Valentine Party Caps. Price ..... 20c each

Valentine Seals, in hearts and cupids. Price ..... 18c package

Valentine Decorated Crepe Paper, 10 feet long. Price ..... 35c fold

Red Streamers, 2 1/2 inches wide. Price ..... 15c roll

White Streamers, 2 1/2 inches wide. Price ..... 15c roll

We also have a large assortment of Valentines for the kiddies as well as the older folk.

## THE NEW ARROW COLLAR, "DUNCAN" NOW IN STOCK.

## SMALLMAN & INGRAM LIMITED

## NEW WASHGOODS ARRIVING DAILY

## POSTOFFICE REVENUE STEADILY INCREASING

Figures for January of This Year Total \$28,401.85.

The revenue of the London postoffice for January, 1921, shows an increase of \$1,193.69, as compared with the corresponding month last year, the figures for January, 1920, being \$27,208.16, and for January, 1921, \$28,401.85.

The volume of business at the local postoffice has been rapidly increasing for a number of years, having more than doubled itself during the past decade, and the urgency of housing the establishment in more commodious and better equipped buildings is daily becoming more acute.

The present arrangement, by which certain departments are accommodated in the Carling Block, is but at the best a makeshift, and although the general efficiency of the office is not affected to any extent, it would be much more satisfactory to officials and public alike if a properly-planned building, modernly equipped, became an accomplished fact as early as possible.

That London has entirely outgrown its postoffice is conceded on all hands.

**FORMER LONDONER DIES.** Buffalo, N. Y., Feb. 2.—Mrs. Catherine Reith Roberts, aged 73, widow of Thomas Roberts, formerly of London, Ontario, and mother of James Roberts of Hamilton, Ontario, Mrs. H. Burns of Windsor, Ontario, E. J. Roberts of Vancouver, British Columbia, Mrs. C. C. Roberts of Philadelphia, Pa., Mrs. Edward T. Fitzpatrick, Buffalo and late Mrs. Frederick, and several other relatives, died last night after a long illness.

**STEAMER ARRIVALS.** New York, Feb. 3.—San Giovanni from Genoa and Naples. Brothelings from Gothenburg.

**CHARGE DISMISSED.** Sarah Suhure Did Not Sell Bread on Sunday—Meyers Gootson Fine.

Sarah Suhure, who keeps a store at the corner of Horton and Clarence streets, was dismissed in police court this morning on a charge of selling goods on Sunday. A policeman had seen two persons come out of her store on the Sabbath carrying loaves of bread. She said that they had purchased them on Saturday, but did not call for them until the following day.

John Sullivan, James Osborne and Edward Clark were dismissed on charges of being disorderly. It was said that they had been swearing loudly on Dundas street on Sunday evening. They denied that they were swearing, but admitted that they might have been talking somewhat loudly.

Meyers Gootson was fined \$10 and costs for allowing his place of business at the rear of 875 Ottawa avenue, to be used as a gambling resort. Peter Dimitroff, Harry Ruby, Tony Murik, Harry Hunsbush, Phil Semish, Mike Wetchan, Julius Thirich, George C. Salva, and others were named as being present at the time.

Will Honor Mary Garden. Paris, Feb. 3.—Mary Garden will probably be made Knight of the Legion of Honor in an announcement by the minister of public instruction, which is expected today. No confirmation could be obtained at the ministry, but it is possible that the announcement will be made in the next day or two.

Mary Garden's recent visit to the field of opera management is said to have been one of the chief reasons for considering her for a decoration.

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# CUTICURA HEALS ECZEMA

All over baby's face. Came in water blisters and then formed a solid scale. Began to itch and burn so had to bandage his hands as he wanted to scratch. Face was badly disfigured. Trouble lasted 4 months. Began using Cuticura Soap and Ointment. Used one cake Soap and one box Ointment when he was healed. From signed statement of Mrs. Albert Ellis, Westenberg, N. S.

For every purpose of the toilet Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Talcum are supreme.

See 25c Ointment 25c and 50c. Sold throughout the Dominion. Canadian Depot: Lyman, Limited, St. Paul St., Montreal.

Cuticura Soap always without cost.

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Large stock in all sizes.  
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# WILLYS-OVERLAND ANNOUNCE CHANGES IN OFFICIALS

MR. J. R. MARLOW.

Montreal branch manager of Willys-Overland, who has been promoted to the post of secretary and treasurer at the head office, Toronto.

Among visiting motor car men at the London Motor Show is Mr. H. E. Brasier, of Willys-Overland, Limited, whose appointment as Ontario sales manager was announced at Toronto yesterday. The company announced at the same time the promotion of Mr. J. R. Marlow from the position of manager of Montreal branch to that of secretary and treasurer. Mr. Marlow has had a long experience with the Overland interests, and his work in Quebec Province has been marked by great success. In addition to building up a good organization for his company in that province, he has been active in the promotion of the good roads movement. As president of the Montreal Automobile Club, he has been a considerable factor in making a success of their annual motor shows. The show that closed last Saturday is considered by many as unprecedented in point of attendance and active buying interest.

