

STREET RAILWAY CONSIDERS EIGHT-HOUR DAY

Toronto's Railway Arbitration Cost Nearly \$2,000,000

REVISION OF SCHEDULE WOULD BE NECESSARY IF WORKING HOURS CUT

New Act Piles Up Divorce Suits

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—A striking feature of the forthcoming law term here is the large number of divorce suits brought by wives under the new act, which gives women equal rights with men in the matter of ground for divorce, namely, proof of misconduct. There are nearly six hundred undefended divorce suits entered on the court lists.

MAN PLACES HEAD ON TRACK, KILLED

Engineer of T. N. O. Railway
Finds Insurance Policy on
Mangled Body.

Canadian Press Despatch.
North Bay, April 25.—When a Temiskaming and Northern Ontario Railway freight train was making a curve near Mile 66, north of North Bay, yesterday the engineer noticed a man step out onto the track and place his head on the rail when the train was but a short distance away. The engineer was unable to bring the train to a stop in time to avoid a tragedy. The body was badly mangled, but on it was found an insurance policy for \$1,000 on the life of George Struthers of Pembroke, of G. C. Struthers.

YOUNG HAMILTON GIRL IS REPORTED MISSING

Evelyn Doolittle, 15 Years
Old, Last Seen Yesterday
Morning.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Hamilton, April 24.—Evelyn Doolittle, 15, 52 Rebecca street, aged 15 years, is reported missing from home. She was last seen yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock talking to a stranger after leaving a jitney. She went to work yesterday morning, but left at 10:30 o'clock, and has not been seen since.

The Weather

FORECASTS.

Today—Moderate northeast winds; fair.
Saturday—Sunny; fair.
Sunday—Northeast and east winds; mostly cloudy and cool, followed by rain.

The pressure is high over the Great Lakes and low extends from Minnesota to the Southwest States.

Showers or snow flurries have occurred in Eastern Quebec and New Brunswick, and rain has been general in Manitoba. Elsewhere the weather has been fine and in the Western Provinces quite cool.

TEMPERATURES.

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

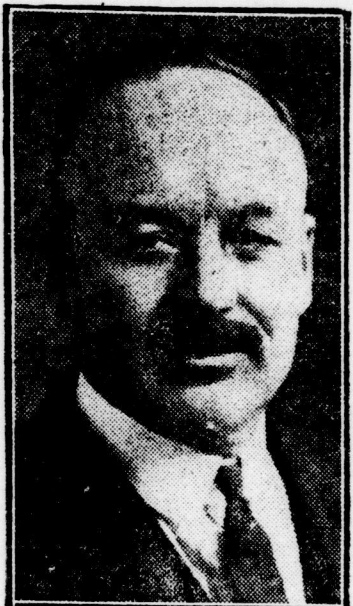
Stations.	High.	Low.	Weather.
Victoria	50	40	Clear
Calgary	42	10	Clear
Winnipeg	56	40	Cloudy
Cochrane	50	30	Fair
Traverse	42	28	Clear
Kingston	60	38	Fair
Ottawa	56	48	Fair
Montreal	48	38	Rain
Quebec	44	34	Cloudy
Father Point	36	28	Cloudy
St. John	48	32	Cloudy
Halifax	56	34	Cloudy

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.

The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 68; lowest, 31. The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 64; lowest, 29.

Barometric Readings.

Thursday—8 p.m.—29.25.
Friday—8 a.m.—29.33.



HON. J. W. LYONS,
minister of lands and forests in the Ontario cabinet, who will address members of the Commerce Club at a banquet this evening.

UNION BILL IS SET FOR WEDNESDAY

Private Bills Committee Will
Sit at Ottawa During
Sessions.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 25.—Wednesday next, April 30, has been set for the opening of the hearings upon the church union bill. This decision was reached at the private bills committee of the House of Commons this morning without discussion.

MANY C. P. OFFICIALS ATTEND BIG BANQUET

H. J. Humphries, New General
Superintendent, Feted
in Toronto.

One hundred and fifty C. P. R. officials of the Ontario division attended the farewell dinner tendered to H. J. Humphries, new general superintendent at North Bay at the King Edward Hotel in Toronto on Wednesday night, according to officials of this city, who were among those present.

CITY SOLICITOR'S ADVICE ON TRADE ACT SOUGHT

Claimed Men From Toronto
Are Disposing of Wares
in City.

City Solicitor T. G. Meredith will be asked to give a further opinion in respect to the transient traders' enactments as announced by city officials today.

REPORT NO CASUALTIES AMONG NAVAL FORCES

Washington, D. C., April 25.—Overnight advances to the state and navy departments contained no word of casualties among the American naval forces at Tegucigalpa, capital of Honduras, reported yesterday in unofficial messages from San Salvador.

Home Bank Trial Opens On Monday

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—In order that the trial of the Home Bank directors and officials under indictment in connection with the suspension of the institution last August may proceed without delay, D. L. McCarthy, special crown prosecutor, today decided to withdraw the charges under the bank act for the present, and proceed with the conspiracy charge before Mr. Justice Lennox in the criminal assizes here next Monday.

HOME BANK WAS DOOMED TO FAILURE YEARS AGO

Sir Thomas White Admits In-
troduction of Auditor Would
Have Hastened Crisis.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 25.—Introduction of an independent auditor into the Home Bank, as suggested by the western directors of the institution, would unquestionably have resulted in the failure of the bank a number of years ago. This was the opinion of Sir Thomas White, former finance minister, expressed under cross-examination this morning.

DR. CHARLES C. MACKLIN, professor of Histology and Embryology, University of Western Ontario who has been named a fellow of the Royal Society of Canada, in recognition of his services in anatomical research.

HUNT MISS STOPA IN KILLING CHARGE

Chicago's Youngest Woman
Lawyer Infatuated With
Y. Kenley Smith.

Associated Press Despatch.
Chicago, April 25.—Search for Wanda Elaine Stopa, 24, Chicago's youngest woman lawyer and formerly assistant United States district attorney, was extended to the east today in the belief that, eluding pursuit here after killing the caretaker at the home of Y. Kenley Smith, wealthy advertising man, with whom she was infatuated, she fled to New York with her husband, Valdemir Glasko.

HEBRIDES PEOPLE Are All Placed But Four of These Immigrants Remain in Ontario.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 25.—Without a hitch all the immigrants who came to Canada from the Hebrides Islands early this month have been dispersed to farms in the Edmonton and Red Deer districts of Alberta, where employment has been found for them, according to a statement issued from the department of immigration and colonization by Hon. J. A. Robb today.

Salvation Summer Camp IS NOW BEING ARRANGED

Preparatory to the opening of the Salvation Army summer camp at Port Frank, on Lake Huron, Brig. McAmmond and Adj. Spooner, of Clarence street, made a trip to Port Frank yesterday.

FRENCH PILOT STARTS AIR TRIP TO FAR EAST

Must Make His Own Repairs
As There Are No Funds
For Spare Parts.

Associated Press Despatch.
Paris, April 25.—Lieut. Polletier D'Oisy, or "Pivolo," as he is better known in French air circles, made an excellent start on his adventurous trip to the Far East, covering the 800 miles from Paris to Budapest yesterday at an average speed of 120 miles an hour.

TOWN IN SASKATCHEWAN SUFFERS \$30,000 BLAZE

Canadian Press Despatch.
Saskatoon, April 25.—Fire which broke out early yesterday at Leroy, Sask., destroyed six buildings with a loss of \$30,000. Total insurance of \$12,500 was carried. With no fire apparatus and in the midst of a raging snowstorm, villagers found it impossible to cope with the flames.

BALLOON NO. 7 LANDS.

Associated Press Despatch.
Dubuque, April 25.—Balloons No. 7 in the annual national balloon race landed in a field five miles south-west of here this morning, at four o'clock. Trapped in three electrical storms the bag was forced to land after travelling about 1,000 miles. The balloon was not damaged.



Ernest Crowden Goes to Shelter
—Will Take Steps To
Send Him Back.

YOUTHFUL IMMIGRANT BOY Refuses to do Any Work And Declines to Eat Food

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—Will Take Steps To
Send Him Back.

HELD AS VAGRANT

Turned Over to Inspector Kelly
and Goes Away
Contented.

Sent out from England by his grandmother to earn a living for himself in Canada, Ernest Crowden, a lad of 12, who has the physique of a youngster of 12, is homesick, won't work and is anxious to cross the ocean to his old home.

ANCIENT BREAD Was Real Beer

Associated Press Despatch.
Detroit, April 24.—A bakery truck, bearing in huge gold letters the legend "Home Made Bread," and with the ends of a dozen golden loaves protruding from its rear windows, was stopped at State street and Jefferson avenue, Ecorse, by federal agents today.

HIGH SCHOOL BOY KILLED BY BULLET

Rifle Accidentally Discharges
in Hands of Carmen Cook,
Owen Sound.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Owen Sound, April 25.—Carmen Cook, aged 17, Meaford high school boy, was shot and fatally wounded yesterday afternoon when the .22 calibre rifle which he was using was discharged accidentally, the bullet entering his abdomen, causing an internal hemorrhage, from which he died between four and five hours later.

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TWO WARNED BY CHIEF TO CLEAN UP PREMISES

Thirteen Inspections Conducted
in Downtown District by
Fire Department.

Out of a total of thirteen inspections of business houses made by the fire department within a week, only two were found in a condition that calls for an immediate cleaning up. In both these cases the owners have been warned for the second time and unless conditions are remedied quickly Fire Chief Aitken will halt them to court.

Public Account Is Out \$8,100

Announce Result of Auditor's
Probe of Ontario
Department.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—Premier Ferguson stated this morning that in the department's investigation into the accounts of the provincial secretary's department, a loss of \$8,100 has been discovered, while a few other items are still to be inspected. Two clerks of the department have been under suspension since the beginning of the auditor's investigation.

SEVERE QUAKE TREMOR FELT BY SEATTLE CITIZENS

Associated Press Despatch.
Seattle, Wash., April 25.—A severe earthquake was felt here at 12:03 o'clock this morning. Residents pronounced it the most severe tremor in this district of many years. No damage has been reported.

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FOURTEEN PRISONERS MAKE GETAWAY FROM DENVER JAIL

Overpower Three Guards and
Escape in a Blinding
Snowstorm.

BUT ONE CAPTURED

Ruth Harris, Known as Bandit
Queen, Is Held For
Investigation.

Associated Press Despatch.
Denver, Col., April 25.—Headed by "Slippery Dell" Hanlon, convicted highwayman of St. Paul and Denver, fourteen prisoners, some armed, escaped from the county jail last night after overpowering three guards in a blinding snowstorm that scattered prisoners scattered through nearby streets. None, with the exception of Mike Quintana, have been captured.

WINSTON CHURCHILL, who was defeated by the Conservative candidate in a recent by-election, is said to be ready to contest the seat at the coming general election in Great Britain.

HEADS CANCER CAMPAIGN.

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—The Duke of York has accepted the presidency of the British Empire cancer campaign in which he intends to actively participate.

ARBITRATION COST PLACED AT \$1,500,000 BY OFFICIALS

Council Seeks Information at
Instigation of Alderman
Frank McKay.

TOOK OVER YEAR

Case Now On Its Way to the
Privy Council For
Consideration.

The total cost of the Toronto street railway arbitration is estimated in the neighborhood of \$2,000,000, although no official figures are yet available, according to definite information from the Toronto authorities. The amount expended certainly exceeded \$1,500,000.

GIRL SEVERELY BITTEN BY VICIOUS COLLIE

Condition of Edith Clarke Is
Improved—Animal Shot
by Inspector.

Edith Clarke, whose parents reside at 511 King street, was severely bitten by a vicious dog while playing outside at 311 Hale street, Pottersburg, last night shortly after 8 o'clock.

CANADIAN FIRE LOSSES SHOW \$34,000 INCREASE

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—Fire losses in Canada during the week ended April 23 are estimated by the Monetary Times at \$352,700, compared with \$321,750 the previous week and with \$318,100 the corresponding week of 1923.

HAVANA STRIKE EXPECTED TO COME TO AN END SOON

Associated Press Despatch.
Havana, April 25.—Government circles yesterday expressed the belief that the general strike which has almost paralyzed activities in Havana since last Monday would shortly come to an end.

EXPECT GENERAL BRITISH ELECTION IN SUMMER

EARLY ELECTION IS NOW EXPECTED IN GREAT BRITAIN

Sidney Webb Believes Labor Will Appeal to Country This Summer.

CHURCHILL TO RUN

It Is Understood Mrs. Philip Snowden Will Be Labor Candidate.

Associated Press Despatch. London, April 25.—An early general election is looked for by Sidney Webb, president of the board of trade, who says an appeal to the country by the Labor government is quite likely to be made this summer.

It is understood that Winston Spencer Churchill, who made a good run in the Abbey division of Westminster in the recent by-election and was defeated by the Conservative candidate by a small majority, will again contest the seat at the first opportunity. Mr. Churchill early next month will address his supporters and workers in the Abbey division at a meeting from which the general public will be excluded.

Mrs. Philip Snowden, wife of the chancellor of the exchequer, probably will be the Labor candidate in Penryn and Falmouth, Cornwall, in the next general election.

Oswald Mosley, M.P., son-in-law of Marquis Curzon, who recently joined the Labor party, was given a great reception last night at Newcastle, where he was nominated as the Labor candidate in the next general election. Speaking of what he described as Lloyd George's petulant gibes at the Labor party, Oswald Mosley remarked that when Lloyd George told Premier MacDonald that he needed a cold towel round his head it really meant that Lloyd George had cold feet.

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They Are Sure To Please.
Premier Salad Dressing... 30c and 75c bot.
Richelle Mayonnaise... 65c
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Easton's Mayonnaise... 25c and 50c bot.
Easton's Vegonaisse, 30c, 60c
Royal Mayonnaise... 50c bot.
Royal Salad Dressing... 25c and 45c bot.
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Recommended by Physicians in the treatment of Diabetics.
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WOMEN'S EDITOR JUMPS AND TWO JUMP WITH HER

Reporters Gasp As Startling Array of Beauties Greet Their Eyes.

MORNING EYE-OPENER

Male Chorus Charmed, Then Explanations Are in Order From All.

For a long time the women's editor had been contemplating the move. She knew she might regret such drastic action and possibly have all kinds of cruel remarks hurled at her when she got home. But most of the other girls had done it, and—

Yesterday, after thinking the matter over for half an hour, she summoned up her courage and had the thing done. She bobbed her hair. Probably she would never have been so impulsive had not two other young ladies in the office urged her to do so. They said that if she would bob her hair they would bob theirs. And the women's editor has never been known to dodge a challenge. So the whole trinity cavorted outside, entered a hair shop and—

Their gorgeous locks fell to the tune of a tinkling pair of scissors. This morning the male element of the advertiser staff gazed astounded in chic fashion from three feminine heads. Each wore an expression of guilt. They looked like three naughty little girls who had done something they shouldn't. Yet all three tried to assume an expression of indifference as if nothing had happened.

Subjected to interview. Of course, after going through such an epochal experience, it became absolutely essential that the women's editor be interviewed. She, whose business it was to interview others, must now herself be subjected to the ordeal.

"Oh, well, now, oh—" the women's editor murmured very much embarrassed. "I'm sure you're spoiling me! But the inquiring reporter assured her he was in real earnest. He wanted to know why, where, when, what, how and which she had bobbed her hair. The women's editor finally braced herself.

"Several things influenced us in our decision," she explained. "First, there was always the chance that bobbed hair might make us more attractive."

The reporter gallantly interjected "Impossible!" but the mistress of the women's page continued: "The second consideration was that a despatch came over the wire which said bobbed hair would remain the style for at least five years. We had almost momentarily expected it to go out of fashion. But that despatch was the clinching argument."

"Bobbied-Haired Bandit." "Perhaps there were psychological considerations, too. We've been reading so much about the bobbied-haired bandit lately that bobbed hair almost became an obsession with us. So we just went out and had the thing done yesterday."

The women's editor shuddered as she recalled the momentous decision. Gossamer conjectures had assailed her during that crucial moment when she was making up her mind. What would mother say? What would father say? What would the young man—no, it wouldn't be fair to the women's editor to go any further.

"Yes, I'm glad we had our hair bobbed," she concluded. "What do you think of it?" "Wonderful!" the reporter babbled quite truthfully. "Simply superb! Charming! Great stuff!" Then he yielded to the nearest typewriter to pound out his interview.

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Enjoys Dinner New Potatoes

Special to The Advertiser. Forest, April 24.—Mrs. Ed. Rumford had potatoes for dinner on Tuesday that were dug in her garden that morning. They had been in the ground all winter with no extra protection, and were firm and fresh. They could be scraped like a new potato, and when cooked were of a fine quality.

The Fun Shop

My Lady Suffragette.

By Barbara Byth.

My lady's nose is Grecian born.

Though sometimes, when a-till with scorn,

A strain of Celtic shows;

And when I beg her for a kiss,

Most Romanly severe it is:

They make me feel I've done amiss—

My lady's "noes!"

My lady's cheek is smooth and white,

And dianthes to my raptured sight.

There play at hide-and-seek;

But when my love I warmly press

For quite the hundredth time—not less.

She says, "You do! I didn't guess!"

My lady's cheek!

My lady's eyes are wide and blue,

An index clear to all the true.

Sweet grace they in her lies;

And some day she will drop the mask

And fling sweet to lover's task—

"They'll give consent to all I ask—"

My lady's "ayes!"

She: "The wedding was indefinitely postponed."

He: "Who gave the bride away?"

—Robert Kingsley.

The costliest speech is sometimes free speech.

Toujours.

Before they were engaged—

They travelled in taxis.

When they went out,

He took her to dinner,

To a theatre,

To a hotel to dance,

And then,

To a French restaurant.

After they were engaged—

They travelled by street car.

When they went out,

He took her to the theatre.

After they were married—

By street car.

By street car.

—Mervin L. Lane.

EVERY ACTOR WHEN HE LOOKS IN A MIRROR THINKS HE'S STAR GAZING

Every man is a hero to his autobiographer.

Taking Him at His Word.

Godfrey (wildly): "Sir, if you don't permit me to marry your daughter I will hang myself."

Her Father: "I don't care a whoop what you do, young man, just so long as you don't hang around here!"

—Julius Elliott.

Spare the rod and spoil the slipper.

Me-Ow!

Scylla: "How wonderfully young she looks tonight!"

Crylla: "Yes, she's up to her old tricks."

—Mrs. Anna Butler.

A man falls in love with a woman for what he thinks she is. A woman falls in love with a man for what she thinks he will be after she has remodeled him.

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Readers are requested to contribute. All humor: Epigrams (or humorous mottoes), jokes, anecdotes, poetry, burlesques, satires, and bright sayings of children, must be original and unpublished. Accepted material will be paid for. All manuscripts must be written on one side of the paper only, and should be addressed to the Fun Shop, The London Advertiser. No manuscripts can be returned. The rates are \$1 to \$10 for accepted material, and 25 cents to \$1 a line for poetry.

CAR TURNS OVER.

Richard Fonger and two companions narrowly escaped serious injury yesterday afternoon when Fonger's car, turning suddenly to avoid a street cleaner, capsized on Ridout street near King. The car was badly wrecked, but the men were thrown clear.

BISHOP ADDRESSES SPLENDID RALLY OF JUNIOR AUXILIARIES

Miss Irene Isaacs Tells of Japan at Cronyn Memorial Hall.

PRIZES PRESENTED

Bringing the attendance up to a total of about two hundred children, all the Junior Anglican auxiliaries of the city and four from other parts of the diocese were represented in the annual Junior rally held yesterday afternoon in Cronyn Memorial Hall. Bishop Williams returned to the city from Montreal to preside, and the program he conducted was splendidly planned to hold the interest of such a large number of children.

The bishop's address was a happy commencement to the program. He congratulated the children on the missionary work, which forms such a large part of their yearly program, and gave them inspiration for an additional effort in the coming year.

Miss Isaacs speaks. The future plan of the program was awarded to Miss Irene Isaacs, a missionary from Japan, who at once captured the attention of her audience by appearing in the native Japanese costume. Her word picture of the trip to Japan and a missionary's experience with the native life quite delighted the children, as well as giving them a greater knowledge of the work they were able to assist with their own contributions of mite boxes.

Deepening again the interest, the bishop presided, and prizes were given to the following: Catherine Sale, senior group, Goderich; Margery Parsons, junior group, Cronyn Memorial; Marguerite Barnerd, senior group, All Saints; Hilda Bowley, senior group, St. Paul's Cathedral; Vera Holmes, junior group, St. Matthew's; Eleanor Morgan, senior group, Delhi; Barbara Gilbert, senior group, St. John the Evangelist; Teddy Brock, junior group, St. Matthew's; Dorothy Arnold, senior group, Stratford St. Paul's; Margaret Pugsley, senior group, Stratford; Maud Haywood, junior group, St. John the Evangelist; Jean Randall, junior group, Windsor; All Saints; and a representative of St. John's. St. Thomas. Six years ago, J. M. Russell conceived the idea of a national organization for the promotion of rifle shooting among the younger generation.

Obstacles were many and the cry of too much militarism was raised, but the majority seemed to approve the scheme. Today the organization is growing every minute.

About four years ago Canada adopted the W. J. R. plan, its success was immediate, and today thousands of boys and girls in the Dominion are members of the various corps. One of the pioneer corps to be established in Canada was formed in this city by E. E. Murtagh, now chief instructor in this district. Progress was slow at first, but gradually enthusiasm became warmer. The four units in the Forest City have a total enrollment of more than 125 members.

The city units are: No. 1224, under Chief Instructor E. E. Murtagh; No. 716, under Henry Nicholls; and No. 1183, of St. James' Anglican Church, under Fred C. Hessel and Francis Floyd.

Interest is exceptionally keen in the St. James unit, and the following have been awarded medals: Tom Kilpatrick, pro marksman; William Frank, pro marksman; and Markman; Ivan Bamford, pro marksman; Charles Ferguson, pro marksman; and Markman; Alex. Atkinson, pro marksman; R. Hessel, marksman.

PROMISE MUSICAL TREAT.

A concert will be held Tuesday evening in the Wellington Street Methodist Church under the auspices of the Wellington street and Wortley road choir. The program is under the direction of E. S. Werner and Miss Werner, organist, assisted by the S. S. Orchestra, which is known as one of the best in the city, under the leadership of Mr. Cresswell. The committee has also secured the services of Miss L. Grant, elocutionist.



AUTHOR OF LOVE LETTERS TO A. J. SMALL.

Mrs. Clare Smith, whose love letters to the missing magnate, A. J. Small, have been filed in court in the will case, in which Mrs. Ambrose Small seeks to propound a will of 1903, which leaves her sole beneficiary.

News From City Churches

KING STREET W. M. S. The monthly meeting of the King Street W. M. S. was held yesterday afternoon, with the president, Mrs. J. McLeod, in charge. Mrs. McLeod presided, and the main feature of the afternoon and during which the second chapter of "The Island Beautiful" was taken up. The Bible lesson was read by Mrs. T. T. and the devotion exercises led by Mrs. Hodgins. During the business period, arrangements were made to hold the Easter thanksgiving service in conjunction with Mothers' Day.

SOUTHERN CHURCH AUXILIARY. The regular meeting of the Women's Auxiliary of the Southern Congregational Church was held at the home of Mrs. S. Angles, Grey street, yesterday. Mrs. A. Rumball, the president, presided, and an interesting paper entitled "How Mrs. Elwood's Holiday Turned Into a Holy Day" was read by Mrs. Rudland. A much-enjoyed solo was given by Mrs. J. Rayner, and Mrs. A. Rumball and Mrs. W. Hilton were appointed delegates to the convention which is to be held at Frome, on May 7. Further arrangements were made for the bazaar, which is to be held under the auspices of the organization on May 27. The following members were appointed to have charge of the booths: Aprons, Mrs. W. Walton, Mrs. W. Hilton and Mrs. A. Rumball; home-cooking, Mrs. H. Gorch; Mrs. J. Hawke and Miss F. Angles; tea room, Mrs. L. Anderson and Mrs. W. Pelton; ice cream, Mrs. Chapman and Mrs. Rudland; samples, Mrs. W. Powell and Mrs. W. Pelton. At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by the hostess. There was a large attendance at the meeting.

GIDEON BAND. The Gideon Band of Empress Avenue Sunday School held their annual picnic recently, concluding a most successful year, with Mrs. S. G. Parsons as president, and Mrs. R. G. Fuller as teacher. Officers elected for the coming term are as follows: President, S. P. Gorton; first vice-president, Ross Willis; second vice-president, Dan Thompson; third vice-president, S. G. Parsons; secretary, George Gorton; Rev. J. J. Chapman presided during the election, and at the conclusion, the members enjoyed a social period together.

RUBBER SOCIAL. A rubber social, held by the Ladies' Guild of St. David's Church met with a great deal of success yesterday afternoon. The ladies of the congregation last night, in a forceful comedy, "All a Mistake," cleverly given by members of the A. Y. P. A., was the main feature of the evening's entertainment. Among those who took part were: Misses Mabel Hogg, Kathleen Patton, Margery Hills, Amy Dibsall, and Abbott Sholdice. Tom Boyle, William Walton, and Dan Boyle. C. H. Boyle acted as director. Vocal solos by Miss Rose Tingey and Mrs. Frost were delightful features between acts.

ALL SAINTS' PIE SOCIAL. A pie social was the jolly affair at which the Ladies' Guild of All Saints' Church entertained members of the congregation last night. An excellent collection of literature dealing with the most effective means of children's work has been supplied by the board and will be lent on request to any of the active workers in the city. Miss Young also explained the methods followed by the board, and gave a model talk, "A Handful of Chrys," which was very interesting. Miss Young was assisted as hostess by Miss Jean Gorwill and Miss Betty Brown.

DAIL EIREANN ADOPTS NEW PROTECTIVE TARIFF. Dublin, April 25.—Ernest Bythe, the minister of finance, in introducing the budget in the Dail Eireann today announced the adoption of a protective tariff on imported bottles, boots, confectionery and motor bodies. The tariff duty will be decreased three-pence per pound, the minister stated.

IN CANADA'S PARLIAMENT. Canadian Press Despatch. Ottawa, April 25.—Today in parliament: Budget debate will be resumed in the House of commons. The Senate does not sit.

Yesterday in Parliament. J. S. Woodworth (Labor Winnipeg Center) introduced an amendment to the budget, suggesting substantial reduction in the tariff on necessities of life, and a corresponding increase in taxation of unearned incomes, unoccupied lands and resources and bigger inheritance tax on large estates.

E. B. Rickman (East Toronto), E. W. Robinson (Liberal, King's, N. S.), C. A. Gauvreau (Liberal, Temiscouata), C. H. Dickie (Conservative, Nanaimo), H. A. Lavigne (Liberal, Quebec County), and J. F. White (Conservative, London, Ont.) participated in the debate.

Law former M. P. for York North, N. S., who lost his life in the Parliament Building fire in 1915, was unveiled in the House of Commons lobby.

SHORT MEMBERSHIP DRIVE PLANNED BY CLUBS OF "Y"

House Cleaning Day has been the name selected for the one-day drive for members, an annual event that is staged by different Y. M. C. A. clubs each spring.

This year The Kawa-a-Weke Club, The Booster Club, and the membership committee will devote next Monday to efforts to obtain new members.

OPINIONS SOUGHT REGARDING MERIT OF CIVIC CHANGE

Chamber of Commerce Members Will Submit Replies on City Manager Government.

WILL ACT GRADUALLY

Members of the Chamber of Commerce have been asked to submit their opinion regarding the merits of city-manager form of civic government, following a meeting of the directorate. This morning they were furnished with ballots on which to vote for or against the proposal, and if a favorable response is secured, the chamber will make an official recommendation to the council that the matter be submitted to vote of the ratepayers.

The question put to members of the Chamber of Commerce was as follows:

"That the directors of the chamber be authorized to request the city council to submit to vote of the ratepayers at the next municipal election the following proposal:

"That authority be asked from the legislature to reduce the number of members of the present city council to five—mayor and four aldermen—elected by the taxpayers of the whole city, the mayor to be elected for one year only, and the four aldermen elected for the first year, two for one year and two for two years, and thereafter two each year for two-year terms, to provide overlapping tenure of office."

It will be recalled that members, by a large majority, endorsed the policy of centralized control of the civic governing bodies, and the subject has been discussed at many meetings and considered from every angle by the board of directors. In 1923 they made a request that the proposal be voted on by ratepayers, but this was refused by the council.

The directors believe, however, that the question should be considered again by the council. The risk of throwing the whole municipal machinery of government under one control at one time and the danger of impairing the efficiency of its parts, was discussed by the directors in the presence of Dr. Horace L. Brittain, who favors the plan now submitted as the initial step towards city-manager government. Dr. Brittain, it is pointed out, has made the same recommendation for the improvement of Toronto's civic government.

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DAIL EIREANN ADOPTS NEW PROTECTIVE TARIFF

Dublin, April 25.—Ernest Bythe, the minister of finance, in introducing the budget in the Dail Eireann today announced the adoption of a protective tariff on imported bottles, boots, confectionery and motor bodies. The tariff duty will be decreased three-pence per pound, the minister stated.

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BRIAND OPENS HIS CAMPAIGN

French Election Will Effect Whole World, Former Premier Declares.

Associated Press Despatch. Nantes, France, April 25.—Former Premier Briand opened his election campaign here last night with a speech before a meeting of his constituents. The 11th of May, election day, would mark an epoch in the future of the republic, he said. "It will weigh on the destiny of France for many years, according as the deputies sent to the chamber are really free men or otherwise, as continued. "It will also have an effect throughout the world. "It is essential that out of the voting shall emerge a republic recalling the traditions of France and the traditions of the revolution, when by instantaneously spread by Germany of an imperialist hegemony, will be dissipated and the bonds which must never cease to bind us with our allies will be strengthened."

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TAMMANY HALL CHIEF DEALS IN NEW YORK HOME

CIRCUS AT Y.M.C.A. DRAWS BIG CROWD ON OPENING NIGHT

Stunts Greatly Appreciated by Enthusiastic Onlookers—Band Is Thriller.

TUMBLERS ARE GOOD

Following many weeks of preparation for their annual circus, the members of the Y. M. C. A. last night presented the seventeen big acts to an audience numbering nearly 400 people.

The gymnasium was gayly decorated with multi-colored flags and every stunt was carried through with a rest that won the audience.

Crescotes Carbolic Acid Band, led by Prof. Dis Infection made a hit with the jazz fans and rendered some comic musical numbers that put a circus touch in the show right at the start.

The Midget Tumblers, trying troublesome tricks, were advertised as "kids without bones in their heads." The youngsters comprised members of a training squad and were all under 12 years of age.

Five men of the senior squad showed some finished work on the "horse" and parallel bars.

In the Maze March and the flag drill executed by about fifty little fellows of the "Preps" there were seen splendid junior drills that evidenced much training.

About twenty girls of the Y. M. C. A. gave a folk dance that was daintily carried out. The torch drill by the senior leaders made a splendid picture as they carried out their exercises with torch-like electric-lighted clubs.

CHIEF WANTS 'EM YOUNG AND NOT TOO PORTLY

Firemen Will Not Be Hired Over Twenty-Four Years Old.

If you are over 24, carry around weight in excess of 150 pounds and are among the 60 applicants seeking jobs on the fire department you may as well console yourself as best as you can for Chief Aitken announced today that the ten new men to be added to the force must be 24 and under and devoid of the heavyweight class.

