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Tomorrow—Unsettled.

ASQUITH IS STILL STRIVING TO BRING INDUSTRIAL PEACE

Legislation Is Postponed While Negotiations Are Continued.

TROOPS ORDERED TO BE PREPARED

Many Miners of the Scottish Collieries Are Returning to Work.

[Canadian Press.] London, March 25.—The discussion of the minimum wage bill for miners has again been postponed. It will not be continued until tomorrow, as negotiations are still proceeding between the mine owners and the miners under the guidance of the Premier and the members of the cabinet.

Glasgow, March 25.—A general breakaway of the miners from the strike movement seems probable in Scotland, where 1,000 men resumed work in the pits at Bellhilly, Lanarkshire, this morning. In other pits also there was a considerable resumption of work.

New York, March 25.—A cable to The Herald from London says: Peace or grim war is the question to be decided today at a joint conference at No. 10 Downing street between coal miners, mine owners, the Prime Minister and representatives of the Government, which is to consider the acceptance of the bill now in Parliament acknowledging the principle of the minimum wage.

Mr. Asquith is determined to peremptorily refuse to incorporate as the minimum scale of wages five shillings for men and two shillings for boys in the bill, as requested by the miners. He realized that this would be a surrender to socialism, and would lead to industrial chaos and demands from all other unions for similar legislation. He also fears it might bring about a revolution.

The King Concerned. King George is seriously concerned over the misery growing out of the miners' strike, and is deeply touched by the undesired hardships and sufferings imposed upon millions of workers in other trades. He is willing to assist the Government in every way to settle the industrial war, which if continued will bring nearly all the workers of England face to face with starvation.

London, like other cities in England, is feeling the pinch severely. The hotels and great business houses are running on a short coal supply, and the railway schedules are a farce. Coal is \$15 a ton, and provisions are soaring toward famine prices. If the strike lasts another week, many industries now only crippled, will be paralyzed, and legions of workers added to the millions already unemployed.

May Use Strong Measures. Realizing the portentous gravity of the crisis, Mr. Asquith and his fellow members of the cabinet, it is said, have determined that if the unions fail to reject the peace proposals, they will employ the most drastic measures. With this end in view the Ninety-Third Highlanders and other regiments have been instructed to hold themselves in readiness to go anywhere at a moment's notice.

While the miners are being rebuked by the public for their obstinacy, the mine owners in Wales are not escaping condemnation because they refuse to concede anything. Mr. Lloyd George has been working night and day to induce his fellow countrymen to assume a reasonable attitude, but both sides apparently are adamant.

Welsh Holding Out. The English mine-owners are anxious to settle the war. The Scotchmen have been whipped into line. It is possible that the trouble in England and Scotland may be adjusted at today's conference, and if the Welsh owners continue obstinate they will be left to shift for themselves without military protection, which they are counting on.

The Government is willing to surrender office to its opponents rather than interfere with the rights of the employer and employee to decide upon scales of wages.

If the conference fails, bloodshed probably will follow, adding to the horrors of the present appalling situation.

Later. London, March 25.—The conferences of Premier Asquith and the members of the British cabinet with the mine owners and miners respectively, lasted throughout the day, but if any progress toward the solution of the deadlock had been made, it has not been up to the present sufficient to justify the resumption of the round table negotiations between the owners and the miners.

NO VOTE ON THE CITY HALL SITES Committee Will Make the Decision—Minds Are Nearly Made Up. "There will be no vote on the city hall sites."

This was the statement made by Aid. Coles, chairman of the city hall committee, to the Advertiser today. He further added that the committee will go ahead and select the location at an early date.

MIXED MARRIAGES NUMEROUS IN ONT.

More Women Than Men Married Outside Their Church During 1911.

DEATH IN PROVINCE

The Ravages of Tuberculosis Throughout the Province Shows a Steady Decrease.

[Canadian Press.] Toronto, March 25.—Mixed marriages were numerous in Ontario in 1910, according to the report of the registrar-general issued today. Of 3,586 Roman Catholic bridegrooms, 655 married Protestants. Of 3,765 Roman Catholic brides, 844 married Protestants. Apparently more women than men married outside their church. Thirty-one of the men who took Roman Catholic brides did not lay claim to any particular faith, and two Roman Catholic bridegrooms were wedded to Jewesses.

Marriages in 1910 totalled 24,036, and the statistics show that the marrying age is from 20 to 29 for men. During that year 4,471 women married between 15 and 19; 9,802 between 20 and 24; and 5,194 between 25 and 29.

Of all the deaths in the province 20.8 per cent were children. At present in Toronto it is estimated four babies die per day.

The death rate from tuberculosis shows a steady decrease. In 1881 the death rate per 100,000 population was 121; in 1891, it was 112; in 1901, it was 102.

The marriages in 1910 exceeded those of 1909 by 375, the total for 1910 being 2,237. This leads Dr. McCutcheon to observe as follows: "In our opinion all licenses to marry should be advertised in a local newspaper. This would have the effect of checking clandestine marriages."

DEFINING DUTIES OF TARIFF BOARD

Another Dispute in the Senate Over Make-Up of the Measure.

CARTWRIGHT'S PLAN

Sir Richard Wants Report on Financial Status of Factories When Tariff Is Increased.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Ottawa, March 25.—The Government and the Liberals in the Senate, under the leadership of Sir Richard Cartwright, are still fighting over the duties of the new tariff commission. There was another dispute this morning.

Amendments to the tariff commission bill, suggested by Sir Richard Cartwright were discussed. Hon. Mr. Loughheed said that the Government was prepared to accept some of them but not others. For instance, it did not think that it should accept the amendment providing that where the commission reports in favor of a tariff increase on any industry it shall report on the number of factories, cost of building and equipping them, employees, capital, if there has been stock watering or combines in the industry, list of shareholders, and dividends for ten years.

Loughheed Objects. Hon. Mr. Loughheed said that the commission would not be allowed to report in favor of tariff change. It would only report on the conditions. Then there was danger in inquiring into the financial status of corporations and industries, and publishing that information to the world. There was nothing in the law at present which authorized any Government commissioner to go into a factory and make a report on its financial status. "I want to know your financial status," in every industry there were bound to be many factories, and each with its own financial status. Some might be good and some bad. He did not see that their financial status had anything to do in deciding if a tariff can be framed for the benefit of Canada.

Sir Richard Cartwright said he thought the financial status of companies had a good deal to do with the question. He thought from experience that some companies sought tariff bonuses to enable them to pay dividends on watered stock.

Progress was reported on the bill.

BAIL FIXED AT \$1,000

Frank Snyder Will Appear for Trial at June Sessions.

Frank Snyder, an ex-member of the city police force, appeared before a charge of obtaining \$76 from George Wadsworth through false representation. After hearing the evidence submitted Squire Chittick remanded him until the June sessions.

Bail of \$1,000 in the form of two bonds of \$500 each, furnished by the defendant's father and Mr. J. M. McEvoy, his counsel.

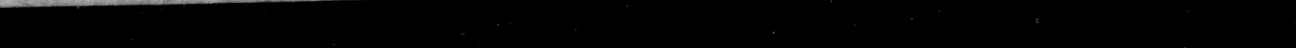
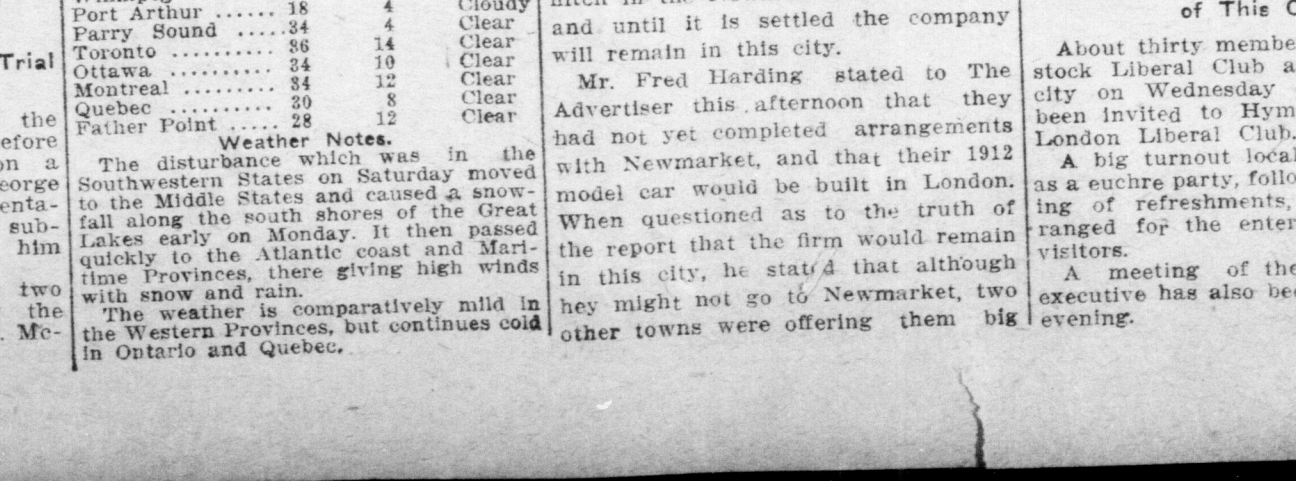
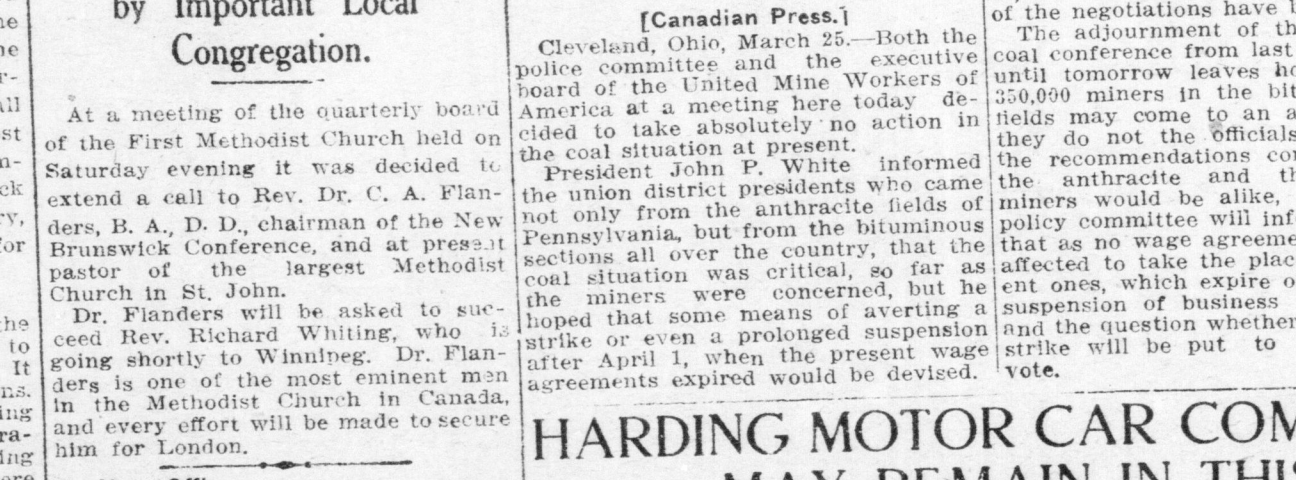
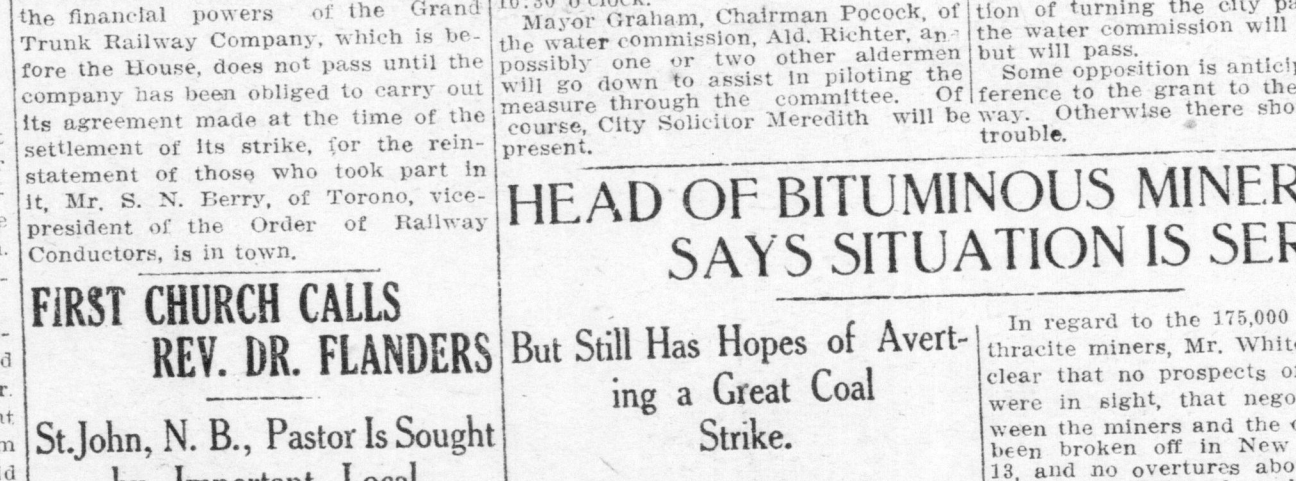
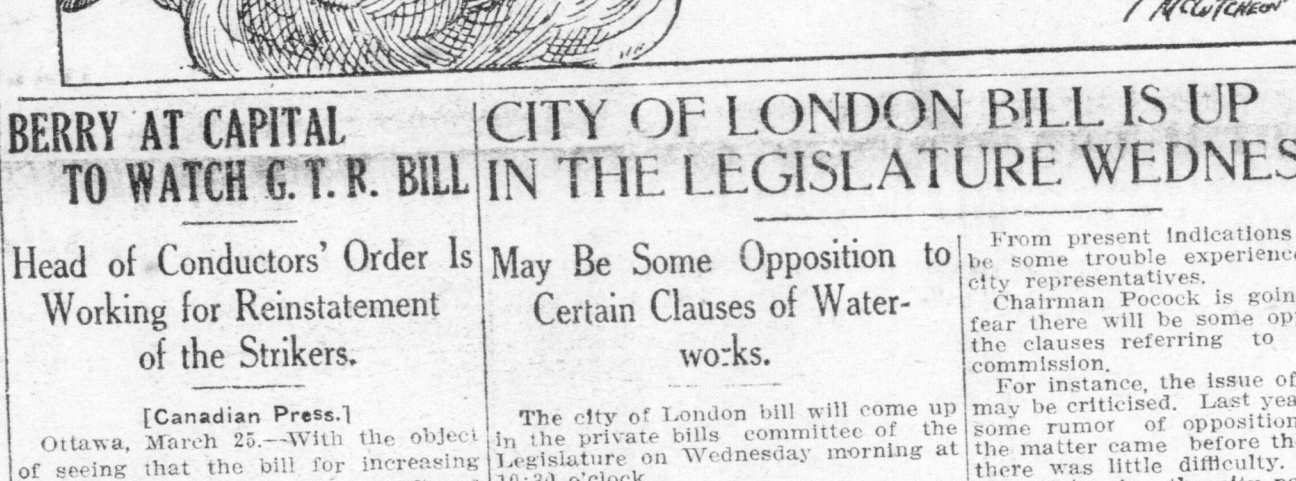
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By John T. McCutcheon.

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"No, sir, gents, money ain't everything in this world. Them millionaires has their troubles just the same as the rest of us. Sometimes I kind o' pity 'em, pore fellers, always thinkin' of how to make more money and never gettin' enough. There's something higher in life than—"



BERRY AT CAPITAL TO WATCH G. T. R. BILL

Head of Conductors' Order Is Working for Reinstatement of the Strikers.