MR. H. E. BRASIER.

Willys-Overland service manager has become Ontario sales manager of Willys-Overland, a visitor at the motor show.

The new Ontario sales manager, prior to his connection with the head office of Willys-Overland, was accountable at the Toronto branch of the Russell Motor Car Company. For the past seven years he has been service manager and is, therefore, widely known throughout the Overland organization. Mr. Brasier has held advanced views on motor car service and is credited with helping greatly to further the interests of the motor trade generally. In his new position it is calculated he will be able to co-ordinate service ideals with sales promotion.

## WHAT WILL TIRES DO?

How often has this been discussed among motorists? Many dealers will "guarantee" exceptional mileage from the tires they sell—but did you ever get them? "Gutta Percha" tires are offered the public, but invariably deliver mileage in excess of the expectations of the buyer. The reason is that the tires are established by the Canadian Express Company of 30,000 miles from the rear wheels of a truck. After genuine satisfaction, equip your car with "Gutta Percha" tires. You'll be delighted with the results.

## Catarrh Of the Stomach Is Dangerous

"Thousands Have It—And Don't Know It," Says Physician. Frequently Mistaken for Indigestion—How To Recognize and Treat.

"Thousands of people suffer more or less constantly from flatulency, coated tongue, bad breath, sour, burning stomach, frequent vomiting, rumbling in stomach, bitter eructations, gas, wind, and stomach acidity and call it indigestion when in reality their trouble is due to gastric catarrh of the stomach," writes a New York physician.

Catarrh of the stomach is dangerous because the mucous membrane lining of the stomach is thickened and a coating of phlegm covers the surface so that the digestive fluids cannot mix with the food and digest it. This condition soon breeds deadly disease in the fermented, unassimilated food. The blood is polluted and carries the infection throughout the body. Gastric ulcers are apt to form and frequently an ulcer is the first sign of a deadly cancer.

In catarrh of the stomach a good and safe treatment is to take before meals a teaspoonful of pure Bismuth Magnesia in half a glass of hot water as hot as you can comfortably tolerate. The hot water washes the mucus from the stomach walls and draws the blood to the stomach while the Bismuth Magnesia is an excellent solvent for mucus, and increases the efficiency of the hot water treatment. Moreover, the Bismuth Magnesia will serve as a powerful but harmless antacid, and will neutralize any excess hydrochloric acid that may be in your stomach and sweeten its food contents. Easy, natural digestion without distress of any kind should soon follow. Bismuth Magnesia is not a laxative, is harmless, pleasant and easy to take and can be obtained from any local druggist. Don't confuse Bismuth Magnesia with other forms of magnesia, milks, citrates, etc., but get it in the pure Bismuth form (powder or tablets), especially prepared for this purpose.—Advt.



# RUFFIANS BEAT THIRSTY THIEVES

TILBURY-FARMER STEAL 7 BOTTLES

Dragged From House and Pistol Placed in His Mouth.

CHATHAM, Feb. 1.—The county police are investigating the hold-up of two prominent farmers of Tilbury East Township on Monday night, during which they were severely cut and bruised. It appears that a gang of ruffians on a still hunt for liquor visited the home of one farmer. He was called to the door, and the gang demanded liquor. The man, stated that he did not have any, whereupon he was dragged out into the yard, the muzzle of a revolver placed in his mouth and threats made to blow him into eternity if he did not let them in. The house was then searched, and a considerable quantity of liquor was found. The gang decided then to make a run for it, and the farmer, who was unarmed, was dragged back into the house and made to escape. The victims declare they can identify some of the ruffians.

WAS FINED \$1,000. WINDSOR, Feb. 2.—A fine of \$1,000 and costs was imposed upon George Marentette for having liquor in his possession in police court today. According to evidence Marentette was unloading the liquor from a motor car which had been addressed to Windsor under a fictitious name. Marentette, the police say, claimed the liquor and admitted having ordered it in a fictitious name.

HERE'S A FINE RECORD. PRANTFORD, Feb. 2.—Eight hens belonging to J. L. Smith of this city laid a total of 186 eggs during January. This is considered a record for the hens, which received only ordinary care. The birds were thoroughbred Royal Dories White Wyandottes.

MAY EXTEND TIME. STRATFORD, Feb. 2.—The question of extending the fall fair to four days instead of three is again receiving serious consideration from the Agricultural Society. Opinion is divided, and no decision has been reached.

APPOINTED SECRETARY. CHATHAM, Feb. 2.—C. E. Beaton, for 34 years under-sheriff of Kent County and secretary of the board of education and several years, has been engaged by the board to devote his entire time to the work of the board.