"I want young men on the force declared the chief that can move around quickly and not be hampered in their many duties by too much avoidpoids. They must be 5 feet 8 inches or more in height," he said. The men to be chosen will be all residents of London and it will not matter whether they are married or single as long as they measure up to the chief's ideals.

The first group will likely commence their new duties on the first of the month, he said, when he expects to have four of the ten welcomed at the central fire hall.

ENGINEER NEAR FEELS REMARK COMPLIMENT

States Brydges Street Proposition Was Not Brought to Council by Him.

City Engineer W. P. Near said that Ald. Gordon Drake indeed flatters him with his comment about "the engineer bringing the Brydges street paving question to the city council." From the engineer's explanation, the chief responsibility in this connection rests with Ald. Allen Towne, member of the industrial area commission, who has questioned him first, he relates, as to when he was going to complete the job in question.

"I told him that I would start just as soon as the weather permitted," the engineer recalls. "Then the question was brought up at the session of the board of works, and then referred to the council. I did not bring the subject into the council or committee, as was evidently the opinion held by Ald. Drake, although I am sure that he knows different now that it has been explained."

The Brydges street project is through for this year, Ald. Douglass confidently explains. He chides Mel Cater and other members of the industrial area commission, who have questioned him, "I've had because one of our pet schemes has failed to meet with the approval of elected representatives of the people."

Chairman Douglass likens the industrial area committee to a club. "It's a nice pleasant way to pass the afternoon," he said.

Obituary

CHILD IS BURIED.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Wooding, who died yesterday, was held from the funeral home of G. L. Ferguson today to Woodland Cemetery.

Rev. H. J. Tren, of Colborne Street Methodist Church, officiated.

POLITICAL ORGANIZER DIES OF INDIGESTION

Was Head of Most Famous Organization of Its Kind in the United States.

WELL LAST NIGHT

Patient's Heart Is Stricken and Death Occurs Shortly After Attack.

Associated Press Despatch. New York, April 25.—Charles F. Murphy, leader of Tammany Hall, died at 9:30 o'clock this morning at his residence at 305 east 17th street.

Murphy succeeded the late Richard Croker as chief of the most famous political organization in the United States. He was a native New Yorker, having been born here June 20, 1858.

Acute indigestion was the cause of the death.

Mr. Murphy appeared in excellent health last night. Household servants related that the Tammany leader complained of suffering chills when he arose at 8 o'clock this morning, as was his custom.

Murphy's valet summoned Dr. John E. Harrity, who lived near by, Father Lawrence A. Hogan of the Roman Catholic Church of the Epiphany, Murphy's daughter, Mrs. Foley, Dr. Foley, and her husband, Surgeon General Foley.

A glance convinced the physician that the patient's heart had been stricken, that he was in great pain and near death. He was given a hypodermic stimulant and put to bed.

Ten minutes later he died, with the priest, Surgeon General Foley, Dr. Harrity and the servants at his bedside. He remained conscious up to the last moment.

The Tammany leader, always taciturn, remained so up to the time of his death. To the doctor, who found him in the bathroom in agony, the man's remarks seemed to be of one surprise that he should suffer from indigestion and of impatience that his heart should have been affected. He did not suspect that his illness was fatal.

A street car driver, who became leader of the Tammany organization and as such played a prominent part in the managing of mayors and governors of one of the most important cities of the United States, died at the age of 65.

Murphy's political leadership began in the 18th assembly district in 1892, when he became district leader after the death of Edward Hagan.

WIFE DOES NOT KNOW.

Atlantic City, N. J., April 25.—Mrs. Charles F. Murphy, wife of the deceased Tammany Hall leader, who has been at the Marlborough-Blenheim here, received a telegram today summoning her to New York, but she has refused to leave her home.

News of his death has so far not been divulged to her.

MAYOR AND DRAKE LAID CITY ENGINEER

Suspension of W. P. Near Never Thought Of, Alderman Explains.

When the opportune moment is at hand, Ald. Gordon Drake will notify Ald. Douglass just who he meant when he vouchsafed the opinion that Mayor Wenige ought to suspend three or four others at the city hall.

One thing is certain, Ald. Drake explains, and that is that City Engineer W. P. Near is not one of them. The latter is one of the best engineers that London has ever had, he submits.

Mayor Wenige went further than that today with the declaration that "City Engineer Near is the best engineer London ever had and one of the best in the country today."

"There will be no need to have any pavements laid by contract in this city," he said, "and I am sure that while he has such a good staff of men at his command," the mayor challenged.

HOLIDAYS FOR FIREMEN START EARLY IN MAY

The holiday list for the London firemen has been compiled by Chief Aitken and will start on Thursday, May 2nd, when Lieut. George Bolt will head the first batch in their two weeks' vacation. Other members are: Dave Tindle, chauffeur; Smithson and Jones, privates.

An officer will accompany each group.

The holiday season will be finished on some time during the month of September.



MISS KATHLEEN BRADY, B.A., who is visiting Canada under the auspices of the Irish Relief Association.

AMERICAN IS SEEKING HUSBAND'S LOCATION

Mrs. Andre J. Caissie Tells Chief Birrell of Spouse Leaving Her.

Mrs. Andre J. Caissie of Fitchburg, Mass., arrived in the city last night on a hunt for her husband, who she believes is in the city, and who left her a year ago promising to send for her as soon as he became settled.

Mrs. Caissie called on Chief of Police Birrell this morning and told her story. She stated that her husband had always been faithful and good to her, and she cannot understand why she has been deserted.

The couple lived in Moncton, N. B., on the return of Caissie from the war. He enlisted and went overseas with the 160th Battalion, and had an excellent record in the army, Mrs. Caissie claims.

Later she heard he had shipped on a vessel at Eastport, Me., and had sailed as far as India and back.

Last June Caissie came to London, his wife was informed, and she believes he is still in the city. He was a carpenter, barber, and a cobbler, his wife states, and she describes him as being about three inches short of six feet in height, fair complexion, blue eyes and brown hair.

CITY HUMANE SOCIETY HAS A BUSY MONTH

Inspector Tustin Receives More Than 286 Complaints in April.

The monthly report of the London Humane Society was submitted before members last night at the city hall and showed that April had been a busy month for the organization.

The report was a lengthy one and showed that over 286 complaints had been received. Horses examined numbered 836 while 5 of this number were destroyed. Cattle examined in transit totalled 1,214 while hogs, sheep, etc., examined were 624. Dogs admitted to shelter were 37 of which 34 were destroyed. Cats admitted numbered 39, 36 of these pesky animals being done away with.

Condemns for cruelty cases were considerably lower than in the past with only one recorded, while a conviction was registered in this case. Cases pending for cruelty are one.

The number of warnings issued reached 24 while help was given to three needy cases. Emergency calls for accidents on the street totalled 35. During the month the society answered 524 calls.

RENOVATE TICKET OFFICE.

Painting and decorating gangs invaded the C. N. R. downtown ticket office today, where they will hold sway until the interior has been completely renovated. It is expected that the work will be finished within a week.

Mayor Wenige deplores the fact that a federal anti-logging act is not effective these days. Discussing the situation this morning with Crown Attorney Albert Judd, he submitted that every able-bodied person should be made to labor and produce just a little more than he could consume, in order that ample provision would be made for those who could not work.

The mayor also regretted, as did the crown attorney, that no provision is made whereby the municipality could take over the work of the machine. He said, however, that the finances were not so good, but the finances

are lacking.

He pointed out that as an instance, a wife deserter from London could be deported to Windsor, placed under arrest there but no funds were available for transportation from the border to London. Only an amendment to the act would change this, he pointed out.

Mayor Wenige would have wife deserters and the like brought back from other countries, placed in the "chain gang" on the county or provincial roads and their families supported on the proceeds.

REV. MESS SCORED BY COBERT FOR STAND ON CADETS

Labor Official Says Trustee Is Evidently Lacking in Christian Spirit.

MINISTER REPLIES

Members of the Labor party criticize the attitude of School Trustee Rev. Roy D. Mess in relation to cadet training in the schools.

Trustee Mess would be better employed advocating free or cheaper text books and the like, rather than devoting energy in the former direction, charges ex-Ald. John Cobert, president of the street railwaymen's union.

Ex-Ald. Cobert scores what he characterizes as Trustee Mess's "evident lack of Christian spirit," questioning why as a minister of the gospel as well as a member of the board of education, he recommends the continuance of the practice of "giving rifles and ammunition to the students so that they can learn to shoot."

"Trustee Mess says that some discipline is needed," Mr. Cobert stated. "I don't consider that it is necessary to hand out rifles and cartridges for that purpose. I think that he would be serving humanity better if he were to interest himself in a move for free text books as a greater aid to education."

The president contemplates bringing this question to the notice of the members of the Labor party at their next regular session.

Trustee Mess states that while such may be Mr. Cobert's views, his remarks as were expressed at the recent education convention, and he points to the fact that his views were evidently the choice of the majority present, as the resolution to abolish cadet training in the schools was defeated.

"I'm not going to worry about his views," Trustee Mess stated. "I stated my own views, and as far as the question of free text books is concerned, that is an entirely different matter and has no bearing on cadet training. No doubt the text book matter will receive due consideration when it comes up."

HAROLD M. GODARD SENTENCED TEN YEARS

Convicted on Charge of Maiming With Intent to Wound Miss Mary Duncan.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, April 25.—Harold M. Godard was sentenced to ten years in the penitentiary today by Judge Wright, following his conviction on a charge of maiming with intent to wound Miss Mary Duncan in January last.

The judge instructed the crown officer to communicate with the superintendent of the institution to keep watch on Godard's mental condition. Austin Ross, his counsel, in making a plea for mercy, having expressed the view that he was a mental defective.

On sentencing the prisoner, Mr. Justice Wright said it was exceedingly difficult to sentence a returned soldier.

It had been shown in the evidence, he said, that the prisoner was subject to fits, but this did not go to the extent of showing that he was irresponsible for his act.

Godard was charged with the fall assault on the death of Mrs. Martha Crooks in January shortly after the assault on Miss Duncan was committed.

WHAT IS TASCHEREAU'S STAND ON PROTECTION?

This Question Is Asked by Arthur Sauve at Conservative Club Meeting.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, April 25.—What attitude will Premier Taschereau take when the time comes for protection for the industrial life of the province of Quebec was the question put by Arthur Sauve, leader of the Quebec opposition, at a meeting here last night inaugurating the official opening of the Liberal-Conservative Club in Outremont. Mr. Sauve remarked that Premier Taschereau had gone to Toronto and had drawn attention to the fact that the interests of both provinces were identical; that both should unite against encroachments on their needs from elsewhere in Canada.

He asked if the premier would remain true to that attitude and would he denounce the persons who demanded protection for the development of Canadian industry.

Hon. E. L. Patenaude, M. L. A. for Jacques Cartier, pictured Premier Taschereau and Hon. J. E. Caron, minister of agriculture, as rushing forward to welcome the budget at Ottawa.

He has new angle.

Mayor Wenige has another angle to the question as to who suggested that the last session of the Port Stanley Railway Commission be held in secret.

He quotes the following and asks who it would remind one of: "I detest these meetings with reporters present and one can't say all he would like otherwise."

MAYOR ALMOST ONE-MAN GOVT., HAYDEN WARNS

Alderman Will Second Greer's Motion To Restrict Mayor's Suspension Powers.

JUST AN INDIVIDUAL

London, under the Wenige administration at the city hall, is next door to one-man government, warns Ald. Edmund Hayden, who, at the next session of the city council will second the Greer motion to restrict the suspension powers of any chief magistrate, present or future.

Ald. Hayden readily submitted his reasons today when questioned why he will second the proposal from Chairman John Greer of the board of works that the municipal procedure bylaw be amended in order that the mayor will be unable to suspend any city employee without the approval of the chairman of the committee, or in the event of a disagreement, a majority of the members.

"We Don't Want It."

"We want no one-man government at the city hall, more particularly with the present mayor in office," Ald. Hayden stated. "At the last session of the city council, I seconded the motion by Ald. Greer to restrict the mayor's powers. I am going to stand by that, and I'll go through with it when Ald. Greer's motion comes to the council at the next session."

After more than a year in the city council, Ald. Hayden has concluded that too much power has evidently been vested with the mayor, who in reality, he argues, is of no greater importance than individual members of the city council, who may, he reminds, reinstate city employees just as readily as the mayor may choose to suspend them. It is time for a change and a drastic curtailment of such authorities, he charges.

Same as Alderman.

"Mayor Wenige should have no right to go in and upset things or fire right off the bat than the aldermen have," he contended. "He may think that he is 'it' with a capital 'I,' but he'll find that he isn't without the help of the rest of us in the council."

"Of two men should not be the 'whole works.' Another case in point. The ruling has been made that no member of the council may consult the city solicitor, but the mayor and the chairman of the two committees, I think that such a ruling was far too high-handed. Other members of the council were elected by the citizens as well as the mayor and chairman."

"We should have more co-operation. Mayor Wenige should consult the members of the committee before drastic measures are taken, as suspensions of veteran city employees. While I'm not the instigator of this proposed amendment to the procedure bylaw, I seconded it when Ald. Greer moved it, and my support is guaranteed for the next session."

ACACIA LODGE PLANS BIG BIRTHDAY PARTY

Grand Master Most Worshipful Brother Drope To Come For the Occasion.

The annual birthday party of Acacia Lodge, No. 530, A. F. and A. M., will be given in the Masonic Temple on Saturday evening.

The lodge will be honored by a visit from Grand Master Most Worshipful Brother Drope of Grimsby.

The celebration will begin with a banquet at 6 p.m. This will be followed by a brief session of the lodge for the purpose of presenting to the lodge an illuminated certificate of life membership in the lodge.

The remainder of the evening will be given over to dancing and cards. The lodge anticipates a large number of guests, and has arranged for the use of the entire Masonic Temple, where the club rooms, auditorium and banquet hall will be thrown open.

It is expected that a large number of Masons and their friends will take this opportunity to pay their respects to the grand master.

NON-SUPPORT SUIT IS ADJOURNED AGAIN

Counsel For Mrs. Benjamin Jenkins Claims Payments Were Not Made.

Benjamin Jenkins, charged with non-support, received another adjournment of the case in county court before Magistrate Graydon today.

According to Ed Flock, counsel for Mrs. Jenkins, the defendant is away behind in his weekly payments of \$5 to his wife, having paid nothing since last November.

E. T. Bessey, K.C., appearing for Jenkins, thought the case should be heard in camera.

"I don't see why all the old sores should be reopened," objected Mr. Flock.

"Can't this be fixed in a friendly way?" asked the court. "I saw in the papers where Mr. Bessey had some success in a case yesterday."

Yes, a divine healer," suggested Mr. Flock, with a broad smile.

"I'm going to bring the press up for contempt of court, from what I hear," submitted Mr. Bessey before adjourning to the magistrate's office.

'Divorce Evil' Is Condemned By Official of Federation



W. J. STEWART

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MEETING TODAY ON REPARATIONS

Commission Discusses Replies of Nations Concerning Experts' Plan.

Associated Press Despatch. Paris, April 25.—The reparations commission held an unofficial meeting this morning to discuss the replies of the French, British and Belgian governments to the commission's note regarding execution of the experts' reparations plan. The Italian reply not having been received, the members exchanged views unofficially regarding the other responses.

All the documents will be made public as soon as they have been received, probably tomorrow.

The commission requested Louis Barthou of France, its president, and Sir John Bradbury, the British member, to enter into communication with various representatives of the financial world to learn their opinions on the conclusions of the experts and the possibilities of carrying out the proposed plan. As J. P. Morgan is due in Paris shortly after his trip in the Mediterranean, it is considered probable that the commission's representatives will be especially anxious to consult him. These conversations with financial leaders will be of a purely consultative character.

WILL ACCEPT AS A WHOLE.

Brussels, April 25.—The Belgian reply to the reparations commission, after paying tribute to the high moral authority attached to the unanimous conclusions of the reparations experts, expresses readiness to accept the conclusions as a whole with a view to practical and equitable regulation of the reparations.

The Belgian Government looks to the reparations commission to examine the laws and decrees which it has asked the accountants to submit to it, and which are necessary for complete execution of the experts' plan. The government trusts that the commission will rapidly prepare the measures which the report left to its care, working out the details so that the plan recommended can be put into effect as soon as execution in common accord with the allied governments.

MAYOR ADDING WEIGHT SINCE FIRST OF YEAR

Reminiscences With Crown Attorney on Pleasantries of Yester Year.

Albert Judd, ex-alderman and ex-chairman of the city council, must have been a great source of worry to Mayor Wenige last year.

The now crown attorney encountered the mayor at an interchange of pleasantries the fact was added, after a grueling cross-examination, that the mayor had lost any sleep in the night since the first of the year. The inference is, of course, that Crown Attorney Judd's non-participation in city council proceedings is largely accountable for this.

"You're setting fat," suggested the crown attorney.

"Gained fifteen pounds since the first of the year."

"They can't be giving you much trouble this year," suggested the crown attorney.

"Well, you're not here," explained the mayor, and lapsing into a reminiscent mood, they agreed that neither of them had lost any sleep last year despite their numerous disagreements.

GRAND MASTER'S NIGHT.

Last night was "masters' night" at the Masonic Temple, when the members of King Solomon Lodge assembled to confer the third degree upon a number of candidates.

OFFICIAL PASSES THROUGH.

R. C. Vaughan, vice-president of the C. N. R., passed through London today at noon on train No. 6 in his private car en route from Chicago to Montreal.

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NEW ATTACHMENT PROVING WORTH ON C. N. ENGINES

Locomotive Equipped With
Feed Water Device Makes
Record Run.

GREAT FUEL SAVER

The Canadian National Railway reports great success with engines equipped with the latest device, "the feed water attachment," which effects a large saving in fuel and water, and all locomotives in service on the London division will be shortly equipped with the attachment.

Several passenger and freight engines have established record runs through this attachment, and local officials are highly elated over the results so far obtained.

The new device consists of a pipe about two and a half inches long attached to the boiler of the engine, and after the water in the boiler has been used once it can be used again by means of this pipe, which carries the water slowly into the boiler.

On April 23, a through freight train of 51 loaded cars, in charge of Engineer Crompton of Sarnia, covered the run between this city and Toronto, a distance of 166 miles, in seven hours, making only two stops for water during the entire trip. This feat is regarded by officials of the road as extraordinary, and will speed up freight shipments to a big advantage for manufacturing firms.

The trains so far equipped with the device are: Trains No. 484, 488, 489, operating through to Chicago to New York, and train No. 490, Chicago to Boston, also No. 492, Chicago to Montreal.

YOUTHFUL IMMIGRANT REFUSED TO DO WORK

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night. This morning he brought him to police court, and after consultation with Mr. Farrell and information was sworn to by Mr. Farrell charging the little immigrant with vagrancy.

"It looks to me as if more supervision was needed in the Old Country," observed Mr. Kelly in the office of the police court clerk.

"I presume," thought he was a member of a family coming out, and instead of that he was a stranger to them," replied Mr. Farrell.

"That fellow isn't good enough for me," declared the boy, looking up for the first time.

Will Send Boy Back.

Efforts will be made to have the youngster sent home to his grand mother, and in the meantime he will be looked after at the Children's Shelter. Although he is old enough to go to jail, Mr. Kelly is opposed to such action, stating a point could be stretched in this particular case.

Ernest didn't want to go back to the shelter at first. He wanted to start for home right away.

"Well, you're on your way when you come with me," said Mr. Kelly with a smile. "I'll look after you, my boy, and see that you are well treated."

On the way down the police court stairs, Mr. Kelly handed the youth a handful of candy, which was eagerly grasped.

"Put it in your pocket," suggested the inspector.

"I can't, they are all full of holes," replied young Crowder.

He climbed into the inspector's motor car and, with a smile of contentment, leaned back in the seat and was busily munching candy as the car sped away in the direction of the shelter.

LONE DRUNK TELLS COURT LIQUOR CAME FROM HOME

One lone drunk greeted Magistrate Graydon in police court today. He readily admitted to the fact that he had possibly imbibed just a little too much, but hesitated when asked where he secured his liquor, finally stating he got it at home. The usual \$10 fine was imposed.

Breach of the highway traffic act netted but one customer. He paid \$10 fine before court opened.

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PLUMBING BYLAW INVALID LAWYER DECLARES IN COURT

Australia Names Peacock Premier

Associated Press Despatch.
Melbourne, Australia, April 25.—The new cabinet for Victoria has been constituted by Sir Alexander Peacock, who succeeds H. S. W. Lawson in the premiership. Sir Alex. is premier, treasurer and minister of labor in the new government.

TAKE DRUGGISTS ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Star Reporter Buys Liquor at Fourteen Drug Stores in Toronto.

Special to The Advertiser.
Toronto, April 25.—Following disclosures made by the Star yesterday in an article stating a reporter bought liquor at fourteen drug stores, the police got busy last night and arrested several druggists on charges of committing a breach of the Ontario temperance act. These druggists are to appear in police court today. Four of the seven will face two charges, it being alleged that they made illegal sales of alcohol after they had been apprehended the first time.

All of the seven offenders conduct drug stores on the boundary of Dundas street west station.

That the police were doing everything possible to put a stop to such illegal sale, was the statement of Inspector David McKinney of the morality department today. When even information is received, he said, prosecutions followed. He added that a number of "bootleg" druggists were selling alcohol with ginger ale as a "chaser."

Fears Decrease In the Birth-Rate

Poincare Emphasizes Importance of Increase in French Population.

Associated Press Despatch.
Paris, April 25.—Premier Poincare in the course of a speech last night emphasized the vital importance for France of the question of natural increase in population. He pointed out that, as the birth rate had dropped to nearly half during the war years, the number of youths and maidens reaching the age of twenty in the years between 1935 and 1940 would drop abruptly to the same proportions raising disquieting industrial, agricultural and military problems.

DEGREE TEAM OF I.O.O.F. VISITS ILBERTON LODGE

London's I. O. O. F. imperial first degree team staff journeyed to Ilberton last night, where they expended the degree on seven candidates of the Ilberton lodge.

The jazz band was in attendance and was ably conducted by R. R. Whitehead.

3,367,000 BUS. OF GRAIN SHIPPED FROM FT. WILLIAM

Canadian Press Despatch.
Fort William, April 24.—Eighteen grain boats today took out 3,367,000 bushels of wheat, oats, and flax, the Canadian Pacific lake fleet, and the Huronic, of the Northern Navigation Company, both cleared with passengers and freight today. Sixteen boats are on their way up the lakes light for grain, and seven are under the spouts in the harbor.

LONDON BOBBIES PROTECT 'DOUG' AND 'MARY' AT DANCE

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 24.—A cordon of London bobbies joined hands and danced behind in front and at the side of Mary Pickford and Douglas Fairbanks at the American Legion's ball tonight in order to protect the movie stars from the admiring crowds. Outside the ballroom thousands had waited for hours to catch a glimpse of the popular couple.

LARSEN TO ACCOMPANY AMUNDSEN ON FLIGHT

Associated Press Despatch.
Christiania, April 25.—Lieutenant Reuben Larsen will participate in Amundsen's polar flight, it was learned today. He has been an officer in the Norwegian service since 1912, and has made several notable long-distance flights.

Lieutenant Dietrichson, who also accompanies the expedition, is likewise an able pilot, with much experience in Arctic flying.

BALLOON DESCENDS.

Associated Press Despatch.
Appleton, Wis., April 25.—An unidentified balloon landed here shortly after 10:30 a.m. today. Two men were said to have been in the basket and both escaped injury when the gas bag came down.

EDWARD P. PALMER.

The funeral of Edward P. Palmer, who died on Wednesday at Thornhill, was held today at 1:30 p.m. at Brownhill Cemetery, where interment was made.

EIGHT RODE AND DONATE.

Eight citizens who took the side-walks to ride bicycles each contributed \$2 in police court today.

Magistrate Reserves Judgment in City's Case Against Gordon Wright.

HAD NO PERMIT

J. W. G. Winnett, Counsel For
Defendant, Asks For Dis-
missal of Action.

Claiming that the city council had no right to pass a plumbing bylaw such as the one in force in London, J. W. G. Winnett, counsel for Gordon Wright, maintains the action brought against his client by Plumbing Inspector James Young should be dismissed.

Magistrate Graydon, however, decided to reserve judgment for a week, declaring he was not going to enter into a discussion as to the legality of the bylaw which states that specifications of plumbing must be submitted to the inspector before a permit for the work can be issued.

Mr. Winnett claimed the municipal act made provisions for building permits, but not for plumbing.

"My learned friend has forgotten the public health act," declared Thomas Coleridge who was prosecuting the case for the city.

Had No Permit.

Mr. Young stated Mr. Wright had never taken out a permit for the work on Wright's house at 133 Elmwood avenue. Witness called at the house for the first time on July 23 last, visiting the place again in October, November, December, March and April. In December he visited the premises after receiving a letter from Mr. Wright asking him to call and bring a permit. He gave the defendant an application form to fill out but had never received it again.

On April 1, Mr. Young said he arrived at Wright's house just as the latter was being to carry a bath tub in the house.

"Mr. Wright wouldn't let me in to see the place," said the inspector. "I was too busy to be bothered entertaining plumbing inspectors. I asked to see the work and he said I would see it after it was finished."

Denies Getting Figures.

Questioned by Mr. Winnett, the inspector stated he had never received any specifications through his mail from Mr. Wright.

The defendant admitted having several conversations with Mr. Young and told him several times that the work was not ready. He went to Young's office several times for a permit, he declared. Young took exception to several things and in January witness mailed him specifications of the work. Regarding the conversation on April 1, Mr. Wright submitted that any man with common sense wouldn't ask him to leave his work to show him through the house, when he was busy getting in fixtures. Witness stated he had bought his material from outside firms.

Mr. Winnett said there had been no intention to evade the bylaw and anyway, he didn't think the bylaw was valid.

The magistrate pointed out that the bylaw called for a permit and Mr. Wright didn't have one.

NOTED BAND LEADER VISITS LONDON TODAY

Major Bramwell Taylor, O.B.E., Salvation Army, to Conduct Services Here.

Major Bramwell Taylor, O.B.E., editor of the War Cry and other Salvation Army publications of the Territory of Canada East, is in town today, and will conduct the final united holiness meeting of the season at the Salvation Army Canadian Citadel tonight.

Major Taylor has had a very wide experience in the army. During the war he was in charge of the Salvation Army Ambulance Unit in France, and was musical director of the famous Army Ambulance Band.

In England, Major Taylor was considered one of the most distinguished musicians in army circles. He has held the post of director of some of the premier bands of the Salvation Army, and for a time acted as musical critic for the organization in England.

Major Taylor will be the special speaker at Clarence street citadel tonight.

TORONTO POLICE SEIZE TRUCKLOADS OF LIQUOR

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 24.—Four truck loads of liquor from Montreal were seized by city police at the Union Station this afternoon. The owner of the liquor is not known. Examination of vendor's receipts revealed 150 bottles of vendor's whiskey, each bottle wrapped carefully in its straw cover over a double wrapper an attempt was made to prevent the bottles from rattling against each other. The trucks were consigned to various addresses in the city.

MAN IS RUN OVER AND KILLED BY RAILWAY TRAIN

Canadian Press Despatch.
Temagami, April 24.—George A. Schultiers, believed to have had his home in Pembroke, was run over and killed on the Temagami and Northern Ontario main line near this morning. Reports to the officials indicate that Schultiers' lay down on the rails as a freight train approached and was cut to pieces before the engineer could stop the train.

COMPLAINTS RECEIVED.

Three hours after complaints had been received in London yesterday afternoon regarding a man alleged to be insane and who lived in McWhorter Township, High Constable Y. Stratton had the man in custody and under observation in the county jail.

NEW IRISH CRISIS SEEN AS BOUNDARY CONFERENCE FAILS

British Government Expected
To Make Move To Delimit
Dividing Line.

CRAIG DISAPPOINTED

Associated Press Despatch.
London, April 25.—The failure of the Irish boundary conference here is widely regarded as likely to develop a new and serious crisis. It is generally taken for granted that the British Government will act in the matter by appointing a commission to delimit the boundary between Northern and Southern Ireland, and it is believed the Executive Government will, if necessary, press this.

The question, however, arises whether, since Ulster has refused to appoint a representative to the commission, that body could legally operate with only two members instead of three, as provided for by the Anglo-Irish treaty.

It is stated in some quarters that the British Government's legal advisers have declared the commission cannot proceed without Ulster representation, and consequently that special legislation will be necessary to provide a substitute for the missing delegate.

According to the Westminster Gazette, the British Government has already given the Free State assurance that it will pass such legislation. The Daily Express says such a bill would arouse a storm of controversy, and even if passed might not end Ulster's resistance.

Despatches from Dublin and Belfast report anxiety in both Irish capitals regarding the outcome. It is well known that the counties of Tyrone and Fermanagh and the city of Londonderry hold majorities for the Free State, and if the commission, acting by the terms of the treaty, allotted these areas to the Free State grave trouble is foreseen.

It is recalled that the Ulster premier, Sir James Craig, declared last October: "Not a yard of our territory will be handed over to a foreign flag, and our enemies will have to trample over my grave before they steal a yard of it."

Sir James made no detailed statement regarding yesterday's breakdown, but is quoted by the Daily Sketch as saying shortly: "I am disappointed."

WILL NOT CHANGE.

Associated Press Despatch.
Belfast, April 25.—Premier Sir James Craig, in a message received here, says: "I think both sides of the boundary conference conducted the meeting with credit, but agreement was impossible. We shall continue to maintain the same attitude on the boundary question as we have always done. There is no suggestion of a further meeting."

Captain Charles Craig, speaking at Carrickfergus last night, said his opinion was that the boundary conference would not result in an "inch" of Ulster territory.

CASHIER ROBBED OF \$63,000 CASH

Bandits Attack Clerk in Front of the Granite City Bank.

Associated Press Despatch.
Granite City, Ill., April 25.—Bandits today robbed T. D. Gradinaroff, assistant cashier of the Granite City National Bank, of \$63,000 in currency, which he had just received at the postoffice and the St. Louis Federal Bank. Several shots were fired by Gradinaroff and the bandits, but no one was wounded.

The robbery was staged in front of the bank, across the street from the postoffice. The money was intended for steel company payrolls.

Gradinaroff said he did not know how many bandits were in the party. They are believed to have used two motor cars in their escape.

MILLION DOLLARS DAMAGE CAUSED IN SOUTHERN FIRE

Associated Press Despatch.
Oakland, Cal., April 25.—Damage estimated at \$1,000,000 was done by a fire which virtually destroyed the plant of the United Construction Company, the General Metal Company and the Pacific Coast Engine Company on the waterfront here late yesterday. The origin of the fire was not determined.

AUTHORIZED CAPITAL SHOWS SLIGHT DECLINE IN WEEK

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 25.—Authorized capital of \$13,110,700 is represented by companies whose incorporations were reported to the Monetary Times during the week ended April 19, compared with \$14,238,000 the previous week and with \$17,108,800 the corresponding week last year.

BALLOON LANDS IN STORM.

Associated Press Despatch.
St. Ansgar, Iowa, April 25.—The United States army balloon S14, piloted by Major Norman W. Peek, with Lieut. W. A. Gray, aide, in the national races, from San Antonio, landed seven miles south of here near the Minnesota line at 2 a.m. today in a storm, in the absence of which the men believed he could have broken a world's record.