[Canadian Press.] Ottawa, March 25.—With the object of seeing that the bill for increasing the financial powers of the Grand Trunk Railway Company, which is before the House, does not pass until the company has been obliged to carry out its agreement made at the time of the settlement of its strike, for the reinstatement of those who took part in it, Mr. S. N. Berry, of Toronto, vice-president of the Order of Railway Conductors, is in town.

At a meeting of the quarterly board of the First Methodist Church held on Saturday evening it was decided to extend a call to Rev. Dr. C. A. Flanders, B. A., D. D., chairman of the New Brunswick Conference, and at present pastor of the largest Methodist Church in St. John.

FIRST CHURCH CALLS REV. DR. FLANDERS

St. John, N. B., Pastor Is Sought by Important Local Congregation.

Dr. Flanders will be asked to succeed Rev. Richard Whiting, who is going shortly to Winnipeg. Dr. Flanders is one of the most eminent men in the Methodist Church in Canada, and every effort will be made to secure him for London.

In New Office. The office of Mr. J. Grant Henderson at the city hall is now fitted up, and he was able to occupy it for the first time today.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—UNSETTLED.

Forecast. Toronto, March 25—8 a.m.

Today—Northerly winds; fine today. Tomorrow—Unsettled; not much change in temperature.

The following are highest and lowest temperatures for the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock this morning:

Station	High	Low	Weather
LONDON	36.5	32.5	Clear
Victoria	54	34	Clear
Calgary	54	32	Fair
Winnipeg	42	22	Cloudy
Port Arthur	42	22	Cloudy
Parry Sound	34	4	Clear
Toronto	36	14	Clear
Ottawa	34	10	Clear
Quebec	34	12	Clear
Montreal	30	8	Clear
Quebec	28	12	Clear

The disturbance which was in the Southwestern States on Saturday moved to the Middle States and caused a snowfall along the south shores of the Great Lakes early on Monday. It then passed quickly to the Atlantic coast and Maritime Provinces, there giving high winds with snow and rain.

The weather is comparatively mild in the Western Provinces, but continues cold in Ontario and Quebec.

CITY OF LONDON BILL IS UP IN THE LEGISLATURE WEDNESDAY

May Be Some Opposition to Certain Clauses of Water-works.

From present indications there may be some trouble experienced by the city representatives. Chairman Pocock is going down for fear there will be some opposition to the clauses referring to the water commission.

For instance, the issue of debentures may be criticised. Last year there was some rumor of opposition, but when the matter came before the committee there was little difficulty. The question of turning the city parks over to the water commission will be modified, but will pass.

Some opposition is anticipated in reference to the grant to the radial railway. Otherwise there should be little trouble.

HEAD OF BITUMINOUS MINERS SAYS SITUATION IS SERIOUS

In regard to the 175,000 or more anthracite miners, Mr. White said it was clear that no prospects of a settlement were in sight, that negotiations between the miners and the operators had been broken off in New York March 13, and no overtures toward a renewal of the negotiations have been received. The adjournment of the bituminous coal conference from last Friday over until tomorrow leaves hope that the board of the United Mine Workers of America at a meeting here today decided to take absolutely no action in the coal situation at present.

Mayor Graham, Chairman Pocock, of the water commission, Ald. Richter, and possibly one or two other aldermen will go down to assist in piloting the measure through the committee. Of course, City Solicitor Meredith will be present.

HARDING MOTOR CAR COMPANY MAY REMAIN IN THIS CITY

A Hitch Has Occurred In the Agreement Made With Newmarket, Ont.

An interesting rumor was circulated at the city hall this morning to the effect that the Harding Motor Car Company, who were to leave London for Newmarket on a \$20,000 inducement offered by that town, may stay in the city after all. There is some hitch in the Newmarket arrangement, and until it is settled the company will remain in this city.

Mr. Fred Harding stated to The Advertiser this afternoon that they had not yet completed arrangements with Newmarket, and that their 1912 model car would be built in London. When questioned as to the truth of the report that the firm would remain in this city, he stated that although they might not go to Newmarket, two other towns were offering them big inducements, and they might decide upon one of the latter.

It is not just known what the Newmarket trouble is, but until it is settled one way or the other, the Harding firm will not leave London, and there is a chance that they may be persuaded to remain in the city. London's publicity commissioner, Mr. J. Grant Henderson, is working to have the company remain here.

EXPERT IS GOING OVER PLANT OF STREET RAILWAY FOR CITY

Company Is Said To Be Willing To Sell Out at \$150 Per Share But Water Commissioners Believe They Can Get It for \$125 Per Share—Will City Buy the Road?

There is an expert from New York going over the London Street Railway Company's plant at the present time, checking up the valuation of their holdings, with a view at some future time of making an offer on behalf of the city to buy the line. He will investigate at the same time, the power proposition, and will submit in connection with it a detailed report. The gentleman in question arrived from the east on Sunday night, and today went over the line. It will take him some days to prepare his report, and it will be submitted to those interested. The expert was brought here by the water commissioners.

It will be remembered that some time ago experts went over the line. It was stated by the company that the stock was worth \$150 per share on the valuation, and an option or agreement of sale was entered into. Some doubt was expressed that the stock was worth that money, and an independent expert was secured, and he commenced his work today. It is impossible to say what he will report. His name is being withheld at the present time.

City To Buy the Road. "The city will be up against the proposition to purchase the road in a very short time," said a gentleman in close touch with the whole business. The franchise has but 13 years more to run, and it cannot be expected that the company will expend large sums of money on new equipment, larger cars, and more track. There will be constant difficulty between the city and the company, with the results far from satisfactory. Under existing conditions, it will be much easier for the city to come to an arrangement with the company now than at any other time. Experts have gone over the line. They have put in a valuation, and the figures are today in the hands of certain people in the city. The latest expert is now going over the figures to verify them. On this document will depend what action will be taken. It is time the city of London did something to improve its condition, and nothing, to my mind, would do it better than the purchase of the company's plant. We would be earning money for the city, and I am confident that the city taxes could be materially reduced by the purchase of the London street railway."

A Big Sum This. The capital stock is valued at \$552,000 and the city would have to pay the bonds in addition, which amount to \$575,000.

The total cost would be in the neighborhood of \$1,127,000. The figures may be reduced somewhat, but it is thought that this figure will about purchase the plant.

The question of Niagara power will be settled in the meantime. It was definitely announced some time ago, that the company would install a steam plant. This action was taken at a meeting of the directors in February, and since that time plans for the building have been under way.

It was stated today that the company were negotiating with an electrical firm for machinery to handle Niagara power. This does not necessarily mean that the London Street Railway Company will take Niagara power, but it shows that the city has still a chance to secure the company as customers, it is claimed.

Through the company holds the stock, and is said to be willing to sell at \$150 per share, it is said the water commissioners believe they can buy it for \$125.

JACK BINNS Is going to tell London boys how to make their own wireless outfits.

Binns dislikes publicity. He hates to be heroized. He rarely writes for this reason.

But Binns believes that the future progress of wireless depends on the number of amateurs who take it up and experiment with it.

He wants to create, by means of his articles in the London Advertiser a THOUSAND BOY WIRELESS OPERATORS.

IT'S EASY, BOYS! FOLLOW THE LEAD OF JACK BINNS. THE LESSONS IN THE LONDON ADVERTISER WILL BEGIN NEXT WEDNESDAY.

FARMERS ARE IN GREAT NEED OF HELP IN THIS DISTRICT

Delay In Opening Up the Immigration Office Causes Criticism.

Immigration Officer John Riggs is having troubles of his own these days. He is literally swamped with requests for help, which he is absolutely unable to furnish. Farmers by the score have called upon him, but Mr. Riggs has not yet been able to make arrangements for securing any help from the men who are coming out, and many farmers fear that owing to the delay in opening an office here, it will be of little use to them in solving their help problems this season.

All the help that Mr. Riggs has at his disposal at the present time are a few Russians and Poles. As these men are unable to speak a word of English, it would be useless to send them out on a farm. He expects to have no difficulty in placing them, however, in local factories where numbers of their countrymen are employed.

Many farmers are beginning to advertise for men, and fancy prices are offered. All state, however, that it seems impossible to get anybody.

HERRING GULLS ARE SEEN ON THE RIVER

A Flock Have Made Their Headquarters at Foot of Dundas Street.

A number of gulls were to be seen at the forks of the Thames at the foot of Dundas street today. It is not unusual for one or two of the birds to make their way here for a very short time, but it is not often that they are here as were about the river at noon. Mr. W. E. Saunders states that the gulls are of the species known as the Herring Gull.

NEW DEPOT FOR GALT The Canadian Pacific R. R. to Establish One Down Town.

[Canadian Press.] Galt, March 25.—The Canadian Pacific Railway has purchased the property from R. Scott & Son, Main street, occupied by the Victoria Wheel Works, and will spend \$100,000 establishing downtown station facilities there. A brick and glass building 290 feet in length will be erected.

PORPOISES SCATTER SUBMARINE MINES

And Captains Are Worried When Passing Through the Dardanelles.

London, March 25.—The London Times has the following dispatch from its Constantinople correspondent: "According to reports from consular sources, five of the contact mines recently laid down in the Dardanelles, are missing. Several others, according to accounts as many as eight, have exploded."

"The usual rumors concerning the activity of secret agents are current, but there is reason to believe that the mischief was done by a particularly lively school of porpoises, which are hardly likely to have been pressed in to the Italian service."

"The news caused considerable anxiety in shipping circles here."

LAMP EXPLODED. [Special to The Advertiser.]

Appl. March 25.—A lamp which exploded in the home of Mr. W. Sutherland while the family were sleeping set fire to the house. The noise made by the explosion, however, aroused Mr. Sutherland, and after some very hard work he was able to extinguish the flames before much damage was done.

Stay in Western Ontario!

The Money To Be Made in Milk and Sugar, as Revealed Through Articles on Industries of Kent and Middlesex

WESTERN ONTARIO EDITORS WITH ONE VOICE URGING PUBLICITY TO STOP EXODUS FROM ONTARIO

Co-operation of District Press Finds Expression in Hearty Commendation—Many County Councils Urged to Organize Agencies for Advertising of Advantages.

Walkerton Telescope: "The London Advertiser is doing a long neglected work by pioneering a splendid 'Stay in Ontario' campaign. It is simply wonderful what our possessions are when attention is called specially to them. For years the whole cry and the trend of the times has been 'Westward' forever 'Westward' and as the result of it, this and other provinces have suffered heavy depletion of both population and dollars and cents. Many who went West have done well and the door is still wide open but while this is true all the green fields are not in the three westerly provinces and British Columbia. We do not depreciate the great wheat fields and the broad acres, but we think this an opportune time to join in the extolling of a province which, had its possibilities not been great and its people industrious and levelheaded, would have suffered very much more seriously by the long continued draft made upon it. New life is being instilled into the products of the orchard, vegetable growing is taking a rank it never had before and our American cousins, generally on the alert for No. 1, are seeking the purchase of thousands of acres of good Ontario soil and not bantering about the price. Are we awake to the fact that Ontario is the land flowing with milk and honey? There is no barrier in the way of the modern farmer increasing the returns of his estate one bushel to the acre by better cultivation and the choice of the best seed. This in itself would amount to thousands of dollars in the regular routine of work. The market is open to every growable commodity and at prices that ensure a good reward for the labor, and our cheese factories and creameries are still recognized as competent to produce the best the customers can purchase. With the prospect of a new interest being taken in Northern Ontario an awakening of the older sections of the province is also at hand and by it we hope to record such a development as has never been known in our history. A few people cannot accomplish this, but by the hearty co-operation of everybody it may be easily attained. 'Stay in Ontario' is the watchword, and the Telescope misjudges the residents of Bruce County and the

It Is Up to Kent County

Thamesville Herald: "The London Advertiser is conducting a 'Stay in Ontario' campaign, and is vigorously urging Western Ontario to keep its population from drifting to the West. This is a commendable move, and one with which The Herald is in hearty accord. It is time Kent County took some action. Lambton County has been away for over a year with splendid results, and now Essex County has taken up the scheme and is going to advertise and boom Essex County."

Want More of Same Kind.

Elgin Star: "Elgin County, and especially this section, has received during the past week some much needed publicity. Mr. Bowman, of the London Advertiser, and Mr. Hardy, of the St. Thomas Times, were here last week, and the articles from the pens of these gentlemen are bound to attract the attention of their readers to this favored section of Ontario. The good work being done by the papers above referred to, is worthy of appreciation. Our resources are great and if we can attract the attention of the outside world a splendid future is assured this village and the township of Aldborough in particular. The articles that have already appeared, although lengthy, do not by any means tell of the great possibilities for all lines of fruit and vegetable growing, heavy farming and the dairying industry. We will be pleased to see this section referred to again before the 'Stay in Ontario' campaign is closed."

Merits the Commendation of All.

Alvinston Free Press: "The 'Stay in Ontario' series of articles which are being run now in The London Advertiser, are, to say the least, the best attempt to stop the trek to the West that has come to our notice. The Advertiser merits the commendation of residents of Bruce County and the

WALLACEBURG IN NEED OF ROADS

Farmers and Townspeople To Wage War on Famous Kent Mud.

COMPANY GIVES \$10,000

Dominion Sugar People Will Contribute That Amount if Township Raises \$20,000 More.

[By The Advertiser Commissioner.] Wallaceburg, March 22.—"Good roads" is rapidly becoming the slogan of Wallaceburg and its vicinity. After wading in a sea of mud since the days of the early settlers this bustling town has awakened to the fact that "gumbo" is incompatible with progress, and mud holes do not look well as industrial assets. Having secured a good start as a manufacturing center, there is a growing sentiment for making the town easier of access. The citizens want to make Kent county roads a pleasant memory rather than a horrible nightmare.

Kent Has "Some Mud." Of course nearly every rural community has more or less mud at seasons of the year. But Kent county mud, especially on the low lands about Wallaceburg, is different. It is in a class by itself. The affection of David for Jonathan or the love of Paul and Virginia has nothing on the tenacity with which this particular Kent product clings to anything so unfortunate as to come in contact with it. And in the spring there are literally seas of it. In fact at certain seasons of the year snows are more appropriate road vehicles than wagons. Lake captains aver that the roads are never much more difficult of navigation than the Chicago river. A Mississippi stream of ordinary draught could find sufficient liquid after any heavy rain.

Company Gives \$10,000. In sober truth, road conditions in the country near the confluence of the Sydenham and Cheneau Ecarte rivers are almost unendurable and farmers and townspeople realize that something must be done. A first step was taken last summer when a creek running into the North Branch of the Sydenham was dredged through into the Cheneau Ecarte. Not only has this cleared the Sydenham channel of stagnant water, but it is expected to take care of much of the surface water which in past years flooded the country round about. Now the Dominion Sugar Company has come forward with the offer of \$10,000 for the construction of stone roads radiating in four directions from Wallaceburg, provided the township will raise \$20,000 more. The proposition has been favorably received and it seems quite likely that the additional money will be forthcoming.

Need Township Aid. "What we need is a system whereby each township which wants good roads can receive aid from the government," said D. A. Gordon, of the Dominion Sugar Company, in discussing the situation with an Advertiser representative. "That would be of practical use to farmers and business men. It would be a thousand times more practical than the idea of constructing a national automobile highway across the country."

SUGAR BEETS PROVE FINEST MORTGAGE-LIFTERS FOR KENT

Ninety-Five Thousand Tons Used by One Canadian Factory Last Season—Crop Increases Land Values in Kent.