CARS ARE TAKEN OFF. WATERLOO, Feb. 2.—After operating on Waterloo street since July 26, 1894, street cars to be taken off the Grand River Railway putting into use its new right-of-way which enters the city three blocks east, terminating at Main street. This is also the terminus for the L. E. and N. Railway. Work on the new line was started last August, and it gives a double track system from the city center to the north of Preston. The company's franchise on Waterloo street expired at midnight, which hour marked the transfer to the new line. Until a permanent depot is erected, two coaches are to be used for ticket and waiting-room accommodation.

HELPED HIM ESCAPE. WINDSOR, Feb. 2.—Maurice W. P. Gundy sentenced John McMillan of the King George Hotel to three months in jail for having aided and abetted in the escape of a man charged with interfering with an officer attempting to make an arrest. Gundy, whose apprehension was sought, escaped.

U. F. O. "AT HOME." GREATLY ENJOYED Large Attendance at Gathering Held in Thamesford Town Hall.

Thamesford, Feb. 2.—A crowd completely filled the hall responding to the invitation of the local U. F. O. to attend their annual at home. Following a supper Rev. W. D. Davis introduced a lengthy program of speeches, songs and readings. Following this nearly all the guests joined in an old time dance.

The brethren of King Solomon's Lodge, No. 394, gave their annual entertainment in their lodge rooms. The program was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Sandy, Miss Smith, Miss Ratz and Mrs. Kelly of Dorchester with Canon McMillan, Geo. Naylor, Dr. McDonald, Donald, Kinross and Dr. McDonald.

After a long illness, Elizabeth Alderson, wife of the late Joseph Alderson, died at the home of her son, J. E. Alderson, Lot 14, Concession 11, E. N. 16, for many years been a resident of Kinross. Interment was made in the Methodist Cemetery, Kinross, today.

Mr. and Mrs. William Brown of Seattle are guests of Mrs. Brown, 8th Line. Mr. Brown is a holiday spent in Ridge town.

Mrs. Bert Thurlow and daughter, Lillian, are moving to London this month.

The Young People's Society of St. Andrew's Church met at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roderick Young to honor Mr. and Mrs. A. G. B. Young who were recently married. Mr. Young has always taken an active interest in all branches of the church work and has filled the position of elder for the past few years. Clusters with all good wishes for the guests of honor were gifts for the new home. Games, music and lunch were enjoyed.

## SHOVES TARIFF IN FIRST PLACE

Senate Brushes Other Bills Aside—Closure Bill Is Defeated.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Feb. 2.—Showing aside all pending legislation, including a dozen big appropriation bills, the Senate today voted to continue consideration of the Fordney emergency tariff bill. The gates were opened wide for a flood of oratory when a motion for closure was voted down.

As it now stands, the tariff measure has precedence over all other business except during the "morning hour" of sessions from 12 to 2 o'clock. At the outset today Senator McCumber, Republican, North Dakota, one of the champions of the bill, moved for its passage. His motion was defeated. Other efforts were then made to set a date for voting but Senator Wilson, Democrat, Mississippi, destroyed all hope of agreement by moving for a unanimous consent.

In the end the session developed into a free-for-all debate, featured by a attack by Senator Johnson, Republican, California, on the principle of the closure. In charge of the bill, Pennsylvania, in charge of the bill, announced that they would not even if appropriation measures had to be left aside.

CHURCH WOULD BUILD 1,000 SMALL HOUSES

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## New Oldsmobile Four a Wonder

The first large shipment of the Oldsmobile "Four" to leave the Oldsmobile plant has brought back enthusiastic reports from all parts of Canada. What the dealers and car owners is the unusual "pep" of the four-cylinder motor. This is due not only to the general superiority of the design, but also to a special device known as the "re-circulator." This device, installed in the intake manifold, pulls above the carburetor, induces thorough vaporization of the gas before it enters the cylinders. In this way of low-grade fuel there is a tendency for raw gasoline to cling to the sides of the intake pipe. This not only lessens the efficiency of the fuel, thus reducing mileage, but also allows work down into the lubricating oil. The new Oldsmobile device gives the engine amazing power, and also aids materially in starting in cold weather.

The Oldsmobile "Four" is sturdily built with every part thoroughly tested under a very rigid shop inspection. It is undoubtedly a magnificent small car, one that will very soon win the deep affection of Oldsmobile dealers and owners.

## COAL DEALERS MAKE PROTEST

Object To Purchase of Fuel by Committee At Windsor.

WINDSOR, Feb. 2.—What would appear to be a clash of authority between municipal circles has been precipitated by the action of the transportation and industrial committee of the city council in ordering fifteen cars of coal when the local dealers have their yards well stocked, and when hardship through lack of fuel is not looked for. Mayor H. W. Wilson claims this makes the city a competitor of dealers, which is not desirable, and was not the idea when the municipal supply was established.

Coal dealers have protested against the city buying coal at \$15.30 a ton when they have been compelled to buy fuel at high prices to keep customers supplied.

Mayor Wilson has given assurance that the intention, no city is not to compete with them, but to have coal on hand in case the dealers' supply runs out of business, and that this was not desirable unless the city was prepared to take full charge of the coal supply.