SIX INCHES SNOW IN DENVER.

Associated Press Despatch.
Denver, Col., April 25.—Six inches of snow was piled in Denver streets today after an all-night storm.

PASSES OVER WEBSTER CITY.

Associated Press Despatch.
Webster City, Iowa, April 25.—A balloon, believed to be one of the entries in the national elimination race, passed over this city about midnight last night. The bag was traveling at a height of about 1,000 feet. Its identity was not learned.



LEADERS OF FRENCH ROYALIST PARTY.
Left, Leon Daudet, son of the famous novelist and leader of the influential Royalist party in France. Right, Duke of Orleans, claimant of the French throne and titular chief of Daudet's party.

Toronto Boy and Girl Win Marbles and Jacks Titles

Eddie Henderson and Kathleen Perry Victorious in Finals.

CONDITIONS IDEAL

Winners Presented With Silver
Cups—London Boy
Is Sixth.

Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, April 25.—The marble and jack champions of the Queen City lived up to the fullest expectations of their respective backers, when in the Dominion championships played here in Pantages' Theatre today, Eddie Henderson and Kathleen Perry, both of Toronto, won the Dominion titles in marbles and jacks.

The championships were played under the auspices of the Dominion Amateur Athletic Association, and Elwood Hayles, who acted as master of ceremonies, was answered by a wonderful burst of cheering when he announced the final winners to the large audience of boys and girls.

Kathleen Perry had a comparatively easy win in the jacks games, scoring two "rings" in the second round, which made her win sure. She is apparently as popular in this city as she is quick and neat in her play, and played with the quiet pleasure of some old professional.

The marble contest was the other hand, won only by one point from Jason Caldwell of Wolfville, N. S., and was somewhat lucky in the matter of breaks, particularly in the number of marbles than his runner-up. His score was 22, Caldwell's 21, and Henry Adlestein of Ottawa, who was third, 15.

The marble contest was played on the stage of Pantages' Theatre on a specially prepared flat of clay and under ideal light conditions.

Mayors Hiltz, in presenting the prizes, two large sterling silver cups, congratulated both the winners and the city on the result of the championships and the fine sportsmanship shown in this respect.

The rules under which the games were conducted, and which made each boy play with a different number of marbles, made the result to a certain extent, dependent on the "break," and the number of marbles received. Isaac Walters, the London champion, was particularly unlucky in this respect, but accepted his score with a smile.

Final standing of entries in the marble contest are: 1, Eddie Henderson, Toronto; 2, Jason Caldwell, Wolfville, N. S.; 3, Henry Adlestein, of Ottawa; 4, George Pitcher, Guelph; 5, Joe McCallum, Edmonton; 6, Isaac Walters, London.

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KIWANIAN HEAR OF WORK DONE FOR IMMIGRANT BOYS

G. Bogue Smart Praises Work
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Members of Club.

GREAT IMPORTANCE

How thousands of English boys and girls migrate to Canada, where under constant supervision, they become splendid Canadian citizens, was explained to local Kiwanians at their luncheon today by G. Bogue Smart, supervisor of juvenile immigration in the department of immigration and colonization.

Under Mr. Smart's direction more than 46,000 boys and girls have migrated to Canada. The activities of Kiwanians in providing for underprivileged youths shows, Mr. Smart said, that they are greatly interested in the future citizens of this country. That was why he felt so much at home in speaking to them on a topic of this nature.

Smart declared juvenile immigration eclipses in importance all adult immigration. The younger child comes to Canada the greater asset he becomes to the country. Mr. Smart objected to the term "underprivileged boys," claiming that the British youngsters receive as many and sometimes more advantages than the children of wealthy parents.

The speaker outlined the history of juvenile migration in Canada. This project was conceived originally by societies in London, England, which appreciated the necessity for solving the problem of neglected children among the poverty-stricken classes of the city.

USED FOR BASEBALL.

The rough spots on the federal square are going to be eliminated and permission again given to the indoor baseball teams to use this property again this summer. It was announced at the city hall today.

Since then much publicity has been given the work, and each year sees larger quotas of children coming over from the old land. At the beginning the work was a purely philanthropic enterprise, but now assistance from the British and Canadian governments has been secured.

Mr. Smart gave some interesting examples of success achieved by immigrant boys. Ninety-five per cent, he said, make excellent citizens, save money and raise families. Many are adopted. If Mr. Smart's department learns that children taken on by employers are not receiving good treatment they are immediately transferred to some other employer.

Mr. Smart predicted that even greater interest would be taken in colonization work of this sort. The importance of it to the youngsters themselves, to Canada, and to the maintenance of cordial relations with the mother country could not be overestimated.

C. N. R. HOTELS OPERATE AT \$175,475 DEFICIT

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 24.—The ten hotels operated in Canada in connection with the Canadian National Railways operated last year at a total deficit of \$175,475. It was shown in a return tabled in the House of Commons today.

Only the Grand Beach (Montreal), the Chateau Laurier, Ottawa, and the Prince Arthur, Port Arthur, shows a profit. Of the balance, the Fort Garry in Winnipeg shows the largest deficit \$146,416.



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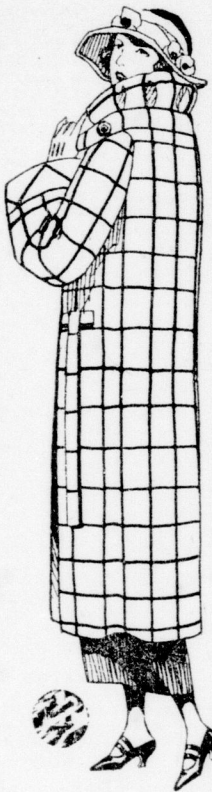
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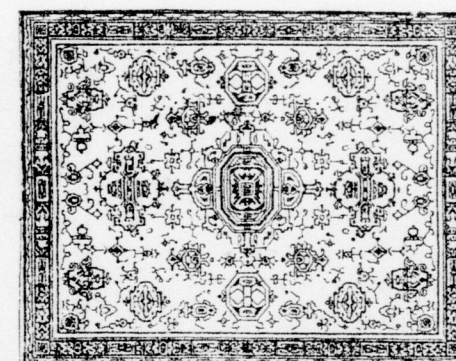
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der Delightful Program
Last Night.

AUDITORIUM CROWDED

Having a rainy evening against
them and other attractions prevail-
ing, the choir of Cronyn Memorial
Church, with their annual concert
last night, scored a triumph before
a note was sounded. Their promise
of a program so tempting filled the
collegiate auditorium to the extent
that there were only a few empty
seats in the rear, and the artists and
choir had that comfortable assur-
ance as they came to the platform of
a sea of faces, quite without those
ominous spaces which bespeak a lack
of interest. This assurance and the
measure of confidence in their own
talent and training enabled them to
be at their best.The choir invited to London as
their assisting artists Alfred Heather,
the English tenor, and Claude Biggs,
pianist. With these, and its own
program of madrigals and glees, the
concert was one of a steady excel-
lence, featured brilliantly here and
there with numbers of particular
beauty. Among such were the
"Annie Laurie" and "Bring To Me
Only With Thine Eyes" by the male
section of the choir, surely two of
the most delightfully rendered num-
bers which ever charmed an audi-
ence. These two were sung as part
songs with an exquisite blending of
voices, a manifest credit to the men
themselves, and to Clarence Gil-
mour, under whom they are directed.The precision and harmony of the
choir voices, singing each number
with no accompaniment other than
that of Mr. Gilmour's baton, was at
once the brilliant feature of the
concert. The selections chosen were
numbers not commonly heard, and,
as such, were all the more insistent
in their pleasure. Old works they
were, for the most part dating back
for centuries, and of a quaint beauty
and charm which fascinated the
audience. Among them were "Sing,
and We Chant It" (Thomas Morley,
1534); "Shoot, False Love, I Care
Not" (R. L. De Pearsall, 1795-1856);
"O Can Ye Sew Cushions?" (an old
Scottish cradle song, to a setting by
Granville Bantock); "Celtic Hymn"
(from a work in the nineteenth cen-
tury, and "As the Moon's Soft Splen-
dor, a setting by Charles Wood, to
the Shelley poem, with two beauti-
fully rendered numbers by women's
voices.Mr. Biggs' opening contribution to
the program was a series of Bach
numbers, which left his audience
with no doubt of the clear beauty of
his playing. A lovely mellowness
ran through the opening numbers,
seemingly to shade the brilliancy of
the technique, so that only when the
spell of the theme had faded did the
mind realize that here was the play-
ing of a master. The Schubert-
Liszt "Erkling" and Chopin num-
bers were among his other selections.The rich tenor voice displayed
with Mr. Heather's opening song was
all that was necessary to crown the
evening. He sang first "I Attempt
From Love's Sickness to Fly," "The
Indian Queen" (Purcell), including
also the first group "Rendit Sereno
al Ciglio (Handel), and "Adelaide"
(Beethoven).With the audience, Mr. Heather
seemed to give precedence to his two
sacred numbers, works of Hugo Wolf,
"Come Mary, Take Comfort," and
"An Old Picture." Both are built on
the theme of Mary and the Christ
Child, the former depicting the weary
journey to Jerusalem, with the piano
accompaniment built in such a way
that it suggests the tired figures and
the donkey limping with them into
Bethlehem. "An Old Picture" was
inspired by a painting of Mary with
the baby Jesus at her knee, and in
the background, the cross glowing
faintly.Mr. Heather's concluding group,
English, Irish and Scotch folk songs,
were of a ready appeal.**WARREN GOVERNMENT
DEFEATED IN HOUSE**Non-Confidence Vote Follows
Statement by Premier of
Newfoundland.

Associated Press Despatch.

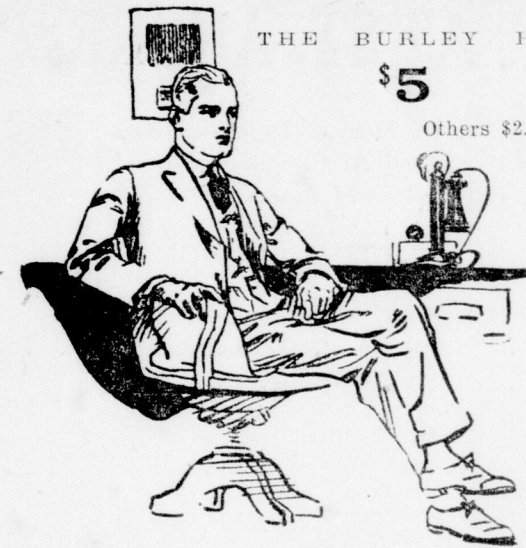
St. Johns, Nfld., April 24.—The
whole fabric of the Warren govern-
ment came tumbling down this af-
ternoon immediately after the open-
ing of the local assembly. Members
of the lower house had just returned
from the legislative council chambers
when Premier Warren rose in his
place in the House and stated that
he had but seventeen men out of a
total membership of 36 on his side.
Immediately Richard Crammy moved
a resolution of non-confidence in the
government. The motion was sup-
ported by the opposition, who were
there in force except for C. E. Hunt,
who is absent from the country. In
addition it was voted for by Sir
Richard Squires, Captain J. Jones,
A. M. Culpin and Ernest Simmons,
who broke from the ranks of the
government. The motion carried by a
majority of one, with Harvey Hall,
of the government, for, not pres-
ent, and A. W. Pickett, minister of
public works, sick in the hospital. The
ayes polled sixteen votes and the
nays fifteen.It is understood that Premier War-
ren will wait on the governor at
once and ask for a dissolution and
the issuance of writs for a general
election.TO HOLD SOUTH WATERLOO
BY-ELECTION IN JUNECanadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, April 24.—The South
Waterloo by-election will be held
some time in June, Premier Ferguson
announces. This is to fill the vacancy
caused by the unseating of Karl
Homuth for irregularities in the
general election.

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PROPOSAL TO CUT SCHOOL STUDIES IS DISFAVORED

Ottawa School Inspector Vigorously Opposes Change in Course of Study.

SESSION CONCLUDES

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, April 24.—The sessions of the Ontario Educational Association and its affiliated societies were concluded today at the University of Toronto buildings. In the afternoon the elementary department elected Charles E. Deakins of Cobalt president, and re-elected Chas. G. Fraser of Toronto secretary-treasurer.

Mrs. L. L. Greene, Attercliffe, the retiring president, was elected a member of the executive for this year. Mrs. Greene spoke of the work in elementary schools, criticizing the present curriculum and some of the proposals being made to change it. She said that the abolition of home-work in schools would create a spoiled pupil. Elementary school teachers, she declared, were expected to be specialists in the impossible because of an impossible curriculum.

Miss Mary Adair of Philadelphia spoke of the kindredness of the foundation of the public school, and said that in this day of jazz the proper idea was to stress sanity with the young children.

"An orderly, well-disciplined ideal of mediocrity," that is what the public schools of Ontario had their if the curriculum cutters had their way, according to Dr. J. H. Putman, the Ottawa Inspector, speaking to the supervising and training section of the Ontario Educational Association convention today.

Dr. Putman was quite candid in his condemnation of the proposal to cut the course of study down to the three R's.

"We hear a lot of talk from politicians who are looking for votes, and from third-rate teachers about the overcrowded curriculum," he said. "I think the most of the complaints of an overcrowded curriculum come from those who lack teaching ability. We cannot improve the course of study by impoverishing it," he declared with emphasis. "Certainly it can be simplified, but it should not be impoverished by cutting out valuable subjects."

The auxiliary teachers' section today elected the following officers: President, J. H. Pollard, Toronto; Vice-president, Miss Milne, Toronto; Secretary, Miss Milne, Toronto; Councilors, Miss O'Hara, Toronto; Miss Russell, Windsor; Miss Jackson, Brantford; Miss Ainslie, St. Catharines; Miss Louie, Bolton; Louder, Delaport; Miss Maurice and J. W. Chester, Toronto.

NATURE AT HER BEST.

Those who appreciate nature at her best and revel in a wealth of rugged scenery, will find the route travelled by the Canadian National Railways between Toronto and Vancouver, one of never-to-be-forgotten beauty.

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The ever-changing scenery of the Canadian Rockies never grows wearisome, no matter how often it is viewed. Jasper Park, with its protected wild game and beautiful Mt. Edith Cavell; colossal Mt. Lohr, a gigantic slow-moving glacier stretching from snow-clad peaks, the traveller by the Canadian National Route sees before descending to the balmy climate of Vancouver and the Pacific Coast.

There are two Canadian National trains leave Toronto daily for the West. The NATIONAL, carrying standard sleeping car and compartment observation, departs at 10:45 p.m. St. equipped, the NATIONAL is luxurious in every detail. A standard sleeping car connecting with the Continental Limited, the train de luxe of the Canadian National System leaves Toronto every evening at 8:45.

Travellers to California or other points on the Pacific Coast usually take the famous scenic route through Canada because of its beauty. Excellent connections are made at Vancouver with both steamship and train.

PERET CHANGES MIND.

Paris, April 24.—M. Peret, president of the Chamber of Deputies, who recently decided not to offer himself for re-election as a deputy, has responded to numerous solicitations from the people, and will be a candidate in the coming general election in the department of Vienne.

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Young girls, old girls, plain girls, pretty girls—don't we all know those days before the mirror when, with a sigh, we turn away and say,

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PLEASING CONCERT GIVEN AT ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH

Eleven Musical Numbers Rendered At Church Service of Praise.

LITING MUSIC

Frederick Alden Makes Second Appearance To London Music Lovers.

Fredericka Alden, soprano, of Detroit, made her second appearance before a London audience at the Service of Praise held in St. Andrew's Presbyterian Church last night. Charles E. Wheeler, solo-organist and director, conducted the program of eleven musical numbers offered by the choir. The instrumentalists were Harry Jolly, Alfred Ward, Elvin Will, and Earl Johnston.

In his introduction, the Rev. D. C. MacGregor spoke of the occasion of Madame Alden's visit to London last November, saying that she had so charmed her audience then, that it had been decided to ask her to return. The soprano's opening number, "Break of Day," a lilting song, called for wide vocal powers, and was agreeably rendered by the soprano. (Nevin), a story of childhood troubles, and in "Sweet Little Woman of Mine" (Bartlett), Madame Alden scored in her sympathetic interpretation of songs that were rich in color and treated with charming simplicity.

The opening anthem, "Rejoice in the Lord, O Ye Righteous," by Sir Frederick Bridge, was composed for the coronation of Their Majesties King George V. and Queen Mary, in the Abbey Church of St. Peter, Westminster. The anthem was beautifully rendered by the choir and brass instruments. The solo parts were taken by Miss Ulah Kennedy.

The organ selections by Charles E. Wheeler, "Andante Cantabile" from the Fifth Symphony (Tchaikovsky), "Cristo Triumfante" by Pietro Yon, and "The Rippling Brook," J. R. R. Stewart's "The Bells of Aberystwyth," all the sweetness of the chimes was brought out, and as they died away in a warm tone of rare beauty.

"There is Music in the River" by the choir of thirty-five voices was a beautiful expression of choral music.

PROMOTED TO HAVE CHARGE OF DEPARTMENT

Oak Hall Clothiers announce the appointment of V. T. Want to be in charge of the men's clothing department in the "Shop for Dad and His Lad" Mr. Want is popular throughout the city, having been for 5½ years in the employ of Smallman & Ingram—Advt.

HELFFERICH LOST HIS LIFE IN WRECK

German's Greatest Financial Authority Victim of Swiss Accident.

By EDGAR ANSEL MOWLER. Special Cable to The Advertiser and Chicago Daily News.

Berlin, April 24.—It is now considered almost certain that the former minister and great financial authority, Helfferich, was travelling on one of the trains which were wrecked recently near Bellinzona. Failure to hear from Helfferich has almost persuaded leaders of the German National Party, to which he belonged, and Helfferich's family that he lost his life in the accident.

RAILMEN NEGOTIATIONS RESUME AT MONTREAL

Men Propose Restoration of 1920 Rates, Prior to Cut of 12½ Per Cent.

Montreal, April 24.—Wage schedule negotiations affecting some 5,000 engineers and firemen employed on the Canadian Pacific Railway, members of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers and the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Engineers, are proceeding in Montreal. The men's proposals are for a restoration of the 1920 rates, existing prior to the 1920-21 cut of 12½ per cent. Restoration of this rate would mean the addition of 12½ per cent to the present wages of the engineers and firemen. The negotiations mark a resumption of meeting adjourned last October by mutual agreement between the parties.

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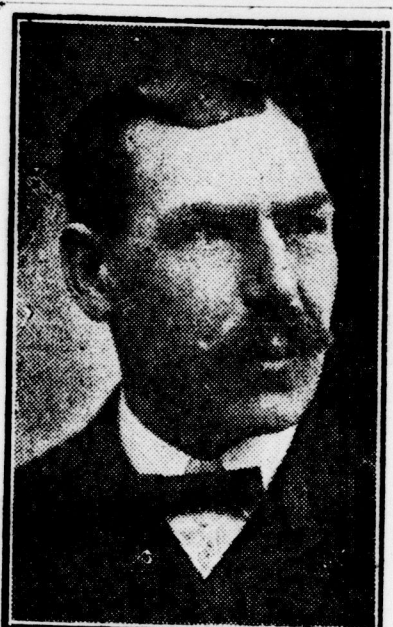
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J. H. SAUNDERS.

president of the Western Fair Board, who tendered his resignation at yesterday's meeting of the directors. The board members declined to accept his resignation, which was offered following a paralytic fit between Mr. Saunders and William H. Abbott.

PLAINTIFF WINS IN DAMAGE SUIT

Action Arose Over Lease of Store Premises in Aylmer.

SUPREME COURT CASES

Special to The Advertiser.

St. Thomas, April 24.—Judgment for damages to the extent of \$1200 and costs was awarded the plaintiff in the case of Peter Hrisikos vs. Margaret J. Anderson of Aylmer, an action over an alleged breach of a lease of shop premises of the defendant.

Judgment Reserved.

Judgment was reserved by Mr. Justice Mowat, at the non-jury sittings of the supreme court today, in the case of the Employees' Liability Assurance Company of London, Eng., and Percival Crawford of Aylmer vs. the Central Pipe Line Company, Limited, of Chatham, and the town of Aylmer. The case is the result of a gas explosion in Mr. Percival's home. His lordship will render decision towards the latter part of May.

Agreement Reached.

The suit over the estate of the late Mary Ann Hunter was settled amicably, the plaintiffs agreeing to pay without costs, or half of the claim. The litigation was caused by the estate of Southwood and George E. Berdan of Southwood, and Harry and Emma Wase of London. His lordship did not approve of the case going to trial, and advised the parties to come to some agreement.

Appeal Reported.

According to information received here today, application has been made at Osgoode Hall, Toronto, to set aside the judgment given against the Dulyin in supreme court on Tuesday.

Engineers Honored.

The annual banquet of the Fraternity of Railroad Engineers, E. of L. E., was held in the Engineers' Hall last evening. Arthur Kennedy was chairman. George Allan and James Ballantyne, retired veterans of the cab, were presented with umbrellas as a token of esteem from their brethren. Mayor Sloggett, himself an engineer, made the presentation. A good musical program was provided.

Sentence Suspended.

Sentence was suspended this morning on George Helmer by Magistrate Maxwell on a charge of ill-treating live stock. The accused pleaded guilty to the charge, and asked for leniency on the promise that he would take better care of his animals in the future. The charge was laid by the Humane Society inspector.

McBrayne—Johnson.

The marriage of Miss Clara Belle, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sydney A. Johnson of Walsingham Township, Norfolk, to Frank Malcolm McBrayne, son of the late Alex. McBrayne, took place this afternoon at 2 p.m. at St. Paul's Church, 23 Balaclava street by Rev. D. S. Soules, pastor of Alma Street Presbyterian Church. Mr. and Mrs. McBrayne will reside in North Warrmouth.

Judgment Reserved.

Judgment was reserved in the case of Raymond E. Miller, charged before Judge Ross with breaking into the Sheddens depot and taking a small amount of cash several weeks ago.

MINING TOWN SUFFERS \$40,000 CONFLAGRATION

Canadian Press Despatch. St. John N. B., April 24.—Half a dozen buildings, including four stores, were destroyed at Minto, the center of New Brunswick's coal mining today, in a fire, which was only stopped from spreading farther when the postoffice building was dynamited after it had been enveloped in flames and it was seen it could not be saved. The loss was about \$40,000, and the insurance is comparatively light.

SWEDISH LINER STARTS MAIDEN TRIP TO CANADA

Associated Press Despatch. New York, N. Y., April 24.—The Swedish-American Line announced today that the liner Drottningholm left Gothenham, Sweden, today on its initial trip to Halifax en route for New York. It carried 172 passengers, who will disembark at the Canadian port.

JACKIE COOGAN STARS IN PICTURE SHOWN AT LOEW'S

"A Boy of Flanders" Is Drama Full of Tenderness and Pathos.

VAUDEVILLE IS GOOD

There is only one Jackie Coogan, and he is seen at his best in the feature film at Loew's Theatre for the balance of the week. "A Boy of Flanders" is easily the best of the many Coogan successes, and "Jackie" fans will be well advised not to miss this splendid picture.

Coupled with this screen offering are three really splendid vaudeville acts, an excellent comedy duo, and an interesting Pathe News offering. "A Boy of Flanders" is a mighty human picture, full of tenderness and pathos, and yet it has more than flashes of the one and only Jackie Coogan humor and mischief. Like other pictures in which Jackie has starred, "A Boy of Flanders" appeals to children and grownups alike.

Gone are the formal, braided and militant garments of "Long Live the King," gone to the screen and to the environment and the patriotic scenes of life in the palaces of princes and kings. Instead there is little Nello Daas, who ekes out a wretched living as a carrier of milk from the small farmers of St. Agneten to dealers in Antwerp, a league or two distant.

The picture is replete with scenes of inspiring beauty. Homeless Nello (Jackie) wanders aimless in the face of a blinding snowstorm, and substitutes one of the most poignant episodes on which the eye of a motion picture camera was ever turned. No one that witnesses the rescue by the dog, Petrus, of his little master, will ever forget the tear-evoking power of this episode.

Marian Jackson, who adapted the story to the screen, and William Anthony, who wrote the continuity, have caught the majestic sweep of Ouida's story, known to thousands of readers as "A Dog of Flanders." It would be unfair to pick out any one of the vaudeville acts as the stellar attraction. All three are good. No one that witnesses the rescue by the dog, Petrus, of his little master, will ever forget the tear-evoking power of this episode.

Bob Cook and Dot Outman in songs and piano numbers are excellent. They have several popular songs that made a great hit with the large audience last night.

EARNS MILLIONS IN LIQUOR TAXES

Ottawa Receives Over \$17,500,000 From Quebec Province in Last Year.

Canadian Press Despatch. Quebec, April 24.—When the Quebec liquor commission completes its present year of operation on May 1, the government of the province will have forwarded to Ottawa in customs and excise duties on liquor, roughly over \$17,500,000.

In the first year of operation the amount was \$6,166,438.01; in the second year, \$6,586,000.55. In both cases the dues paid were about 33 per cent of the revenues of the sale of liquor. This year sales are expected to reach about \$19,000,000, so that the amount turned in to the federal treasury will be about \$6,000,000.

HYDRO COMMISSION ASKS BIG BOND ISSUE

Provincial Body Requests Toronto For Authorization of Two Millions.

Canadian Press Despatch. Toronto, April 24.—The Provincial Hydro-Electric Commission asked the Toronto Board of Control today to authorize a bond issue of \$2,000,000 to rehabilitate the radial lines serving suburbs of the city, formerly owned by the Toronto and York Radial, now operated by the commission on behalf of the city, and also to approve an agreement to give the commission a right-of-way for new transmission lines skirting the Lake Shore road.

Sir Adam Beck reported a deficit of \$205,000 on the operation of the radial lines to date, and attributed it to the defeat of his general radial scheme.

GORDON TARTAN COSTUME FOR WALLACEBURG BAND

Special to The Advertiser. Wallaceburg, April 24.—The annual band meeting was held in the basement of the library and the following officers were elected for the year: President, William Hookin; vice-president, Rev. J. S. Lecker; treasurer, Wm. Howard; secretary, Dudley Gordon; assistant secretary, J. A. Lillie; manager, Randall Purser. All the directors were re-elected. The band is starting the year with a \$200 deficit. It is likely that band concerts will be staged during the summer months, and order has been placed for new uniforms, which will be full Highland costume, Gordon tartan.

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TOMORROW'S RADIO

SATURDAY, APRIL 26, (Eastern Standard Time.)

WEAF, NEW YORK—492. 7:00 p.m.—Talk, Gen. Walter Joyce. 7:15 p.m.—Prof. Howard Briggs. 7:30 p.m.—Paul Whitman and his orchestra. 8:30 p.m.—Eleanor Edison, lyric soprano; Leon Simo, baritone; Genevieve Pilot, pianist; Theodore Lehmann violinist. 11:00 p.m.—Vincent Lopez and his Hotel Pennsylvania Orchestra.

WJZ, NEW YORK—455. 7:10 p.m.—Mary Ellis and Rudolf Friml, in songs. 7:30 p.m.—Claremont Male Quartet. 8:00 p.m.—Talk by Dr. Goldsmith. 8:20 p.m.—Performance of "Vogues," direct from Shubert Theatre.

WOR, NEWARK—405. 6:15 p.m.—"Music While You Dine." 6:15 p.m.—Rendall's sport talk. 8:00 p.m.—Gene Inghram's Orchestra. 9:00 p.m.—Belle Hart, astrologer. 9:30 p.m.—S. S. Reliance Orchestra. 10:15 p.m.—The Metropolitan Minstrel.

WIP, PHILADELPHIA—509. 7:00 p.m.—Uncle Wip's bedtime story. 8:15 p.m.—Elks Frolic, broadcast from Metropolitan Opera House. 10:15 p.m.—Leonard's Red Jackets.

WFI, PHILADELPHIA—365. 6:00 p.m.—"Sunny Jim, the Kiddies' Pal." 6:15 p.m.—Meyer Davis Orchestra. 7:00 p.m.—Sol Zale's Orchestra. 8:00 p.m.—Sunday school lesson. 10:00 p.m.—Kerr's Symphonic Dance Orchestra.

WRC, WASHINGTON—469. 8:00 p.m.—Children's hour. 7:45 p.m.—Talk on radio, E. L. Hall. 8:30 p.m.—Talk on "The Guard." 9:00 p.m.—Cornet duets by Philip Kolb. 9:15 p.m.—Mrs. H. A. Becht, pianist. 10:00 p.m.—Concert of Hawaiian Orchestra. 11:00 p.m.—Hiram College Glee Club.

KDKA, PITTSBURGH—326. 6:15 p.m.—Dinner concert program. 7:30 p.m.—Story for young folks. 8:30 p.m.—Grant Day dinner of the American Club.

WCAE, PITTSBURGH—462. 6:30 p.m.—Dinner concert. 7:45 p.m.—Uncle Kaybee. 7:45 p.m.—Le Kenton in songs. 8:30 p.m.—Marie Caveney, pianist; Jeanne Conley, soprano; Dr. John M. Herbolzer, flute. 9:30 p.m.—Romano's Dance Orchestra.

WGR, BUFFALO—219. 6:00 p.m.—Musical program by Ismael Tenen, pianist; Ismael Tenen, pianist; Shrine Band, the Westminster Mixed Quartet and the Shrine Male Quartet.

WZZ, SPRINGFIELD—27. 7:00 p.m.—Hotel Kimball Trio. 8:00 p.m.—Bedtime story. 9:00 p.m.—Leo Benson's Orchestra. 8:00 p.m.—Reisman Concert Ensemble. 10:00 p.m.—Tschakowsky String Quartet.

WNAO, BOSTON—278. 8:00 p.m.—Priscilla Quartet. 9:00 p.m.—Copley Plaza Orchestra. 10:00 p.m.—WTA Dance Orchestra, assisted by North East Y. M. C. A. Choral Troupe and Edwards' Jolly Five.

WWJ, DETROIT—317. 5:00 p.m.—Final baseball scores. 6:00 p.m.—Hotel Tuller dinner concert.

CKAC, MONTREAL—425. 7:00 p.m.—Kiddies' stories. 7:30 p.m.—Rex Battle's Orchestra. 8:00 p.m.—Crotonea Brocton's Band. 10:30 p.m.—Jos. C. Smith's Orchestra.

(Central Standard Time.) WGN, CHICAGO—370. 7:00 p.m.—Schubert Trio. 9:00-11:00 p.m.—Vocal and piano solos by students. Popular dance music by Oriole Orchestra.

KYW, CHICAGO—536. 6:45 p.m.—Uncle Bob's Bedtime Story. 7:00 p.m.—Dinner concert, Debarry's Orchestra and Doer's Orchestra. 8:00 p.m.—Alice McMahon, contralto; Debarry's Orchestra; Mac and Mike, jubilee gospel singers; Mary Golden, reader. 10:15 p.m.—Late show.

WDAF, CHICAGO—360. 7:00 p.m.—Dinner concert. 10:00 p.m.—Jack Chapman's Dance Orchestra.

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CONCERT EIGHT CHARM PATRONS AT GRAND OPERA

Great Musical Festival Rendered by English Musicians Last Night.