[By Arthur C. Bowman, Advertiser Commissioner.] Wallaceburg, March 23.—Sugar beets are great mortgage-lifters. They have been serving the farmers of this vicinity in that capacity for over ten years, and their popularity is still on the increase. From a dubious experiment they have become a staple crop, yearly increasing in importance, which is doing much to help along the new agriculture in the Western Ontario counties.

Farmers in this section have found that not only have they received more clear profit from a small crop of beets than the entire return from their cereal crops, but have also discovered that beet ground produces the best of oats, barley and wheat with the minimum of labor and expense. When the advantage of practical immunity from weather conditions is added to the foregoing conditions, it is easy to see how Western Ontario farmers are beginning to arrive at the conclusion that beets are hard to beat.

Could Give Them Away. European economists have held that the farmer could actually afford to furnish the factories with sugar beets free of charge, being amply repaid for his labor by the effects of the cultivation of the crop on the resources of his farm. On the face of it, this looks like getting something for nothing, but agricultural experts say that in the best growing provinces of Germany the average yield of grain has doubled within the last 25 years. It is a proven fact that the farmer who has been devoting a reasonable percentage of land to beet growing produces bet-

BET SUGAR HOPE LIES IN CANADA

Removal of U. S. Duty No Benefit, Says Mr. D. A. Gordon.

CAN'T EXPORT PRODUCT

High Cost of Manufacture and German Competition Prohibit Profitable Trade With Re-public.

[By The Advertiser Commissioner.] Wallaceburg, March 19.—Most of the benefits to the Canadian sugar industry which have been announced in the press as likely to follow the adoption of the bill abolishing the tariff on sugar now before the American Senate exist only in the minds of enthusiastic but poorly informed optimists. At least that is the opinion of Mr. D. A. Gordon, M. P., manager of the Dominion Sugar Company, of Wallaceburg, which operates the largest beet sugar factory in Canada.

"In the first place I am confident that the measure will never pass," said Mr. Gordon, when asked by The Advertiser representative to outline the probable effect of the proposed legislation on the Canadian refineries. "Besides, it is nothing short of absurd to say that Canadian manufacturers would be benefited to any appreciable extent by the abolition of the duty. I myself am unable to see how it would affect us in any way, and it certainly would be of no advantage."

Of No Advantage. "The United States import duty on sugar is approximately three times as high as our own. If it is abolished it means that sugar will be one-third cheaper in the States than in Canada, so far as tariff is concerned. It costs us as much for raw material as the American firms, our labor is just as expensive, and we have to pay a duty of 53 cents per ton on coal, which the American manufacturer does not. Under these conditions I fail to see where we could expect to profitably export sugar into the States."

"What part of the total sugar consumption of Canada is beet sugar produced in Canada from Canadian beets?" Mr. Gordon was asked. "I should say about one-twentieth," he replied. "Of course that is only an estimate. By far the greater part of the sugar produced in Canada is imported in the raw state and refined here. Beet sugar from Canadian beets represents about 25 per cent. of our output."

Bound to Develop. "The beet sugar industry is bound to develop if given proper stimulus and it needs no further stimulus than a moderate tariff. "While it is possible under some conditions for farmers to export their beets to the States, it is not profitable to export manufactured sugar. If sugar is allowed to enter duty free, and the German factories increase their production with their cheap labor and low cost of material, they could swamp the country with sugar at prices much lower than we could make."

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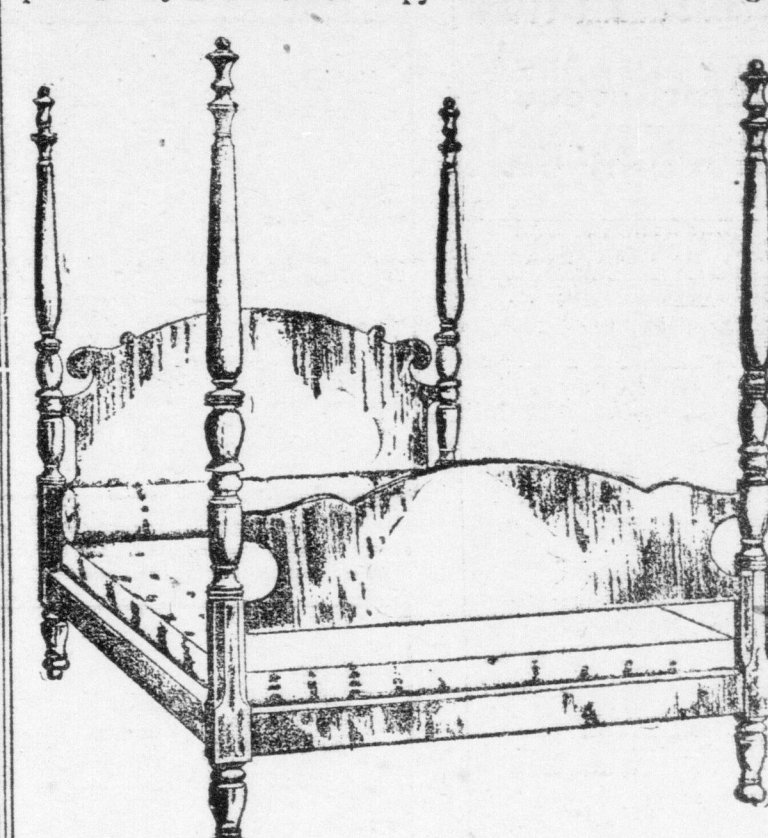
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Furniture of Character

In the right kind of furniture there is a value that does not appear on the surface. A bed, for example, should be something more than simply a place to rest; it should combine beauty, and properly to appreciate its beauty there should be an intelligent understanding of its design.

Right here comes the advantage of buying Furniture with CHARACTER behind it, blue-blooded furniture, as it were.

For example, the bedroom suite described below will FURNISH any room in which it is placed. It is an exact copy of a famous old original, 150 years old.



Colonial Bedroom Suite

This suite includes a beautiful four-poster bed with fluted posts, a dresser and chiffonier, all of the finest, solid, Mexican mahogany. Chairs to match, if desired.

BED, \$87. CHIFFONIER, \$100. DRESSER, \$105.

Napoleon Style Bed

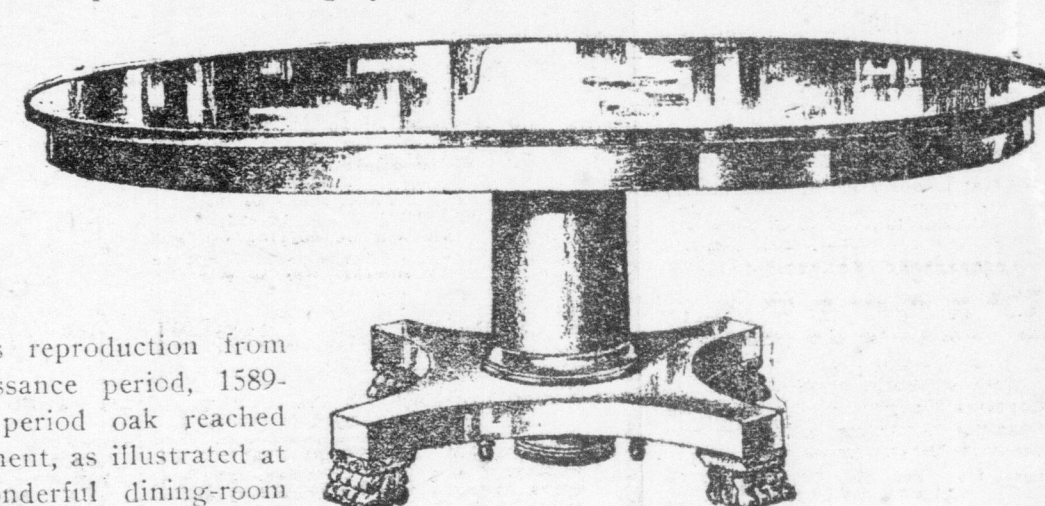
Bed has beautiful roll head and foot boards. Fine mahogany.....\$30.00 Dresser to match.....\$45.00

Chippendale Parlor Suite

Among English furniture makers the name of Thomas Chippendale stands first. He used the ball and claw-foot freely, and also the fiddle back. The parlor suite to which we refer is a fine example of his work; its beauty can only be appreciated by an examination. Three pieces sold mahogany.....\$145

Flanders Dining-Room Suite

This is a famous reproduction from the Flemish Renaissance period, 1589-1683. During this period oak reached its highest development, as illustrated at this store by a wonderful dining-room suite in fumed oak. 10 pieces. \$170.50



Gunn Sectional Bookcases

The Sectional Bookcase has come to be a most important factor in the furnishing of home libraries and business offices. No sectional system is more generally or more favorably known than the GUNN. Simplicity, durability, convenience and high standard of finish and construction are essential points to be considered in the purchase of this class of goods. The GUNN has them all.



Sections come in three heights.

9 1/4-inch\$2.75 Top section\$2.00
11 1/4-inch\$3.00 Base section\$1.75
13 1/4-inch\$3.50 Base with long drawer.....\$4.25

Writing Desk Section \$9.00

Fumed, Early English or Golden Quartered Oak.

Springs and Mattresses

House-cleaning time is almost here, and new Springs and Mattresses are in demand. We carry a large line of this class of goods, and, quality considered, prices are very low.

CREX carpets and rugs are fundamentally artistic, because they are a product of Nature, retained and used in its natural state. They are not imitations; simply Nature itself, transported and utilized to adorn and beautify your home. Suitable for verandah, hall, dining-room or bedroom.

Wall Papers

Decorating time is here. Designs for 1912 now on display. Everything new. DON'T MISS IT.

NEW EASTER KID GLOVES ARE HERE.

See Linoleum Display, Dundas Street Window.

Results Count.			
	Acres.	Gross Receipts	Gross Receipts Per Acre.
W. C. Bogaert	10	\$724.45	\$72.45
W. C. Burlington	6	424.64	70.77
S. Courts	19	843.47	44.39
J. H. Coffey	5	297.12	59.42
Geo. Falconer	6	495.53	82.59
Jno. A. Hamilton	5	406.39	81.28
Austin Hazard	11	898.36	81.67
D. L. McCreary	2	225.91	112.95
Jno. W. Innis	2	420.85	210.42
W. L. McCreary	5	446.49	89.29
D. W. Ritchie	5	487.96	97.59
Robt. Hastings	2	165.43	82.71
Geo. Robinson	2	218.32	109.16
Peter Davis	1	79.88	79.88

at \$18 per acre, while the team work costs from \$10 to \$14 according to distance from a shipping point. To compute the net profit received, it is necessary to deduct on an average \$39 per acre from the following figures taken at random from the records of the sugar factory:

Barber Shaw 1 125 72 125 72 land," and time is proving him a true prophet.

A Great Industry. Some idea of the scale on which beet growing is conducted can be gained from the fact that the Dominion people last year used 95,000 tons, grown for the most part in the vicinities of Berlin and Wallaceburg. At an average price of \$3.25 per ton there was distributed among the growers the sum of \$308,750. Four Michigan companies operating in Canada took about 60,000 tons at \$4.50 per ton, amounting in money value to \$270,000.

And the best part of the story is yet to come. Comparison with other districts shows that farmers in beet growing sections are satisfied. They stay on the land. In the part of Kent lying about Wallaceburg there are few if any removals to the West and as the beet acreage spreads, prosperity and consequent determination to "Stay in Ontario" follows.

So marked is this tendency that Archibald Blue, chief officer of the Census and Statistics Office, Ottawa, recently said, "No other crop grown in the country serves as well as the sugar beet to keep the people on the

YARMOUTH LIBERALS J. R. Teeple Was Chosen President at Largely-Attended Meeting. [Special to The Advertiser.] Yarmouth, March 25.—At the regular meeting of the East Elgin Reform Association officers for the year were elected as follows: President, J. R. Teeple; vice-president, W. McTaggart; secretary-treasurer, Cyril Smith. The following committees for the different polling divisions were then appointed. In each division the chairman is named first. Division No. 1—H. Johnson, N. Small, G. A. Hannan. Division No. 2—E. White, J. O'Brien, W. B. Roberts. Division No. 3—H. Sutton, T. Linnett, H. Kipp. **Shiloh's Cure** quickly stops coughs, cures colds, heals the throat and lungs. 50 cents.

While dairying has not attained to anything like the proportions reached by the industry in Oxford, the product of the cow is a big factor in boosting bank accounts for the farmers of this county. Cows are kept on almost every farm, and while there are few large individual herds, the total production amounts to no mean sum.

It is next to impossible to secure statistics of the amount of milk dairy butter, and cheese, which are sold to small groceries and private individuals, although it is extremely probable that the largest part of Middlesex milk is disposed of in this way.

Figures furnished by Mr. Frank Hems, secretary of the Ontario Dairy-men's Association, show, however, that the 30 cheese factories in the county last year turned out 5,335,935 pounds of cheese. Figured at 12 cents per pound, the money value of their product was \$700,282.40, a large part of which was divided among their 1,828 patrons.

Almost a Million Dollars. The eight Middlesex creameries produced 815,036 pounds of butter, which was sold at an average price of 25 cents per pound, amounting to \$203,759. Part of which was given to each of 1,216 patrons. So, without counting in the large amounts received for dairy butter and milk sold in cities and towns, the money brought into the county by the dairying industry amounted to \$389,042.40—almost a million dollars. And undoubtedly the amount would raise this figure by hundreds of thousands.

One new creamery started last year in the county and another will be opened within a short time. As to the future of the dairying industry in Middlesex, Mr. Hems is of the opinion that the problem lies in more cows and better cows, but better cows first.

"The county has not nearly the number of good cows which it will stand," he told an Advertiser representative, "but it could afford to dispense with many poor animals which really do not pay a profit to their owners. Too much stress cannot be laid upon the importance of testing individual members of every herd for butter fat production. In this way the poor milk producers can be eliminated."

A Thrifty White Oak Dairyman. To show what can be done by in-

Pratt's Siding. Work on a new schoolhouse will be commenced as soon as possible in the spring. A great deal of the material has already arrived.

Misses Avey and Wismer are spending a few days at the home of Peter Gardiner.

The entertainment given under the auspices of the Literary Society was a great success. Mr. Dave McIntyre, of Strathburn, was chairman. Among other numbers an enjoyable programme was rendered by the Wardsville quartette. The last meeting of the society for the season will be held on April 5.

Mr. Frank Watson is ill at his home here.

Mr. Chris. McRae is holidaying at the home of Mr. Peter Gardiner.

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LONDON, MONDAY, MARCH 25.

BUILD BETTER SCHOOLS.

A visiting educationist recently said in London that whereas twenty years ago the centre of gravity in a small American town was the court house and jail, today the centre of social endeavor is the school. Along with this change has proceeded a transformation of school architecture. The schools are now the show places of the community.

At one time the grim lines of lock-up or infirmary were the ne plus ultra to be followed by school-builders. The jail model was a sort of fixed idea. Now the better city school—not in London, but elsewhere—look more like Renaissance palaces of the land where the lemon blooms, something of both a stately home and a fairy castle, with gardens shining round. There the child is not immuned but feels at home between earth and heaven.

There are some things in which we can learn from the Americans, and this is one of them. Few of our citizens would deny that the average of our school architecture is really appalling. Many of the schools were built long ago, when the standard of taste was not so high as was the aspiration after a good education for the young. Economy has had something to do in the matter. But of late economy may have in some instances taken the shape of parsimony. It is time now, at any rate, to turn a new leaf.