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WOODSTOCK, Feb. 2.—Mrs. Ben Johnson, wife of the local man who was killed in an automobile accident, was one of her women friends, who was in the store the night of the shooting, identified a stranger who she saw there as Norman Garfield, who is in London. The woman, according to Mrs. Johnson, noticed the man come in, and says he acted queerly and seemed the place called.

The pictures of the Garfields published in the papers strongly resembles the man she saw, and she is said to be quite sure that the man she saw looks exactly like Norman Garfield.

SEE BUSINESS REVIVAL. STRATFORD, Feb. 2.—Stratford district leaders met in annual convention today and elected officers, as follows: President, W. A. Johnston, L. A. (vice-president), W. A. Johnston, L. A. (secretary-treasurer), N. Paquet, Stratford. The officers, with W. Larkworthy of Mitchell, form the executive.

President Savage and N. F. Babb of Stratford were named delegates to the Canadian National Jewellers' Convention, which meets in Winnipeg February 22 to 24. W. G. Young of London was a guest of the association and gave a splendid address. The district was well represented, and there was a hopeful feeling for a revival of business before long.

FOUND WHISKEY STILL. CHATHAM, Feb. 2.—License Inspector Sides and Inland Revenue Officer Lamont raided the home of George Sides and confiscated a whiskey still, the quantity of mash and other finished product. Sides was not at home when the raid was made, and has not returned. The officers are of the opinion that the brew was for home consumption, and not for sale.

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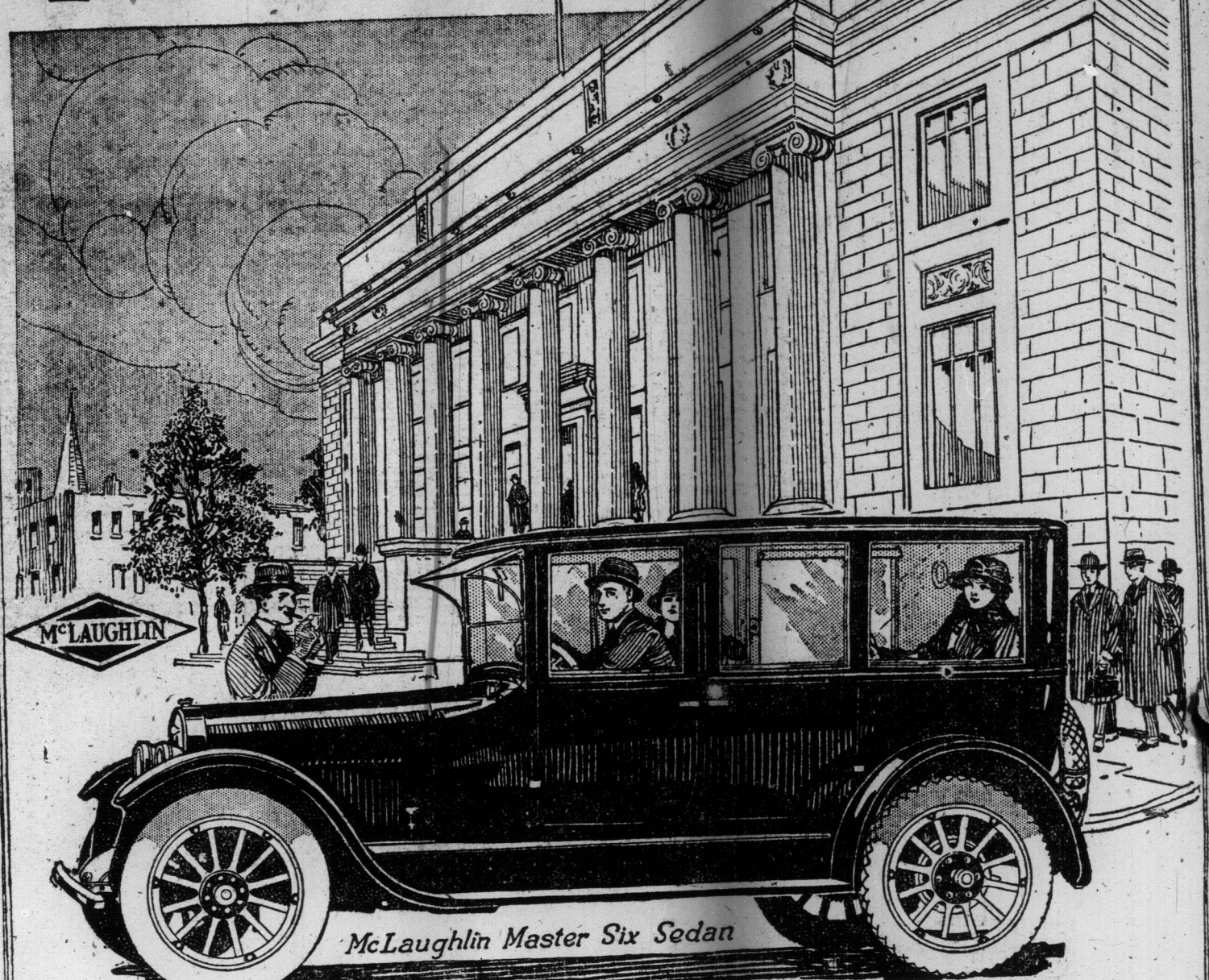
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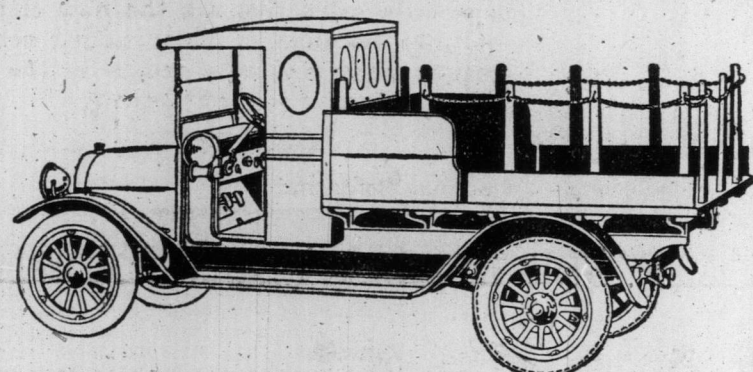