NEW PROGRAM TODAY

London's Great Concert Eight of England enshrined themselves in the heart of music-loving little London at the Grand Theatre last night. No finer music festival had been heard here before, and the audience basked in the splendor of one of the best concert programs for nearly three hours. Although the audience was small, the reception accorded this all-star aggregation of musicians was spontaneous and sincere, and represented as whole-hearted a tribute to musical excellence as could be given. Opening with an original composition by Tom Copeland, the eminent concert comedian, called "Hall, Glorious Canada," the numbers, both instrumental and vocal, kept everyone at wrapt attention, so variegated and gorgeous was the program. Unlike many lesser attempts at presenting a musical feast, the London Concert Eight achieve an extraordinary effect by interpolating the performance with humor. To Tom Copeland and Suzette Tarri, two delightful masters of mimicry, the comedy honors were awarded without cavil. Both are versatile, eminently attractive personalities, and their sprightly songs will tinkle in the ears of those who heard them for many days.

Miss Joan Duff, a 16-year-old girl prodigy, displayed rare technique on the piano, and in her Chromatic waltz she brought the audience literally to their feet. Sceldom has appreciation of musical artists been so marked. Each in his or her turn were accorded long ovations, and every one was much deserved. It is difficult to pick and choose from a program of such excellence, but to many Walter Nunn's work on the cello playing "Trantelle" gave supreme satisfaction. Miss Molly O'Moore, singing "Orchard by the Sea," was also one of the stellar lights in an assembly of perfectly-trained and exceptionally-talented artists. Her mellow soprano notes poured through the house with all the ecstatic abandon of a nightingale set free, and thrilled the audience. Richard Alexander in the "Whoo-tapper's Song" was an all-too-brief treat, while the final number, act five from "Faust," featuring Miss O'Moore, Mr. Virgo, Mr. Alexander, with the remaining members of the concert company comprising the chorus, gave a wonderful finish to what was unquestionably the finest musical treat London has seen in years.

Responding to cries for "encore" at the end of the program, Mr. Tom Copeland made an acceptable little dress, which he spoke the gratifying reception his company had enjoyed since coming to Canada. The fact that the audience was small be attributed to the conflict of names, which made many citizens think the concert was a local affair. Today an entirely new program will be given, and on Saturday, matinee and evening, the famous English musicians will again charm Londoners with their marvelous playing and singing.

HANDSHAKING BAN TO SAVE COOLIDGE

President Will Not Be Required To Give Right Arm Pumping.

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Washington, April 24.—The White House handshaking ban, for the present at least, is going to save President Coolidge an average of 250 pumps of his right arm a day. That is a conservative estimate drawn by White House attaches who watch the receiving line around the noon hour. Already during the Easter holidays these attaches say it has saved that amount of handshaking. As for the physical fatigue they say it has saved a whole lot more energy than can be estimated in figures. Smaller groups of visitors, it is pointed out, will continue to receive the usual hand clasp and spoken greeting. But the president will be spared long period of handshaking with big delegations and groups.

PROTEST MADE AGAINST REDUCTIONS IN TARIFF

Manufacturers of Ontario Adopt Motion At Annual Meeting.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Toronto, April 24.—A protest against the tariff reductions announced in the last federal budget was voiced by the manufacturers of Ontario in the form of a motion, which was unanimously adopted, at today's joint annual meeting of the Ontario division and the Toronto branch of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association here. The motion was moved by Elmer Davis of Kingston and seconded by ex-Mayor G. C. Coppley of Hamilton. The retiring chairman of the Ontario division, George Bridden, reviewed the tariff situation, and declared that the reductions had brought hard times, which would prevail until remedial measures were adopted. The report of the executive committee dealt with the power situation, reviewing the Morrisburg proposals and the St. Lawrence waterways plan. The committee, it was stated, had urged the government to expedite the negotiations and investigations respecting the St. Lawrence project.

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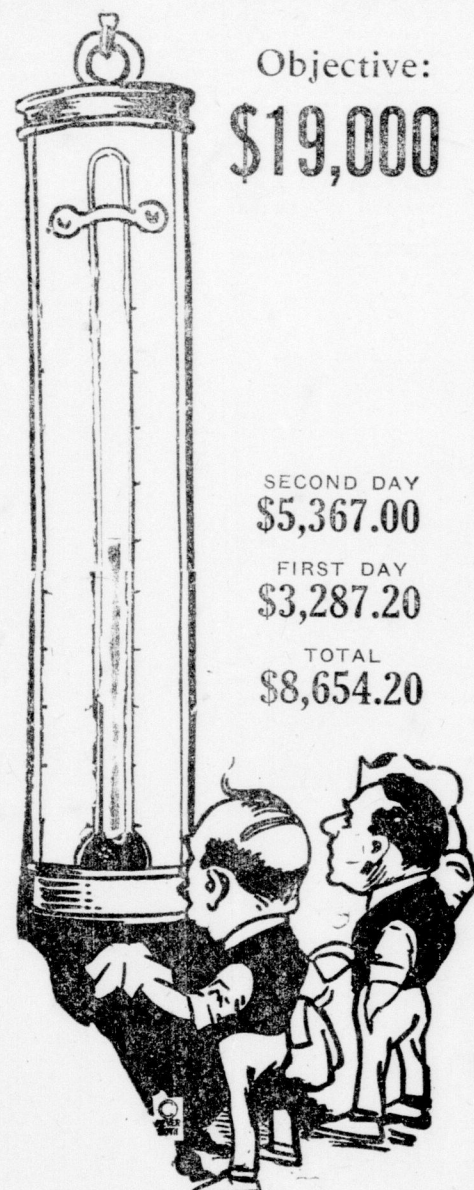
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Leap Year Swells Tax Receipts.

Leap year is of great importance to Great Britain's chancellor of the exchequer. It gives 366 days productive of revenue instead of the usual 365. The customs and excise offices, in fact all the tax-collecting departments, find their receipts swelled by the extra day.

SPRING RECITAL
TO BE PRESENTED

Trio of Fairy Plays Will Be Given at Ryerson School.

An afternoon fairy recital is being given Saturday, April 26, in Ryerson School under the direction of Miss Topley. The program will be presented by a group of young folk. This will be followed by a delightful little poem-play, "Seven Little Poems Lost," and this is to be presented by a group of young folk. The program will be concluded by "The Dream Lady," a fairy play for grown-ups, written by Nella Syrette. The younger members of the Players' Club will take part in this number.

Incidental music introduced during the afternoon will be in charge of Miss Mary Adams. Those taking part are as follows:

"The Seven Little Poems Lost."

Janie Barbara Peters
Betty Marian Anderson
Molly Barbara Gibberd
Sue Elsie Gordon
Billy Margaret Wilson
Johnny Peter Cronyn
Tommy Alexander Kingston
Mummy Leona Kirkwood
The Fairy Ann Walden
The Elf Marjorie Davenport
The Queen Leona Kirkwood
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Princess Flaminia Agnes England
Prince of Gold Acres Elma Thirk
Astoria, the little princess Chrissy
Amelette, the little princess Barbara Peters
Nanina, a lady of the court Barbara Gibberd
Denise, a lady of the court Jean Robinson
The Dream Lady Ruth Tanner
The Princess Irene Irene, a little princess

Scene—Night in the Woods.

Irene, a little princess

Marjorie Davenport

Margaret Wilson

Robert Morrow

George Thirk

Granville Sinclair

Bernard Cottle

Franklin Veldt

Kathleen England

Barbara Gibberd

Dorothy Peters

Betty Holmes

Dorothy Ellis

Elsie Gordon

Ann Walden

Barbara Peters

Peter Cronyn

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Leona Kirkwood

Margaret Wilson

Billy Bennett

Bobby Rhodes

Don't Squeeze Black-

Heads—Dissolve Them

Squeezing and pinching out black-

heads make the pores large and cause

irritation. Blackheads are caused by

accumulations of dust and dirt and

secretions from the skin, and there is

only one safe and sure way and one

that never fails to get rid of them—

a simple way, too—that is to dissolve

them. Just get from any drug store

about two ounces of peroxide powder—

sprinkle a little on a hot, wet cloth—

rub over the blackheads briskly for a

few seconds—wash off, and you'll be

surprised to see that every blackhead

has disappeared, and the skin will be

left soft and the pores in their natural

condition.—Advt.

WOMEN and THE HOME

Western Alumnae
Elects Officers

Miss Marion Wrighton Elected President For Coming Year.

Miss Marion Wrighton was elected president at the annual meeting of the Alumnae Association of the University of Western Ontario, held yesterday afternoon in the old university building. Other members of the executive elected were: First vice-president, Miss Doris Liddicoat; second vice, Mrs. Gilroy, Mount Forest; recording secretary, Miss Rose Sanders; corresponding secretary, Miss Kathryn Campbell; treasurer, Miss Dorothy Walter; non-resident member, Miss Gertrude Bodkin.

Following the election tea was served, with Miss D. Liddicoat, past president, presiding over the past. The tables were attractively arranged with the university colors of purple and white, and were centered with silver baskets of daffodils and pussywillows. The "toast" assistants were Mrs. Richard Crouch, Miss Frances Brownlee and Miss Gertrude Cole.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Charles Ivey is entertaining this afternoon at the tea hour.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Meredith of Buffalo, N. Y., are visiting Miss Mary Meredith, Colborne street.

Miss Elsie J. Mills is leaving in May for Pasadena and Los Angeles, where she will be the guest of her aunt.

Mrs. C. Harper, Princess avenue, is visiting in Columbus, Ohio, with her daughter, Mrs. S. P. Oast and Dr. Oast.

Miss Kathleen Richardson was the hostess this week of a charming mah jong party given at her home in Grand avenue.

Mrs. Ernest Harris, Princess avenue, spent the Easter vacation with her sister, Mrs. J. Shuir, Bellevue avenue, Detroit.

Miss Kathleen Coles, "The Beeches," will be the hostess of a tea Monday afternoon in honor of Miss Nancy Hunter of Ottawa.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Thomas and Miss Rita Thomas, Antilla apartments, William street, have returned from a motor trip to Detroit, where they spent Easter.

Miss Audrey Henderson of St. Thomas has returned home after spending the Easter vacation with her cousin, Miss Maudie Taylor, Stoddard street.

Alfred Heather and Claud Biggs, who took part in the Cronyn Memorial choir concert last evening, were guests while in the city with Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Dumas street.

Miss Maudie Taylor was the hostess of a jolly birthday party Wednesday afternoon, when she entertained a number of her little friends in honor of her ninth birthday.

Miss Leone Murphy, who spent the Easter vacation with her parents, Major T. J. Murphy and Mrs. Murphy, Hyman street, has returned to Toronto, to resume her studies at Toronto Conservatory of Music.

Mrs. Seale Holmes entertained at the tea hour this afternoon at her home in Queen's avenue in honor of Mrs. E. Waller, who is leaving shortly to reside in Ottawa. At the tea hour, Mrs. Charles Sweet presided over the tea cups.

Following the annual meeting of the Ontario Provincial Chapter, I. O. D. E., in Hamilton, next week, which she will attend, Mrs. F. J. Greenaway will go to Toronto to attend a meeting of the executive of the National I. O. D. E. in May.

A successful talent tea was given recently by the Women's Auxiliary of the Southern Congregational Church, at the home of Mrs. Hilton, Ottawa avenue. The guests were welcomed by Mrs. Eunice Hilton, and at the tea hour, Mrs. Hilton presided over the tea table. The tea room assistants were Miss Lillian Ruddock, Miss Velma Rodda and Miss Campbell.

Miss Helen Pitt was the hostess last evening of a miscellaneous shower given at her home in Pall Mall street in honor of Miss Dorothy Mullins, whose marriage takes place next week. The guests numbered twenty, and during the evening the bride-elect received a number of attractive gifts, which were presented to her in a basket lavishly decorated. Dainty refreshments were served later.

Following the closing recital of the London Women's Music Club, taking place in the Central Collegiate Auditorium Tuesday evening, a reception to the club members will take place. The artists taking part in the program will include: Mrs. Ed. Wyatt, soprano; Mrs. Ernest Bluetner and Mrs. Charles Ivey, violinists; and L. Christiani, baritone. Charles Wheeler and A. D. Jordan will act as accompanists, and Harris Elliott is program convener.

A successful piano recital was given on Wednesday afternoon at the pupils of Vaughan Bateman. Those taking part were: Betty Meaden, Thelma Fritzsche, Eva Kreitzer, Edna Short, Mary Macfie, Hilda Harding, Edna Lewis, Audrey Jones, Lenora McIntyre, Eunice Gregory, Lily Lewin, Gladys Shaw, Vera Baker, Ruth May, Frank, Elsie Sparling, May Smith, Fred Wakorel, Billy Caspell, Fred Newby, Leonard McIntyre, Ross Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. James Puthurbough, 149 Mill street, entertained Wednesday evening in honor of their daughter, Mrs. Gordon Johnson and Mr. Johnson of Zeigler, Ill. Progressive euchre was enjoyed and the prizes were won by Mr. Walter Ziller and Mrs. Harry Lewis. Music and dancing were also enjoyed and at midnight supper was served. The guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Lorie Gilles, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ziller, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Aiken, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Lewis and Mr. G. Lewis.

Following the concert given last evening by the choir of Cronyn Memorial Church, a happy supper

was effectively decorated in gold and white. Mr. and Mrs. Argue left on a honeymoon, which will be spent in Niagara Falls and points east, and upon their return they will reside in Carp.

A FEAST OF NATIONS
WILL CONCLUDE SEASON

As a happy conclusion to an active year, Palestine Shrine is holding "A Feast of Nations" on June 5. At this novel affair supper will be served at four tables, representing England, Ireland, Scotland and Canada. Following supper an attractive program will be presented.

Mrs. Arthur Linnell, worthy high priestess, is acting as general convener, to be assisted by Mrs. E. Bowman as program convener, and the following members will be in charge of the tables, at which every little detail will be carried out to represent the country: Irish, Mrs. James Mills; Canadian, Mrs. Lorne Dams; Scotch, Mrs. James Wier, and Miss Betty Saunders, and English, Mrs. Harry Harding.

The Demure Cloche.

New York, April 24.—So demurely convenient is the little cloche that women will not lightly give it up. A hat built on cloche lines shown here today is in wool brown, with a flat "feather" of shirred brown silk.

Riding Knickers for Motoring.

New York, April 24.—What Paris might say about it makes no difference. The fact remains that many fashionable young women are wearing their riding knickers these days when driving a car about town.

GIRL GUIDES ATTEND SERVICE.

The Girl Guides will attend the Ypres service Sunday afternoon at St. Paul's Cathedral and are asked to be at the church in uniform at 3:30 o'clock.

WEDDINGS

SPILERS—PRODGER.

A quiet wedding took place on April 18th at All Saints' Church, when Dorothy Madeline, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Proddger, was married to John D. Spilers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex. Spilers, also of this city. Rev. A. A. Rice performed the ceremony. Miss Ethel Capon and Earl Snelling acted as attendants. Mr. and Mrs. Spilers will reside in London.

SMITH—LOTHOUSE.

A pretty wedding took place Tuesday at 3 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, in Rectory street, when Laura, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Lothouse, was married to Frank Cecil Smith, also of this city. Rev. J. A. Agnew performed the ceremony.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of pale mauve, with touches of silver, with a bandeau of rosebuds arranged in her hair. She carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and sweet peas. Miss Hilda Cole acted as bridesmaid, and wore a frock of sand brocade, and carried carnations. The groom's gift to the bride was a wrist watch, to the bridesmaid a parasol, and to the best man, Mr. Croucher, a tiepin. The wedding march was played by Mrs. Ada Reid, who sang "O Promise Me" during the signing of the register. Mr. and Mrs. Smith left later on a honeymoon to Detroit, Cleveland, Buffalo and other western points, and upon their return they will reside in London.

ARGUE—ALDERSON.

The marriage took place Wednesday, April 23, at the Methodist parsonage, Ingersoll, of Abbie E. Alderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Alderson of Ingersoll, and John R. Argue of Carp, Ont. Rev. Sexsmith performed the ceremony. Following the ceremony a dainty wedding luncheon was served at the home of the bride's parents, which

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Mrs. Seale Holmes entertained at the tea hour this afternoon at her home in Queen's avenue in honor of Mrs. E. Waller, who is leaving shortly to reside in Ottawa. At the tea hour, Mrs. Charles Sweet presided over the tea cups.

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Warns Against
the Coddling
of Children

Dorothy Dix

From "Shirt
Sleeves to
Shirt Sleeves"

Parents Who Want Their Sons and Daughters To Be Good Citizens Should Realize How Indulgence Softens Them—Character Is Formed by Discipline and Sacrifice.

The most overindulged and overindulgent children are those whose parents are poor in their youth. The most undisciplined and uncontrolled are those whose parents were reared in strict and stern households.



When you see a little girl playing around in a befrilled lace and embroidered dress and silk stockings, you do not need to be told that at her age her mother wore gingham and went barefooted. When you see a young boy splitting the road open in an imported car you know that when his father was a lad he trudged on foot to the factory with his dinner pail on his arm.

When you see ill-mannered young people who smoke and drink and carouse and recognize no law but their own pleasure; who run roughshod over the rights of others; who have no respect for age, and who either patronize their parents or treat them with contempt you know that they are the offspring of fathers and mothers who were given few privileges when they were young and who were coerced by determined and strong-handed parents into walking the straight and narrow path.

Nothing is more common than to hear people say: "I don't want my children to be denied things as I was in my childhood"; "I don't want my children to have to work as I did when I was a child"; "I don't want my children to be suppressed and tyrannized over as I was when I was young."

Indeed, so common is this feeling that sometimes it seems that the present generation is being brought up by the rule of contraries, and that the only fixed idea that many parents have is to rear their sons and daughters exactly opposite from the way they were reared; to give them everything they didn't have and to let them do everything they were not permitted to do.

There is something very pathetic in this. It speaks so eloquently of the ungratified cravings of childhood, of the thwarted desires for pleasure at the time of life when one is mad for amusement, and it is easy to understand why parents whose own childhood has been stunted and dull should want to lap their children in luxury and give them all the fun they missed.

But in trying to save their children from the hardships they have gone through, they are also cutting their sons and daughters off from the experiences that make such men and women as they are themselves—the kind of men and women who rise from poverty to fortune and from obscurity to fame. For it is not in the lap of ease that successes are made. It takes struggle and self-denial and discipline to form character.

That is why we have the proverb that it is three generations from shirt sleeves to shirt sleeves. The poor man by energy and industry piles up a fortune, but because he has had to work and save in his youth he teaches his children to be idlers and wasters and spenders, and they run through their fortune and their children must go to work again at the bottom of the wheel.

Probably the children of the self-made man have naturally just as much chance as he has, but they nearly always amount to nothing, because their foolish father has denied them all the advantages he had when he was young and enervated them with indulgences. People who have been brought up in puritanic homes almost invariably have their children run wild. They put no restraints upon them. They give them everything of them. They resent the lack of liberty they had in their own youth and they give their children license.

They do not seem to realize that the system at which they raise their children is a good citizen, instead of the hoodlums which they are turning out. They do not reflect that they owe their health and strength to clean living; that because they were made to do things they formed habits of industry; that because they were made to do hard things just because it was a duty to do them they developed the grit which keeps men and women from being quitters; that because they were taught obedience and self-control they became captains of their own souls and masters of their fate, instead of being the playthings of their passions and emotions.

They must know, if they stop to think at all, how much better fitted they were to meet life, how much more secure they were of happiness than are their children, who have never been taught to do anything they do not want to do, or to deny themselves the gratification of any appetite or desire.

For life doesn't change. The world does not alter and no matter how much we would like to soft-pad existence for our children and stand between them and every hardship and sorrow, we cannot do it. At the last, in one way or another, they must come to grips with fate, and when they do the weak and dissolute will perish. The spendthrifts will come to want. The self-seekers will have their hearts broken.

Of course, it is a great temptation for parents to lavish upon their children everything that money will buy, and it is much easier to give strong-willed youngsters their heads and let them go their own gait than it is to hold them in check, but that way destruction lies for the child. And this is something that parents who are denying their children the struggle of life that made them what they are do well to reflect upon.

DOROTHY DIX.

Dear Miss Dix—Will you answer these questions for a group of girls who read your column every night in the paper?
Why is it that men do not understand women?
Just what do women mean when they say that men do not understand them?

What is the "come-hither look" that some women are said to have? Is it the color or the expression of the eye? Give an example of it in some woman of the screen?
ADMIRERS.

Answer:

Men do not understand women because of the difference of sex. No woman understands a man, either, for the same reason. The two sexes have different points of view, are moved by different impulses, have different standards of value, have had a different training in life; therefore, no man understands why a woman weeps for joy, while a man registers his joy by getting drunk. When a woman says that a man does not understand her she generally means she can't make him do her way, or that he has criticized her for some fault.

The "come-hither look" is what Barrie calls "that damn charm." It is a rare, magnetic, thing that draws us to a woman, but it has nothing to do with the color or beauty of the eye. Theda Bara is the traditional movie vamp, but I think the "come-hither look" in her eye is too bold. I could pick out Mary Pickford of the demure eyes.

DOROTHY DIX.

WOMEN and THE HOME

Wheels Within Wheels

THE STORY OF A DOUBLE-BARRELED MYSTERY.

By CAROLYN WELLS.

CHAPTER XXV. Swift's Ultimatum.

In her pretty boudoir, with its rose-shaded night light, Ida flung herself on a couch and buried her face in a nest of soft pillows, sobbing. Unheeding, she had left her door ajar, and Edith Mills coming up, hesitated at the threshold, impelled to go in.

But the girl's abandonment of woe was so great that Edith, out of honest compassion thought she'd be better alone, and tiptoed away.

Half an hour later, Leonard Swift came upstairs.

Ida was still crying, but the deep sobs had given place to little fluttering, choking gasps.

Involuntarily, Swift went to the slightly open door and listened. Then, after a light almost inaudible tap on the panel, he stepped inside.

"Yes, ma'am," he whispered, as he bent over her.

She raised her head, and then angrily sprang to her feet and faced him.

"Mr. Swift! How dare you? Go away at once!"

"Wait a minute—wait a minute, now. I say there's nobody in take your part unless you let me—and there's no one to take Magee's part—unless I do."

She stared at him, wide-eyed, while her lips quivered in torture.

"How frank are you going to be with me, Miss Campbell?" and Wise smiled gallantly at her.

"As frank as you wish—I wonder how frank you want me to be?"

"Diplomatic young person! Suppose you tell me all you know—"

"And then will you do all you can?"

"You bet I will! Nothing I'd like better!"

"Not that exactly. The only way to befriend Magee is to let him alone. I know where he is—"

"Where?"

"You know, too. He's in Paris—hiding from the consequences of his—well, never mind putting the crime into words. Now, here's the whole thing in a nutshell—you marry me, and you can be mistress of Howlands, without any more trouble. You can have Mary Howland here with you. And—your precious Magee will be unmolested by me—or by the police, so long as he keeps out of this country."

Ida Holmes Campbell took a step backward.

She looked at the man in front of her with cool appraisal, almost as if he were some strange specimen of natural history.

"Have you finished?" she asked.

"Yes," he said, "that is my ultimatum."

"And this is mine. I reject your offer of marriage. I decline your offer of friendship. I have no interest whatever in your future proceedings or machinations, and I defy you! More, I scorn you!"

And, such is the inconsistency of man, Leonard Swift's love for her increased tenfold.

"You wonder!" he breathed, lost in admiration of this slip of a girl who dared him so dauntlessly. "Good night for now, but don't think for a minute I'm giving you up. I'll win you yet—or, what happens to Austin Magee will make you yet wish I had!"

He went softly away, and as Ida mechanically closed the door after him, Edith Mills' door also closed noiselessly.

But Edith Mills could hear through closed doors, and she knew, if no one else did, that all through the night Miss Campbell alternately walked the floor or lay softly sobbing on her bed.

CHAPTER XXVI. Another Tragedy.

Yet the next morning it was a very composed and collected young woman who went downstairs, attired in street costume.

The little figure, in a smart black tailor-made costume, with fringes of monkey fur, and a saucy tricorne hat, left the house and walked alone to the village.

She presented herself at the Normandale Inn, where Pennington Wise was staying.

"I've come to talk business, Mr. Wise," she said, after preliminary greetings.

"No one I'd rather see, Miss Campbell," and Wise politely saw her settled comfortably and then sat down facing her.

"Yes, let's talk business," and appearing as usual, out of nothingness, Zizi crouched on an ottoman at Ida's side.

Her eerie black eyes fastened themselves on the visitor, and her thin little fingers twined among the monkey-kingdoms of Ida's gown.

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"Yes; and he said that I'd better go to Howlands and see if they felt that I was their child. He was sure my father would know, even if my mother didn't."

"But you never saw Ralph Howland?"

"No; he died while we were planning this thing. And after Mr. Howland died, Mr. Magee said there was all the more reason for me to go, to comfort my mother—"

"If she is your mother."

"Yes; and Mr. Wise, that's what I want you to find out. Surely you can do it. Surely you believe my story of the corals, still in Australia, of the little clothes there, too—oh, I wish I could go there and get them!"

"Come on," Zizi cried, "I'll go with you!"

"I doubt if I could find them."

"But they're in storage—"

"Yes—but it wasn't a regular storage warehouse—it was just a room in a neighbor's house—and the people may all be dead or moved away. It was sixteen years ago."

"Do you know, Miss Campbell, your story carries weight with me—just because it has no weight at all!"

"Zizi clapped her skinny little hands. 'Of course it does!' she cried. 'Why, if it wasn't true—if it was a made-up yarn, she'd say she was sure of her identity, and she'd made up a plausible reason for not going to Australia, but she'd vow the things were there. Also she'd have a lot of data—'

"Whereas she has almost none."

"But I have," Ida said. "I mean Miss Jane told me she put it all on record. She said she took the record to France with her, and yet when I went over her papers, before I came away I couldn't find any about me. I had another idea—"

"Look here, Miss Campbell, did Mr. Magee kill Ralph Howland?"

"Oh, Mr. Wise," and the girl's face blanched, "what an awful thing to say! Of course not!"

"Yet some of those bulbs were found in his room, weren't they?"

"Then they were put there—"

"Not likely. Who could do such a thing?"

"The murderer, of course."

"That would imply a person familiar with the house, and with unquestioned access to Mr. Magee's room."

"Oh, no; she's a real person. But she's a bit unsatisfactory. Stone deaf, stone blind—"

"And probably stone broke."

"Likely. But none of these things bother her. However, I've tried and I can't get anything out of her. And she'll keep—"

"I suppose she has kept a good many years already."

"Ninety or so. But, Mr. Wise, can you find out whether I'm Angela or not?"

"Do you think you are?"

"I—I think so with my heart—but not with my mind."

"Well—let's have details."

"You know most of them. But, the trouble is, while they accuse Mr. Magee of a plot—"

"Yes, but I don't like that word. However, here's how it came about. You know how he found me—through the dentist's journal, and then when he came to see me—he saw no reason to suppose I might be Angela Howland except my separated front teeth."

What you people call the plot was made up before we—Mr. Magee and I—"

"Fell in love with each other," Zizi supplied, quietly.

Jimmy Skunk Digs Himself a Home Underneath the Sugar House

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

Farmer Brown's sugar house was to be closed until the coming of another spring. Farmer Brown had come over to take away the last of the sugar and the syrup. And so it would no longer be necessary for Farmer Brown's Boy to sleep there nights.

When at last they were ready to start for home Jimmy Skunk was still inside, comfortably sleeping under the bunk.

"What are we going to do about that Skunk?" asked Farmer Brown.

"We can't shut him up in the sugar house, and for the life of me I don't see how we are going to drive him out."

"Jimmy's all right," replied Farmer Brown's Boy. "Don't you worry about Jimmy Skunk. You leave him to me. We'll leave him in here now, but I'll get him out of here tomorrow morning."

Farmer Brown's Boy was as good as his word. The next morning he was over at that sugar house bright and early.

He opened the door and looked in. Jimmy Skunk was walking about inside just as Farmer Brown's Boy had expected to find him.

"I knew you would be looking for something to eat by this time," said Farmer Brown's Boy. "I've come over here to get your breakfast. But this time you are not going to eat it inside."

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It wasn't till evening that Jimmy came out. It was strangely still about that old sugar house. He listened in vain for sounds to tell him that Farmer Brown's Boy was there. He went over to the door and stamped his feet impatiently. Then he stamped them a little angrily. But no amount of stamping brought his friend. So Jimmy decided that he would have to do a little hunting if he would have a dinner that night.

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Watches Cleaned With Bread.

Bread seems like a "mussy" thing to clean watches with, but it is said that one of the largest watch factories of the world uses up fifty loaves of new bread every working day in cleaning the delicate parts of watches.



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WOMEN AND GLASSES

Many women shrink from the thoughts of eyeglasses. They postpone wearing them, though they realize their health suffers immeasurably without glasses. It is the fear of injury to their personal appearance, F. Steele, London's leading optometrist, Dundas street, has a frame for every type of girl or woman. Just as the lenses must meet perfectly the requirements of your eyes, so must the frames harmonize with your personality. He is never satisfied until you are. Phone 25223 for an appointment.—Adv.

TOMORROW—Fresh Evidence.

"The murderer, of course."

"That would imply a person familiar with the house, and with unquestioned access to Mr. Magee's room."

"Oh, no; she's a real person. But she's a bit unsatisfactory. Stone deaf, stone blind—"

"And probably stone broke."

"Likely. But none of these things bother her. However, I've tried and I can't get anything out of her. And she'll keep—"

"I suppose she has kept a good many years already."

"Ninety or so. But, Mr. Wise, can you find out whether I'm Angela or not?"

"Do you think you are?"

"I—I think so with my heart—but not with my mind."

"Well—let's have details."

"You know most of them. But, the trouble is, while they accuse Mr. Magee of a plot—"

"Yes, but I don't like that word. However, here's how it came about. You know how he found me—through the dentist's journal, and then when he came to see me—he saw no reason to suppose I might be Angela Howland except my separated front teeth."

What you people call the plot was made up before we—Mr. Magee and I—"

"Fell in love with each other," Zizi supplied, quietly.

"Go on, then, what happened next? Do you remember the lady who took you home with her? I mean do you remember her on the train?"

Ida tried hard, but could evolve no definite memory from the vague and distant past, and Zizi sighed.

"It's so near being a clear case," she lamented, "and yet it's not clear at all."

"I think," said Ida slowly. "If I could talk to Conrad again, with all this in mind, I might stir some dormant memories."

"Well, we can go round and see

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Nemo Editorial on Corsets

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ACIDS IN STOMACH CAUSE INDIGESTION

Create Gas, Sourness and Pain—How To Treat.

Medical authorities state that nearly nine-tenths of the cases of stomach trouble, indigestion, sourness, burning, gas, bloating, nausea, etc., are due to an excess of hydrochloric acid in the stomach and not as some believe to a lack of digestive juices. The delicate stomach lining is irritated, digestion is delayed and food sours, causing the disagreeable symptoms which every stomach sufferer knows so well.

Artificial digestants are not needed in such cases and may do real harm. Try taking aside all digestive aids and instead get from any drugstore a few ounces of Bismarck Magnesia and take a teaspoonful in a quarter glass of water right after eating. This sweetens the stomach, prevents the formation of excess acid and there is no sourness, gas, or pain. Bismarck Magnesia (in powder or tablet form—never liquid or milk) is harmless to the stomach, inexpensive to take and is the most efficient form of magnesia for stomach purposes. It is used by thousands of people who enjoy their meals with no more fear of indigestion—Advt.