The London jail should not remain for ever the most romantic looking structure in the city. The Alexandra school is indeed a notable advance in many ways. It has cost too much for the accommodation provided, and the exterior is not so impressive as it might have been made for the money. But internally it will be one of the best equipped schools in the province, and it does start a new era for this city.

The large kindergarten space, the facilities for meetings, entertainments and social functions, the sanitary equipment are all in line with modern ideas. This school will be more than a children's pound. It is the kind of place in which Dickens would have liked to see the children busy.

From an advance like this there should be no going back. It should be demanded that all new buildings be similarly or better constructed, and more attention paid to external appearance. Many of our schools, as regards sanitation, etc., are away behind the times. The Collegiate Institute has been condemned, for example. It is time the board of education formed a far-sighted policy for any new constructions. There is a good deal to be said for the board's surveying the whole situation and starting on a policy of gradually clearing away the very worst of the schools and building anew with an eye to the best sites as well as to architectural utility and beauty.

Any new expenditures should be proceeded with only after the adoption of a fully-considered policy and with extreme caution.

THE BRITISH NAVAL BURDEN.

The killing pace of British naval expenditure is shown by these figures, presented by Mr. Churchill the other day:

1907	£21,251,000
1908	23,181,000
1909	25,734,000
1910	40,419,000
1911	44,398,000
1912	44,085,000

Here is an increase of over £13,000,000, or nearly \$66,000,000 in the annual outlay within five years. The figures include the cost of new ships, which will amount in the current year to \$55,000,000. On April 1 of this year the following ships will be under construction:

Battleships	10
Battle cruisers	8
Protected cruisers	8
Unarmored cruisers	8
Destroyers	21
Submarines	15

This is not all. The estimates for 1912 were framed on the assumption that the existing programmes of other naval powers would not be increased. But the German Government has asked the Reichstag to enlarge the German programme, and if the Reichstag consents Great Britain will reply with additional Dreadnoughts. As Mr. Churchill has announced, Britain has determined to maintain a 60 per cent. margin over Germany in Dreadnoughts, building five against three.

How long can Britain bear the burden? Longer than Germany, no doubt. But the millions diverted to this rivalry in death-dealing are sorely needed for the Government's social schemes. The immediate outlook is not reassuring in either country.

GERMAN STATES ACQUIRE COAL MINES.

Whether or not the coal owners and miners of Great Britain temporarily settle their differences, the stoppage of the great basic industry of the country for nearly a month has brought into practical politics the question of the public ownership of coal mines.

Some of the German kingdoms have already decided that the private ownership of coal mines is incompatible with the safety and well-being of the State. The Saxon Government has just acquired the lignite (brown coal) areas of the Leipzig district. A measure to acquire extensive black coal areas is to be considered at the next session of the Saxon Parliament. The Prussian Government loses no opportunity of purchasing an interest in coal properties. There is a concerted policy toward eventual control of all coal mines by the state.

Mr. L. G. Chiozza Money, M. P., says that but for its coal the United Kingdom would not have a population today exceeding 20,000,000 people. He adds:

"Unaware of these essential factors of their national existence and greatness, the British people have come to regard coal as a common place. A miracle which happens every day is no longer a miracle to the unthinking man, but it remains a miracle. What we have to try to realize is that the British era of wealth has been exceedingly brief, viz.: about 150 years, and that unless the nation gives thought to the basis of its wealth, that era of wealth may not last more than an other 150 years, as was pointed out by Sir William Ramsay to an unheeding public just before the present coal trouble loomed on the public horizon."

One-third of the coal mined in the Kingdom goes to other countries. If this great national asset is to be conserved for the benefit of the nation a change of policy will have to be made, but this is impossible under a system where the production is for profit only.

Is Mr. Glauibitz extremely unfortunate, extremely officious, extremely tactless or extremely misunderstood?

The Toronto World professes to forebode Mr. Rowell's temperance policy. One thing is certain: whatever it is, it will not meet with the World's approval.

The national expenditure for this country for the coming fiscal year will be the greatest that has been. Politicians will seek to justify it who have been accusing the late administration of extravagance.

Enlightened French-Canadians ought to co-operate, and doubtless will, in furthering any policy to insure a good English education to all pupils in the Ontario schools. Such a policy implies no attack on the French tongue.

Mr. Bourassa will drop out of the Provincial Legislature and spend ten weeks in Europe. His old allies, Monk, Pelletier and Nantel, will not be at the wharf to wish him bon voyage. Yet they must be glad he is going.

Selections from the papers and speeches of Edward Blake are to be published, and his literary executors are instructed by his will not to divulge any papers confidential in their nature "or which might give pain to others." The volume will be a valuable contribution to Canadian history and will be eagerly awaited by all students of public affairs.

This year the British exchequer will show a substantial surplus, without the imposition of a new tax since 1909, but additions to the ship-building programme—the cost of all new ships is met out of current revenues—may require fresh imposts. This will tax Lloyd George's ingenuity afresh, and will give the Unionists another opportunity to press for the taxation of imports.

DELITED.

[Manchester Guardian.]

Mr. Robert Bridges is one of our best poets, and he is also a leader in the simplified spelling movement. In his poem, "Amiel," in the March English Review, the unusual spelling of the last word in the line, "If thou in priesthoods and altar glory delitest," in this case, obviously, the spelling is preferred not merely because it is closer to the sound of the word, but because it is the true spelling. The common "delight" is a mistake, and is based on a false analogy. "Delite" is the early and true form. It is derived from the old French verb delitter. The Italian verb is delittare, the Latin delictare, Delight, the authorities say, is the language in the fifteenth century, from a desire to accommodate the spelling to that of such words as light and flight. The true spelling is found now and then as late as the Bible of 1611—e. g., "Scatter Thou the people that delite in war."

A BACON MEMORIAL.

[London Daily News.]

A movement is in progress to erect a memorial to Francis Bacon, Lord Verulam, in the South Square of Gray's Inn, of which he was so famous a member. Excavations have been made in the grass plot laid out in the centre of the old-fashioned square, just opposite the Ancient Hall, and a concrete foundation has been put in, but the exact form of the memorial has not yet been decided upon.

TOO MANY SPECIMENS.

[Washington Star.]

With greatness both refined and in the rough
No Hall of Fame will ever be big enough.

We'll need a circus tent.

DROPPING GIVEN NAMES.

[Manchester Guardian.]

Edward Blake's full name was Dominick Edward Blake. Many other distinguished men have similarly abbreviated their signatures, presumably for convenience's sake. This practice was followed, for example, by Charles John Huffam Dickens, by John Frederick Denison Maurice, and by Charles Grant Blairindrie Allen. Mr. Austin Dixon has dropped a preliminary Henry, and Professor Saintsbury has

retained only one-third of his baptismal George Edward Bateman. The most famous of the Rossettis was originally Gabriel Charles Dante Rossetti. He got rid of the Charles, and transposed the Gabriel and Dante in order to avoid being confused with his father, Gabriel Rossetti. There have also been a few notable instances of addition and substitution. William Hepworth Dixon was originally plain William Dixon, and Shirley Brooks was really Charles William Brooks. General Grant has his name changed by a curious accident. He was appointed a cadet at West Point at the age of seventeen, and by some blunder it was entered on the official register as Ulysses S. Grant instead of Hiram Ulysses Grant. Ulysses S. it had to stay.

THE TREND.

[Satire.]

I am honest, and know that I show it.
And Jones isn't truly genteel.
I am loved and respected—I know it—
But—Jones has an automobile.

I am making a moderate living.
My life holds no need to conceal;
My nature is kind and forgiving,
But—Jones has an automobile.

I am safely and happily married.
While his private life's not ideal,
But my wife is discouraged and harried,
For—Jones has an automobile.

Oh, yes, I've amusement in reason.
I've youth and ambition, and zeal,
But my wife weeps and frets all season
Mrs. Jones in her automobile.

Yet what is the use of pretending
That wounds of the heart never heal?
I still hope to see doctors attending
Jones—wrecked in that automobile.

WHERE ENGLISH CONQUERS.

[Manchester Guardian.]

The invasion of the continent by the English language, especially the sporting part of it, is still going rapidly on. The other day one read in the French papers an account of the boxing match at Monaco, introduced by such headlines: "Un grand match de boxe—Le champion anglais est knock-out au deuxième round!" ("The English champion is knocked out in the second round. This was a bitter pill for our patriotic pride, but coated in the sweetest of sugar. On the one hand, the tale was one of a humiliating defeat, a crushing revenge for the Agincourt and Waterloo; but no fewer than five words in those two short sentences were from our many English dictionary. The 'est knock-out' is especially calculated to send a thrill of purest emotion through our souls. Doeds are forgotten, but the writer's word endures!")

HANDY ARTHUR.

[Toronto Star.]

Isn't Mr. Balfour the handy man! Back along the corridors of time he returns to read his history in the House any night it is looked for a whaling.

BIBLE SOCIETY CAKE.

[London Daily News.]

The 10th anniversary of the British and Foreign Bible Society was celebrated on Saturday at the Guild hall by a children's birthday party. Juvenile supporters of the society from all parts of the metropolis gathered under the presidency of the lord mayor who was accompanied by the lady mayoress and the sheriffs. The principal event of the afternoon was the cutting of a huge birthday cake, which weighed 108 pounds, one pound for each year of the society's existence. This duty was performed by Miss Emily Rita Parkinson. Each little guest received a piece of the cake as a memento of the occasion.

A LOUD REPORT.

[Petersburg Examiner.]

Dr. Merchant's report is a noisy ending to a still hunt.

MRS. PANKHURST IN COURT.

[London Daily News.]

Mrs. Pankhurst said that the prosecuting counsel had said that the case was very serious, and she asked that she might have facilities for preparing her defence. At present she was in the third division at York jail.

The magistrate said that she must make her application to the governor of the prison.

The prisoners were then removed to the cell. Mrs. Pankhurst's last remark being, "Don't touch me!"

AMONG THE IMMORTALS.

[Chicago Tribune.]

"Lady Warwick" suggests a name that used to cut some ice with fame. Old Warwick, I do recall, Made kings to rise and kings to fall. He'd say to Lancaster, "You're it!" And make poor York step down and quit.

And then, he'd turn to York and say, "While you are nothing but a shob, I guess I'll hand you back the job."

The Roses White or Roses Red, All had to do what Warwick said, He had J. Pierpont skinned, you bet! Ask any old Plantagenet.

And now the lady of that name Is out for Socialist fame! O, me! O, my! O, my! O, Me! The world was on right merrie!

PARKHILL.

[Parkhill, March 25.—S. G. G. G.]

Sons have finished their wood contract with Alderman Loomis, of East Williams, which they began last fall.

Miss Mary McMillan returned to her home on the Centre Road from attending the funeral of the late Mrs. Jansen, of Port Huron, Mich.

Mr. Angus O'Hanley, of Bornish, has returned to Chicago, to resume work with the Seaside Railway.

Mr. Neil McMillan and wife, of Bad Axe, Mich., attended the obsequies of the late Mrs. John Jansen, of Detroit, Mich.

Messrs. A. P. McCormick and Archy Morrison completed their contract with Mr. McMillan, lumber merchant, of Owen Sound, who made a good deal of timber on the estate of the late Mr. John Waters.

Mr. Andrew Elliott's funeral was largely attended. Interment was made in Sylvan Cemetery. He is survived by his wife and four sons, Mr. George Elliott, M. P. of North Middlesex, was a son.

Robert Kavanagh held a successful woodbee, when friends cut 20 cords of wood for him.

J. C. McDonald attended the East Williams Council in Nain recently. Mrs. John Fraser, who was dangerously ill, is recovering slowly.

Mr. Thomas Kearns, who has been ill all winter, is now getting much better, and is able to be up.

A Few Lines of Most Anything

I MUST BRUSH THE COBWEBS OUTA MY BRAIN
THEN YOU OUGHTA GET A VACUUM CLEANER



The Retort Saucy.

The new customs house clock winder has assumed his duties. No doubt he thinks it's his turn now.

The commissioner of industries is keeping on the soft pedal. Making a noise quietly is what counts in his business.

Before repairs to the jail are completed it might be well to have Mr. T. Burdell, K. P., give a demonstration.

A prospective motorist asks for the names of our favorite cars. We prefer an Oxford going north and an Otway going south.

The platform from which Roosevelt spoke at Portland, Maine, collapsed. Power of suggestion, without a doubt! President Taft just had to imagine himself on that platform to cause its collapse.

King Alfonso has refused to allow one of his princes to marry an American heiress. This is the season for the eradication of Spanish swindlers.

It may be said in his favor that up to date Doctor Cook has laid no claim to the discovery of the South Pole.

Why Not Hire a Barker? The fine landscape that adorns the front of the C. Hall-Bayol Bank building, is an ornament that would do credit to a midway exhibit at the Western Fair. Now that most of the fire signs are down, it is the only place of work left to hang in the Gallery of Art of our main streets. What an appeal to the imagination! The visitor, on consulting his catalogue will learn that this canvas represents the vast expanse between London and Niagara. Forked lightning darts out upon the beholder. The mighty cataract roars, and we're on our way to the Hub of the west. Passing two ornate power towers we are there! Hydro sheds her beneficent radiance over the scene and the illusion is complete. One gets the same sensation of realism by filling his bath-tub with water, turning on his electric fan and imagining himself in a terrific storm at sea.

Now is the time when the Avon, the Grand, the Thames, and other classic streams make a noise like a real river.

And they do say—as how Kettle Creek has a daily output of some eleven gallons after such a winter.

Roxy, the millionaire Monk, jumped into his new monoplane.

"I'll prove inside of two minutes that men aren't the only higher animals," he shouted to the assembled population of Jingleville.

A Note of Warning. Baby-by, Here's a fly. Let us watch him, you and I; How he crawls Up the walls In his typhoid overalls.

A citizen stopped in front of The Advertiser bulletin and read: "Tom Mann arrested for inflammatory language." He puzzled over the statement and then asked bystander for the explanation and got it.

"I always thought that was a disease," said the questioner. Even the thermometer smiled.

Sir Henry Pellatt dined eighteen knights in Toronto. Personally we never accept invitations to affairs like that. But they would no doubt have thumbless waiters at such a feed.

A small boy who is tired when there is a scuffle of coal to get finds no tax upon his strength carrying around a hod of mud on each foot.

The man who forgot-to-call-for-his mail is a serious offence against Liberal postmasters.

The Charivari Not Extinct. [Simcoe Reformer.]

The boy gave Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Storey a very cordial welcome about twelve o'clock on Thursday night, with cow-bells, shotguns, and other musical instruments.

Recalling the Wrenches. [Alvinston Free Press.]

All parties who have in their possession

Every second person that you meet seems to have a sneeze and stuffed feeling in the forehead and nostrils. To cure promptly, say in half an hour, there is nothing so effective as Catarrhazone. You inhale its balsamic vapor, and feel as if you were among the Norway pines. This is because Catarrhazone contains a healing medicine, light as pine air, which is breathed straight into the lungs and bronchial tubes. Away goes the cold; sneezing and catarrhal cough cease; bronchial irritation stops; in short, you are cured of catarrh, a pleasant, simple remedy, free from sedatives and irritants.

That Catarrhazone is a swift, certain means of destroying colds and catarrh is proved by the following statement of Mr. Pulos, one of Brockville's best-known merchants:

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(Signed) George Pulos.

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session any wrenches owned by Tedford Bros. are requested to return the same before their neighbors want to borrow them.

The Houn' Song at Hensall. [Hensall Observer.]

Some of the residents across the track complain of having their hens chased and worried by dogs. Joe Hudson has had several killed outright. He has his blunderbus ready for the next mole that dares.

Joe don't care if it is a houn' it's gotta quit chasin' his hens around.

The Village Weather Sharp. [Harrison Review.]