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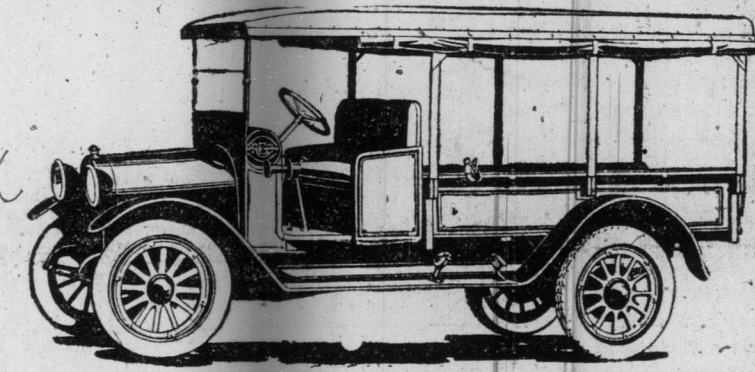
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with which they have in a sense  
only secondary interest, the matter  
of providing the money being solely  
in the hands of the city council,  
they have by their refusal to stand  
by their definite agreement to the  
compromise suggested by Trustees  
Rowe in committee, entailed upon  
the city an expenditure of several  
thousands of dollars.

This addition to the civic ex-  
penditure will result from the fact  
that it is now impossible for the  
board to get its estimates ready to  
present to the city council this  
month. This delay will tie up the  
preparation of the civic budget and  
thereby delay the collection of  
taxes, with the result that money  
for current expenditures will have  
to be borrowed from the bank at  
high rates of interest.

Altogether the trustees are in a  
most unenviable position, they have  
lost the confidence of the electors  
in their business ability and are fast  
rousing an exasperation which will  
demand the right to elect a new  
board that shall be capable of sink-  
ing personal desires and opinions  
in the carrying out of the best in-  
terests of the community.

Only by immediate action can the  
trustees hope to regain the position  
they once held in public opinion.

**DRURY STANDS PAT.**  
Whatever may have transpired at  
the U. F. O. conference over  
"broadening out," Premier Drury  
made it quite clear in his speech in  
the Legislature Tuesday that he  
proposes to continue that policy. He  
once more came out for the "People's  
Party," and in taking this attitude  
he will win the approval and sup-  
port of the public. It is good Liber-  
alism, that should attract every  
class of elector. Mr. Drury's declara-  
tion, considered in conjunction with  
his administration of public business  
so far, holds promise of genuinely  
democratic legislation while he  
pilots the province's affairs.

**EDITORIAL NOTES.**  
The girl who shoots father into  
the kitchen whenever her beau calls  
will probably exile her husband to  
the coal-bin whenever her society  
friends call.

It seems as if the hold-up men  
Have had a knockout blow;  
Some bandits are behind the bars—  
The rest are lying low.

Perhaps Chief Birrell turned the  
trick  
By using printer's ink  
To state that next time crime were  
cracked  
The hydro lights would wink.

## LETTERS

**THAT BIG STAR.**

To the Editor of The Advertiser:  
There is a star in the winter sky  
from Chicago the starting an-  
nouncement that one of the great stars  
of the night, only 160,000 miles, and  
its diameter was 300,000,000 miles, and  
it was 300 times as large as our  
own sun.