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Towe's "Through Street" Scheme Is Given Jolt By Highways Officials

Toronto Authorities Defer Sanction Until Motor Conference Discusses Plan.

CLAIM CONFUSION

"Silent Policeman" Will Be Placed At Queen's and Richmond.

The "through-street" legislation, recently enacted by the London city council, has been set aside for an indefinite period by the provincial department of highways.

A communication was received at last night's session of that body setting forth the advice that the local authorities would have to defer the enforcement of this bylaw pending further consideration by the government.

The Toronto authorities explained that the question of "through" or "stop" streets will claim attention at the interprovincial conference in St. Andrews, New Brunswick, during the last week of June. In the meanwhile local action is deferred. It is the opinion of the provincial experts that the "through" street system would tend to confuse the travelling public, particularly the tourists. It is recommended that the question be viewed from a national angle at the convention when standardized legislation could be drafted.

Ald. Allan Towe, chairman, who sponsored the "through" street scheme and triumphed in the city council after a desperate struggle, stated that it was unfortunate that the provincial authorities had not seen fit to ratify the council's action. He essayed the further opinion, however, that the time would come when all the principal communities would have to adopt such legislation.

Among the several streets designated for this purpose had been Waterloo, Queen's avenue, York street, Stanley street and the Wharmcliffe road.

Upon recommendation from Chief of Police Robert Birrell, the committee sanctioned the placing of a "silent policeman" on the east side of the intersection of Richmond street and Queen's avenue, as added protection to pedestrians in view of increased "corner-cutting."

Introduced by Ald. John Anderson, the committee considered a parking complaint registered at the last council session by Ald. Harry Bottrill, involving the restrictions on the east side of Talbot street between Carling street and an alley to the south. Edward Bernard, secretary of the London Motor Club, submitted that the parking privileges should apply to a block in that block who had been advised differently, and who had protested to Ald. Bottrill. The committee continued its revision of the several traffic regulations.

Since the city council passed the "through street" bylaw the police department has been quietly instituting its educational campaign in this regard, which must now be halted.

During the discussion in the council at the inception of the project by Ald. Towe, the fear was registered by some members that the scheme would tend to make a speedway of the "through streets."

The latter system is in vogue in two Ontario cities, Hamilton and Windsor, having secured approval from Toronto in 1923, following hot fights in their respective councils.

Y. M. C. A. CIRCUS SHOW IS INTERESTING EVENT

Opens Last Night To Capacity Audience—Local Talent.

The great circus which opened to a capacity audience at the Y.M.C.A. last night was one of the best shows of its kind ever staged by local talent. The city and every act drew hearty applause.

The whole performance was put on like a Barnum & Bailey show, having everything a great circus should, including daring trapeze artists and funny clowns.

The curtain went up with a grand march led by the famous Creosotes band, in which all of the performers took part. The first act was a tumbling stunt featured by the junior leaders' corps.

Then came the free hand drill followed by a slight of hand artist who drew much of applause.

The feature act of the evening was staged by Bob De Forest, a cowboy from the wilds of Texas, who displayed various rope spinning and throwing stunts.

The Crow of Croup A Warning To All Mothers

Croup starts with a dry cough and rattling in the throat; after which the croupy crow gives warning of the disease. The child, after tossing restlessly about, will start up with a flushed face, protruding eyeballs, and a distressing look of terror and anxiety. There is a struggle for breath, and the expectation of the mucous matter is so difficult to get rid of that the effort appears to threaten strangulation.

On the first sign of the "croupy crow" mothers should administer Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup, and thus give the child prompt and permanent relief, and perhaps the life saved by taking this precaution.

Mrs. H. A. Langhorne, Hamilton, Ont., writes: "My little boy was very bad with the croup and I could not get anything to relieve him until I tried Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. I cannot praise it too highly for the relief it gave him."

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ALD. ALLAN TOWE, chairman of the traffic committee, whose "through-street" legislation for vehicles, approved by the city council, has been quashed by the provincial department of highways.

RESIGNATION OF FAIR BOARD HEAD IS NOT ACCEPTED

J. H. Saunders Quits Position After Tiff With Director W. H. Abbott.

REMARK CREATES BREAK

After a verbal combat with William H. Abbott, brought about by bill posting tenders for the 1924 exhibition, President J. H. Saunders of the Western Fair placed his resignation in the hands of the board of directors at a meeting held in the board room yesterday afternoon.

The resignation was not accepted by the directors and the matter was left over till another meeting, which will be called in the near future.

Mr. Abbott objected to some of the remarks of President Saunders, and on the latter refusing to retract or apologize, Mr. Abbott left the meeting, stating he would not return until the president apologized.

W. E. Robinson then took the chair.

Directors after the gathering took the attitude that the entire episode was but a "tempest in a teapot," and thought that an amicable settlement would be reached between all concerned. It was hoped that President Saunders would reconsider his resignation and that Mr. Abbott would again take his seat on the board.

President Saunders' Remark.

Mr. Abbott objected to Mr. Saunders' remarks that "politics, religion and societies had never been introduced into fair board activities until he (Mr. Abbott) had become a member of the board."

"I ask Mr. Saunders to take that back," said Mr. Abbott rising from his chair. "The remark is most uncalled for, and I challenge any member of this board or anyone else to prove that I have acted in any improper manner."

"I won't apologize," assured the president.

"Very well, then, I'll leave the meeting," declared Mr. Abbott.

"All right, God bless you," replied Mr. Saunders as Mr. Abbott walked past him to the exit.

About Poster Contract.

The storm was occasioned by a discussion of the awarding of a bill posting contract to Mr. A. Snyder, who "filled" the countryside with Western Fair posters last year.

Director John Pringle moved that the matter be referred back to the printing committee with power and that a new list of specifications be prepared.

Director George McCormick, chairman of the finance committee, stated he was generally with Mr. Pringle in most things, but not on this particular matter. He explained that Mr. Snyder and C. E. Marley both tendered on the work and that Snyder's tender was the lowest. Mr. Marley then put in a revised tender which was \$40 lower, and it was thought if Mr. Marley was extended this privilege the same should be granted to Mr. Snyder, who proceeded to cut his figures another \$25.

Personally, he did not like the way the affair was done, Mr. McCormick stated, and he thought the tender should be given to Mr. Snyder at his first price. Rather than have the man lose anything, he would pay the difference out of his own pocket, Mr. McCormick declared.

At this juncture Mr. John Pringle, chairman of the printing and advertising committee, disagreed with Director George McCormick on his version of the tender, and went on to explain that the C. E. Marley, who tendered the lowest in the first instance, and that they had tendered on two different propositions; one on 24 sheet posters and the other on three sheet posters, and that owing to the cost of the 24 sheet posters running higher than the appropriation for this purpose, this proposition was abandoned. The three-sheet proposition was then considered.

The original Marley tender covered the 3-sheet proposition, and was the lowest submitted. At a later meeting a new tender was then submitted from Mr. Snyder, which was lower than his previous tender, but still higher than the original C. E. Marley tender, and, therefore, the Marley tender should have been accepted, he said.

No Members Present.

Wm. McNair stated no members of the printing committee were present at the executive meeting when the matter came up to explain it, and

it was decided to give the contract to the lowest original tender.

Mr. Pringle expressed himself strongly on the affair and moved it be referred back to the printing committee with power. His motion was seconded by W. E. Robinson.

Mr. Abbott supported Mr. Pringle, and stated everything should be done fairly and above board, at which President Saunders asked Mr. Robinson to take the chair for a few minutes. The president then explained that Snyder's work had at latter had gone to the expense of buying a new car in order to carry out the Western Fair work for this year.

There was some further discussion, and finally Mr. Abbott reaffirmed his stand, drawing forth the remarks from the president that caused the withdrawal of Mr. Abbott from the meeting.

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Mr. Justice Mowat in St. Thomas Court Plays Role of Peacemaker.

SUIT FOR ALIMONY

His Lordship Agrees With Young Wife On Mother-in-Law Question.

Special to The Advertiser. St. Thomas, April 24.—Mr. Justice Mowat at the non-jury sessions today, took a definite stand on the

age old question of the relationship of the young wife to the mother-in-law, when he said: "I don't blame any girl for not wanting to live with her mother-in-law, no matter how agreeable that mother-in-law is." The statement arose from an alimony suit in which the plaintiff, Mrs. Barbara McFadden, claims that her husband, George McFadden, a London railroad man, failed to provide a separate dwelling place as promised in the marriage agreement. She is unable to get along agreeably with her mother-in-law.

His lordship assumed the genial role of matrimonial peacemaker and ordered the young couple to retire from the courtroom and come to some settlement of the case. He gave strict orders for them to kiss

RESIDENT OF N. Y. STATE HEARS SPEECH OF KING

Associated Press Despatch. Poughkeepsie, N. Y., April 24.—The speech made by King George of Great Britain in connection with the opening of the British Empire Exhibition at Wembley, England, was reported as received by radio, in this city by Manning Cleveland, who said that he received faint reports of the speech at first, which grew gradually clearer until static interfered. After the static cleared up, Mr. Cleveland stated that he heard the music which followed the King's speech with remarkable clearness.

HOLLAND TO GRANT REDS RECOGNITION

Soviet Government's Demands For Rotterdam Base Are Conceded.

By LEOPOLD ALETRINO. Special Cable to The London Advertiser and the Chicago Daily News. Amsterdam, April 24.—Holland apparently is about to grant Soviet Russia the de jure recognition which that country demands as a condition of its choice of Rotterdam as the Russian commercial base in Western Europe. The Dutch delegates have returned to Berlin, the scene of negotiations, empowered to make this concession.

and although the Russian government will delay formal choice between Rotterdam, Hamburg and Antwerp until May, this choice already is virtually fixed on Rotterdam.

BETHLEHEM STEEL CORP. EARNS OVER TEN MILLIONS

New York, April 24.—Net earnings of the Bethlehem Steel Corporation for the first three months of 1924 totalled \$10,549,149, as compared with \$9,335,147 in the preceding quarter.

FOOT AND MOUTH DISEASE AGAIN CLOSES GLASGOW

Canadian Press Despatch. Winnipeg, April 24.—Following a fresh outbreak of the foot and mouth disease the port of Glasgow has again been closed, according to a cablegram received by Col. H. A. Mullins, western cattle exporter, here late today.

MAN IS MURDERED BY DETROIT GIRL

Miss Wanda Stopa and Pal Invade Country Home of Y. M. Smith.

Chicago, April 24.—Miss Wanda Stopa, formerly of Detroit, and said to have been a resident of an artists' colony here, accompanied by a man, invaded the country home of Y. M. Smith, an advertising man, today, shot and killed Henry Manning, a caretaker, and fired two shots at Smith's wife. "I'm going down town and kill him, too," Miss Stopa was alleged to have screamed as she and her companion fled in an automobile. The police rushed a detail to the

office of John H. Danham & Co., where Smith is employed, then took him to the state attorney's office and left a guard.

Smith declared Miss Stopa, with whom he said he formerly was friendly, according to the state attorney, had demanded that he divorce his wife and marry her.

Smith said he had met Miss Stopa when she was employed in the office of the United States district attorney here. She had returned to Detroit some time ago, he said, and he expressed the belief that she came back to Chicago determined to kill him and his wife. She once before had threatened him, he charged.

Miss Stopa and her companion, whose name was said by the police to be Ted Glasgow, failed to appear at the Dunham offices and they are being sought.

INSPECT 342 CARS OF WHEAT. Winnipeg, April 24.—Wheat inspections yesterday totalled 342 cars, including 289 of contract grade. Last year 226 cars of wheat were inspected. Coarse grains numbered 189 cars, against 69 a year ago.

RECEIVES BROKEN ARM IN FALL FROM STAIRS

Mrs. A. Hebblestone Taken To Victoria Hospital—Condition Not Serious.

Mrs. A. Hebblestone, 50 years old, received a badly fractured arm when she fell at her home, 462 Dundas street, yesterday afternoon. When she leaned against a stair-railing at her home it gave way, and she was thrown to the floor. She was taken to Victoria Hospital in an unconscious condition. Hospital officials stated last night that Mrs. Hebblestone was resting easily, and that her condition was not serious.

LAST DAY OF MARSHALL MATTRESS OFFER

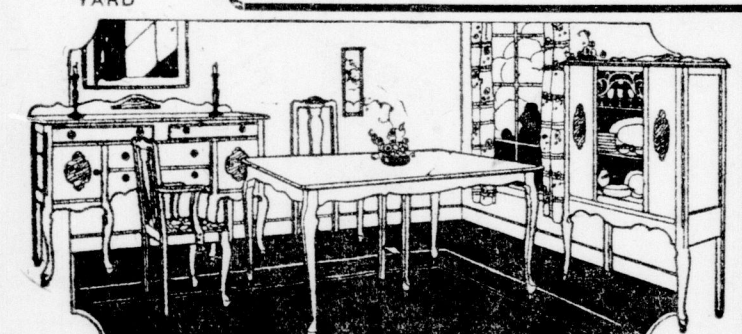
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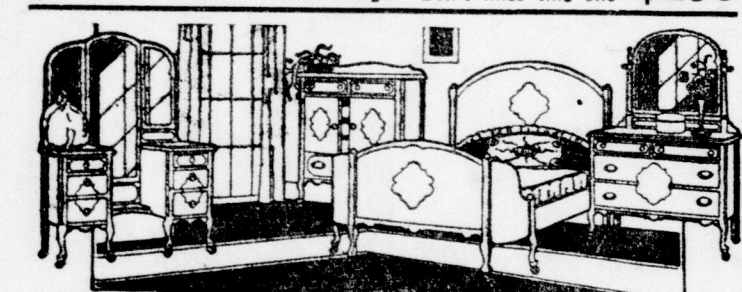


RUSH SPECIAL!
500 YARDS
Cretone Remnants
5 to 10-yard lengths
50c to 75c value
To-Morrow
29c
YARD

HERE'S THE BIGGEST BED BARGAIN WE HAVE OFFERED IN YEARS.
SIMMONS BED OUTFIT
This is a new shipment. We believe it to be the greatest value we have ever offered. It's a Walnut Finish Bed, a Coil Spring and a Felt Mattress, all for
50c Down \$29.50



Dining-Room Furniture On Sale
Three-piece Solid Fumed Oak Suite, fumed only, slip-seat diners, table and buffet. **\$99**
\$225 SUITES, 8 pieces, fumed, Period design, buffet, table, 6 chairs. **\$139**
\$275 SUITES, 9 pieces, walnut finish, square top table, glass door china cabinet, slip-seat diners. **\$180**
\$380 SUITES, 9 pieces, solid walnut, Period design. Don't miss this one **\$295**



RUSH SPECIAL IN DRAPERIES
2,000 yards of White and Cream Scrim, with fancy openwork borders; 10 different patterns; slightly imperfect. Reg. 25c and 30c, for, **15c** to clear.
Cash and Carry.
100 pairs Filled Marquisette Curtains, with tie-backs. Worth \$250, to clear **\$1.59**
1,000 yards Cretone Mill Ends, 5 to 10-yard lengths. Reg. 50c to 75c goods, to clear **29c** at yard.
Cash and Carry.



\$15 Simmons Mattress \$9.95
Simmons roll edge. Hurry for this special.
50c Down
Simmons full size, all-layer felt.

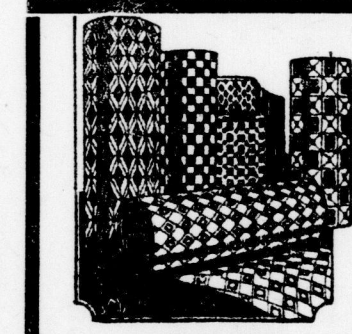
Cash and carry
Blinds, 69c

8 BRASS BEDS

Regular value \$65, to-morrow only **\$39**
These are sample beds, big and massive, with 2-inch posts and 2-inch fillers.
\$1 Down.



RUSH SPECIAL IN LINOLEUM
WHILE IT LASTS,
89c YARD.
6 DOZEN ONLY HEAVY HIT-AND-MISS RAG MATS. **95c**



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Special Offer
BABY CARRIAGES
\$33.00
REGULAR \$45.
To-morrow we offer this special in Baby Carriages. You must come in and look them over before you realize the value. Closely woven body and rubber tires.
\$5 SENDS ANY CARRIAGE TO YOUR HOME.
\$5 Carpet Sweepers.. \$2.95



"This is the most comfortable bed I have ever slept in. I don't feel a bit as though I was up till two o'clock this morning."
"That is the beauty of sleeping on a Marshall Mattress, madam. It means perfect comfort!"

No comfort like this!
Imagine the comfort of relaxing upon a downy bed in which the gentle yielding pressure of many hundreds of little springs, gently caresses every line of your body and conforms to every movement and pressure, always with the same resiliency.

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Delivers One of These Wonderful Mattresses To Your Home



\$79 KITCHEN CABINET
All hand-rubbed porcelain top. On sale to-morrow for
\$59
\$1 Down

A Whole Roomful of Furniture For... \$39.50
This dandy Living-Room Suite, in solid oak, on sale to-morrow at a ridiculous price. Eight pieces! Armchair, sewing rocker, arm rocker, straight chair, library table, taborette and two book ends, upholstered in brown Bradley leather, fumed oak, luxurious spring seats. This handsome Suite goes on sale to-morrow for only **\$39.50**
\$1.00 SENDS IT TO YOUR HOME



SPECIAL SALE SIMMONS PILLOWS
\$1.95
\$2.95
\$3.95
\$4.95 PAIR.

DINNER SETS FOR \$1 DOWN
Beautiful semi-porcelain, choice of many patterns. On sale at special prices **\$22.00 to \$39.00** to-morrow



Special Sale of Chesterfields
\$400.00 Cut Mohair Suites **\$25 Down, \$259.00**
\$300.00 Mohair Suites **\$20 Down, \$199.00**
\$350.00 Mohair Suites **\$25 Down, \$249.00**
\$300.00 Tapestry Suites **\$20 Down, \$199.00**
\$300.00 English Tapestry Suites **\$22 Down, \$225.00**
\$275.00 Tapestry Suites **\$18 Down, \$179.00**
\$139.00 Tapestry Suites **\$8 Down, \$79.50**

Rugs At Special Terms and Prices
\$39-8x10.6 FEET TAPESTRY RUGS **\$2.70 Down, for \$27**
\$42-8x12 FEET TAPESTRY RUGS **\$2.90 Down, for \$29**
\$55-8x10.6 FEET BRUSSELS RUGS **\$3.90 Down, for \$39**
\$65-8x10.6 FEET AXMINSTER RUGS **\$4.90 Down, for \$49**
\$75-8x12 FEET AXMINSTER RUGS **\$5.90 Down, for \$59**
\$85-8x10.6 FEET WILTON RUGS **\$6.90 Down, for \$69**
\$125-8x12 FEET WILTON RUGS **\$8.90 Down, for \$89**

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228-230 DUNDAS ST. LONDON

Heavy Brush Cocoa Door Mats **59c, 89c**
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Putting It On Too Thick

The New York Herald-Tribune is out with the suggestion that Brig-Gen. Dawes shall be the next vice-president of United States. If he should be acceptable to his country it would be a very good arrangement.

But why is it that United States cannot accept the opportunity it has of furnishing a man like Dawes to do an international service, and then let it rest at that?

The Herald-Tribune says: "Americans take pride in the thought that American common sense and courage and fairness are solving Europe's insoluble problems."

There is no intention to belittle the work done by General Dawes, an American official. But he was just one member of the commission. Others may have done equally good work.

The pean of praise that American common sense and courage and fairness are solving the insoluble problems would probably be as unwelcome to General Dawes as it is rasping to the rest of the world.

United States has exhibited her courage in connection with European matters by staying out of them entirely. The late President Wilson acted practically as dictator for the Allied powers in closing the war, and then by the vote of his people he was removed from the scene, and none other came to take his place.

United States had much to do with naming the conditions that closed the war, but practically nothing to do with living with those conditions after they passed from theory to troubled fact.

The visit of Stanley Baldwin to United States to arrange for funding Britain's war debt to that country was as good an exhibition of "courage" as could be given. Britain, weighed down with debt, receiving nothing from her debtors, made an agreement to pay off her debt to United States, even including interest.

If the New York Herald-Tribune wants an example of "common sense and courage and fairness," it has it right there.

General Dawes has performed a good service in laying down a plan that he thinks will work. All honor to him for what he has done, and more still if his plan works. But the suggestion that "American common sense and courage and fairness are solving Europe's insoluble problems"—well, it's putting it on with a trowel. It is just that touch of excessive verbal exuberance that makes us all hot under the collar.

Should Revise the Wage

A small sign is displayed in the window of one of the offices of the Canadian National Railways, stating "Men wanted, 25 cents per hour."

The Canadian Nationals is winning its way in public favor, but it should do its winning on a higher wage scale than that for even its extra help.

Working for a full week, 48 hours, a man would get \$12. Even were he to put in six full 10-hour days it would bring only \$15.

That is not a fair wage, considering either the work he does or what he is able to buy with the week's wages.

The National Railways might very well reconsider that figure. Twenty-five cents an hour will not do much more than keep a man alive. If he has any dependents, his case becomes miserable.

Speaking From a Distance

Andrew Papall, speaking from the safe distance of California, denies that he split any profits on bond sales with Hon. Peter Smith.

Mr. Papall is too far away to be heard distinctly.

The place to have made statements was before the public accounts committee at Toronto.

Lining Up Against Chicago

The opening of the shipping season finds the lake levels at Port Arthur 26 inches lower than they were two years ago. This means either alterations to docks or expensive dredging operations.

The word "Chicago" is being written on every dock in the country. It is being written on the gap between where the lake level used to be and where it now is. If dredging has to be resorted to to keep the docks workable, the same word "Chicago" will be written on the bills that the ratepayer has to meet for the work.

The Milwaukee Journal makes short work of the claim put up by Chicago that she is taking this water for sanitary purposes and that she is building sewage plants as fast as humanity possible.

"Nobody wants to shut off the drainage canal until Chicago can otherwise dispose of her sewage," says the Journal. "But the lake states don't believe Chicago. Nothing short of constant supervision by the war department, the attorney-generals of surrounding states and engineers from Canada will convince them that Chicago honestly is building anything to offset the lake steal as fast as it is humanly possible." They are convinced that the Chicago drainage canal is serving no interests except Chicago's, and they have before them the facts that levels of a natural resource in which they have a just interest have been lowered to the great detriment of their present and ultimate prosperity. It isn't a question of argument, and Chicago would save money if she understood that it isn't a question of tiddle."

The matter is so brazen a swindle and so glaring a daylight robbery that the wonder is it can be continued. But it is, and it is going to keep right on being continued until the fall.

United States government has the facts; it knows that a miserable injustice is being done to Canada, to say nothing of the trouble at its

own lake ports. If it cared to do so, it could tell Chicago at once to quit stealing water from the Great Lakes. Why, then, does it not go ahead and say the word?

The Greatest of All Empires

The British Empire in 220 acres at Wembley—that is the exhibition just opened by King George. There is probably not a Canadian manufacturing center not represented there; agriculture, mineral wealth, products of the forest; our system of free education; our railway facilities. All housed in an imposing pavilion of neo-Grecian style, it will faithfully show to the empire and to the world what Canada has done and can do.

South Africa, housed in a pavilion of old Dutch style, covers an area of 50,000 square feet. It is surrounded by typical plants, geranium, monstera, gladiolus and Cape heath. An ostrich paddock is at one side. The exhibits are wool, ostrich feathers, mohair, fruit, wines, dried fruits, canned fruits, minerals. Diamond cutting is also shown.

West Africa takes the form of a walled town, and the interior is given over to Nigeria, the Gold Coast and Sierra Leone. Native workers carry on their crafts—weavers, leather workers, brass workers.

The West Indian and Atlantic group—Falkland Islands, British Honduras, as well as the Barbados, Jamaica, Bahamas, Trinidad and Tobago, the Windward and Leeward Islands—all housed in a pavilion of the colonial Georgian style. British Guiana is erecting a model of the famous Kaieteur waterfall, the highest single drop in the world.

East Africa is housed "in a building, the exact copy of an Arab building—it is tenanted and shared by the Sudan, Kenya, Uganda, Tanganyika, Zanzibar, Nyassaland, Mauritius and Seychelles. Bermuda, the link between the old world and the new, tells of its wonderful climate.

Burma has built on its own eastern lines—the entrance gates are copied from the famous Arakan pagoda at Mandalay. It shows oil, rice, timber, nuts, cotton, rubies, jade, amber, silk, lacquer work, silver work and ivory.

The Ceylon pavilion, close by, is a land of rubber and its products. Hong Kong section has 150 Chinese working at native trades. The Malaya section will be more rubber, for Malaya furnishes half the world's supply of rubber. Palestine and Cyprus and Malta ply their business and their arts.

Australia is housed in an imposing structure covering six acres. New Zealand and Newfoundland, practically every corner of the empire, and that means every corner of the world, have brought their trade, their products, the evidences of their skill.

The great exhibition should be seen by as many as possible, but the cost of getting there is prohibitive to many. Transportation companies, land and water, might make special rates; they should regard the event as an opportunity to create more business for the future. It will be a good thing for England, and a good thing for the outposts; we all need the opportunity of having brought within small range a picture of what the British Empire really is.

A Wreck and a Shame

The House of David, a corporation that be-devilled the name of religion, has been taken in hand by the State of Michigan, and a receiver will be appointed to look after what remains in the way of assets.

The amazing thing is that such a thing could get a start, and that there would be enough gullible people to troop in and act as grist for the mill.

"King" Benjamin Purnell made sure that all those who entered his colony turned over their property to him. He was never anything more than a scheming old scoundrel seeking to capitalize and satisfy his lusts by preying on the religious fervor of weak-minded people.

The "king" has been a fugitive from justice for over a year. There are charges against him that he dare not face.

It seems as though the state had two duties. (1) chasing scoundrels and (2) protecting a lot of people who are sitting in wait for some new freak to come along and flim-flam them.

J. Bruce Walker at Ottawa

J. Bruce Walker has gone to Ottawa to act as chief immigration officer for the Dominion. It is the best appointment that could have been made for the position.

There are few men who know Western Canada as Bruce Walker knows it. He knows who can succeed there and he would not be a party to any misrepresentation of facts.

Moreover, he believes in Western Canada and in all of Canada. He is exactly the type of man needed for the big position to which he has been called.

Note and Comment.

There's good news for those who are longing for a free ride in an auto. The police commission is planning for a new Black Maria.

The city will continue to operate the incline railway at Port Stanley as a civic enterprise. Certainly we have no desire to lay off in the uplift work.

Guests in a hotel at Westville, N.B., had to get out in night attire when the building burned. That's bad management—they should have these fires in the daytime.

Trustee Mess of London supported the idea of cadet training in schools. His experience as a trustee has taught him the need of keeping constantly fit in case of attack.

An exchange figures that the first ten presidents of United States died at an average age of 78 years, and the last ten at 62 years. That makes a wide gap of 16 years, and must be in part accounted for by the excessive demands made upon the occupant of the office.

Rarebits By Rex

THE FLAPPER'S MOTHER GOOSE.

Bobby Shafto's gone to sea,
To Paris and to Lombardy,
He'll come back soon with hooch for me,
Bonny Bobby Shafto.

Little Boy Blue, come blow your horn;
I'll ride in your roadster
From now until morn.
I'll dance until sunrise,
Nor make any fuss,
And newspaper uplifts
Can write about us.

Jack be nimble,
Jack be quick,
I hear Dad coming
With a walking stick.

Ride a cockhorse to Banbury Cross.
You have to wed first if you want a divorce;
Rings on her fingers and bells on her toes—
A divorcee's a riot wherever she goes.

Little Jack Horner sat in a corner,
So sad and so solemn was he;
His tears made me wince, but he's quite happy
Since I consented to sit on his knee.

"Egyptian cigarettes first smoked by King Tut," Tobacco advertisement. This may account for the recently determined fact that Tut died at 18.

We planted sixteen expensive bulbs yesterday, but the dog dug them up and ate them. Now if we want a garden we must plant the dog.

"No one can prove that man descended from a monkey," says W. J. Bryan. But has Mr. Bryan observed how readily some people take to strap hanging?

JUST TRY IT.

Sing a song on Dundas street
With a pocket full of rye,
And some policemen on his beat
Will get you by and by.

They have found Napoleon's nightgown at St. Helena, but he lost his shirt at Waterloo.

We are looking forward to the summer season, when sunburn will transform our Adam's apple into a russet.

To the modern girl a distinguished man is a man who has learned how to wiggle his ears.

We sent a hard collar to the laundry last week and it came back soft. We sent it again and it came back scrubbed.

A POINT OF VIEW.

A hog observed a dove that flew
Into the clouds and higher;
And cried: "Poor bird! She has not guessed
The joys with which she might be blessed
By bathing in the mire!"

A firm of importers refused to pay for a consignment of garlic on the ground that it would not keep. How do they tell when garlic is spoiled?

"I know I have not a musical voice," remarked Mrs. Jenks, "but it riles me to have Jenks calling 'Yes, dear,' when our old hen cackles."

When an orator says he will only talk for five minutes and does not know how to begin, we always feel like telling him to begin at the four'th minute.

Put On Overalls

It seems from lookin' at the news some countries itch to pick a scrap, for here's United States just now a-makin' faces at the Jap. Because the folks at Washington they stuck a sign upon their pier, that henceforth Japanese must keep their carcasses out of here.

And in Rumania, too, the folks they argue with the Russian bear, a-claimin' that the bear, like fence ain't settin' up in ways what's square.

The Germans, too, they claim the French is makin' them most awful poor, by marchin' in their men and guns and squatin' down upon the Ruhr.

They'd like to raise an army there and to their neighbors put the boot, but they've no muskets in the land or no rock salt with which to shoot.

It seems no matter where you turn, nor when you look, nor why or how, that some one's sittin' up at nights a-lookin' for to start a row.

Far better that they take a hoe, a spade, a shovel and a plow, and grow some pumpkins for the horse and raise brain mash to feed the cow. Yes, let them don their workin' duds, the pants that have the stove pipe legs, and to the barnyard let 'em go and gather up the new-laid eggs.

In humble paths and humble ways they chase the dewdrops in the morn, yes let 'em pick potato bugs and chase the borer from the corn.

For when they've worked twelve hours at this, a-waddin' on when day comes light, they'll be so tired when day is done they won't be itchin' for a fight—ARK.

Press Comment

No Argument On This Point.

Harry Thaw has been pronounced sane by a Philadelphia jury, and now the sanity of the jury will fall under suspicion.—Toronto Star.

Seemed Like It to Him.

Daughter—Oh, papa, what is your birthstone? Father or Seven—My dear, I'm not sure, but I think it is a grindstone.—Southwestern Collegian.

Investigate the Sawdust Trail.

Billy Sunday plans a revival for Washington. It will be a treat for Washington to have something happen that is not closely pursued by an investigation.—Mail and Empire.

Help Wanted—Female.

The new Palmer House in Chicago will be twenty-four stories in height and will cost \$20,000,000. With its site it will represent an investment of \$40,000,000. Mrs. Palmer would have to have some help to do the cooking for this shack.—Los Angeles Times.

Well, It's a Good Alibi.

If you earned a million dollars a year in Canada you would have to pay \$895,349 income tax to the Dominion Government. This may be the reason why so few Canadians are willing to go out and earn a million dollars a year.—Manitoba Free Press.

Or Olives With a Hatpin.