The old snail is performing its semi-annual stunt of "crossing the line" just now, and Nightwatchman Tom Moncrieff, who poses as somewhat of a weather sharp (having studied Mr. Ayers' almanac and taken his pills for lift years) says that if the wind stays in the north while Old Sol is getting across the line, we will have three months more of cold weather. Will some able-bodied individual please hit Tom Moncrieff with a club?

Get Together, Gentlemen. [Sheburne Free Press.]

James Petrie, the checker champion, told the Free Press on Tuesday that so far Mr. McDonald had not come to him to arrange terms for a match. Mr. Petrie did not consider that it was his duty to hunt up Mr. McDonald to arrange matters. The editor of this paper thinks it is about time something was doing in the checker business—we have had nothing but wind so far.

Pulled Up the Pump. [Bruce Herald and Times.]

Local opinion having carried in Goria and the inhabitants having signified by their vote that they were no longer dry, Mr. Wm. Dalmage took them at their word and pulled up the pump in front of his hotel. He also boarded up the windows of his premises and nailed up the door of his barn and left town.

The Kissing Habit Danger. [St. Catharines Journal.]

Mr. John Miller had his underlip badly bitten by a vicious horse last week. —Ottawa correspondence.

BISHOP IN DETROIT

Rt. Rev. M. F. Fallon is Conducting a Mission There.

The Detroit Journal says: Rt. Rev. Bishop Fallon, of London, Ont., arrived in Detroit Sunday and opened a mission at Our Lady of the Rosary Church the same evening. The retreat is under the auspices of the Knights of Columbus.

Bishop Fallon, for the past two years, has been head of the diocese of London, in Ontario. Shortly after assuming this position he sprang into prominence by reason of a serious controversy with the French-speaking Catholics of this district by attacking the bilingual school system of Ontario. His objections were against the teaching of both the French and the English languages in the parochial schools of the country, believing that neither language was taught thoroughly under such conditions.

So serious were the objections of the French people at the stand taken by the bishop that only his diplomacy in handling the delicate situation averted serious consequences. He is known as an eloquent and forceful speaker.

The mission will continue for a week.

WINGHAM CURLERS

Rink Skipped by J. F. Scott Won Last Game of Season by One Shot.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Wingham, March 25.—The final round in the curling tournament was played off at Stevenson's rink. The ice was in splendid condition, and the play was exceptionally good. Some very fine shots were made by Messrs. J. F. Scott, Jack Mason, and Alex. Crawford. The rink skipped by J. F. Scott won by one shot, the score being J. F. Scott 15 points, and L. Blakley's team 14.

The teams were composed as follows:

Jim Carr, T. Hardy, S. Elliott, R. Currie, J. Murray, W. Mitchell, A. Nichol and J. Mason, skipper.

J. Pugh, F. Fortune, J. Phalen, J. T. Scott, skip; A. E. Coling, D. Fortune and B. Porter, skip.

At the Baptist Church on Sunday next, special services will be conducted by Rev. Dr. McCrimmon of McMaster University. A special musical programme is being prepared by the choir.

Sugar making is now in full swing in this district. Mr. Switz, proprietor of the Queen's Hotel, has 600 trees tapped, and one day last week made 30 gallons of syrup, which he intends for his own use. It was stated that it took two teams and four men working

The Tie-Up is Costing the United Kingdom Fifty Million Dollars Per Week.

[Canadian Press.]

London, March 25.—Even if the national coal strike was settled at a very early moment and the million miners returned at once to work, the condition of the remaining 2,000,000 men in other industries who have been rendered idle by the lack of supplies of coal necessary to carry on their trades would be a serious problem.

Their tens of thousands of dependents are suffering great privations, and in South Wales, where the funds of the miners' unions are completely exhausted, the conditions have reached a terrible pitch.

Suffering Widespread.

Each day brings with it an augmentation of the suffering and distress. Many of the chapels and all of the schools in Cardiff and its vicinity have organized soup kitchens, where

Concerns John Bull's Cat and Uncle Sam's Hoss.
BY JANET BEECHER.

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[BY RANDALL PARRISH.]

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HIGHEST AWARD—ST. LOUIS, 1904.

IMPROVING WELLAND CANAL TO COST FORTY-FIVE MILLIONS

The Locks To Be Reduced
From Twenty-Seven to
Seven.

Ottawa, March 24.—Engineers who for the past three years have been engaged in exhaustive surveys of alternative routes for the new Welland Canal have submitted their final report to the Hon. Frank Cochrane, minister of railways and canals. Mr. J. L. Veller, superintendent of the canal, who had charge of the surveys, was here on Saturday. Several propositions were looked into, careful surveys being made, test pits sunk and calculations figured out in connection with each.

The plan which has been recommended by the engineers and accepted by the Government provides for the widening and deepening of the present canal from Port Colborne to a point a short distance north of Thor-

old, where the new cutting five miles in length will start and run west of the present canal, crossing it and the Grand Trunk Railway en route and entering Lake Ontario at Ten-Mile Creek, three miles east of Port Colborne.

The present canal will be deepened from 14 to 25 feet in the stretches and 30 feet in the locks and will be widened from 150 to 200 feet. The new section will be of similar dimensions. A very important feature of the work is that by reason of the dredging and deepening the number of locks will be reduced from 22 to 7. This, it is calculated, will save eight hours in the time now required for carrying boats through from Port Colborne to Port Dalhousie and is obviously a large consideration in favor of the project. The total estimated cost is \$45,000,000. The plans proposed in such a way that there will be a minimum of interference with navigation. It will be done, one side at a time, allowing the other side for the passage of boats.

THE DOMINION SUPPLEMENTARIES CALL FOR TWENTY-FIVE MILLIONS

Total Subsidies Voted This Session Will Be Beyond the Ten
Million Dollar Mark—Eighteen Millions Estimates
for Public Works Department.

Ottawa, March 24.—The cabinet council spent yesterday getting the final draft of the supplementary estimates for the coming fiscal year ready for presentation to the Commons either tomorrow night or early on Tuesday.

The pruning knife was wielded principally by Hon. George E. Foster, but the aggregate still left is enormous. The estimates for public works alone, as submitted by the minister, totalled about eighteen millions, and ministerial supporters from all parts of the Dominion have been stubbornly insistent in getting liberal amounts for their respective constituencies. "A short life and a merry" seems to be the motto of the present lavish Administration.

It is expected that the total of the supplementary estimates will be in the neighborhood of twenty-five millions, bringing the total expenditure voted by

Parliament this session, including railway subsidies aggregating thirty-one millions, well past the two hundred million mark.

Large votes for the Welland Canal enlargement, for the Hudson Bay Railway, and for the militia and agricultural departments will be included. The Minister of Public Works has been pressing for a large sum in the supplementary estimates to enable a beginning to be made this year on the Georgian Bay Canal, but it is probable that this project will be staved off for a little while longer, pending further surveys and reports from experts as to the commercial feasibility of the route.

In view of the extent of the supplementary estimates and the large amount of business still before the Commons and the Senate, it is unlikely that prorogation will be reached until Wednesday or Thursday of next week.

SETTLERS' TRAIN AND FREIGHT IN A SERIOUS COLLISION

Owing to Non-Understanding of Orders, Three Trainmen Meet
Death in Crash on Lake Superior Division of the C. P. R.
—Large Number of Horses and Cattle Destroyed.

Toronto, March 25.—Three men were killed and three or more were seriously injured in a head-on collision which occurred between a freight and a settlers' train on the C. P. R. line, Lake Superior division, near Amoy Station, 362 miles west of North Bay, on Saturday morning.

James Smith, an engineer of Chapleau, and John Loist, a trainman, of Peterboro, on the settlers' train, were sent to the general hospital, Toronto, where they arrived early yesterday morning. Smith was so terribly scalded that he died at 7 o'clock last night. Loist was in an unconscious condition and badly scalded when he was admitted to the hospital, but at an early hour this morning there were hopes for his recovery.

The Dead. —James Smith, engineer, Chapleau, died in Toronto General Hospital last night.

Jameson, passenger, Owen Sound.

Nyal, fireman, buried in wreckage.

The Injured. —Engineer Loist, Peterboro, in serious condition in Toronto General Hospital.

Conley, a farmer, may not recover.

Orders Misunderstood. —Misinterpretation of the train orders

was the cause of the wreck, the second which happened within three days on the division. Both trains had orders to meet at Birch Station, six miles west of Amoy. Instead of waiting the westbound settlers' train passed Birch Station resulting in a frightful impact. A number of cars were demolished, the tracks were torn up for a considerable distance, the engines were both battered into shapeless masses of steel and hurled clear from the tracks. Both trains were running at a rate of about 25 miles an hour. Shortly after the Winnipeg train, number four, due in Toronto at 3 o'clock yesterday afternoon, was delayed over eight hours. It arrived at about midnight last night.

Smith and Loist were brought to Toronto, and the former was also accompanied by his wife, who stayed in the hospital until his death.

A fireman named Nyal on the east-bound freight train could not be located, and it is believed that he was buried in the wreckage. Those who received minor injuries were attended to at Chapleau. Fortunately there were just a few settlers' goods west.

Seven cars of settlers' effects were destroyed and many horses and cattle were killed. The scene of the catastrophe is just 100 miles east of the Jackfish disaster which happened three days ago.

WILL HOLD CONFERENCE

G. T. R. Officials to Discuss Labor
Situation at Ottawa.

Ottawa, March 25.—Howard Kelly, superintendent of the operating department of the Grand Trunk Railway, is expected to arrive in Ottawa from Montreal today to confer with Hon. T. W. Crothers, minister of labor, with regard to the employees whom the Grand Trunk has refused to re-engage.

DROPPED DEAD

Christopher Bennington, of Stratford,
Was Stricken With Heart Failure.

[Special to The Advertiser.] —Stratford, March 23.—Christopher Bennington, aged 70 years, was seized with heart failure while uptown this afternoon with his two sons, William and Sammy, and dropped dead. Sammy is now 40 years old, and is claimed to be the smallest Canadian-born living in the Dominion, being only three feet nine inches tall. Deceased was a native of Dufferin County, but had resided in Stratford for eighteen years.

SOFT COAL MEN LESSEN DEMANDS

To Drop All Claims Except the
Five Per Cent. In-
crease.

WILL OPERATORS YIELD?

Effect of the Agreement Would Aid
Settlement of Differences in
Anthracite Field.

Cleveland, March 25.—A crisis in the coal situation determining whether the miners in the bituminous fields shall strike on April 1, or suspend until new wage agreements can be effected, is expected this week.

Members of the executive board and policy committee of the United Mine Workers of America began to arrive here today and prepare to draw up recommendations for a referendum vote by the union. They will not act, however, until after the operators and miners of the bituminous fields of Western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, at their session here, Tuesday, have decided whether they can agree on a two-year wage scale.

John P. White, president of the union, and the district presidents, today considered a proposal that the bituminous miners drop all their demands except that for an increase in pay, and that they ask for 5 per cent instead of 10. The compromise was not definitely agreed upon, but it was considered as a probability in view of the emphatic stand taken by the operators that they were not inclined to yield. It was proposed that the single suggestion for a 5 per cent increase be considered by both sides before it was taken into conference. Even if this plan was agreed upon, it was declared, it still would have to be adopted by the policy committee and then supported by a referendum vote.

The union officials say an agreeable adjustment of the bituminous dispute would have much influence in securing for the 175,000 anthracite miners a settlement of their differences.

The Legislature is NOT NEARLY THROUGH Looks Now as If the Local House Would Be Sitting After Easter.

Toronto, March 25.—With Easter less than a fortnight away, gossip around the Parliament Buildings turns to the question whether the Legislature can conclude its business before that time. Opinions vary; some members, even cabinet ministers, say yes; others shake their heads in doubt. The prime minister is silent on the subject. The whole situation is up to the Opposition. If there is much discussion the session will be prolonged; if little, prorogation may be reached before Easter. As it is, the order paper is crowded, and the bulk of the work has yet to be done.

If the Government follows today the rule adopted on Friday, as a result of the Speaker's decision, there is a chance of the bill introduced by Mr. W. McDonald (Centre Bruce), to extend the Provincial franchise to women, being considered. Dr. McQueen's (North Wentworth) bill for compulsory notification to health officers of consumptive patients might also be reached. It is understood that Dr. McQueen will press the second reading of his bill with the view of affirming the principle, although the same result may be attained under the general clauses of the public health act now before the House.

Tuesday will see Mr. Rowell's good roads resolution debated, and the tax reform bills, giving municipalities local option to exempt improvements, will come up on Wednesday.

Under this arrangement the best part of the session has been disposed of. The further supplementary estimates for 1912 have yet to appear, as well as the main estimates for 1913. These may readily be disposed of, although the Opposition is likely to discuss some items in the supplementary estimates now before the House. The legislation introduced by Hon. Adam Beck is sure to occupy considerable time. A number of bills, with important amendments, have come from the statute revision commission. Mr. Rowell's resolution for civil service reform is to be discussed, and a mass of legislation of more or less importance remains to be considered.

With morning, afternoon and evening sittings the end of the session might be reached by Easter, but there would be a jaded lot of members that need country air and rest by then. Easter is possible, but not probable; at any rate, "ask the Opposition."

FATALLY INJURED

[Special to The Advertiser.]

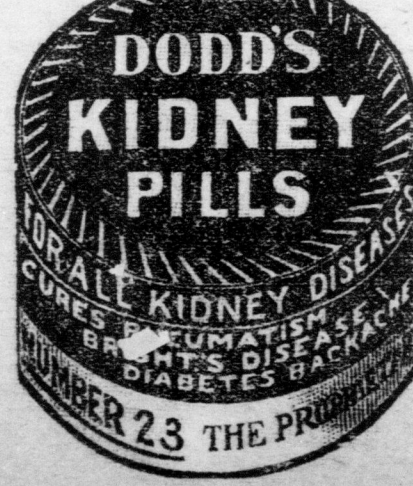
Bothwell, March 24.—Ross Lidster, the 14-year-old son of John Lidster, of the Township of Zone, while out horseback riding on Saturday evening with his youngest brother, was thrown from his horse, and died in a few minutes from the fall.

A WESTERN SUICIDE.

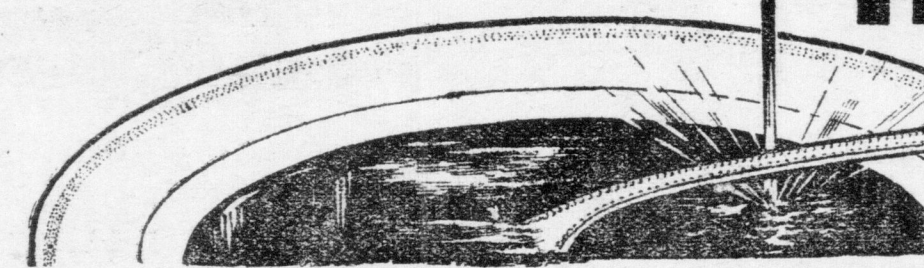
Herbert, Sask., March 25.—A man named Mervin, an English homestead near here, committed suicide yesterday, blowing out his brains. He came here from Bonnaville, Ontario.

CALL TO TORONTO.

Montreal, March 23.—Rev. F. K. Day, pastor of Zion Congregational Church, has received a call to North York Congregational Church, Toronto, announced this morning that he would hold a conference with the officials of his present church over the matter and announce his decision in a few days.



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THE BRITISH WAR SECRETARY GIVES PLAIN HINT TO MINERS

Says That the Government Cannot Compel a Million Men To
Return to Work, But Will See That Those Who Wish
to Work Will Be Adequately Protected.