I have been waiting for some budding  
astronomer to point out the blunder in  
this dispatch, for the last assertion is  
apparently far from the truth.  
If the diameter of our sun is assumed to  
be 1,000,000 miles, and that of the  
star 300,000,000 miles, the latter is not  
merely 300 times larger, but 300 times  
300 times 300 times larger than the  
former. For symmetrical bodies vary  
as the cubes of homologous dimensions,  
and these two suns, being spheres, vary  
as the cubes of their respective diameters.

The cube of 1 is 1, and the cube of  
300 is 27,000,000, and the star is that  
many times the greater.  
The discrepancy is indeed more marked,  
as the diameter of our sun is not  
1,000,000, but only 860,000 miles. The  
star therefore is approximately 30 times  
greater than our sun.

If one wishes to compare this huge  
luminary with the earth on which we  
live, it can be easily done.  
The diameter of our sun is 110 times  
that of the earth, and the sun is there-  
fore 130,000 times as large as our  
earth. The star, then, is 30,000,000  
times 130,000 times greater than the  
earth. This multiplied out makes 39  
trillion—quite a large number, and one  
not easily grasped by the "average"  
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**TRIBUTE TO MR. KNOX.**

To the Editor of The Advertiser:  
I have read your timely editorial, "A  
Great Loss," appreciative of the sterling  
worth and work of the late Rev. W. J.  
Knox, and, as an adherent and wor-  
shiper at the First Presbyterian Church,  
I may be permitted to add a few words  
from the lay point of view.

Was it not James Whitcomb Riley,  
the Hoosier Poet, who penned the fine  
refrain: "He is not dead; he's just  
away"? How applicable it is to the  
magnificent, buoyant and stalwart per-  
sonality who has just passed the "Great  
Divide." He cannot be dead—even  
reverently and thoughtfully speaking—  
that would be well-nigh unthinkable,  
if we believe in the doctrine of the  
"conservation of energy." The persis-  
tence of mere physical forces, can we  
predicate less for the spiritual entities  
in man? One remembers well how the  
late divine, as a Christian evolutionist,  
always insisted on the original inheri-  
tance of the Spirit of God in man, and  
which eternally put him upon a higher  
plane than the brute that perished. When  
to this is added a life consecrated to  
the service of the Master and the uplift  
of world and work of the late Rev. W. J.  
Knox, it is a life that is a blessing to  
this better in the eternal persistence of  
such an one strengthened? No, he is  
not dead; he's just away.

And yet, when such an one in the  
vigil of manhood is called away from  
us, and in the midst of many and  
varied spiritual labors apparently un-  
finished, it distinctly challenges our  
faith and Christian resignation. We  
seek in vain for a solution of the riddle  
of divine providence in this regard.  
We can no more visualize the  
life beyond than we can the fourth  
dimension, while the human situation  
often seems dark and perplexing, if not

indeed, contradictory. May we not at  
least presume here that while the  
church in its wisdom was about to  
reward the Christian activities of our  
pastor and brother with a wider and  
more exalted sphere of labor, and to  
which his magnetic personality, enthu-  
siasm and scholarly attainments so  
admirably fitted him, yet the Divine  
Master saw fit to call him on short  
notice to an infinitely more exalted and  
important sphere of usefulness in his  
kingdom above. Perhaps there have  
even been a crisis in some circle  
of the beyond that called for the min-  
istrations of his bright, manly spirit,  
and no other? Our guesses are vague,  
here and now.

We will miss his manly face and  
presence in the pulpit especially, as well  
as his thoughtful and scholarly inter-  
pretations of the Master, and which  
seemed to be the centre of his teaching.  
He ever, too, championed the cause of  
the weak and oppressed, incited for-  
giveness of our enemies—even of the  
Germans while the war was raging—  
and depicted clear antagonism, the  
exploitation of the weak by the strong,  
and the methods of the jungle in our  
social relationships.

Of his mental attitude and discourse  
was that while scientific to a degree,  
yet he was also a stalwart and reverent  
Christian orthodox, and the two seem-  
ed to present no conflict in his thought.  
But he has gone from us, and we can  
only repeat again: "He is not dead;  
he's just away." D. STEWART.

## EVERYTHING

**ROYALTIES WITH SERVANTS.**  
[Montreal Herald.]  
Two kings, three queens, two princes,  
four princesses and one duke attended  
the annual servants' ball at Sandring-  
ham.

Royalties present were: King  
George and Queen Mary, Queen Alex-  
ander, the King and Queen of Norway,  
the Prince of Wales, Prince Olat of  
Norway, Princess Victoria, the Princess  
Royal, Princess Mary and Princess  
Maud, and the Duke of York.

Over 400 guests attended, and a full  
program of dances was gone through,  
the royal party entering fully into the  
spirit of the gathering, and remaining  
with their guests until a late hour.

**WINDS OF THE EARTH.**  
[Toronto Star.]  
I heard the voice of the North wind  
And it seemed to say to me:  
"I am king of the forest,  
I am the death-wind bringing  
A winding sheet to the flowers,  
Where once were flowers upspringing,  
And none shall say, 'me nay'."