Next to getting ketchup out of a ketchup bottle, the most difficult thing in the world is to borrow a dollar in the average office the day before pay day.—Buffalo Times.

Dr. Frank Crane

Marriage and Friendship

MONTAIGNE, that shrewdest of essayists, wrote a paragraph in which he said that love's fire, while "more active, more fervent and more sharp, is but a rash and wavering fire, wavering and divers, the fire of an agile subject to fits and stints, and, but slender hold-fast of us, while in true friendship it is a general and universal heat, and equally tempered, a constant and settled heat, all pleasure and smoothness, that hath no pricking and stinging in it. As soon as love creepeth into the terms of friendship, that is to say, in the agreement of wills, it languisheth and vanishes away."

This from Montaigne, in the quaint translation of John Florio, is a fair statement of the case for the negative. The point made is that love and friendship are two different kinds of "fire." Love is desire, it seeks to obtain, its action is a chase after that which flees, a conquering of resistance, the eternal conflict of the opposing sexes. Whereas friendship is quiet, it wants nothing, it enjoys its own existence and has no aim, desire or object beyond itself. But why not both? Why not both marriage and friendship, and what shall we do to secure this desired combination?

FIRST of all, we should remember that love, being emotion, or a sort of emotion, is like all emotions, and, therefore, rhythmic. To be disappointed because it is not unemotional is as if we complained because night alternates with day. Let us expect love and its expressions to be occasional, for it is only friendship that is common, daily and permanent. Enter into love as one enters into the temple, in the Sabbaths of feeling, the recurrent intervals of high emotion; but abide in friendship as one abides in a home amidst the calm delights, the cool comforts of a living-room.

Friendship's gods are Love and Penates, the deities of the hearthstone; Venus has her place in the sanctuary upon the hill; here we go upon her sacred days, when we worship with a little salt at each meal, at fire-making of mornings, and each evening with a hymn.

And friendship, the permanent thing, is only possible between two people who scrupulously respect each other's individuality.

As the stable internationalism can be built up of well-developed nations, so an abiding friendship is not "colloidal," each retains his (her) own distinctive personalities.

The most abiding basis for married friendship is a mutual endeavor to make one another happy. Unselfishness is the rock, selfishness the sand to build the home on. Just to be agreeable is nine-tenths of the game. The steadiest want of the human animal is to be comfortable. And what we all want to our dying day, is Appreciation. Shut your eyes to faults. Don't criticize. Appreciate. For all friendships are fundamentally Appreciations. Love is not always that.

To the Editor

The Senator Acted.

Case Cited to Show That Independent Position Made It Possible for Him to Proceed.

Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir—Every few days some would-be smart speaker or writer brings himself before the public by an attack on the Senate, and clamors for its abolition. There are two ways of looking at it, as was proved in a case that came under my own observation. I heard the farmer lay his complaint before an Ontario senator. He said he had leased a portion of his farm to an all company, taking in payment a proportion of the output. He complained that they were spoiling his farm and giving him nothing. The company owned getting oil from the well, but claimed not in sufficient quantity to give him a share.

The lease must have allowed the company a certain number of barrels to one, for whenever the flow reached their quantity the well was shut down, and he got nothing.

He was legally advised to call the attention of the M. P. to his case, also the member for the adjoining riding; but they could not take the matter up because "so many of their supporters were interested in the well."

In desperation the farmer went to Ottawa and interviewed an Ontario senator, who pushed the matter until the man obtained justice.

He said he must admit that he had not hoped to get it through a senator. He had not the slightest chance of the Senate, but he realized now that elected representatives were not all that was necessary in a government. OBSERVER.

Is Not Alarmed.

One Citizen Who Believes That Now Is a Good Time to Talk Business to the Street Railway Company.

Editor of The Advertiser:

Sir—There is no occasion for the people or council of the City of London to become excited over the threat of the London Street Railway to cease operating after March 5, 1925. Rather should they at once find out what their position will then be.

If the London Street Railway ceases operating, do they forfeit their franchise? And if so, what powers have they as to removal of tracks and overhead construction?

As to rolling stock, I believe a large percentage of the same would not be worth purchasing, except as junk.

Now seems a good time to arrive at a conclusion as to what the position and powers of the city will be next March, both as to trackage, overhead work and rolling stock. Yours, CITIZEN.

JOHN INNES' PICTURE OF HARDING IS SHOWN

On Exhibition in Convention Room of Newspaper Publishers' Association.

Associated Press Despatch.

New York, April 24.—A large oil painting depicting the late President Harding addressing 40,000 people in Stanley Park, Vancouver, last July, a few days before his death, is on exhibition in the convention room of the American Newspaper Publishers' Association at the Waldorf-Astoria.

It is the gift of the Vancouver Sun to the National Press Club at Washington, D. C. to which organization it was loaned.

ARE WOMEN OVER-WORKED?

Yes, hundreds of thousands of them are. This applies to the housewife and mother who struggles on a small income to make both ends meet by doing all the washing, ironing, cooking, making and mending for a large family. There are others who not only support themselves working in factories, shops, stores and offices, but often have an invalid father or mother to support, therefore do housework beside. These are the women who break down early and are afflicted with various forms of female weakness. Ninety-eight out of every 100 women who have tried Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound have proved that it is a successful remedy for women's ills. For nearly fifty years it has been restoring women to health, and it will pay every living woman to try it.—Adv.



The Windsor Salt FREAKIES

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CUT OUT NO.

MARBLE CHAMPIONS ARE GIVEN WELCOME

Contest Winners From Various Provinces Arrive in Toronto.

Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, April 24.—Mayor Hiltz of Toronto today officially welcomed to Toronto the marbles and jacks champions from the various provinces, now in town for the Canadian finals on Friday. The mayor was the principal speaker at a luncheon to the champions and their parents tendered by the Toronto Star.

He told of his own boys' and girls' great interest in the contest. As for himself, he could hardly wait till Friday morning for the championships, which he would certainly attend. He will present the trophies to the Canadian champions when they are determined by Friday's play.

Mrs. W. E. Groves, chairman of

the management committee of the Toronto board of education, congratulated the organizers of the contest. She was particularly pleased to see that a special game was provided for the girls, who were sometimes overlooked in sports.

In the afternoon, among other events in the program, as described in previous despatches, the children visited Riverside zoo, and were entertained by the famous baby elephant, Baby Stella. In addition to a battery of press photographers, moving-picture camera men were also present. Both Fox News and Pathe News took movies of the champions with Baby Stella, pictures of which will be shown in leading theatres throughout the country.

NATIONALIST PAPERS MOURN DR. HELFERICH

Associated Press Despatch.
Berlin, April 23.—The Berlin Nationalist newspapers today mourn Dr. Karl Helfferich, Nationalist leader, who was killed in yesterday's railway accident in Switzerland, as one of Germany's greatest men, and one who might have regenerated a new Germany.

Deliciously Sweet and Crisp



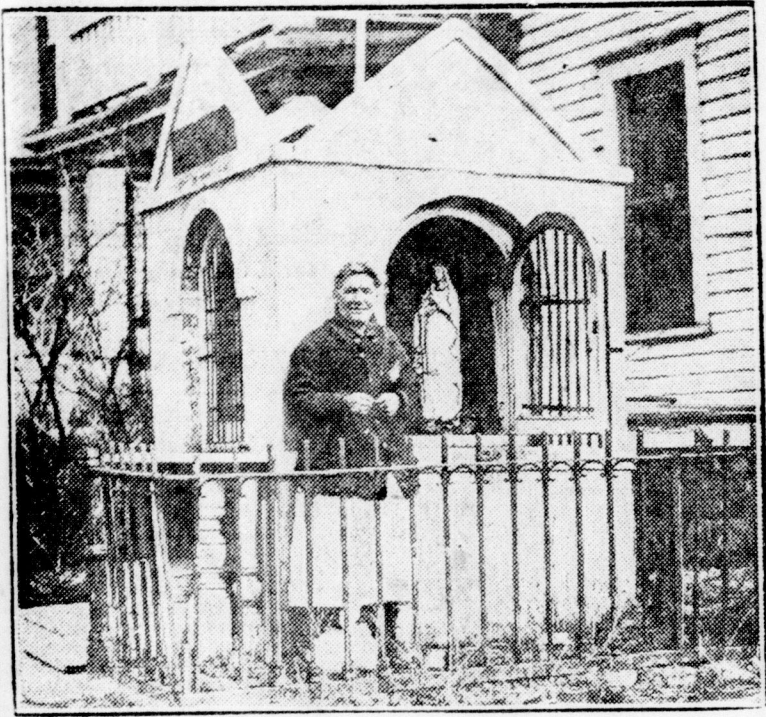
Fulfil the promise of their name. Crisp, delicate morsels of sweetest corn, delightfully toasted, all their goodness sealed fresh in the package for you. Every member of the family will welcome them. And the price is surprisingly low. Made in Canada.

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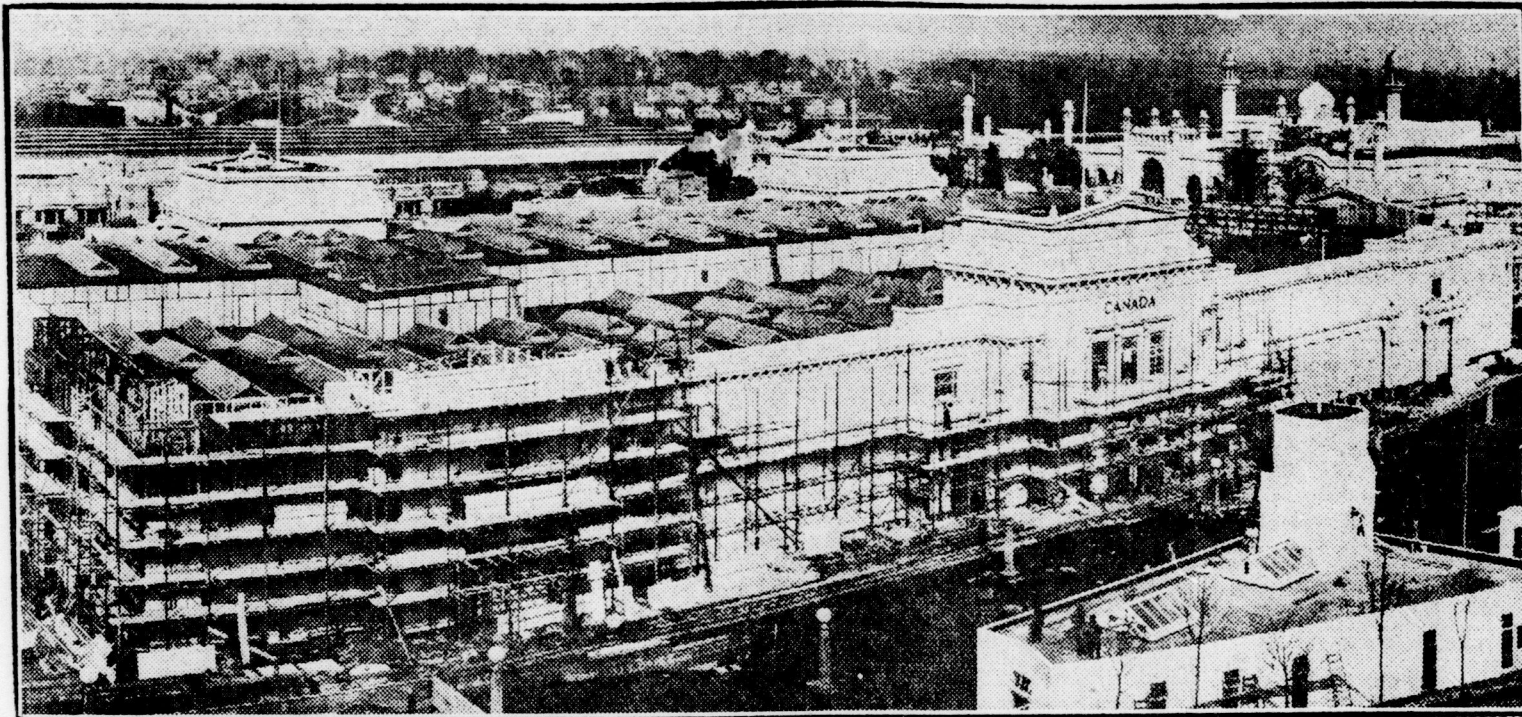
Sugar-Crisp CORN FLAKES

Ogden's CUT PLUG TOBACCO

Wreck Pastor's House; Not For Newly Rich; Erects Shrine in Yard



Mrs. D. Sorrendino, Syracuse woman, has erected a shrine in her yard in memory of her husband, who died some months ago. The memorial is illuminated each night by both electric and candlelight



Photograph shows a splendid panoramic view of the Canadian section of the British Empire Exhibition, which opened this month at Wembley, England. In the foreground is the Canadian Pavilion, one of the largest buildings on the grounds



The home of the Rev. L. E. H. Smith, Buffalo, was blown up recently because he led prohibition agents to places where they might get evidence on men dealing in Canadian booze. A time bomb was planted under the front porch. The house was empty at the time of the explosion



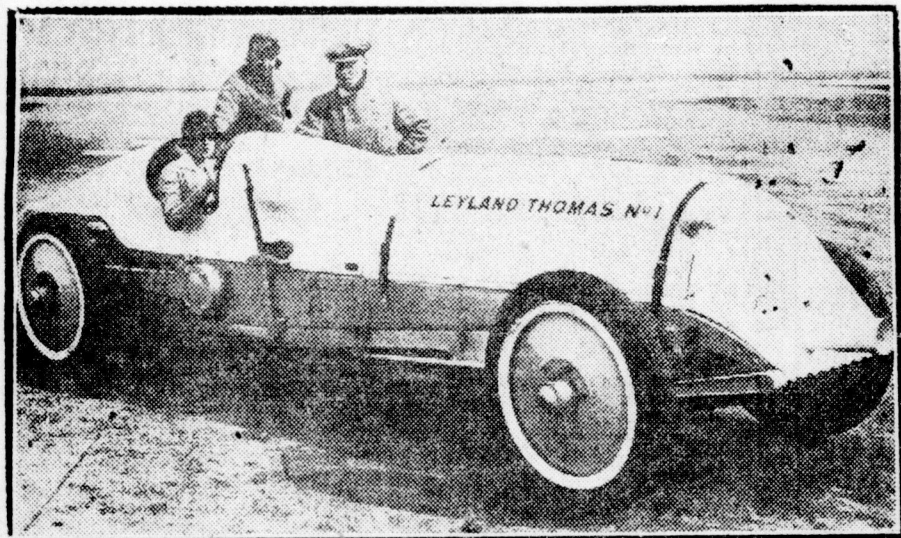
The River Warke, which flows through Poland and Prussia, has over-run its banks, and the surrounding country now looks very much like the canals of Holland or Venice. The only mode of travel is by boat



This remarkable photograph of the Oxford crew reveals the exhaustion and depression of the beaten eight after their struggle to overtake Cambridge



Hilton Belyea, Canadian champion sculler, is shown already in training at Putney for the Henley Diamond Sculls. Later he is to continue his training in France for the Olympic races



Parry Thomas, English speed rider, has issued a world challenge to a race with this specially built car which he has designed. Mrs. George Duller, seated in car, broke the woman's record for the 100-mile race last year



The Duchess of Norfolk, said to be the wealthiest woman in Great Britain, has offered Arundel Castle for rent for \$40,000 annually. She stipulates that it shall not be leased to any newly-rich person



Little Maxime Dunn, as 'Goodnight,' was one of the pupils in the Toronto School of Dramatic Arts who took part in a costume recital recently in aid of the Toronto Humane Society



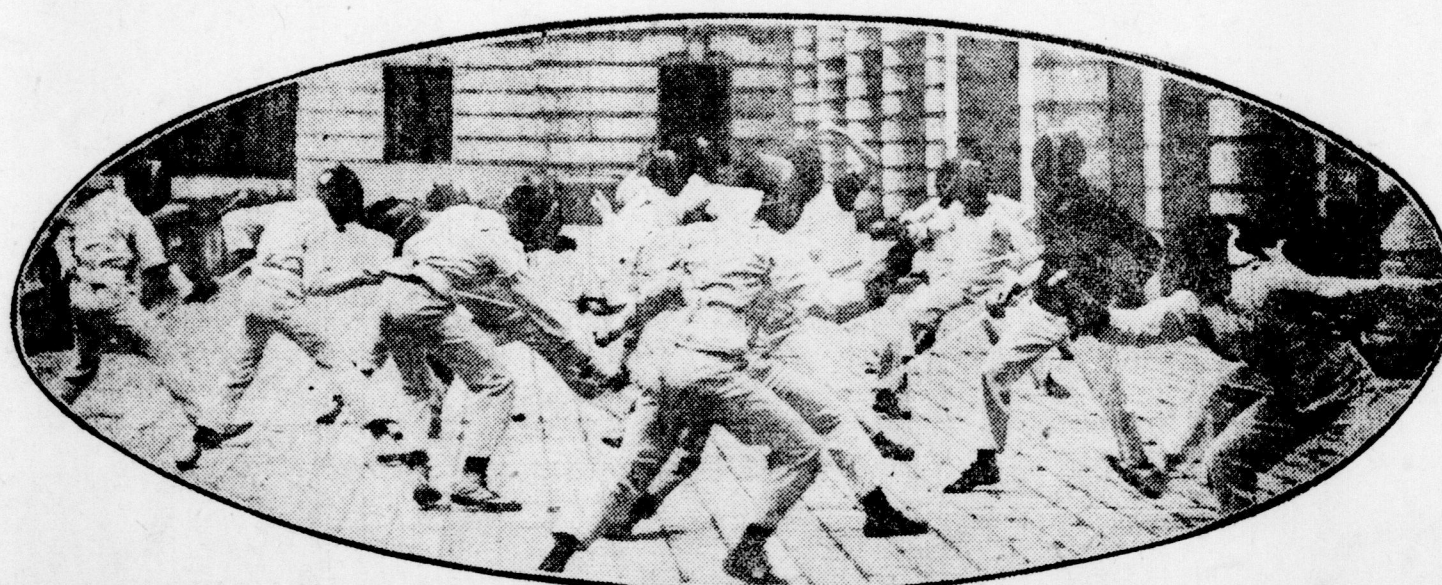
Each year at Easter time along the roads of German Saxony go cavalcades like the one shown in the photograph. This is the "Easter Ride" of the farmers. Instead of plough harness, the horses wear fine coverings of cloth



A party of over a hundred boys and girls, ranging from ten to seventeen years of age, from Dr. Barnardo's Homes, left England recently en route for Canada. Here's a happy group



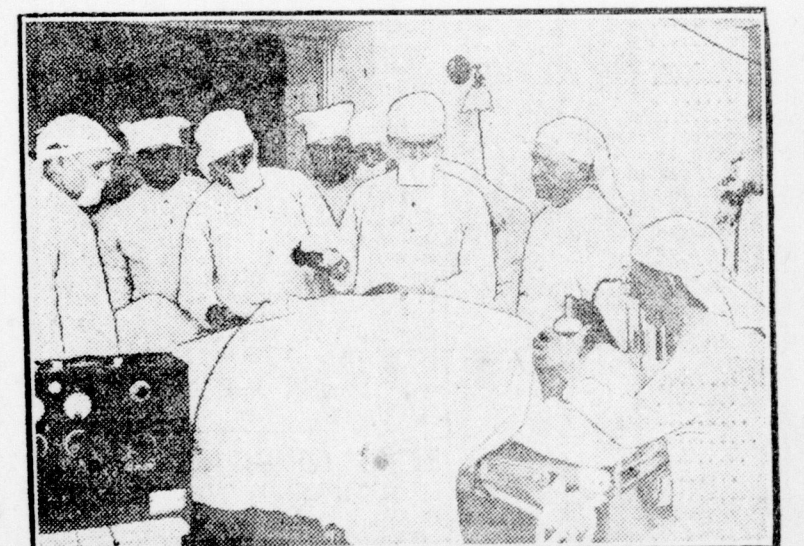
Alfred Duggan, son of Lady Curzon, is shown previous to leaving home for the south seas in search of adventure. Left to right are Lady Curzon, Prince Oblinsky, Mr. Alfred Duggan and Lord Curzon



There is plenty of action these days in the vicinity of the Naval Academy at Annapolis where fencers are in training for the Olympic try-outs



Photograph shows the work room in the men's residence of the Canadian Institute for the Blind, Toronto, where sightless are taught basket weaving and other profitable trades



The newest in surgical technique—a bloodless operation—was performed in Chicago recently. The new "radio knife" the size of a knitting needle is used, with a low power radio transmitting set

London Tecumsehs Win - Harry Greb and Kid Norfolk Suspended

BILLY BARBELON GETS HOME RUN IN THIRD

London Team Walks Away From Morsemen, Winning 9 to 2.

SUPPORT BETTER

Special to The Advertiser. Three Rivers, April 24.—The London Indians won their first game from the Three Rivers Morsemen today, 9 to 2, in five innings. Norman Luther decorated the hill for Manager Jack Beatty, and held the Morsemen to five sacks. He was accorded good support, something that was lacking in yesterday's game, especially when Nick Merab was in the box. Luther had a comeback after his arm was rather seriously hurt. He took things easy today. The London team looked like a hitting ball club in this game. Barbelon staged one for the book when he leaned on the ball for four cushions in the third, bringing Ernie Licht in ahead of him. Bill got another one in the second when he drove the pellet just over the head of Wortman.

London started to hop onto Pitcher Bill Epperson in the second when, after German walked, Fredette threw wild over first, and German scored. Licht fanned, and Barbelon lammed out a pretty single to score Beatty from third. Effert was called out on strikes, and Luther hit to second, forcing Barbelon. The net result was two runs.

Get Five More.

In the next they came back with still more punch. Sandquist, topping the line-up, singled to left. Naleway hit to Cerney, who stepped on the sack in time to catch Sandy. Stimpson sack in time to catch Sandy. Stimpson doubled to center, scoring Naleway. German drew his second pass, and went down to second on Beatty's sacrifice. Licht beat out a hit to short, German scoring on the play. Barbelon knocked the sagate out of the lot, pushing Ernie in ahead of him. Effert was retired when French went outside the foot to pull in his attempt. Five hits, five runs. They did not, however, stop at that. In the fourth they garnered two more when Luther singled and Sandquist sacrificed, Naleway hit for two sacks, scoring Luther. Stimpson got a life when Cerney's throw pulled Dunkel away from the bag. German's single scored the fast Chick.

Hitting Weak. The Morsemen did little with the stick today against Luther. They scored in the second when Dunkel doubled after Weinmaster was out. Cerney scored him with a single. The box score: AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Baxter, rf., 3 1 0 0 0 0 Wortman, 2b., 3 0 1 4 1 0 French, 3b., 2 0 0 2 3 0 Dunkel, 1b., 2 1 2 0 0 0 Weinmaster, cf., 2 0 0 1 0 0 Cerney, ss., 2 2 2 1 4 0 Murphy, lf., 2 0 0 0 0 0 Fredette, c., 2 0 1 2 2 1 Epperson, p., 1 0 0 0 3 0 Totals, 19 2 5 15 14 2 London: AB. R. H. PO. A. E. Sandquist, 3b., 3 0 1 4 3 0 Naleway, 2b., 3 1 1 4 3 0 Stimpson, 1b., 3 1 2 0 0 0 German, rf., 1 1 1 1 0 0 Beatty, lf., 3 1 0 5 0 0 Licht, cf., 3 2 1 0 0 0 Barbelon, ss., 2 2 3 3 1 1 Effert, c., 3 0 0 2 3 1 Luther, p., 3 1 1 0 0 0 Totals, 25 9 9 15 9 1 The summary: Struck out—Epperson 2. Base on balls—Luther 2, Epperson 3. Home runs—Barbelon. Two-base hits—Naleway, Stimpson, Dunkel, Cerney, French. Umpire—Sear.

How They Stand

NATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
New York	6	2	.857
Cincinnati	6	2	.750
Chicago	6	4	.600
Brooklyn	3	4	.429
Pittsburg	3	5	.375
Boston	2	4	.333
Philadelphia	2	4	.333
St. Louis	3	7	.300

AMERICAN LEAGUE.			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Detroit	5	1	.833
Chicago	5	2	.714
Philadelphia	4	3	.571
New York	4	3	.556
Washington	4	5	.444
Boston	3	4	.429
Cleveland	3	4	.429
St. Louis	2	7	.222

INTERNATIONAL LEAGUE.			
Won.	Lost.	P.C.	
Rochester	5	1	.833
Baltimore	6	2	.750
Toronto	5	3	.625
Newark	3	3	.500
Reading	3	3	.500
Syracuse	2	5	.286
Buffalo	2	5	.286
Jersey City	1	6	.143

TIGERS REMAIN ON TOP OF HEAP

Joe Dugan Star in 6-3 Yankee Win Over the Red Sox.

Associated Press Despatch. New York, April 24.—The New York Americans defeated Boston again today, by a score of 6 to 3. Shawkey yielded only one hit for six innings, but was hit hard at the finish. Joe Dugan's all-around play featured. He drove a home run into the left field bleachers with two on in the second, and in the same inning made a brilliant one-handed catch of a low drive by O'Neill, resulting in an unassisted double-play. The score: R. H. E. Boston 000 000 120—3 6 2 New York 031 000 02x—6 9 1 Pleinich, Ferguson, Fullerton and O'Neill; Shawkey and Hoffman, Bengough.

DETROIT BEATS INDIANS. Associated Press Despatch. Cleveland, April 24.—Cleveland could do little with Stoner today, and Detroit won, 8 to 2. Cleveland used five pitchers. Detroit took the lead in the second when, with two on, Stoner hit a home run. The score: R. H. E. Detroit 031 100 210—8 13 1 Cleveland 000 020 000—2 9 2 Stoner and Bassler; Edwards, Smith, Edmonson, Morton, Lysen and Myatt.

SOX WIN IN NINTH. Associated Press Despatch. St. Louis, April 24.—Two singles, a walk and a sacrifice gave Chicago the winning run in the ninth inning today, the White Sox defeating the Browns 5 to 4. Van Gilder started well for the locals, but had to be relieved in the fifth, after the bases had been filled. The score: R. H. E. Chicago 000 120 011—5 10 1 St. Louis 100 011 100—4 11 2 Robertson and Clouse; Van Gilder, Bayne, Kolp and Severeid.

SENATORS WIN. Associated Press Despatch. Philadelphia, April 24.—A passed ball by Catcher Bruggs in the ninth allowed Rice to score from third, and gave Washington a 4 to 3 victory over Philadelphia today. The home team tied the score in the sixth when Hauser hit a home run over the right field wall with Dykes on first. It was his second homer in two days. The score: R. H. E. Washington 021 000 001—4 8 1 Philadelphia 000 102 000—3 3 2 Martina and Ruel; Ogden, Walberg, Burns and Perkins, Bruggs.

DUTTON TOURNEYS DUE ON JULY 16 AND AUG. 20. Special to The Advertiser. Dutton, April 24.—The local bowling club met in the Memorial Hall for the election of officers and the transaction of other business. The attendance was good, and the interest manifested presaged an active, enthusiastic season. In the absence of the president, J. D. Blue presided, and C. B. Young acted as secretary. After much discussion, it was decided to affiliate with the W. B. A. The officers elected for the coming year are: President, H. Hollinhead; first vice-president, James Turner; second vice-president, D. B. Youngman; managerial, grounds and tournament committee, J. T. Johnson; N. Kaufman, James Bruce and the president. The skips elected were: J. Hockin, Dr. Dow, W. Affeck, J. G. McKellar, A. E. Roberts, J. T. Johnson and R. E. Reekie. It was decided to hold tournaments on July 16 and Aug. 20.

BEARS WIN SECOND. Associated Press Despatch. Newark, April 24.—By defeating Syracuse today, 7 to 3, the Newark Bears won their second straight game from the Stars. Ellis pitched great ball for the Bears. Rabbit Whitman, 20-year-old outfielder, starred for Newark at bat and in the field. The score: R. H. E. Newark 210 000 000—3 10 2 Syracuse 000 011 21x—7 8 1 Parscy, Ciss, Barnes, Ward and Mitze, McKee; Ellis and Devine.

ORIOLES EVEN SERIES. Associated Press Despatch. Baltimore, April 24.—Baltimore evened the series with Rochester today, winning the second game, 7 to 4. Parscy Ciss was effective until the fifth, when he wobbled, and Jackson replaced him. The latter was invincible, allowing only two hits and fanning four men. The score: R. H. E. Rochester 001 200 000—4 10 2 Baltimore 007 000 00x—7 10 0 Crowder, Peterson and Lake; Parnham, Jackson and Greenac.

LEAFS VICTORS. Associated Press Despatch. Reading, April 24.—Toronto defeated Reading here today by a score of 11 to 8 in a free-hitting game. Hoblitzell, who hit safely six times Wednesday, ran his streak up to eight consecutive safeties before grounding out. Toronto 010 141 022—11 18 1 Reading 122 020 100—8 16 6 Doyle, Reynolds, Lynch and Vincent; Lambie, Tuero, Judd, Martin and Haley.



SANDQUIST, 2B. NALEWAY, S.S.

THE KEYSTONE TWINS. This pair are new acquisitions of Beatty. Sandquist is a second baseman who has impressed the London manager with his work in the games already staged. Naleway got all burnt up in the Southland with the Detroit Tigers and he's been burning up things around the short field ever since he landed in Three Rivers. Cobb thinks Naleway is very promising, and so does Beatty. He covers acres of ground and does his work cleanly, no matter how bad they come. He has shown up pretty well with the stick, too. This might not be taken seriously if it were only Three Rivers training camp form, but Naleway got in some good wallops after the Tigers' pitchers had begun to put something on the ball.

CORINTHIANS LAUDED BY COL. F. S. MEIGHEN. Flashy English Soccer Team Will Tour Canada This Summer.

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, April 24.—"The Corinthians have a splendid team and will no doubt be very popular during their tour through Canada this summer," stated Col. F. S. Meighen, on his return from a trip to England. While in London a couple of weeks ago he saw the famous amateur soccer team defeat Chelsea, the English League First Division Club, in an exhibition match.

"They certainly have a first-class team," he added, "as out of eight tilts with leading professional clubs they only lost their game with West Bromwich Albion in the English cup."

ROYAL DERBY RUN. Rome, April 24.—The Italian royal derby was run on the Parioli course today in the presence of the king and queen, Crown Prince Humbert and the Princess Mafalda. Manietti finished first and Giambologna second.

OUR BOARDING HOUSE. BY AHERN.



BOSTON BLANKED 7-0 BY PHILLIES

Giants, Reds and Cubs Win, Due To Opponents' Errors.

Associated Press Despatch. Boston, April 24.—Hubbell's pitching, fielding and batting for Philadelphia were big factors in the Phillies' 7 to 0 win over the Boston Braves today. Hubbell batted out two doubles, made six assists and one put-out and scored twice, in addition to holding the Braves to seven hits. Ford fielded brilliantly and Williams hit two doubles. The score: R. H. E. Philadelphia 130 020 001—7 11 0 Boston 000 000 000—0 7 1 Hubbell and Henline; Genewich, Lucas and O'Neill.