London, March 25.—While the postponement of strike legislation until this week leaves the outcome still uncertain it is obvious that even if the strike proceeds it will not last long. British public opinion, which was slow to crystallize, may now be aroused to the point of resentment through the discomforts and actual suffering which the strike has entailed not only to those who have been thrown out of work, but to the hundreds of thousands of those who are employed and feel the effects of the widespread business depression and the increased expense of living.

The leaders of the miners realize this and what is more, they realize that the Government, which had made such concessions to the miners regarding the shutting down of industries for lack of coal, but to the hundreds of thousands of those who are employed and feel the effects of the widespread business depression and the increased expense of living.

Premier Asquith has already indicated that the Government is ready to adopt strong measures if legislation failed to settle the strike. What these measures are can only be guessed at, but significance is attached to the speech of Viscount Haldane, the war secretary, at the dinner of the fishermen, because Lord Haldane would have hardly spoken in such a plain manner without the knowledge and approval of the Prime Minister.

Lord Haldane said that it was the duty of the state to preserve law and order and added: "We have no right, we have no power to make 550,000 miners go to work, it is for them to choose. On the other hand, if there are those among them who desire to work, it is our duty to secure to them the liberty to do so."

This is believed to hint at the "other measures which heaven forbid" mentioned by the Premier in his speech in the House of Commons the other day.

after an extended honeymoon to Niagara Falls, Buffalo and other points, Mr. and Mrs. Winger will reside near Wardsville.

A number of local ladies are planning to organize a Women's Institute in Bothwell.

THE OPERATORS MAY MEET AGAIN In Order To Find Means of Stopping
Hard Coal Suspension.

[Canadian Press.] New York, March 23.—Representatives in this city of the anthracite coal operators said today that there was no change in the situation as regards the demands of the miners for increased pay. It is thought probable, however, that the operators will get together for a meeting some time next week in order to take some action looking to averting suspension of work on April 1, which the miners have threatened unless their demands are granted. Some statement bearing on the matter may be issued here tomorrow.

CAPT. FULLER'S TEAM WON Result of Vegetable Growers' Contest
Announced.

A largely attended meeting of the Vegetable Growers' Association was held Saturday afternoon in the county building. The result of the exhibition contest was announced, Capt. F. G. Fuller's team winning. This contest, which has been going on all winter, consisted of four different exhibits, composed of apples and different varieties of garden vegetables. Capt. Fuller's team, by their victory, are the guests of the losers at a banquet to be held on Thursday, April 11.

Seven of the members present at Saturday's meeting signified their intention of entering the field crop competition conducted by the Ontario Vegetable Growers' Association.

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MOTHER AND DAUGHTER VICTIMS OF GAS STOVE

Two Toronto Ladies Meet With
Death by Asphyxiation
While Asleep.

Toronto, March 25.—Mother and daughter, Mrs. Amelia Leaden, and Lillian Leaden, were asphyxiated by gas in their bedroom at 117 Borden street, on Sunday morning. Alarmed because they failed to come downstairs for breakfast about 11 o'clock, the other members of the household entered the room, which was filled with gas fumes, and found the two women dead in bed.

Dr. J. A. Tuck, of Ulster and Bathurst street, was summoned, but he found that life in both cases had been extinct for several hours. Chief Coroner Dr. A. J. Johnson was notified and instructed Coroner D. W. A. Graham to investigate. He decided that an inquest was unnecessary, as death was purely accidental.

A gas heater, with the jet thrown wide open, allowing the fumes to escape, was the cause of the tragedy.

Albert J. Leaden, a son, returned from work at the Majestic Theatre, where he is employed as an electrician, at midnight. At that time Mrs. Leaden was just going to bed. She went down stairs to give her son supper, and a short time later returned to her room, where her daughter Lillian had retired a couple of hours before. It is thought that she turned the jet of the heater off, as the room was warm, and then, by mistake, turned it on, and then retired. Mrs. Leaden was 71 years of age, and her daughter Lillian about 35 years.

DOUBLE AIR-CRASH. Sebastopol, Russia, March 23.—A double aeroplane fatality occurred here today. Sub-Lieutenant Alkhorinoff, and his assistant, an engineer, were making a flight in a Farman bi-plane at the flying ground, attached to the military aviation school, when the aeroplane was seized by a sudden gust of wind which overturned it and hurled it to the ground. The two men were killed instantly, and the aeroplane was destroyed.

PARIS PRICES. Paris, March 23.—Prices were firm on the Bourse today.

Closing: 3 per cent. rents, 93 francs 82½ centimes for the account. Exchange on London 25 francs 25 centimes for checks. Private discount rate 3½ per cent.

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ALL THE NEWS
THAT IS NEWS

A DAY IN THE SPORTING WORLD

SIDE LIGHTS ON
MANY SPORTSLANE AND SILCOX WANT TO KNOW
WHEN TO REPORT FOR TRAINING

Have Written Local Management Stating They Are in Fine Form and Wanting to Know When They Are Expected in London—Silcox Says He Weighs 170 Pounds.

[BY JINX.]

There is nothing like the warmth of the spring air to instill into a ballplayer that feeling of restlessness that persuades him to sign his next season's contract and come into the fold from which he has been holding out. This is the time of the year that the hold-outs begin to take up their pens and write the local managements that they were only fooling all the time, and they guess they will play another season for the same old salary if there is still a vacant place on the team for them.

There are one or two ballplayers who played with the London team last season who have yet to sign this season's contract. The management are not losing any sleep over the matter, however, but they are daily expecting to hear from the wayward ones. The other morning a letter from "Big Bill" Lane was received. Lane has not yet signed a contract for 1912, but, although he raised an objection to the salary offered him, he will accept the terms. Lane explains that he has a good position in Detroit in the municipal offices, and he wants to do the right thing by it so that in the fall he can return. He wants to know when he is supposed to report in London and wishes to be informed right away so he can advise his employers. Lane says he is in fine condition and is looking for a great season.

"Big Bill" Lane.
Photo by George Henry.

Lane is a strong batter when he wants to be. He has been doing a good deal of indifference when it came to batting, but there is no doubt that he can slam the ball all over the lot when he feels like it. He burned up the league at the first of the season with the bat when on the Guelph team, but later started to play for his release. He did pretty good work when he came to London, and was a favorite with the fans.

SILCOX WRITES A LETTER.

The local management have also received a letter from Silcox, one of the best pitchers with the London team last year. Silcox has not yet signed a contract, and has been holding out for more money. However, there is no mention about salary in his letter. He wants to know when he is expected to report. The warm weather and the news from the training camps has evidently given him that restless feeling. He also enclosed a piece of news that delighted the local management. This was to the effect that he now weighs 170 pounds, and is in fine shape.

Thomas Silcox.
Photo by George Henry.

Last season, Silcox did not weigh more than 135, but he has evidently been increasing his weight, and should have a great season if he keeps this standard all summer. He has been doing a little training and promises to be in great shape when he reports in London. It is likely that his contract will follow in a day or two.

RICH AND GREEN RELEASSED.

Rich and Green, two of last season's twirlers, have been given their unconditional release. A contract was sent to Rich in January, with the salary figure about \$25 less than what he got last year. He promptly wrote back and said that it was preposterous to expect a ballplayer with his experience to work at such a figure, and he would not even consider attaching his signature to such a document.

"Happy" received another letter a few days later from the London management, and he was horrified to find that he had been unconditionally released. At any price, this called forth another letter, in which he stated that he might have been a little hasty, and, after a little consideration, had decided to accept the terms offered him. But there was nothing doing, and Rich will play for some other team this summer.

Green was released without being given a chance to sign. He was not particular whether he played with London this summer or not, and, as he wrote, saying that he had a chance to play with a team near his home town, the local management gave him his release.

QUEBEC ONCE AGAIN
DEFEATS WANDERERS

Prove Their Right to the Name of Champs.

New York, March 24.—Quebec, the Stanley Cup holders, proved themselves entitled to the championship of the hockey world last night by defeating the Wanderers of Montreal by the decisive score of eight to four, thus winning the series by thirteen to eight. The game was much more rough than that of Thursday night, and again Quebec had somewhat the worst of it in the refereeing, for while their men deserved all the penalties they got, Odie Cleghorn and Roberts got away with several offences that would have meant their exile. Russell Bowl, as effective as ever, but his assistant, Russell, of the New York Hockey Club, was not fast enough for the Canadian players. The six-man game has gained in favor as a result of the visit of the Canadian professionals, for it has shown that the present line-up makes the game faster and more open.

City League and
O.H.A. Players Clash

A team composed of O. H. A. players will line up against a team of City League all-stars at the Westminster rink this evening. The O. H. A. men will be members of the local intermediates, and the two Reids, of the fast Seaford juniors. The Reids are residing in London now and it is expected that they will turn out next season with the local O. H. A. team. They are both good players, and there is no doubt but what they will gain a place with either the intermediates or the juniors. They will be given a try-out tonight just to see how fast they really are.

The all-stars are fully confident of defeating the O. H. A. team, and as the ice is hard, the game will be a fast one. Sid Rankin will referee.

RIDPATH BENEFIT
FINALLY PULLED OFF

"Riddy" Will Get About \$500 as a Result.

Ottawa, March 24.—The New Edinburghs demonstrated their right to the championship of the Interprovincial Amateur Hockey Union at the Arena Saturday night when they defeated an all-star team, chosen from the clubs of the district, by a score of 7 goals to 6. A crowd of about 2,000 people saw the game.

The match was arranged for the benefit of Ridpath, the Ottawa player who was seriously injured by being struck by an automobile at Toronto last fall, and as a result the New Edinburghs will send "Riddy" a check for about \$500 tomorrow. The rink management gave the Arena free of charge, and the employees worked free, and the city newspapers gave the game every support. Subscriptions were also received from E. E. Lichtenstein, Montreal; Art Ross, Wanderers, Montreal; and others, and the Ottawas will also vote a grant to Ridpath, who is one of the most popular players that every dented a red, white and black uniform.

Ernie Butterworth and Fred Taylor refereed the game. The latter was seriously injured during the game, and had to retire.

New Edinburgh—Benedict, Merrill, Atkinson, Gerard, Kendall, Broadbent and Parker.

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Were Far Down List, But Got Some Money, Anyway.

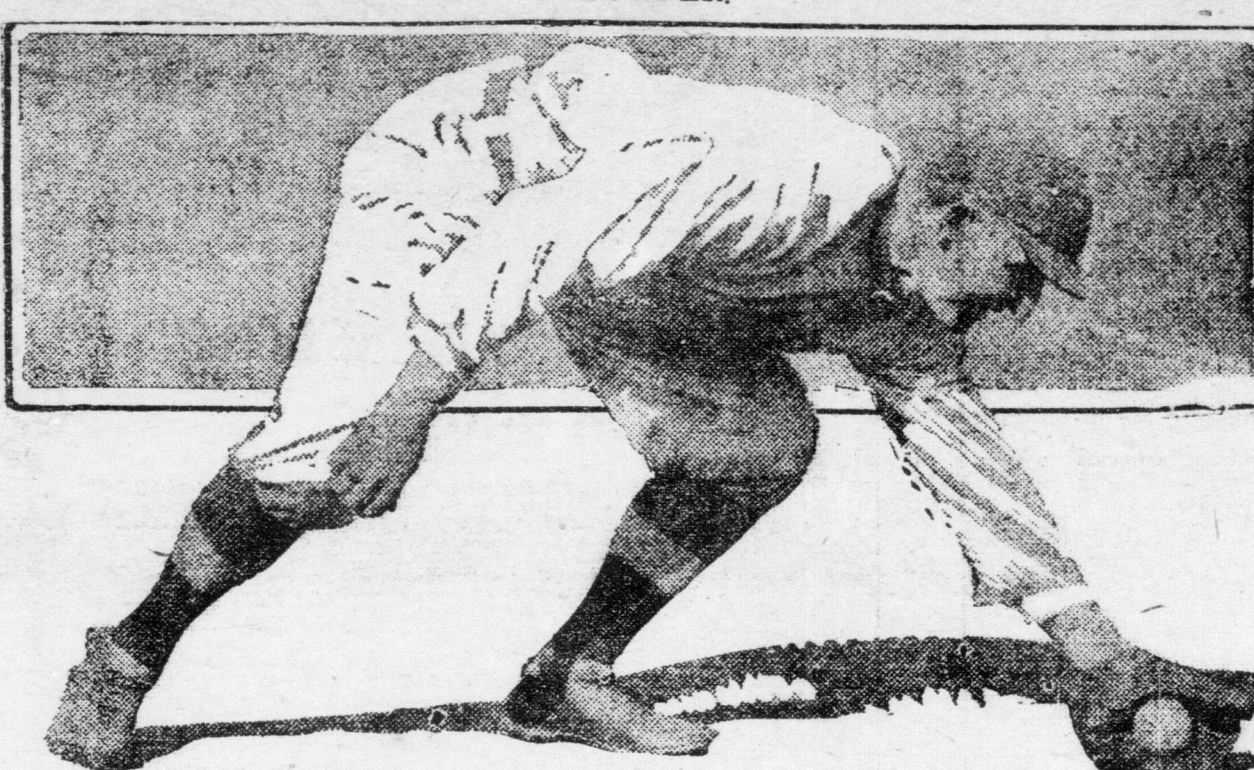
Chicago, March 23.—Three Toronto pairs landed in the money positions of the two-men event of the American Bowling Congress tournament, which finished today. A. C. Maxwell and A. A. Sutherland were 200th on the list.

Two men landed places in the singles, G. Perry getting 147th position and cashing \$14. Score:

G. Perry, Toronto..... 238 178 186—592
A. Sutherland, Toronto..... 234 147 192—573

Doubles:
200—A. C. Maxwell and A. Sutherland, 1,106, 517.

235—Kerrys and E. E. Sutherland, 1,102, 515.
227—Hartman and Gillis, 1092, 512.

PHOTO TAKEN AT HOT SPRINGS OF SPEEDY PHILLY INFILDER REACHING FOR
GROUNDER.

HANS LOBERT, THE PHILLIES' THIRD BASEMAN.

ENGLAND PLAYS TIE
GAME IN SCOTLAND

Tremendous Crowd of One Hundred Thousand People Witness Contest

SCORE WAS ONE TO ONE

Scotland Secured the First Goal, But England Evened Up Soon After.

Hampden Park, Glasgow, March 23.—The international football match played here this afternoon in brilliant weather, resulted in a draw, the final score being 1 to 1, the same as at half-time.

An hour before the start of the game over one hundred thousands people had gained admittance to the inclosure. As the time wore on the crowd became so dense that the ambulance men had a busy time rescuing fainting men from under the feet of the crowd. As the time approached for the teams to line up, the crowd went entirely out of bounds, invading the field of play, and taking up their stand around the touchlines. Reinforcements of police hurried to the scene to restore comparative order, as the teams entered the field amid deafening applause.

Last year's game at Liverpool ended in a draw, and when the teams represented the respective countries lined up today, they having both beaten Wales and Ireland, started level in their attempt to decide the championship. The result was, however, again a draw, and thus they became joint holders of the honor. Scotland's team, as usual, contained many Anglo-Scots, that is, Scotsmen who are playing for English clubs. England's team had nearly all played against the other countries.

The Game. Freeman kicked on for England. Then followed one of the stiffest battles for mastery between speedy and delightfully combined forwards ever seen at Hampden Park. By dint of vigorous attack and relentless tackling, the Scottish forwards broke through the English defence. They could do everything but score.

The extreme pressure was bound to tell, and, ten minutes from the start of the game, Wilson got his toe on the ball, and scored with a rocket shot that left Williamson bewildered.