The voice of the west wind murmured:  
"A monarch thou art, but still  
Kings and reign in their splendor  
Because of a mightier will.  
Thou art king for a reason,  
(Thou boaster from the north)  
That the queen of the south is in season  
Fruitful of the earth bring forth."

The voice of the East wind chanted:  
"Ah, truly, my brother, West,  
Speakest in words of wisdom,  
The winds of earth are blessed,  
I, who come from the ocean,  
I know that the North wind lies;  
Ever is life and motion  
The foam-flecked billows rise."

A voice that was filled with sweetness  
Spoke low, and it scarce was heard:  
"I am queen of the south lands;  
I am warm with the sun's rays,  
I am warmth that shall nourish  
Life from a seeming death;  
And once again shall flourish  
Flowers and man's stronger faith."

**AMERICA'S OLDEST BANK**

[Baltimore Sun.]  
Within twenty miles of where the  
first English settlement in America  
was made at Jamestown is the scene  
where Capt. John Smith records the  
story of his rescue by Pocahontas, the  
daughter of the Indian chief, Powhatan.  
Within a circle of twenty miles  
to be found the oldest Protestant church  
in America; the kitchen where  
Martha Washington cooked in good  
colonial style; the college which has  
graduated three presidents; Bruton  
church, in which the Declaration of  
Independence was read; and a popula-  
tion of less than two hundred, it has two  
banks, both of which are working in  
what are probably the two oldest  
buildings used for banks in America.  
State and trust company laws  
enacted in the historic oldest custom-  
house built in America, the year 1715.  
Here the ships for Philadelphia  
were once consigned to the water.  
Here at one time the enter and  
clearing place of the financiers of the  
early colonies. Wall Street, taken  
away the financiers, but has left the  
same old building with its same old  
walls of English brick, some twenty  
four by forty feet square and two  
stories high.

**SERVICE.**

About my lady's throat appears  
A wondrous necklace woven true  
Of crystal beads and pearls and tears  
And beads of every tint of blue.  
As varied as the varied years  
Of changing fate and changing hue.

And all who see the thing admire  
This circle woven with such care—  
"Some artisan who did not tire  
But saw the beauty everywhere  
Imprisoned it in beads of fire  
To make your beauty, lady fair."

"No artisan—a soldier blind,  
Who gave his eyes that France might  
see,  
And now his blind way must wind  
Through all of life's uncertainty,  
With just his hands to feel and find,  
She answers, "made this harmony."

It seemed wise to make this correction  
for the sake of our common democracy;  
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On Flanders fields the sun beams  
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The silver moon looks down at night,  
And clustered stars from heaven  
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Upon the long-drawn battle line,  
From darkness to eternal light!

The little mounds and crosses white  
From lowly valleys to mountain heights,  
Have marked this place a holy  
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Though pulses here they won the  
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"Yes, I did, but hang it, my relatives  
are all asking me why I don't go to work  
now that I'm cured."

**LET MRS. O'LEWIE DO IT.**

[The Old Un.]  
If our ladies will smuggle goods from  
the U. S.,  
Mrs. O'lewie was well appointed, I guess.  
If our Government's callous and  
"have a heart."  
Nor give a sweet smuggler a bit of  
a start.  
But will search through their luggage—  
Let Mrs. O. do it, for it's no man's job.

## WHAT DO YOU KNOW ABOUT CANADA?

ANSWERS TO YESTERDAY'S QUESTIONS.

- 1—Sintulata is in South-eastern Saskatchewan, near Indian Head.
- 2—The Bay of Famine was the inlet on Lake Ontario where the French expedition, led by Governor La Barre, in 1671, against the Senecas, was encamped. The army was ill-fed and shrunk rapidly from fever and famine.
- 3—"Daisy Hensel" was written by Will E. Ingersoll of Winnipeg.
- 4—The New Brunswick fathers of confederation were Samuel L. Tilley, John M. Johnson, Peter Mitchell, Edward Chandler, Charles Fisher, Judge J. H. Grey, W. H. Stevens.
- 5—The Church of England in Canada has 1,834 clergy.
- 6—In 1914, Canada's trade with Germany was valued at \$19,019,989. In 1919 it was \$18,500,000.
- 7—Fort Howe national park is in New Brunswick.
- 8—The first landlocked settlement in Prince Edward Island was settled in 1675 by the purchase of the island from the Indians.
- 9—Passamogouddy retains its old Indian name.
- 10—The first Atlantic cable from Newfoundland to Ireland was laid in 1858.

**TODAY'S QUESTIONS.**

- 1—Where is Saskatchewan?
- 2—What was the first name given to Montreal by the French?
- 3—Who wrote "My Brave and Gallant Gentleman"?
- 4—How did Father Alabane reach Hudson Bay?
- 5—How many members has the Congregational Church?
- 6—How many priests has the Roman Catholic Church in Canada?
- 7—What was the population of Acadia in 1613?
- 8—What traces of French occupation exist on St. Croix Island, N. S.?
- 9—Where were municipal establishments first established?
- 10—Where did the rebels in Upper Canada establish their headquarters in 1837?