BROOKLYN LOSES. Associated Press Despatch. Brooklyn, April 24.—Brooklyn opened its home season today by losing to New York, 7 to 4, before 22,000 fans. Four hits off Ruether, a fumble by Johnny Jones, a sacrifice and a sacrifice fly, gave New York four runs in the second inning. Neff was relieved by Ryan in the third, after walking two batters and hitting one. Jackson bounced a home run into the left field bleachers in the sixth, when Wheat misjudged his long fly. The score: R. H. E. New York 040 001 200—7 11 0 Brooklyn 002 000 011—4 6 3 Neff, Ryan and Snyder; Ruether, an DeBerry.

CINCINNATI WINS. Associated Press Despatch. Pittsburgh, April 24.—Cincinnati defeated Pittsburgh, 5 to 4, today in a loose game which opened the home season for the Pirates. Donohue and Meadows pitched the complete game for both teams, although the latter was hit hard. The score: R. H. E. Cincinnati 021 100 010—5 15 0 Pittsburgh 009 000 202—4 9 2 Donohue and Hargrave; Meadows and Schmidt.

CUBS BEAT CARDS. Associated Press Despatch. Chicago, April 24.—Ray Blad's fumble of Grimes' fly, coming between singles by Adams and Bierberg, gave Chicago a 5 to 4 victory over St. Louis today. Elmer Jacobs, Seattle recruit, held the visitors to four hits, two of which were home runs by Blad and Hornsby. The latter's was his fourth of the season and came with two men on. The score: R. H. E. St. Louis 002 000 100—4 4 3 Chicago 010 010 012—5 3 2 Southern and Niebergall; Jacobs, Blake and O'Farrell, Hartnett.

AMERICAN SWIMMER CLIPS TWO SECONDS AT BROOKLYN WATER CARNIVAL. Associated Press Despatch. New York, April 24.—Another record was marked up against the name of Miss Agnes Geraghty, of the Women's Swimming Association, today as a result of her victory yesterday in the 200-yard breast stroke handicap, made in an Olympic fund benefit water carnival in Brooklyn.

Starting from scratch she covered the distance in 3:18—two seconds better than her own United States record set in Florida in February.

LANGFORD, NEARLY BLIND, LOSES FIGHT TO TREMBLY. Associated Press Despatch. Venice, Cal., April 24.—Sam Langford, negro heavyweight prize fighter, lost the decision here last night in a four-round bout with Eddie Tremblay of Bangor Maine. Langford is nearly blind.

BIG TRAPSHOOT EVENT TO BE HELD JULY 1-2



QUEEN'S RUGBY COACH.

Billy Hughes, who will again coach Queen's University football teams this year.

FIRPO IS WILLING TO FIGHT ROMERO. Associated Press Despatch. Buenos Aires, April 24.—Luis Angel Firpo, South American heavyweight champion mauler, who recently declared his intention to retire from the ring, announces today that he was willing to go to the United States and fight Quintin Romero, Chilean heavyweight, provided Romero fought no other boxer previously to their meeting. Firpo made this announcement to Juan Homas, representative of Tex Rickard, who said he was calling Rickard to make efforts to call off Romero's match with Firpo on May 9 and substitute for it a Firpo-Romero bout at a later date.

This reversal of Firpo's much reiterated retirement decision is due, he asserts, solely to resentment at reported declarations by Romero that Firpo feared him, together with statements of Tex Rickard, who published in the Chilean newspapers. Homas said that if a match with Romero could be arranged he had little doubt that Firpo would be willing to sign up afterward to meet Harry Wills and Jack Dempsey. "I might do so," Firpo admitted, but he added that he would make no commitments until a fight with Romero was assured.

TEX READS RIOT ACT. Associated Press Despatch. New York, April 24.—The twelve-round bout at Madison Square Garden, May 3, between Quintin Romero, Chilean, heavyweight, and Floyd Johnson, for which articles were signed yesterday, will not be cancelled to permit Luis Angel Firpo, South American champion, to get first chance at the Chilean, Tex Rickard declared today. "If Firpo wants to fight Romero here I may arrange the bout later on, provided that the Chilean defeats Johnson," Rickard said.

Combined Indian Western Ontario Tourney Dates Switched.

POW-WOW LAYS PLANS.

The Canadian Indian Trapshooters held a pow-wow over the council fire at Chief Dr. Percy Banghart's tepee Wednesday night following the matinee shoot of the Springfield Gun Club and after much furious puffing it was decided to switch the big combination Western Ontario and Indian shoot at Port Stanley from June 30-July 1 to July 1-2. Chief Sam Vance of Tillsonburg, chosen again for the Canadian Olympic trapshooting team, was present. This two-day shoot is probably the biggest event ever staged by Ontario trapshooters. The But Memorial trophy, one of the most expensive trophies ever hung up for trapshooting competition, is the big attraction, with the Queen's Royal Cup at the Indian shoot. This event will be full costume.

Ten handsome new trophies have been offered for competition, it developed, as the plans for the big event were gone over. High Chief W. Hollingshead of Dutton passed the pipe around. High Scribe R. F. Jordan and his assistant, Dr. Frank Shaw, with Council Chiefs Sam Vance, W. Pow, C. Millman and T. H. Baker, were all present.

At the shoot in the afternoon some splendid scores were made. The results: 100 Shot At. Chester Millman 66 T. H. Baker 55 Sam Vance 54 W. Hollingshead 64 R. F. Jordan 67 W. McEneaney 58 W. Pow 46 W. Johnston 45 50 Shot At. Paul Quick 34 Dr. P. C. Banghart 24 H. Payne 48 Dr. E. Bice 41 Jim Vance 40 Dr. Shiveron 30 Jack Greer 24 Tony Rickard 39 Prizes donated by president.

WINDSOR WILL ENTER NEW LACROSSE GROUP

St. Marys, Sarnia, Wallaceburg and Border City Make Up Loop.

Wallaceburg, April 24.—Word has been received from Windsor that the officials of the Border Cities Intermediate lacrosse team are quite content to join in the new proposed group comprising St. Marys, Sarnia, Windsor and Wallaceburg. The proposition will in all probability be taken up at the O. A. L. executive meeting in Toronto next Saturday. Competition between these teams will be certain to run very high. Sarnia, it is understood, has new players arriving daily. Windsor and the Glass Town are confident of their chances, but very little has been heard about the St. Marys outlook. It is understood on good authority that Chatham will be the meeting place for arranging the schedule which will most probably be a double one, thereby enabling fans to have an ample supply of their favorite game.

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Booster Committee Plans Novelties For Mint Opening Here May 6

LONDON IN RACE FOR ATTENDANCE TITLE

Muskegon and Hamilton Have Edge With Landis As Attraction.

CLUBS WILL AID

Muskegon and Hamilton, with Judge Landis as an attraction at their opening days, are one-two favorites for attendance records, but London is going to make every effort to be well up in the race.

Every organization in Muskegon is behind plans which will, it is expected, muster 10,000 people to see the Anglers and their old rivals, the Grand Rapids team, open the Mint League season.

Hamilton is also making vast preparations to give the czar of all baseball a royal reception in the Mount-ain City. The civic clubs have all put their shoulders to the wheel, and the result will be something novel even for Hamilton, which has turned out some huge gatherings in the past at big athletic events.

Neil Stringer, chairman of the boosters' committee of the local club, announced yesterday that plans were being made to make the opening day here on May 6 something to be remembered in London. Already the Rotarians, Kiwanians and Lions have signified their willingness to do everything possible to show their appreciation of what professional baseball means to the city. The social clubs and various amateur leagues will also be represented.

A parade, with bands and some unusual features, is on the program, which will be fully mapped out this week at a meeting of the boosters' committee.

London has jammed some big crowds into Tecumseh Park, and holds the season attendance record in the Mint League. There is no reason why the figures here should not hit the 7,000 mark.

INTERMEDIATE AND KID TEAMS TO BE FOSTERED

St. Thomas May Have Junior League and Decide On Intermediate Loop.

Special to The Advertiser. St. Thomas, April 24.—Prospects are bright for the Pioneer City O. B. A. intermediate team. Marsh Hogan has accepted the position as manager, and plans have been laid for the securing of money to assist with the immediate financing of the team.

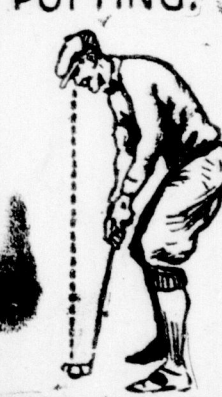
Two teams in the city have signified their intention of signing up in a junior group, if such is formed. There has been promised the intermediate and junior groups the assistance of the senior executive and team.

With the appointment of the intermediate team's manager came the question of financing the players. Many means were suggested. The president, Mr. Black, promised the temporary use of the C. N. R. uniforms and equipment, and the executive was instructed to meet the executive of the senior team, with a view to having them play a benefit game, the proceeds of which would go to furnishing the intermediate players. The possibility of securing the park dance hall for a benefit dance was also to be investigated. It is believed that West Lorne and Dutton will favor afternoon ball, but Shelden and the local team prefer twilight games. Undoubtedly this matter will be thrashed out at Monday's meeting.

Golf

AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

PUTTING.



KEEP EYE DIRECTLY OVER BALL. DO NOT MOVE IT OFF UNTIL BALL IS HIT.

In putting, should the eye be kept directly over the ball or not?

Answered by

The siege gun of English golf. Winner of innumerable tournaments and member of the greatest golf combination in history—the team of "Vardon and Ray."

In putting, keep the eye directly over the ball, and be sure you do not move the eye off the ball until it is hit. It is just as important to keep the eye on the ball in putting as in any other stroke. In a short putt, especially, keep the eye plumb over the ball. If you are too close to the ball you will be looking at the outside of the ball; if you are too far away you will be looking at the inside of the ball, while if you get your eye plumb over the ball it will help you to swing your putter on a straight line, and the ball will roll evenly.

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THE CHIEF HIMSELF.

Jack Dunn, manager of the champion Baltimore club, who is hopeful of winning his sixth successive pennant.

C. N. R. HOCKEY PLAYERS BANQUETTED BY A. A. A.

Players Presented With Umbrellas and Praised For Season's Efforts.

Last night the C. N. R. hockey team were guests of the Athletic Club at a banquet held at the De Luxe Cafe.

J. R. Leckie, acting as toastmaster, proposed the toast to the King. Mr. McDougall, in proposing the toast to the C. N. R., dwelt on the immense size of the Canadian National System. Mr. Forrester, superintendent of the London division, in reply, complimented the hockey team for the manner in which they keep the name of the C. N. R. before the public, and that although they did not succeed in winning the championship they were good losers. He spoke of the tremendous size of the Canadian system, having 22,000 miles of rails, 3,000 locomotives, and over 100,000 cars. The C. N. R. looks to the old G. T. R. System for the bulk of the revenue. This system passes through the more populous and manufacturing districts of Ontario. The National System, headed by Sir Henry Thornton, expect to increase its revenue from twenty million in 1923, to thirty million in 1924.

A. F. Sharp, assistant superintendent, proposed the toast to the hockey team. He praised the fighting spirit shown by the team. He stated that in all games condition tells, and that it is up to all members of any team to co-operate with the management to produce a winning organization. Jerry Goodman responded to the toast to the team. He said that the showing of the team may be accredited to the whole-hearted support given to the team by the C. N. R. hockey fans, and also by Mr. Leckie and Mr. Clift, and to the trainer, "Scotty" Hogz, for always having the team in fine condition.

Mr. Forrester, on behalf of the C. N. R., presented each member of the team with an umbrella. Those who received the tokens of appreciation for their effort in trying to bring the championship to the C. N. R. were: J. McDougall, J. Smith, F. Hogz, trainer, and the team members composed of Smith, Hindmarsh, Moore, Campbell, Palmer, Gillies and Burgess. H. Douglas and B. Granger were unable to be present.

The following were present: C. Forrester, A. F. Sharp, J. R. Leckie, W. Ogilvie, H. MacDougall, T. Clift, A. Wales, F. Pring, H. Smith, F. Gray, A. Munro, O. Peters, W. Cress, W. Gray, J. Goodman, A. Stephens, E. Lutton, J. Lafontaine.

EDMONTON GIRLS' FIVE RETAINS CAGE TITLE

Defeats Toronto Ladies 23 to 14, Taking Round and Championship.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Edmonton, April 24.—Commercial Graduates retained their title as senior ladies' basketball champions of the Dominion by defeating the Toronto Maple Leafs here tonight by the score of 23 to 14, thereby taking the series by 4 to 2. Tonight's game was a vast improvement over Tuesday's in so far as the Maple Leafs were concerned. They showed decided improvement in all departments of the game.

In the earlier stages of the game the Grads seemed listless and gave the impression that they were over-confident. Added to this was the improved form of the Toronto girls. The Leafs started out with a great burst of speed and for the first few minutes plainly had the best of things.

It was not until the second half that the Grads finally found themselves, and when they opened up with their unflinching attack.

HAMILTON WINS CLASH WITH HIBERNIAN TEAM

Associated Press Despatch.

London, April 24.—Hamilton defeated Hibernians by 2 to 1 in a Scottish Football Association game today. In a friendly soccer match, Manchester United and Glasgow Rangers drew at Manchester. The score was 1 to 1.

Salford won from York in a Northern Union match, 13 to 3 in favor of Salford.

GIDDINGS STRING IS IN SPLENDID SHAPE

Stabled At Woodbine Among Many Other New Arrivals.

Special to The Advertiser. Toronto, April 24.—There were a number of arrivals at the Woodbine today.

Harry Giddings came in from Oakville with the King's Platers, Honey's Jewel, Honey Dear and Seven Oaks (the picture horse), Royal Visitor and two 2-year-olds, Panketa and Oakamine, the latter being a full sister to Honey Dear. The Giddings lot looked as usual, in grand condition. They have been going along every day and are well advanced in training.

In the Willie Wilson string was the Matthews King's Plater, Moon Madness, a grand looking 3-year-old. This colt has been trained all winter for the plate, but has also been sent over the jumps and is a splendid jumper. Bulldog Drummond, the English horse, whom Wilson is training for the program stable, looks exceptionally well and is expected to make a high-class jumper.

Mr. Wilson has a King's Plater of his own, Maternal Pride, which has also been schooled successfully. The balance of his stable are all jumpers and include Irish Dream (a fast horse and a good jumper), Briganna, Lieutenant Seas, Top Notch and Lord Marcus.

Mrs. L. A. Livingston's stable, numbering twelve, arrived from Coburg in charge of Trainer Frank Keegan. The lot includes ten 2-year-olds, all bred at Cobourg, and two 2-year-olds, Flaming Wire and Smoota Ice. The latter will most likely carry Mrs. Livingston's colors in the King's Plate. This black filly appears to be in good shape for the final preparation for the guineas.

A carload of horses, the property of Arthur Brent, C. A. Irby, Red Walker and Al. Austin, arrived from Tia Juana and made the run in less than the hour. The lot includes a continent horse, shipping, Brent's string includes Turbulent, Queerack, Rouen, Picnic, Dexterous, Red Walker and many horses coming in another car.

When Aunt Lin was being schooled at the Hunt Club yesterday she went down at the landing and the exercise boy had his collarbone broken. Heath Bell, the King's Plater, is also schooling at the club, and doing well over the jumps.

There were few trials of note at Woodbine today, though the track was fast and the weather good.

Atlanta and Upsdowns, the Fletcher King's Platers, breezed half a mile in 52 2-5 seconds.

Joaquina, from the Cicci staple, worked a half in 54.

Shue also went a half in 53 2-5 seconds.

Cabin Maid, a 2-year-old, worked 3-8 in 40 2-5.

Loganberry, Wm. Hammill's Plater, went 3 in 1:25 3-5.

Sam Blake, Chas. Crew's Plater, went 3 at a two-minute gait and will hardly be a starter.

Allen breezed a half in 53 2-5.

MAY DISCARD LIMIT IN MANUFACTURERS'

Consider Admitting Outside Players To Strengthen Industrial Baseball Loop.

There's a possibility that the Manufacturers' League will be thrown wide open this season, thus discarding the limit set upon the number of outside players, which may play for industrial teams.

Two C. N. R. teams, Perrins and McClarys were represented at the meeting last night, and word was sent along that Scott-McHale were almost all entries. McClarys, along with several firms, would be certain as well, if given concessions, which would practically amount to throwing the gates wide open.

The league will hold another meeting, at which reorganization will take place, both as to officers and teams.

Meanwhile application is being made for the use of the big diamond at Queen's Park on four nights each week.

WILL TENDER BANQUET TO CHAMPIONS TONIGHT

A banquet will be tendered the members of the athletic organization representing the McClary Manufacturing Company in this different fields of sport at the De Luxe Cafe tonight. The following is the toast list: "McClary Manufacturing Company," Col. W. M. Garshore, J. M. Gunn; "Sports," H. V. Kenerson, J. C. Ross; "Press," W. H. Rhodes, C. Grafton; "L. A. A. A. Championship," J. J. Poole, W. Lancaster; "Hockey," Roy McKay; "Pin Bowling," A. Mandel; "Slosh," J. Abmond; "Basketball," W. Brandie; "Track," P. Gorman; "Referee," W. Leag; "Carpetball," W. Sankey; "Lawn Bowling," W. Branzler. Other speakers will be: A. M. Smith, H. Lamont, F. Westbury, F. J. Delaney, S. L. Gurn, W. A. Gurney.

AYLMER TIGERS TAKE CLOSE SOCCER MATCH

Special to The Advertiser. Aylmer, April 24.—Aylmer Tigers, who defeated the United Veterans in St. Thomas Good Friday, won another game from these veteran footballers here Wednesday, 2-1.

PLAN 300-MILE RACE

The London Maple Leaf Homing Pigeon Club is ready to start a busy season. The club is going to try the 300-mile young bird race, a feat that has never been attempted before in London.

Old birds start in on May 24.

SOUTH END BACKING NEW ATHLETIC BODY

Meeting Called For Monday Night To Effect Organization.

Evidence of the fact that amateur athletics in an organized way are making remarkable strides in London is shown in the announcement that still another association of this nature is to be launched in South London. This will be effected at a meeting in the Knox Presbyterian Church annex, Wortley road, Monday night.

The two prime backers of the move are Charles Mitchell of Knox Church and Dan McArthur of Askin Street Methodist Church. Both these men have been actively interested in promoting juvenile athletics for many years past and have done a great deal to foster the various games among the youngsters of the south end.

There is any amount of talent from which to draw and because of this it is the intention of the new organization to go in every line of sport. A great deal of enthusiasm over this project has been shown by the young people of South London, and the fact augurs well for the possibility of the formation of a thriving athletic body in that district.

WORKOUTS CALLED FOR AMATEUR NINES

One Intermediate and Three Junior Teams Billed To Put in Practices.

Saturday is get-away day locally for a goodly number of the amateur baseball teams here. The Knights of Columbus intermediates will don their diamond raiment for their first limbering up exercises at Sunshine Park, the London East A. C. juniors will get into action at Queen's Park, the West London Grays juniors are billed to work out at Bottrill's playgrounds and the Askin Hawks, another junior city league entry, will cut loose at Thames Park. All the practices are scheduled for the afternoon.

The following players are asked to be on hand for the practice of the West London Grays at Bottrill's: Chapman, R. Mills, W. Ward, Tozer, P. Lawton, B. Taylor, W. Bottrill, G. Meyers, A. Goodman, J. Stewart, H. Keyes, J. Wade, D. Thompson, W. Meyers, W. Kelleher, Thomas Warner, H. Ousey, R. White, W. Glover, Miles, Cracknell and others who wish to try out for the team.

LEAFS TO ENTERTAIN ROVERS ON SATURDAY

St. Andrews Clashes With C. N. R. At East London Grounds.

Saturday Maple Leafs entertain the St. John's Rovers at Carling Heights. The kick-off is at 5:15 p.m. and a large crowd of fans is expected to be on hand to see this battle of giants. Both teams are reputed to be stronger than last season. St. John's Rovers, the present holders of the trophy, may be counted upon to give a good account of themselves, while the Maple Leafs are determined to show the fans that they have a real first-class team and that they will be the squad to beat this season.

The Maple Leaf team will be selected from the following players: Nudds, Ashton, Croft, D. Smith, A. Smith, Milne, Whitelaw, Forrester, Taylor, Baird, Cunningham, Holt. The C. N. R. is entertained St. Andrew's at the athletic grounds, Sackville street. This game is called for 3:15 p.m. The railroaders started the season with a win last week against the United Vets of St. Thomas, and while St. Andrew's lost to the Calveys, they are determined to get into the win column against the C. N. R. and the latter have already a brace of points tucked away they are sure to make a big effort to increase that number.

The other game is a local derby between the Calveys and United Vets on the former's ground. As this is the only game to be played in St. Thomas, a big crowd is expected. Referee Wilkins will handle the game. C. N. R. line-up is: Goal, Hogz; back, Burgess and Molt; halves, Dick Thorne and Astles; forwards, Evans, Lawson, Haywood, Cuthbert, Bearchill; spares, Hilton and Bishop. Referee, A. Noble.

1924 MEETING OF C.A.A. CALLED FOR MONDAY

New Diamond For Younger Players Built At Sunshine Park.

Presentation of the Philip Pocock trophy to the Montreal club, 1923 champions, selection of officers for the season, considering the advisability of reverting to the name of the league, and the various teams will be the main points of discussion at the annual meeting of the local Catholic Amateur Athletic Association at St. Peter's Hall Monday night next.

Two diamonds will be in operation at Sunshine Park this year, the original one for the older teams and a new one for the younger boys. The large diamond has been entirely levelled off along the left field line and will be in top form for the opening game, which will be the Knights of Columbus-Forest City intermediate mangle two weeks from tomorrow.

Race Results

HAVRE DE GRACE RESULTS

FIRST RACE: Mother Goose, 115 (McAtee), \$3.70, \$2.10, \$2.20, won. Primrose, 115 (Marinelli), \$3.30, \$2.60, second. Imagination, 115 (Ambrose), \$2.40, third.

Time, 55. Good Will, Dorothy Gilpin, Slow and Easy and Sarmatia also ran.

SECOND RACE, about 2 miles—King, 127 (Piney), \$40.10, \$12.10, \$5.40, won.

Goldfoyle, 128 (Harris), \$3.50, \$3.10, second.

Vicaire, 126 (Mergler), \$3.80, third.

Time, 4:19.

Regain, Chuckle, Fort Eustis, Lollypop, Rocking Horse ran.

THIRD RACE, 6 furlongs: 3-Barley Corn, 100 (M. Arriner), \$45.90, \$10.50, \$5.80, won.

Julia M., 102 (Lang), \$5.10, \$2.20, second.

Flax, 108 (Wallace), \$3.30, third.

Time, 1:14.

Humble, XSun Mart, XAcotus, Trapstick, Invictus, XSpartan, Much Ado, Sandrock, Carolo and Byron ran.

FOURTH RACE, mile and 70 yards: Nautical, 97 (Wallace), \$2.80, \$2.30, won.

Minto H., 111 (Ambrose), \$2.60, \$2.60, second.

Wilkesbarre, 111 (Marinelli), \$3.20, third.

Time, 1:44.

Natural Hazy Dawn, Shamrock ran.

FIFTH RACE, mile and eighth: Humble, 111 (Burke), \$7.30, \$4.30, won.

Tranquas, 115 (Chalmers), \$4.10, \$4.20, second.

Maryland Belle, 105 (Wallace), \$10. third.

Time, 1:53 2-5.

Lord Wrack, Rosayeta, East Indian, Good Night also ran.

SIXTH RACE, mile and sixteenth: Vice-Chairman, 119 (Mariner), \$29.30, \$10.40, \$6.50, won.

Vacuum, 110 (Rose), \$5.50, \$4.60, second.

Bonfire, 107 (Madeira), \$4.60, third.

Time, 1:47 3-5.

High Gear, Irish Pat, Johnny Dundee, Smart Money, Tippley Witchet, Armistice, Castilla, Reichabite, Lady Zeus also ran.

SEVENTH RACE, mile and sixteenth: a South Breeze, 108 (Burke), \$8.20, \$3.30, \$2.50, won.

Duke John, 58 (Lang), \$3.70, \$3.10, second.

Leaside, 107 (Wilson), \$6.90, third.

Time, 1:48 1-2.

aComme C, aWidow Redotte, aPoe-die, aCol, Willet, aBuddle Kean, Roseate, Attorney Muir, Lovelness, Bendita, Toodles also ran.

aMutual field.

NORTHERN UNION SCORES.

Associated Press Despatch.

London, April 24.—Results in the Northern Union rugby football games played today were as follows:

Hull Kingston Rovers 21, Featherstone 6.

Keighley 11, Huddersfield 3.

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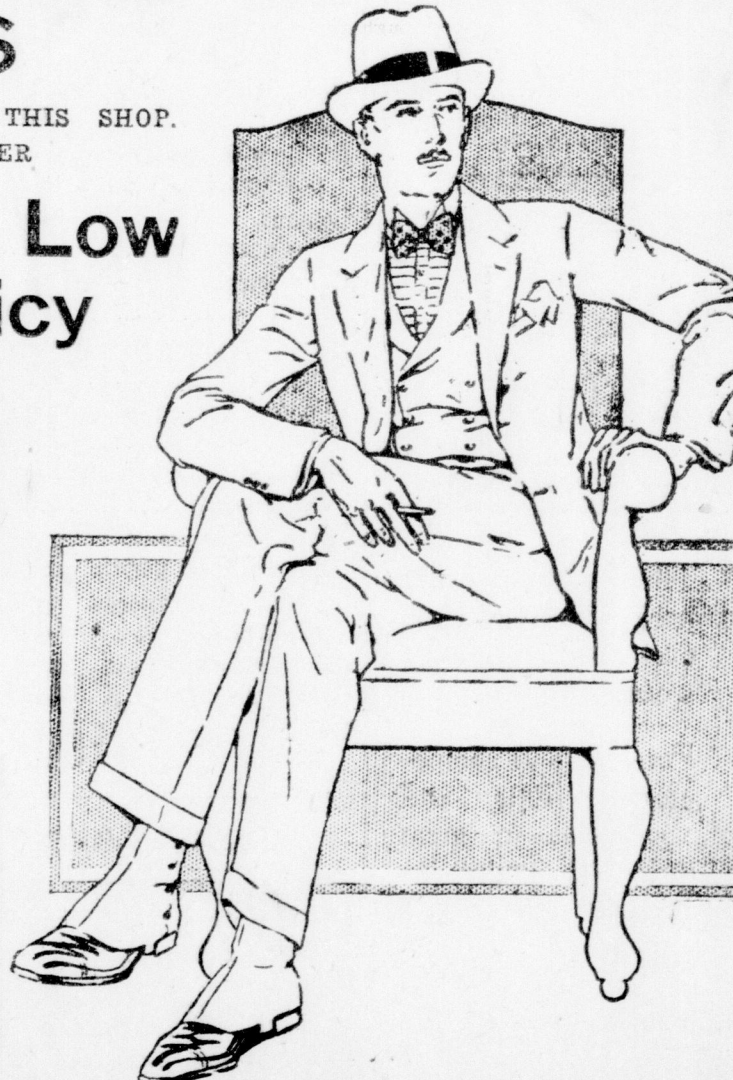
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Rump Roast Beef (first cut) 20c	Chuck Roast Pork 15c	Loin Lamb 32c
Rump Roast Beef (center) 22c	Fresh Side Bacon 14c	Shoulder Lamb 28c
Boneless Pot Roast Beef 15c	Fresh Hocks, 3 lbs. 25c	Breast Lamb 15c
Bisket Point Beef 8c	Fresh Pigs' Feet, dozen 15c	SMOKED MEATS.
Beef Cuttings 10c	Pork Liver 5c	Smoked Side Bacon 20c
VEAL.	FISH.	Smoked Cottage Roll 20c (by the piece, 3 to 10 lbs.)
Rump Roast Veal 23c	Salmon, whole or half 15c	Smoked Picnic Ham 17c
Shoulder Roast Veal 20c	Whitefish 18c	Peamealed Cottage Rolls 18c
Breast Veal 12 1/2c	COOKED MEATS.	PICKLED MEATS.
Veal Shank 8c	Cooked Ham 45c	Corned Beef 12 1/2c
Stew Veal 10c	Roast Pork 50c	Pickled Shoulder Pork (no shank) 14c
SUNDRIES.	Jellied Tenderloin 40c	Pickled Hocks, 5 lbs. 25c
30c Liquid Veneer 25c	Mould Headcheese 10c	Pickled Bacon 16c
60c Liquid Veneer 50c	Cooked Pigs' Feet, 3 lbs. 25c	

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TOILET PAPER Twelve rolls 49c	CEYLON TEA All black, per pound 55c	RED SALMON 1-pound tins 25c
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Canned Corn or Peas, 2 tins 29c	Corn Starch, 3 pkgs. for 29c	Canned Pineapple, per tin 25c
Ginger Snaps, 2 lbs. for 25c	Canned Plums, 2 tins for 25c	Grapefruits, per package 25c
Post's Bran Flakes, 2 for 35c	BEE JELLY POWDERS, 3 pkgs. 20c	Our Special Coffee, lb. 49c
CARNATION MILK, 2 large tins 25c	Icing Sugar, 2 pounds 25c	Babbitt's Cleaner, 3 for 25c
Saniflush, 2 tins for 55c	Walnut Meats, per lb. 45c	Matches, 3 pkgs. for 29c
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Loins Veal; Per lb. 25c	Pot Roasts; Per lb. 10c
Shoulders Veal; Per lb. 12 1/2c	Oven Roasts; Per lb. 12 1/2c
Rumps Veal; Per lb. 20c	Steak Roasts; Per lb. 18c
Fillet Veal; Per lb. 30c	Rump Roasts; Per lb. 20c
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Pickled Beef Tongues; Per lb. 25c	FRESH-MADE CREAMERY BUTTER; Our Brand; Per lb. 33c

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Apple and Strawberry Jam, 4-lbs. 48c	Blueberries (Eagle Brand), 1-lb. tin 15c
Apple and Raspberry Jam, 4-lbs. 48c	Pork and Beans (Victory), 2 large tins 25c
Aylmer Pure Strawberry Jam, 4-lb. glass jars 85c	Dominion Corn, (extra fine), 10c
Choice Prunes (large size), 2 pounds 25c	Aylmer Tomatoes, 17c
Pitted Red Cherries, 25c	Cascade Salmon (pink), 1-lb. tin 17c
Yellow Peaches, 25c	Brunswick Sardines, 25c
Blueberries (Eagle Brand), 1-lb. tin 15c	Tomato Catsup, 2 tins 25c
Pork and Beans (Victory), 2 large tins 25c	Olives (Lunch Queen), 16-oz. jar 37c
Dominion Corn, (extra fine), 10c	Fresh Eggs, 25c
Aylmer Tomatoes, 17c	Fresh Medway Creamery Butter, pound 35c
Cascade Salmon (pink), 1-lb. tin 17c	Granulated Sugar, 10 pounds \$1.00
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Special Bulk Tea, per lb. 49c	Welch's Fruitlode, per jar 19c
Japan Tea Sitings, per lb. 35c	Corn Syrup, White or Golden, 5 lbs. 35c
Good Cocoa, 2 lbs. for 25c	Pineapples, each 35c
Fry's Cocoa, per tin 24c	Seedless Oranges, per dozen 24c
Instant Postum, per tin 28c	Lemons, per dozen 24c
Jelly Powders, 3 pkgs. 25c	Grapefruit, 4 for 25c
Welch's Fruitlode, per jar 19c	Royal Excelsior Dates, per pkg. 10c
Corn Syrup, White or Golden, 5 lbs. 35c	Diamond Seeded Raisins, 2 lbs. 25c
Pineapples, each 35c	Silver Cow Condensed Milk, per tin 17c
Seedless Oranges, per dozen 24c	Eagle Brand Condensed Milk, per tin 19c
Lemons, per dozen 24c	St. Charles Evaporated, large, 2 for 25c
Grapefruit, 4 for 25c	St. Charles Evaporated, small, 4 for 25c
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J. S. Woodsworth Present:
Amendment To King Government Budget.