This seemed to put more energy into the English eleven. They broke through the Scottish defence, and literally bombarded the Scottish custodian, but Brownlie time, and again emerged with flying colors.

Play was transferred to English territory, and a long punt from Crompton saw the English forwards rush on to the sphere. Away they raced towards Brownlie. Simpson eluded in fine style the Scottish halves, and centred a lively pass, which was accepted by Holley, who, in turn, let drive, and put the ball out of reach of Brownlie.

After this breathing space followed, but the forceful tactics of the Scottish half-backs resulted in a very severe pressure being brought to bear on the English goal, which was relieved shortly before the interval.

Just before the whistle blew, Brownlie brilliantly saved a beauty from Freeman. On resumption, the Scotch forwards, if anything, struck better combination. Bobby Walker played a brilliant game, and it was largely responsible for the Scottish point. Brownlie had plenty of work on hand. His efforts were cheered time and again.

Scotland did well in keeping the Englishmen from doing further damage in the second half. There was very little to choose between the teams, each being in brilliant form, and each in turn storming the other's goal. A drawn game is a fair indication of the run of play.

Final score: Scotland 1, England 1.

The Teams.

The teams were as follows:

Brownlie (Third Lanark)
McNair (Celtic) Walker (Swindon)

Gordon (Sunderland) Thomson (Hay)

Templeton (McLean) Quinn (Kilmarnock)

Walker (Hearts) Wilson (Sheff. Wed.)

England. Simpson (Manchester U.) (Burnley) (Blackburn)

Holley (Sunderland) (Everton)

Makepeace (Wedlock) (Bristol) (Sheff. Wed.)

Pennington (West Bromwich) (Blackburn)

Williamson (Middlesbrough)

Referee—Mr. J. Mason, Burslem.

The record of international matches between Scotland and England now stands:

Games played..... 41
Scotland won..... 17
England won..... 12
Drawn..... 12
Goals, Scotland..... 82
Goals, England..... 73

The Naps may start the season with a dozen pitchers. Manager Davis has 14 pitchers, and he announces that if all are showing something the first week of April all will be retained until the team has to be reduced to 25 players.

OTTAWA AND PETERBORO CLUBS
ARE BUSY SIGNING PLAYERS

New Organizations Will Begin Season With Strong Teams—Manager Templin Has Landed Some Good Ones—Frank Shaughnessy Will Give Ottawa City Leaguers a Try-Out.

Ottawa Journal: Frank Shaughnessy added another ballplayer to his string this morning. The new player's name is Hopewell, and he comes from Chicago.

He is a left-handed first baseman, and comes recommended by no less a person than Manager Frank Chance, of the Chicago Cubs. Hopewell played against the Cuban Giants and has also played in the Michigan League. He batted .316 last season.

S. Collingwood, who is to be given a try-out, will report at Fort Wayne, and will work out with the Fort Wayne team, of which Shaughnessy is manager. If "Shag" thinks he is good enough he will be sent north. There are half a dozen other men who will be given their try-out with the Fort Wayne Club, and will then be turned over to the Ottawas if Fitzgerald, "Neither Ottawa nor any other team in the league will be allowed to overstep the mark." As the limit is now \$1,200 a month, without the manager, the locals will find it an easier matter to run their team in style.

LOTS OF TWIRLERS. Manager Frank Shaughnessy gets about "seven letters a day from aspiring ballplayers, mostly twirlers, who would develop into Mathewsons if they "only got a chance." This ball team has certainly advertised Ottawa all over the States. Some of the letters come from down New Orleans way.

In Pitcher Hamilton the Ottawas have a find. He is fast, with great control, and also possesses a whole lot of that grey material so much talked of in big league ball these days.

CURTIS IS A BUSY BOY. Peterboro Examiner: Manager Curtis Templin, of the Peterboro Canadian League, is evidently not letting any grass grow under his feet, and although he has only been under contract for a week, has already called almost a complete team for Peterboro. This morning's mail brought Secretary Davidson the signed contracts of Harry Scott, of Trenton, N. J. Concerning this twirler Manager Templin states that he has been pitching in a semi-pro league in Scranton, Pa., and that he is a good one. He is only a youngster, barely twenty-one years of age, and is a youth of good habits. He is a right-hander, is five feet nine inches in height, and weighs 160 pounds. He is expected to make good easily in the Canadian League.

The manager gives some further information about Third-Baseman Hartman, whose acquisition was announced yesterday. Hartman gives every promise of becoming a star in the Canadian circuit. He is a basketball player as well as a diamond artist, and has just finished a season in the Eastern League. He is a big boy, six feet in height, and is very fast. Hartman's habits are most exemplary, as he does not drink or touch tobacco in any form.

Manager Templin announces that he has a deal on with the York Tri-State League team for infielder Hoover, and with the Trenton Tri-State League Club for Richardson, another fast infielder. In addition, he is negotiating with the Columbia team, of the South Atlantic League, for Pitcher Ridgeway, and with a New England League club for another baseman.

"Old Folks" says the weather is very fine—like summer—in Reading, and that the greater part of his team will be in good shape before they leave for the north.

SEXTON FOR OTTAWA. Ottawa Free Press: Danville sent terms this morning for the sale of Pitcher Sexton, one of the best right-handers in the south, but the figure is somewhat big, and not to the liking of the local club. Sexton was the bone of contention between the Danville and Atlanta club of the Southern League, and it is only recently he had been declared the property of the Virginia club. Shaughnessy says he is a high-class pitcher, but not worth the price Danville asks for him.

Jack Casey, who was official scorer of the city league last year, met Shaughnessy yesterday and was discussing the likelihood of any of the city leaguers catching on with the team. Jack thinks Dutch Jordan would be a man who might make good in Canadian League company. Peterson, the O. A. A. C. outfielder and pitcher, believes Eddie Maddocks would be the most likely of any of the local recruits to make good. Shaughnessy says he has never seen any city league ball, but has heard the local boys are all comers. He intimated he would instruct Louis Cook to give any one of them who wanted a chance a thorough trial.

SOME NICKNAMES. Peterboro Examiner: Nicknames for the Peterboro Canadian League ball team continue to pour into the Examiner, and the fans are evidently taking a keen interest in the contest.

"Electricity" is a new name sent in. The contributor explains that Peterboro is known as the Electric City, and that

therefore Electricities would be a good name. Another suggests "Possums" because, as he says, "they will be like that little animal, very much alive when some people think they are dead."

Another correspondent says: "I suggest that the team be named the 'Invincibles,' which means 'cannot be beaten.' My reason for naming the team of rosters are yelling for the team they would try to live up to the reputation of the nickname."

Still another: "I saw you were giving the fans the chance to select a name for the baseball team. Without further notice I propose the name 'Magnets,' as I am sure there will be lots of magnetism on the field when they get started."

"Electric" find favor with another fan, who says: "I would suggest that the team be called the 'Allan Outlaws,' as he says naively, they will have a battle to face, the same as the mountain outlaws."

A name that has much to commend it is "Kawarthas," which was submitted today. The writer says he thinks the team should be named after the well-known chain of lakes on which Peterboro is situated.

Among other names received today are Electricians, Electric Goers, Knockouts, Wanderers, and Can't Be Beats.

VARNELL WILL NOT PUSH CASE. Ottawa Free Press: Owner Claude Varnell, of Fort Wayne, will not push the case against the Ottawa club for alleged tampering with Frank Shaughnessy. Varnell reported the local Ottawa club organization to the National Association some weeks ago, asking for an investigation on the ground of negotiating with Shaughnessy under reservation. The matter really came up when an Ottawa gentleman offered to pay \$500 for Shaughnessy's release. Varnell informed Shaughnessy recently he was satisfied with his explanation and would not press the charges.

It was learned yesterday the prices for Canadian League games in this city would be 25 cents to the bleachers, which includes the east and west sections of the stands, and 50 cents for the reserved seat sections. With the placing of the diamond straight out from the stand a huge curtain of wire screen will be dropped from the front to protect the spectators from foul balls.

Frank Shaughnessy leaves tomorrow week for Detroit, where he will be joined by Varnell, and the pair proceed to Fort Wayne. Two or three men are billed to report to the Central League club of that place on Monday week. The Central is a 12-club organization this season, and Shaughnessy will have some competition for the pennant. Fort Wayne finished second in the league last year.

Frank Shaughnessy, a youngster from Chicago, has asked for a trial on the initial sack. Being a namesake of the chief executive of the city, he should make good. He is a left-hand thrower and hitter.

Picked Team Will
Play the Beavers

A picked team will play the Manufacturers' League will play the Champlain Beavers, of St. Thomas, at the Westminster rink on Tuesday evening. The ice is in great condition at the rink at present, and one of the fastest games of the season is expected. The picked team will have to travel their hardest to win. The St. Thomas team will be a strong one, and will put up a good game.

The picked team is as follows: Stephens (Gate), goal; Orr (Lawson & Jones), point; Thorn (Empire Brass), coverpoint; Knott (Perrins), rover; Stanton (Lawson & Jones), centre; Arthur (Perrins), left wing; Legg (Gasthe), right wing.

BOXING BOUTS FOR BOSTON. [Canadian Press.]

Boston, Mass., March 25.—Boston has again been awarded the right to hold the contests for the boxing championship in the Amateur Athletic Union, which are to be held in Mechanics' Hall, April 8 and 9, under the auspices of the Boston Athletic Association. This series will bring together the pick of the man who have been winning honors in the sectional championship events.

One important rule which will be observed is:

"Any athlete who weighs in and then fails to compete, without an excuse satisfactory to the committee, shall be suspended for six months."

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TRAINING CAMP TIDINGS

RAIN AND COLD AT MACON.

Macon, Ga., March 24.—A decided lowering tendency of the mercury, accompanied by a drizzling rain on Saturday, caused the Toronto team to take a day off. A score of less-weary, stiffer athletes were glad of the slight respite from the arduous conditioning process. All hands attended church this morning, but in the afternoon and evening most of the players were content to stay in their rooms. Half a dozen of the Leafs mounted decrepit livery horses, and rode out to inspect the surrounding country and the cotton plantations.

It is Manager Kelley's intention to play games every day this week, either dividing his squad into two teams or playing the regulars against the Macon team or Mercer University. Macon will be met on Wednesday and Mercer on Thursday. Kelley is now engaged in devising a signal code, into the mysteries of which the men will be initiated in a day or two. The manager feels that the two days' rest will do the squad a great deal of good, and he will commence tomorrow to perfect the team play. Relieved of the duty of selecting his regulars from a corps of candidates, Kelley faces clear sailing, and expects to open the season at Shreveport.

He heard from Holly late tonight. He has been practicing with Charles, S. C., and will report here Wednesday.

GIANTS WALLOP DALLAS. Dallas, Texas, March 24.—By heavy and consistent batting, the Giants easily defeated the Dallas team this afternoon by the score of 11 to 4. The Dodgers played a fine fielding game, and by their accurate and hard throwing and general activity demonstrated that all the players are in splendid condition. Crandall, Marquard and Tesreau each pitched three innings. Marquard had great speed and excellent control. Murray did the best hitting of the Giants. The weather was cold and the field spongy.

YANKEES TAKE REST. Atlanta, Ga., March 24.—Georgia's blue laws relegated the New York Yankees to the chair of ease today. Manager Wolverton taking his squad out for a walk this afternoon. The Yankees break training on Friday of this week, starting north that night.

TIGERS HAVE A COLD TIME. Shreveport, La., March 24.—There was no game today because it was cold enough to snow. After the continued rains, the temperature took a drop, and made it impossible to risk any pitching arms on Shreveport's tornado-swept ball lot. There was a chance for play today, and Jennings was content with taking his athletes to the lot for a brief workout. The Tigers were scheduled to play their third and last game with Topeka.

The weather forecast next night promised just this kind of a day, but the cancellation was not caused, as the gang insisted on coming here, not because they were anxious to play but they were positive of getting three meals in Shreveport, and thrice today.

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Great Snow War Now Waging in the Rockies to Rescue Passengers Stalled by Gigantic Drifts

How Big Plows and Armies of Men Conduct Annual Battle With Nature



Stalled trains in the Rockies. The upper picture shows a transcontinental passenger train trying to buck the big drifts a few feet at a time. The lower picture shows a snow plow at work, only the headlight and a big cloud of smoke revealing the presence of civilization amid the gleaming white.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Denver, Colo., March 23.—The great annual battle between man and the snow is on along the Great Divide. The whole snow-fighting army of the transcontinental roads, equipped with batteries of "rotaries," is on one side; on the other is King Winter's field marshal, General Blizzard, equipped with snowdrifts, avalanches and other boreal engines of construction and destruction.

This war lasts from March to May, and it costs the railroads something like \$20,000,000 each year. Costly Batteries to Wage Snow War. Every road that crosses the Rockies is involved, and each must keep snow-fighting crews in the field for months. Each crew must be supplied with at least two rotary snow-plows—a contraption more like a combination ditch digger, steam shovel, stone crusher and garbage reduction plant than like a mere plow. They cost \$25,000 each, and can be put out of business by a mere fence rail or chunk of wood that may get mixed in with the snow, unknown to the pilot of the plow.

That's why they have two—one to go to the front while the other crew is putting new blades in the other. Non-Combatants Get It in the Neck. This war involves not only hard fighting, but also much discomfort, suffering and mental anguish for non-combatants who may be so injudicious as to try to cross the Great Divide when the forces of King Winter are getting in their best kicks.

The branch road suffers most. The energy of the snow-fighting army is expended in keeping the transcontinental lines clear.

They tell how the passengers on one local train on a branch line were snow-bound for five days in an isolated place, and how they were forced to subsist for that time on three buckets of oysters, the only edible article found among the express shipments. These they ate without salt, either an natural or toasted over the fire in the baggage car stove.

One Passenger Who Paid No Fare. The passengers of another such train, including a young wife hurrying home to mother, were thrown into an almost unexampled state of excitement by an ill-timed visit from the stork during the time the train lay imprisoned in the drifts, and when the train was finally released it went on its way carrying one more passenger than it had taken aboard—one who had not paid any fare.

Always Fighting Snow on This Road. Still another snow-bound consignment of folks were finally informed that the train that they were on had been discontinued till spring and that owing to circumstances over which the management had no control it would stay where it was till further notice. These folks escaped on foot to the nearest town, the men taking turns in carrying the two women on the train.

The most snow-beset road in the United States is the Denver, North-western & Pacific, now in course of construction. This road crosses the divide at an altitude of 11,000 feet and owing to the cold and the winds that prevail at that height it is only by constant vigilance that the road can be kept clear. Snow plows must be sent over the line every day. In many places the trains pass through clean-cut canyons of packed snow that far over-top the roofs of the cars.

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COMPANY WILL PAY ELECTROLYSES BILL

Chairman Pocock Says the City Will Collect for Street Railway.

The bill for \$1,450 presented by the water commissioners to the London Street Railway for damage done by electrolysis will probably be paid by the London Street Railway, although some time will elapse before it is collected. Manager C. B. King, of the company, states that he has not had time to go into the matter. "We have just received the claim," he stated. "We are not in any position to discuss the question as yet, having made no investigation whatever. We have no information on the subject. We will investigate and make a report on the matter."

"Of course, the company will pay," said Chairman Pocock. "They paid the former account, and they will pay this."

"That is our estimate of the damage," said Manager Glauditz. "We will charge the actual cost of putting the pipe in good shape. It may be less than the amount named, but we will collect it, whatever it is."

THE AEROPLANE GUN

Coupled in Siamese Fashion It Does Away With Recoil.

[Canadian Press.]