## OTHERS' VIEWS

**NOT NEEDED HERE.**

[Montreal Gazette.]  
Some London newspapers are anxious that Mr. Winston Churchill should begin his term at the colonial office by paying an official visit to Canada. Mr. Churchill has been in Canada, and though there have been changes since the close of the South African war, they have not seriously affected the attitude of the people towards the mother land. The Canadians of today are those who sent or went in the army to the war with Germany and Austria. They do not need any special studying.

**THE BRITISH IN INDIA.**

[Christian Guardian.]  
The Outlook of New York had a very interesting article last week on India and British rule there, written by David Downie of Coonoor, South India, for over thirty-five years a missionary in that country, and with exceptional opportunities of knowing the people and the Government. His verdict touching the wisdom and justice of Britain's handling of the situation in India is summed up, fairly well in the following sentences: "Considering the vast multi-  
tudes of such diverse races, creeds, and religions that go to make up the population of India, it is a miracle that British rule on earth could give India a better government than she now has. I do not say it is a perfect or as good as I hope and expect that it will be, but I do believe that it is the best that is possible under present conditions. To do what a small coterie of Indians are clamoring for, in my opinion would be fatal to the prosperity of this great country."

Although British rule, but she still has her eyes upon India, he insists.

**WARNINGS FOR THE SCRAP HEAP.**

[Wall Street Journal.]  
Apart from the necessity to limit the expenses of government and restrict naval armament to bare necessities, there is a practical business reason why Great Britain is no longer building "capital ships," and has scrapped the fleet already begun. Apparently this fact has not penetrated Washington intelligence, and the might be expected, Secretary Daniels is the last person to see the fundamental change in naval armament. Capital ships on the plan as laid down would be worthless. This is the plain business reason why his three billion dollar navy project should be forthwith abandoned.

Great Britain learned this lesson from the battle of Jutland, and from subsequent naval activities. Every effort to bring battleships and cruisers of enormous gun power and displacement into contact with the enemy was foiled by submarine warfare. The British fleet was prevented by wireless warning. Since the battle of Jutland, Great Britain has completed only one capital ship, the Hood, a super-cruiser of great relative armament and power—the greatest floating engine of destruction ever launched.

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For others, not ourselves to care?  
For that happiness design  
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## REJECTED LOVER ENDS LIFE AT WINDSOR DOCKS

John Putman Suicides After Threatening to Kill Mrs. Detinger.

[Special to The Advertiser.]  
WINDSOR, Feb. 2.—His phos-  
phorus of marriage spurned by Mrs. Maggie Detinger, 210 East Pitt street, with whom he had boarded for more than six years, John Putman, aged 37, a steamfitter by trade, at 1237 East avenue, Detroit, shot and killed himself tonight, after boarding the ferryboat "Pleasure" at Windsor dock, to escape arrest by the police on a charge of threatening to kill Mrs. Detinger.

In sight of hundreds of passengers on the ferry, Putman jumped onto the narrow guardrail of the boat a few yards ahead of the "Pleasure" at Windsor dock, and pulled a revolver from his pocket, shouting to him to surrender. Putman turned the gun against himself, the bullet entering his body just above the heart.

The body swayed against the side of the boat, and then fell into the river, between the boat and the shore. Attempts were made by the police and a stevedore to retrieve the body, but it was run down the river as far as the Canadian Pacific dock, in the hope that it would be recovered.

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Putman was wounded and almost  
According to Mrs. Detinger, who is  
twelve years his senior, Putman called  
at her home shortly after 8:30 o'clock  
this evening. Opening the back door,  
he called out, "Maggie, I have come for  
you tonight. You must consent to  
marry me or I will shoot you!"  
Screaming "Don't shoot me, Jack!"  
Mrs. Detinger ran down the front stair-  
way to the Windsor House at Windsor  
avenue and Pitt street, where friends  
called the police. Putman was leaving  
the house when Officers Begg and  
Thompson arrived. Dodging through  
alleys, he reached the ferry dock a few  
strides ahead of the officers.

**Left a Week Ago.**

Putman, who was known to Mrs. Detinger and the local authorities as a poolroom habitué, left Windsor a week ago to live in Detroit. The landlady at the Detroit address said he had been complaining of body ailments re-  
sulting in an automobile accident in Windsor, and that he had lost a large sum of money.

"I liked Jack," Mrs. Detinger sobbed,  
"but I rejected his marriage proposals  
because he seemed to always be in  
trouble of some sort. He led a double  
life. For weeks he would be away from  
my home, returning each time to renew  
his wooing. Only one week ago he  
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Chase's Ointment free if you mention this  
paper and send no stamp for postage. 60c a  
box; all dealers or Edman, Bates & Co.,  
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Campbell, vice-president, and J. McKel,  
secretary-treasurer.

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