CHANGE INCOME TAX

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 24.—Resumed debate on the budget today was productive of an amendment, but not the one which has been looked for from the ranks of the Conservatives. It came from the Labor party, and instead of protesting against the government's proposed tariff reductions, as might have been expected from one originating in the official opposition, it called for still more drastic cuts.

J. S. Woodsworth, Labor member for Winnipeg Center, was the mover, and he prefaced introduction of his amendment with the remark that the Labor group of two members frequently had to support principles introduced by the larger groups in the House, though such principles were not strictly in accord with their ideas. Therefore, he proposed to give the House an opportunity to express its views on a proposal emanating from the smallest group. As the rules of the House allowed only one amendment to the budget, the Conservatives are now debarred from submitting one.

Mr. Woodsworth's amendment proposed, in brief, an immediate and substantial reduction in the tariff on the necessities of life, including foodstuffs, clothing and building materials. He emphasized the desirability of a readjustment of the income tax so as to bear more heavily on unearned income, that unimproved land values, including all natural resources, should not be exempt from taxation, and that a graduated inheritance tax on large estates should be considered.

Charges Promises Broken.
Early debate brought declarations for and against the government's budget proposals. E. B. Ryckman, Conservative member for East Toronto, charged that the prime minister had gone back on promises made to maintain the national policy, and had repudiated his responsibilities to the business interests of Canada. On the other hand, E. W. Robinson, Liberal member for King's, N.S., contended that in the budget the government had done the least possible possible good to the majority of the people. C. A. Gauvreau (Liberal, Temiscouata) declared that the government was living up to the 1919 commitment of the Liberal party, while C. H. Dickie (Conservative, Nanaimo) insisted that the Liberal party had capitulated to the free trade elements in the country.

When the budget debate was resumed in the House this afternoon, E. B. Ryckman (Conservative, East Toronto) characterized the budget as misleading. He gave, he said, the false impression that Canada had at the end of the last fiscal year \$30,000,000 to alleviate taxation and reduce the public debt. The apparent promise had been arrived at by giving a promise to pay to a subsidiary, the Canadian National Railways, which was not solvent. That it was solvent was proved by the fact that the minister of railways had seriously proposed that Canada should cancel \$400,000,000 of the railway debts and give it a fresh start.

The government, he said, had added their promissory note of \$50,000,000, which it had given the national railways, to their supposed surplus, and make that surplus \$30,000,000. As long as the railways were insolvent, Canada had no surplus, and would have to pay some time. The public debt was being pyramided and the people of Canada led to believe that it was being paid. Mr. Ryckman held that if Mr. Fielding had not been brought down, he would not have been brought down. He quoted Mr. Fielding's promise last session of "tariff stability" and the comments made thereon by the prime minister.

Premier Interposes.
Premier King interposed to ask whether he had not then drawn attention to the fact that, while speaking of tariff stability, Mr. Fielding had also urged reciprocity with the United States with its provisions for lower duties along certain lines. "In other words," observed Premier King, "stability and stagnation are not necessarily the same thing."

Mr. Ryckman continued, reading further from the premier's speech of last year, adding that the government after making its promise in regard to tariff stability had come at the very next session and changed it all. Mr. Ryckman declared that the reduction in duties on agricultural implements had caused suffering in that industry and that there was no justice in the action of the government in that regard. He criticized the course of the government in disposing of the refunding loan of two hundred millions last fall without calling for tenders, and claimed that Ontario had got better terms under a Conservative government for a loan of only forty millions.

It was time Canada took up a self-respecting position in relation to the United States. This country had truckled to the United States in regard to the tariff, and that country would not respect Canada until such a policy ceased.



J. S. WOODSWORTH, M.P.

for Center Winnipeg, who presented an amendment yesterday, the King government budget proposals. He urged more drastic reduction in the tariff, particularly cuts on the necessities of life.

accounting advisor to the finance department.

E. W. Robinson (Liberal, King's, N.S.) thought the budget was legislation for the whole Dominion. There was still much to be done for the peculiar needs of the Maritime Provinces, but citizens of those provinces and citizens of Canada as a whole came first.

J. S. Woodsworth (Labor, Winnipeg Center) said that while the budget would be of benefit to the West, it did not go far enough. The budget was not balanced at a heavy cost of reducing such expenditures as the department of health. The necessities of life were still being taxed, with the result that unemployment and migration to the United States were still grave problems.

Mr. Woodsworth said that the world no longer recognized absolute ownership of capital. Its disposition was a matter for all citizens to consider and have a say in.

Submits Amendment.
Mr. Woodsworth prefaced introduction of his amendment to the budget with the remark that the Labor group of two members frequently had to support principles introduced by the larger groups in the House, though such principles were not strictly in accord with their ideas. He ventured to bring in an amendment to the budget because he believed that many members, especially amongst the Progressives, were willing to go a long way in Labor's direction if its proposals seemed practical. He had tried to frame his amendment in the most practical way.

He then moved, seconded by J. T. Shaw (Independent, West Calgary), the following amendment:

"That, whilst the budget proposals would seem to indicate the recognition by the government of the necessity for a fiscal policy designed to encourage industries based upon development of the natural resources of the country, and to afford some alleviation of the financial burden bearing upon the people;

"And whereas, the condition of such industries and the position of the consumers in general is such as to demand relief;

"Therefore, be it resolved that the best interests of Canada will be served by an immediate and substantial reduction in the tariff on the necessities of life, including foodstuffs, clothing and building materials;

"And further, that the loss of revenue, if any, which might result from said reduction in customs duties should be made good by:

(a) The readjustment and extension of the income tax to bear more heavily on unearned income;

(b) By a direct tax on unimproved land values, including all natural resources;

(c) The institution of a graduated inheritance tax on larger estates."

Evening Session.
In resuming the debate on the budget in the evening, C. A. Gauvreau (Liberal, Temiscouata) said that in the tariff announcements the Liberal Party was living up to its platform of 1919. The agricultural and mining industries of the country would prosper. In reply to opposition criticism Mr. Gauvreau quoted from Mr. Fielding's speech of 1923 and pointed out that the present tariff measures were in accord with policies indicated by Mr. Fielding. Public works should not, however, be neglected in the interest for economy. For one hundred miles below Quebec there was no communication between the north and the south. The government should consider giving a grant to some steamship company that would enable these people to maintain better communication between the north and the south shores of the St. Lawrence.

During the dinner recess Mr. Woodsworth's amendment, which the Speaker said could not be accepted at originally drafted because it contained proposals for taxation, was re-drafted. The first part of the amendment, as read by the Speaker in the House, was unchanged, but the latter part was altered to read as follows:

"And further it is desirable (a) that the income tax should be so re-adjusted as to bear more heavily on unearned income;

(b) That unimproved land values including all natural resources should not be exempt from taxation;

(c) That a graduated inheritance tax on large estates should be considered."

G. H. Dickie (Conservative, Nanaimo) said that the Liberal party had capitulated in the budget to the free trade elements of the country.

Under existing conditions owing to the adverse trade balance a billion dollars of Canadian money was going to the United States every four years. No country could stand this long, yet in the face of such conditions the government was lowering the tariff.

Not Alarmed Over Budget.
H. A. Lavigne (Liberal, Quebec County) said the people of Quebec were not alarmed about the budget, but had found the remarks thereon of the minister of finance (Mr. King, Charles Stewart) disturbing. Emphasizing the fact that Mr. Stewart represented a Quebec constituency, Mr. Lavigne read from Mr. Stewart's speech the reference to Sir Henry Drayton's fear that this budget would mean the "death knell of protection," about which Mr. Stewart said that he hoped the present budget indicated further progress towards low tariff on some essential articles. Mr. Lavigne hoped there would be no further reduction in the duty on boots and shoes. Rather the government should remove the remaining sales tax on boots and shoes and add it to imported boots and shoes. He was in favor of higher tariff on British footwear.

Right Hon. Arthur Meighen asked if Mr. Lavigne thought 18 per cent too low on boots and shoes, was he prepared to support the government's policy that 10 per cent was too high on agricultural implements?

The member for Quebec replied that he did not think the principle was the same. The one was designed to benefit agriculture, the other was a measure of protection for manufacturers who must compete with outside trade. This was greeted with laughter from the Conservative benches.

J. F. White (Conservative, London) reminded the government that Liberal members had told the agricultural implement industries a few years ago that they need have no fear of tariff cuts. The references by Mr. Fielding in 1923 to proposed "tariff stability" was designed to create confidence in manufacturers. How would the prime minister explain the present move? A new view of the minister of finance's 1923 statement? It would appear that the Progressive group was dominant in the House.

The rush to secure government bonds when the last loans were offered to the public indicated not prosperity but rather that industry was not in a position to attract capital in the city of London many factories were being operated part time with a reduced number of employees. Mr. White read the resolution passed by the city council of London urging the government to "protect and stabilize Canadian industry."

The debate was adjourned until today at 3 o'clock by J. E. Fontaine (Liberal, Hull).

STATEMENT CORRECTED BY RAILWAY MINISTER

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Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, April 24.—Hon. George F. Graham, minister of railways, in the House of Commons today, corrected a statement made before Easter by him relating to checks drawn by the Canadian National Railways on the Home Bank.

Mr. Graham then stated that at the time the million dollar check was drawn for deposit in the Home Bank, the total amount of further checks drawn on the bank used by the Canadian National down to the then current month, including payroll checks, was \$2,745,744. He explained today that this sum had covered a period of ten months and that the correct figure for the one month was \$14,524,690.

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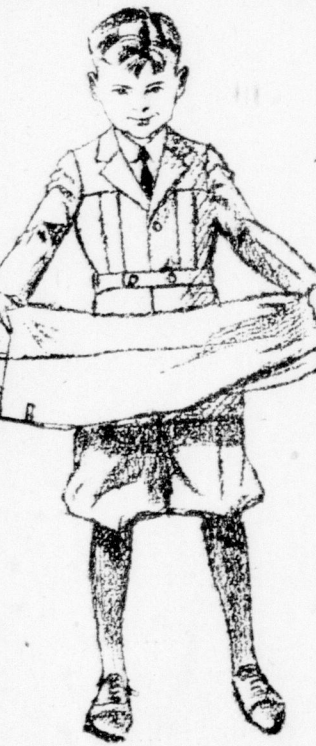
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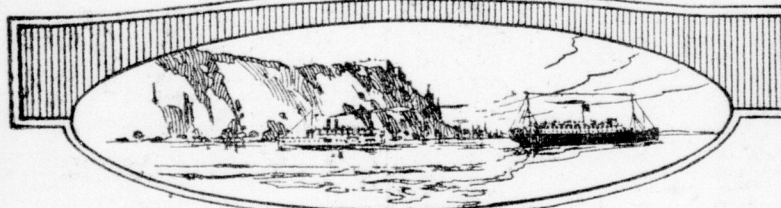


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TELLS OF PELLATT LOAN

Informed Directors He Considered Collateral Too Weak, Loan Too Large.

Canadian Press Despatch.

Ottawa, April 24.—Sir Thomas White, former minister of finance, appeared before the royal commission investigating the Home Bank, this afternoon, and told of what he had done, when minister, in connection with the defunct institution. At the outset he stated that in Toronto he had been informed by Commissioner McKeown that he (Sir Thomas) had the privilege of being represented by counsel. He did not propose to take advantage of this privilege, however, but would conduct his own case. He did not know whether or not it was necessary for him to prove the letters which were read by Mr. Roberts (formerly the private secretary of Sir Thomas), at the first sitting. The record seemed to be clear that the letters read were from the official files of the department. Sir Thomas directed attention to the confidential memorandum submitted by James Fisher on behalf of the western directors. This memorandum had been marked "confidential."

"I told Mr. Fisher that if he left the memorandum with me I would decline to regard it as confidential," said Sir Thomas. "After considering the matter he left it with me."

On Jan. 24, 1916, Sir Thomas wrote to General Mason, general manager, stating that he had received a memorandum and letters "officially" from James Fisher, who was representing the western directors. Sir Thomas called for a report on the loans mentioned in the Fisher memorandum. On Jan. 25 the minister wrote to Sydney Jones, auditor of the Home Bank, and ordered him to make an additional report on the loans.

Asked Returns Immediately. Sir Thomas then wrote to Mr. Mason asking that the returns be made as soon as possible. It was not true, as the petition of the depositors stated, "the matter had merely been referred to Mr. Lash," said Sir Thomas. "Mr. Lash never acted for me and never received one cent. Mr. Lash was merely asked to look into the matter. I did not know anyone who could do it better."

In an interview with Mr. Haney and Mr. Lash, Sir Thomas said, he urged the directors to get further security on the Pellatt loan, which seemed to be weak. Mr. Lash was reported to the minister and Mr. Haney was to consult with Mr. Lash regarding the bank's affairs.

Sir Thomas stated that he had laid down his policy in regard to the bank in a letter dated February 21, 1916. Writing to James Fisher, he said, "I should be my policy to give the reorganized board every opportunity to place the institution on a sound basis providing that, in my judgment, is going to be possible."

"They had reorganized the board," explained Sir Thomas. "They were going to get rid of James Mason and Mr. Haney was to be placed in charge," he explained.

Sir Thomas said, however, that he did not think the reorganization of the board was sufficient to clear up the charges made by the western directors. He had insisted on reports being furnished by the bank, which had been on the file of the department since received. He had also been furnished with information in regard to the doubtful accounts which seemed correct.

Refers to Pellatt Loan. In regard to the Pellatt account, Sir Thomas said that his objection to the account was that the collateral was not sufficiently liquid, and the amount of the loan was too large.

Sir Thomas quoted from a letter from Z. A. Lash, in which the latter had said that if the Canadian Bankers' Association was asked to interfere the situation of the bank would become public property. This, Mr. Lash said, he was anxious to avoid. Sir Thomas had written Mr. Fisher that he would defer action until after March 16, when Messrs. Crerar and Haney, who had gone out to examine the British Columbia timber limits, had returned. Then he would probably ask for an investigation by the association.

Mr. Fisher had written that he quite realized the "delicacy" of the situation, and that his clients were satisfied matters were in good hands.

Mr. Lash wrote to the minister on March 29, 1916, giving information regarding the reorganization of the Home Bank board. Mr. Haney was elected president. Mr. McHaffie brought from Winnipeg to assist him, the Pellatt securities were approved, and the new board was anxious for permission to carry on. Mr. Crerar sent a letter to Sir Thomas on March 29, 1916, regarding the new changes.

The Western directors would now be able to get the information they sought about the business of the bank.

Confidence in Crerar. "I had entire confidence in Mr. Crerar and the Western directors, who had brought the accounts to my attention," said Sir Thomas. "At that time I had knowledge of only



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of Columbia University, New York, who was one of the many distinguished speakers at the Ontario Education Association convention.

three loans that needed investigation."

Mr. Haney wrote to the minister on June 14, 1916, saying that the loans were improved and the board was in harmony. "I had confidence in the reorganized board," said Sir Thomas. "Even if losses occurred on one or two of the loans they would not affect the capital of the bank."

In refraining from bringing the Home Bank affairs before the Bankers' Association, Sir Thomas said he was influenced by (1) the harmony of the board and the prospects of the bank; (2) Mr. Crerar's letter stating the satisfaction of Western directors; (3) the reluctance to bring action on a bank which appeared to have its capital intact, as the directors stated.

Sir Thomas read the full report of a meeting of the board of directors of the bank, in which absolute denial was made by Mr. McHaffie's charges. This report, which had been submitted to him by Mr. Haney, president of the bank, was already before the commissioner. It had been sent to him, said Sir Thomas, on Oct. 29, 1918.

"I desire to swear that I believed testimony made on behalf of a board of directors, many of whom I knew," said Sir Thomas.

After receiving Mr. Haney's report he had concluded that Mr. McHaffie's complaints were the result of a quarrel between him and Mr. Haney. A number of complaints from persons connected with banks were on file in the department, and the course pursued was to refer them to the board of the institution concerned.

Sir Thomas read an interview which he gave to the press subsequent to the failure of the Home Bank. The interview reviewed the relations between the directors and Sir Thomas as minister of finance.

While reading the interview, the minister of finance said he had kept Mr. Crerar's letter back from publication at that time in spite of much unjust criticism.

"We want all the facts to come out," he said. "I want to be fully cross-examined."

Cross-examination of Sir Thomas was postponed until tomorrow, and the commission adjourned.

HOUSE RECEIVES CHURCH PETITION

Representatives For and Against Union Are Received by Commons.

Associated Press Despatch.

Ottawa, April 24.—A number of further petitions in connection with church union, some for and some against, were presented in the House of Commons this afternoon. Some of these petitions were from Methodists and others from Presbyterians. After they had been presented the Speaker stated that he had been advised by the officers of the House that a number of the petitions being presented on this subject were irregular, and he suggested that members should communicate with the officers of the House before presenting them in order to insure that they complied with the rules.

AMERICAN MARINES KILLED IN HONDURAS

Attache of United States Consulate Endeavors To Communicate With Washington.

Associated Press Despatch.

San Salvador, April 24.—Several United States marines have been killed in Honduras, according to advices received here.

An attache of the United States consulate in Tegucigalpa is said to have proceeded to La Libertad in order to communicate with the government in Washington.

A despatch from Amalpa says additional reinforcements for the provincial government forces, who are besieged in Tegucigalpa, have managed to slip through the revolutionary lines and entered the capital.

MAN IS KILLED FROM FALLING ONLY TWO FEET

Canadian Press Despatch.

Dane, Ont., April 24.—Falling two feet from a ledge on which he was standing to watch a blast on the Kirkland Lake branch of the Nipissing Central Railway, Adolph Berg, 54 years old, living at North Bay, struck his head on a rock and died before assistance could be secured. Berg was employed on construction work.

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Boys' and Youths' Naincheck Combinations: sizes 24 to 32 \$1.00
Men's Naincheck Combinations \$1.19
Special values in makes of Demico, Arrow and Delpark; all sizes, 32 to 50. **\$1.35 \$1.79**

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TAKE NOTICE

1. That the Council of the Corporation of the City of London intends to construct the following local improvements as set forth in the annexed schedule.
2. The estimated cost of the work and the proportion to be paid by the corporation are set forth in the annexed schedule.

SCHEDULE

(a) A tile sewer on Mount Pleasant Ave., from the end of existing sewer to 174 feet west. The probable cost of the work, including P.D.C.'s, is \$334.10, of which \$206.93 is to be paid by the city. The approximate cost per foot frontage is \$3.08, and the approximate annual cost for ten years is 27.7c (exc. P.D.C.'s).
(b) A sheet asphalt pavement on Wellington St., from Horton St. to Clarke's Bridge. The probable cost of the work is \$35,036.10, of which \$10,355.63 is to be paid by the city. The approximate cost per foot frontage is \$3.85, and the approximate annual cost for ten years is 33.2c.
(c) A cement curb and gutter on both sides of Wellington St., from Horton St. to Clarke's Bridge. The probable cost of the work is \$5,632.77, of which \$910.50 is to be paid by the city. The approximate cost per foot frontage is \$1.31, and the approximate annual cost for ten years is 18 cents.
(d) A tile sewer on Cheapside St., from Renwick Ave. to Wellington St. The probable cost of the work is \$713.73 (inc. P.D.C.'s), of which \$100.10 is to be paid by the city. The approximate cost per foot frontage is \$3.03, and the approximate annual cost for ten years is 40c (exc. P.D.C.'s).
3. The special assessments are to be paid in ten annual instalments.
4. Petitions against the works named above will not avail to prevent their construction, but parties may petition the council and their petitions will be considered.
5. Elections to undertake the works named above will be considered by the council on the 5th day of May, A.D. 1924.
No. 167 Two-thirds vote. Clerk.

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SPECIAL NOTICE To Taxpayers In Arrear of Taxes On Real Estate

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the duty of the City Treasurer, and he has been directed to add, on the FIRST DAY OF MAY NEXT, 1924, to the arrears of taxes then due in respect of any parcel of land in the City of London TEN PER CENT, as required by Section 140 of the Assessment Act, 1923, and the arrears of taxes are requested to pay their TAXES IN FULL BEFORE THE THIRTIETH OF APRIL, 1924, AND SAVE THE TEN PER CENT.

Dated at London this twenty-third day of April, A.D. 1924.
JAMES S. BELL, City Treasurer.

AUCTION SALE

—OF—
Valuable Business Property

Dundas Street

Adjoining the street railway offices, Nos. 707 and 711 Dundas St., being two frame cottages; the lot is 66 ft. frontage with a depth of 165 ft. Sale on the premises on Monday, April 28, at 3 o'clock p.m. D. H. PORTER, auctioneer.

Mortgage Sale

—OF—
Brick Residence

Under and by virtue of a certain mortgage (which will be produced at the sale) there will be sold by public auction by D. H. PORTER, Esq., auctioneer, at his auction rooms, 110 Dundas St. (upstairs), London, on Monday, the 5th day of May, 1924, at 4 p.m., the following property:
Lots numbered Nineteen and Twenty, on the south side of Churchill St., according to plan number 485, for the township of London, in the County of Middlesex, on which there is a 2-story red brick dwelling, full size basement, township taxes.
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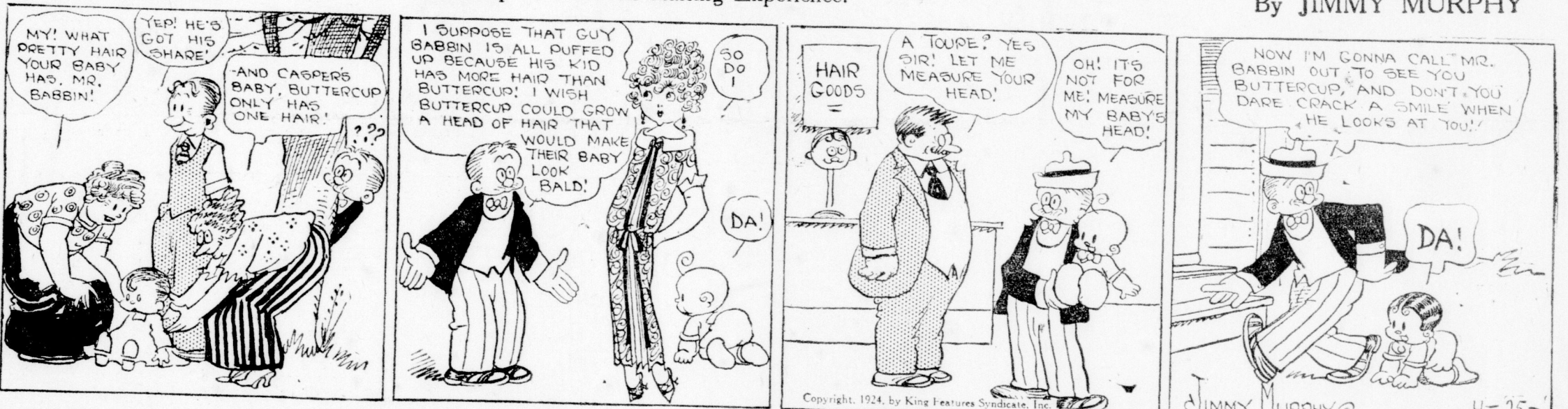
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MONTH-END STORE EVENTS FOR LAST APRIL SATURDAY



THE very frock you need to fill the gap in your wardrobe. That blouse you've been wanting, a skirt or sweater to match for your week-end outing. You want them at modest prices and you'll find them here.

CORRECT in styling and workmanship. Excellent in fabric and trimming. Things for your home, too, at specially low prices. In this case, the expenditure of a little will help you much and early selection is advised Saturday morning.



ROAST TURKEY DINNER—FULL EIGHT-COURSE—WITH CRANBERRIES—SATURDAY, 75c.

Saturday Candy Treat

Chocolate Bars, big assortment, 6 for 25c
Old-fashioned Peppermint Patties, chocolate-coated 35c box
Marachino Cherries in cream, 1-lb. boxes 75c box
Assorted Chocolates, hard and soft centers, 1-lb. boxes, Smallman & Ingram special 50c box
Clarnico English Polar Mints 15c jar
50 lbs. Peanut Brittle, special 34c lb.

Special Sheeting, 49c Yard

A strong, useful Sheeting for double beds, full bleach and most durable. This Sheeting, being fairly open in weave, is easy to launder and very sensible for boys' beds, rooming-houses, etc.; 79-inch, Saturday morning 49c yard

"Spero" Longcloth, 29c Yard

It's a wonderful value for so many purposes—pillow cases, slips, underwear, especially children's wear, fine, firm finish, snow-white bleach; 35-inch. Special value 29c yard

"DAMASCLENE" \$1.65 Yard

A new fabric that looks like real damask. It's really a wonderful production. Saves your laundry bill, saves your good cloths from too much wear. Once used you will appreciate its handsome appearance, in such pretty patterns, but, of course, snowy white. Spill the coffee or jam on "Damasclene"; it won't hurt; a damp cloth removes all traces in a moment. See it on the counter, Staple Department, Market entrance 1.65 yard

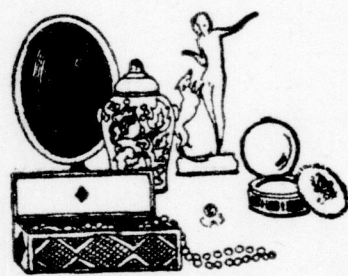
White Flannelette, 22c Yard

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Three Flowers Perfume, \$1.00 a vial
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Three Flowers Face Powder, in naturelle, brunette or white 75c box
Three Flowers Talcum Powder, in white only 25c and 50c a tin

Three Flowers Compact Refills, in naturelle or brunette 65c each
Three Flowers Travellette, containing creams, powder and perfume 35c
Violet Sec Talcum Powder, white only 25c tin
Gardenia Talcum Powder 25c tin
Hudnut's Toilet Water, in violet sec, gardenia, lily-of-the-valley, sweet orchid and Rose of Omar \$1.00 bottle
Dr. West's Toothbrushes for adults, youths and children, at 50c, 35c and 25c

TOILET SOAPS

Vinolia Castile Bars 19c bar
Colgate's Cashmere Bouquet Soap 10c, 25c

Colgate's Coleo Soap 15c or 2 for 25c
Colgate's Sandalwood Soap, 35c, 3 for \$1



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New lively patterns and uncommon fabric weaves. Staunch fabrics, sturdy tailoring and two pairs of full-lined, fully reinforced pants. The \$9.95 values will surprise you. Sizes 7 to 17.

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New smart Blouses, in neat striped fabrics and plain shades. Collar attached. Splendid values. Sizes 6 to 16 years.

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Men's Balbriggan Underwear, \$1.65

Men's Balbriggan Combinations, crew shade, short or long sleeves, ankle length. Sizes 34 to 44. Shirts and Drawers. Each 90c

WORK SHIRTS, 98c

Men's Work Shirts, in heavy blue chambray, well made, good fitting. Sizes 14½ to 18 98c

Sale of Smart Sweaters, Saturday Waistcoat Sweaters, \$2.95—Coat Sweaters, \$3.95

The ever-present tailored vogue has invaded the realm of sports wear. It is just as important that your sports outfit should be complete to the last detail as it is that your suit should have the correct accessories.

Waistcoat Sweaters, \$2.95

So this spring brings a new kind of sweater—the Sleeveless Waistcoat Sweater, which is the most practical of all for strenuous sports wear. It is cut to resemble a man's regulation waistcoat, with bone buttons down the front and the straight lower edge, which is a feature of the men's new English suits.

These Waistcoat Sweaters are developed in silk and wool, and are trimmed with bands of contrasting colors. The color range comprises honeydew and navy, black and sand, sand and brown, pearl gray and saxe blue, navy and sand; sizes 36 to 42. Saturday \$2.95



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While the comfortable and smart Waistcoat Sweaters are almost a necessity for your more strenuous moments on the golf links or the tennis court, you need the added protection of a coat sweater as soon as your game is over. In the popular chappie style you may select coat sweaters of the correct weight in fluffy brushed wool, trimmed with knitted bands of contrasting colors; sand and brown, pearl gray and saxe blue, brown and sand; sizes 36 to 42. Saturday \$3.95

The effect of the two sweaters together is that of a feminized version of a man's coat and waistcoat. It is a combination which gives opportunity for a variety of interesting color effects.—Second floor.

HOUSEHOLD NECESSITIES FOR SATURDAY'S SELLING

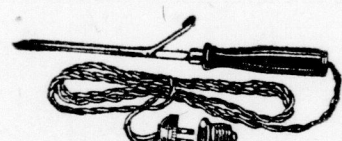
CORN BROOMS
Four-String Brooms, special 69c
Four-String Brooms 90c
Five-String Brooms \$1.00
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LAUNDRY NEEDS
Sunlight Soap 15 for \$1.00
Charm 23c
Snowflake Ammonia 3 for 23c
Lux 10c
Ivory Flakes 10c
Silver Gloss Starch 15c, or 2 for 25c
Rinso 12c
Dutch Cleanser 12c
Panshine 10c
Lifebuoy Soap 3 for 25c
Ivory Soap 3 for 25c
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ELECTRIC CURLING IRONS, \$1.49
These Curlers are thoroughly tested and fully guaranteed. While they last \$1.49

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The desired shade for library tables and centers, piano covers, etc. Lovely weight and finish. Several widths—18 and 20 inch. Special 30c yard 22 and 24 inch. Special 35c yard 36-inch 50c yard
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White Cups and Saucers, suitable for the kitchen or summer cottage, 15c, complete
Cut Glass Tumblers, in grape design, suitable for serving lemonade on the porch or veranda 10c each
Cut Glass Flower Baskets, in the wild rose cutting, 39c, 49c, 59c, 98c, \$1.49, \$2.25

Wooden Serving Trays in three designs, in the popular oval and oblong shapes, \$1.69 each
Nostalgic China Cups and Saucers, in five dainty floral designs, 25c each, 5 for \$1.00
Cut Glass Bud Vases, suitable for all kinds of spring flowers 49c

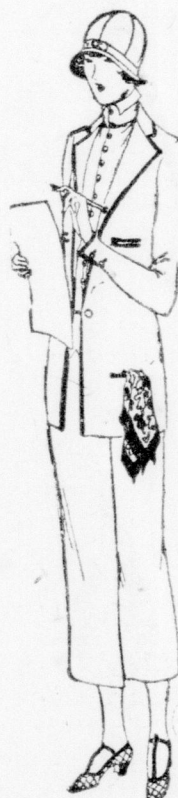
The Trend of Fashion In Spring Tailleurs

The new spring fashions are fixed. The street silhouette, which is unconditionally short, straight and slender offers three delightful alternatives—mannish tailleur, the ensemble costume or the three-piece suit and the separate tailored dress.

The smart tailored suit ordains a short, straight coat, uniting in line with a short wrap-around skirt. The favored materials are poret twills and tricelines, while the prevailing colors are navy and black or navy, gray and black, with the mannish hairline stripe; braid bindings or plain tailored seams, link fastenings, clever details as to collars and pockets, fobs and handkerchiefs, \$35 and \$37.50
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