Fisher's Island, N. Y., March 23.—Some details of the mechanism of the new aeroplane gun which was tested here this week, have been given out by its inventor, Commander Cleveland Davis, U. S. N. The absence of recoil in the discharge of the weapon is due to the fact that "two guns in one" are used, coupled in "Siamese" fashion at the breech, with muzzles pointing in opposite directions.

Charged with an equal amount of powder and loaded with projectiles of equal weight, fired simultaneously by electricity, there is no perceptible recoil.

In the test the projectiles showed a muzzle velocity of 1,000 feet a second, or about half the speed of a four-inch shell from a navy gun.

In the tests made here, two light canvas "wings" were arranged close to the gun and delicate springs placed under the stanchions so that recoil could be minutely observed.

A FEVER EXPERIMENT.

Paris, March 23.—Important experiments in connection with the prevention and cure of scarlet fever are now being carried out at the Pasteur Institute here.

A large orange-outang has been successfully inoculated with the disease by the injection under the skin of a small quantity of blood from a child suffering from scarlet fever, and by painting the throat with tonsillar secretions from the same child. After a few days the ape exhibited exactly the same external and internal

CHIEF FOR DESERTS IS RUINING ITALY

The Tourist Season Off, Hotels Shaky and Many Banks Are Failing.

[Canadian Press.]

Paris, March 23.—According to an interview with a prominent American well acquainted with Italian affairs, who in fact spends part of each year near Milan, but does not wish his name to be made public, it would appear that economic conditions in Italy at present are far worse than the censored despatches make out.

"The Tripoli war," he said, "very near being the ruin of Italy, which is, in fact, already seething with anarchy and discontent. Silk exports from Como Province to the east have diminished down to almost nothing."

"Banks are beginning to fail right along. My own bank at Menaggio and Lecco collapsed last week, causing much alarm and distress. I believe that this is the first drop of a heavy shower, and that when the people realize the comparative worthlessness of the millions of acres of the conquered provinces and the fearful expense involved for many years, even after peace is obtained, we shall see a dangerous reaction."

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TRAVELLERS' GUIDE

GRAND TRUNK RAILWAY.
SARNIA TUNNEL TO SUSPENSION
BRIDGE AND TORONTO.
Arrive from the East—2:27 a.m.
10:58 a.m., 11:12 a.m., 11:28 a.m.
6:30 p.m., 8:00 p.m., 10:20 p.m.
Arrive from the West—12:00 a.m.
12:45 a.m., 3:30 a.m., 11:55 a.m., 1:10 p.m., 4:10 p.m., 6:25 p.m.
Depart for the East—12:14 a.m.
12:48 a.m., 7:30 a.m., 9:00 a.m., 12:05 p.m., 2:05 p.m., 4:55 p.m., 6:53 p.m.
Depart for the West—3:32 a.m., 7:40 a.m., 11:18 a.m., 11:43 a.m., 1:40 p.m., 3:29 p.m.

LONDON AND WINDSOR.
Arrive—10:23 a.m., 4:00 p.m., 6:50 p.m., 11:55 p.m.
Depart—6:55 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 2:05 p.m., 8:10 p.m.

STRATFORD BRANCH.
Arrive—11:15 a.m., 1:32 p.m., 6:46 p.m., 11:25 p.m.
Depart—6:00 a.m., 10:26 a.m., 12:35 p.m., 2:45 p.m., 4:55 p.m.

LONDON, HURON AND BRUCE.
Arrive—10:30 a.m., 6:10 p.m.
Depart—8:30 a.m., 4:40 p.m.
Trains marked * run daily. Those marked ** run daily, except Sunday.

CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY.
Arrive from the East—11:28 a.m., 6:10 p.m., 7:40 p.m., 10:52 p.m.
Arrive from the West—4:30 a.m., 12:35 p.m., 5:22 p.m., 8:20 p.m.
Depart for the East—4:38 a.m., 7:45 a.m., 12:45 p.m., 6:30 p.m.
Depart for the West—8:00 a.m., 11:35 a.m., 7:48 p.m., 11:00 p.m.

Trains marked * run daily. Those not marked, daily, except Sunday.
MICHIGAN CENTRAL RAILWAY.
Arrive—7:01 a.m., 11:19 a.m., 6:10 p.m., 9:35 p.m.
Depart—7:20 a.m., 2:20 p.m., 8:35 p.m., 10:11 p.m.

PERE MARQUETTE RAILWAY.
Arrive—8:45 a.m., 12:00 noon, 1:50, 4:38, 9:15 p.m.
Depart—8:05, 7:10, 9:45 a.m., 2:30, 4:15, 17:00 p.m.

*To and from Walkerville. *To St. Thomas only. All trains to and from Port Stanley, except trains marked with star and dagger.

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BIBLE IS NEEDED IN PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Rev. J. Gibson Inkster Gave
His Views in a Sermon
on Sunday.

TEACHING OF R.C. CHURCH

Speaker Says That Body Knows Value
of Biblical Teaching—Nothing
Like the Word of God.

At the First Presbyterian Church on Sunday morning Rev. J. Gibson Inkster advocated Biblical instruction in the public schools, even if it meant teaching dogma. The lack of Biblical knowledge not only in the schools, but among professing Christians, was deplorable. The best method of making strong Christians was to impart in the young the seeds of truth as contained in Holy Writ. The subject of the discourse, "Christ, His Peace, His Word, His Name."

In dealing with the first part of the sermon, he spoke of the peace that comes to men after submission to Christ. It gave to all men that which their souls craved.

The Bible and Children.

"I was present at a meeting in the Normal School last week, when there was discussed the question of more Bible training in the public schools, and I said to myself, 'Why is the Bible not a greater factor in the lives of our children?' The Bible as taught at the present time in our public schools is inadequate to the needs of the children. It is in sharp contrast to the instruction given in the Roman Catholic day schools. My firm conviction is that we should teach the Bible in its form in our public schools just as the Roman Catholic Church teaches a dogma in its worst form in the separate schools. The dogma of the Roman Catholic Church begins and ends with the infallibility of the Pope; the dogma of the Protestant Church should begin and end with the infallibility of Christ."

In the Separate Schools.

"The Roman Church knows and appreciates the value of Bible training and religious instruction in the public schools. They teach their young what religion is, and that is the source of their great power today. The Protestant denominations should copy from them. There is nothing like the word of God to satisfy the hunger and cure the disease of the soul, but it is a deplorable fact that hundreds of thousands of professing Christians are ignorant of it."

The question of the best method of teaching the Scriptures must be answered. It was necessary, according to Mr. Inkster, to go back to the primitive days of the church, teaching and admonishing each other in the Scriptures in a more natural and informal manner than at present. There should be more singing outside the church than there is at present. Worship was confined too much in these days to a weekly visit to the church.

Saves From Error.

"The Bible was the only piece of literature that would save from error. It would keep us from such errors as Mormonism and Christian Science. It would refute such errors as conditional immortality as taught by the forerunner of Pastor Russell in London a week ago."

There was a large attendance at the evening service.

QUEEN'S NEW SABLES

Coronation Gift From King George Much Admired.

London, March 25.—Since her return from India Queen Mary has been wearing some magnificent sables. They were the coronation gift of King George.

The coat and muff are of picked Russian sable skins and are of as fine a quality as those of the Empress of Russia. It is said that for years the Queen had wished for these furs, but declined to possess them because of the expense. They reached her as a surprise, she knowing nothing about the order until the box containing them was opened.

Queen Mary is very economical with regard to her own things, and as Princess of Wales she wore for many seasons a favorite milk cape. Furs of a soft brown please her most, and although ermine and miniver are exceptionally becoming to her she is said to dislike both.

RUSSIA TO GRAB SWEDEN, HE SAYS

Explorer Hedin Declares Czar
Is Preparing Also To
Subdue Norway.

URGES A NAVY INCREASE

Asserts Assimilation of Finland Points
to Greed for an Atlantic
Harbor.

Stockholm, Sweden, March 23.—Nearly a million copies of Sven Hedin's latest brochure, "A Word of Warning," have been sold within a few weeks all over Northern Europe. It is a plea for a stronger Swedish navy and army, and revives, with considerable force, the contention that Russia's ultimate aim is to subdue Norway and Sweden and to establish a great naval base on the Atlantic.

This is the real reason, Sven Hedin believes, why the Czar has abandoned his pledges to respect the constitution of Finland and is allowing the Russianification of that country. Many men in Scandinavia and Finland share the explorer's opinion.

Cities Lost Ten Years.

"Never has this aim been pursued more deliberately and energetically than during the last ten years," says Sven Hedin. "No one has forgotten the marvelous efforts and fabulous sacrifices in men and money that were made for the sole purpose of penetrating to the coast in the farthest east and depriving Japan of the control of the trade in the Pacific."

"But when Togo annihilated the Russian fleet and the Russian garrison surrendered to the conquerors of Port Arthur, the eastern way was closed for the time being. Russia was compelled to give up, or at least to postpone her plans in the Pacific."

"Now six years have passed since a deathlike silence has again spread over the battlefields of Manchuria. And already Russia is forcing a new line of advance toward the ocean. This time it is the Indian Ocean."

"Within six years the Russians have changed their front from Japan to Persia, showing thereby that it is a matter of complete indifference to them to which part of the open sea they penetrate, and which lands they trample under foot and subjugate on their way."

England Ready to Fight.

England, he continues, appears to acquiesce for the present, but England will "rather fight till her last red jacket is dead than allow Russia to taste the sea air or the warm winds of the Persian Gulf."

"Where will Russia then direct her glances? Has she not for 200 years pushed toward the Atlantic as deliberately, steadily and surely as toward the Pacific and Indian Ocean? Has it been forgotten how Peter the Great fought to push aside all obstacles that kept him excluded from the Baltic sea, and founded the harbor on its coast, which was a prototype of the dreamed-of future harbor on the open sea? That was the first step toward the Atlantic."

"The second was taken 100 years ago, when Finland was cut off from us. Thanks to her comparatively free position in relation to her conqueror, Finland has for a century served as a buffer state between us and the true orthodox holy Russia. That happiness is now a thing of the past. History is moving faster."

"Peter the Great's advance to the Baltic and our loss of the Baltic provinces was the first step. The conquest of Finland was the second. The third is being taken before our eyes, when Finland is being converted into a Russian province, as Russian as any Government in the Czar's Empire."

"What is it that now separates Russia from the Atlantic? Look at an atlas and measure it with a compass. From Tornea, the terminus of the Finnish railways, to Lyngen is 253 miles as the crow flies, to Narvik 240 miles. But from the northern point of the Russian frontier to the Lyngenfjord is only eighteen miles."

"From Vasa to Umea it is 66 miles (half-way up the Gulf of Bothnia, on opposite shores) and from Aland to Grisehamn 24 miles. A hundred

years ago the Russians showed that a walk over Kvarken could be undertaken. (Kvarken is the narrow part of the Gulf of Bothnia between Vasa and Umea. It is often frozen in winter.) And what are these distances to a nation that has thrown the world's longest railway through forests, over wastes and morasses—and to an army accustomed to operate 800 miles from its own country?"

MINISTER OF TRADE TO VISIT AUSTRALIA

Hon. Mr. Foster to Discuss
New Trade Arrangement
With Antipodes

Ottawa, March 24.—Negotiations between the Canadian Government and the Commonwealth of Australia looking to a better trade arrangement between the two countries will in all likelihood necessitate a visit to Australia by a member of the cabinet in the near future. These negotiations are approaching a definite basis following the letter written to the Australian Government by Hon. George E. Foster, minister of trade and commerce, last January. Australia has shown a readiness to discuss a trade arrangement in detail with a Canadian representative. It is most probable that the Minister of Trade and Commerce will be entrusted with the carrying out of further negotiations, and may go to Australia before his work as member of the Imperial trade commission begins. The Australian Government, it is understood, has been so advised.

LAST TRIBUTES PAID TO THE DEAD OF MAINE

Sixty-Four Bodies Were Buried
Amongst the Hills of
Virginia.

[Canadian Press.]

Washington, D. C., March 23.—With all the pomp and solemnity that a nation can pay its heroes of war, the last of the dead of the Maine were laid away today beneath the green hills of Virginia. In Arlington Cemetery, side by side with the bodies of these brought back from Havana harbor after the war with Spain, they were consigned to the earth of Old Dominion, while a nation paid its last measure of honor to the "unidentified" of that great catastrophe that brought on a war which changed the map of the world and extended the empire of the United States.

Seldom in the history of this country has there been planned a higher tribute to the memory of any man or men than that for the sixty-four dead of the Maine. Government business in Washington was practically suspended by executive order. President Taft, most of the members of his cabinet, the highest officials of the army, the navy and the marine corps, officials of the departments and the representatives of many foreign powers participated in the exercises. The government buildings flags hung at half mast, while congress adjourned for the day.

A FLOATING DOCK FOR VANCOUVER

British and French Financiers Are Behind the Scheme.

[Canadian Press.]
New York, March 23.—A London cable says: A number of British and French financiers have decided to promote a scheme for building a floating dock for Vancouver. The capital for the scheme has already been subscribed and joint boards have been formed in London and Paris in connection with the project.

The growth of tonnage at Vancouver has made the necessity for a new dock increasingly apparent. The new dock, which it is intended shall have a lifting power of 15,000 tons, will be built in two sections. It will be possible to use each part separately for smaller vessels, and to put them together and use them as a whole for larger vessels. The dock will have a total length of 600 feet, a depth of 55 feet and a width of 80 feet.

AUSTRALIA TYPHOON.

Perth, Western Australia, March 23.—A disastrous typhoon has occurred on the northwest coast of Western Australia. It continued from Wednes-

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day until Friday and extended far inland.

Many vessels were dashed to pieces on the rocks; numerous buildings have been wrecked, and, it is believed, a large number of lives lost. The total extent of the damage is not known, as telegraphic communications is badly interrupted.

COURT DRESS CHANGED

Trains Square and Shorter, and Veils Reduced in Length.

London, March 25.—The early courts at Buckingham Palace are always of importance, from the fashion point of view, and this season more so than ever, for both the lord chamberlain and fashion have promulgated new sumptuary laws.

Posted up in every fashionable dressmaking establishment is a copy of the lord chamberlain's latest decree on court dress. To the regret of the tall, statuesque woman, a fairly common type nowadays, the shabby old four-yard train has been abolished and the day of the short square train has been officially inaugurated. According to the new rule the skirt of the gown should extend not less than 15 inches on the ground, and the regulation length of the court train is three yards from the shoulder and the width at the end is 54 inches, but in any case, so says the lord chamberlain, the train should not be of a greater length on the ground than 54 inches—thus giving a square effect.

The veil too has been reduced by one-quarter of its usual length, and should not now exceed 45 inches, and there is slight alteration in the arrangement of the feathers, the three white feathers mounted as a Prince of Wales' plume now being worn slightly on the left side of the head.

FLIERS TOO DARING

Susanne Bernard's Death Due to Overconfidence in Her Skill.

Paris, March 25.—Miss Susanne Bernard, the second woman to meet her death while flying, seems to have been a victim of over-confidence in her ability to manage her aeroplane. The accident occurred on the Etampes aerodrome.

She had started to qualify as an air pilot. Her comrades, who knew her daring, begged her to be careful, but she hardly listened to their warnings.

Two tests, which included flying in figures of eight, were carried out with brilliant success. Before the third and last her friends again begged her to be careful, and always to turn to the left, which comes more natural in flying, and only to turn in ascending. After a perfect start she was seen to raise the elevating rudder of her biplane in order to reach the height called for by the test, and then, when over 150 feet above the ground, to make such a sharp turn to the right that the apparatus seemed to lose all grip on the air and dived straight down.

She could not retain her seat and straightened herself up before being thrown to the ground, while the aeroplane, striking on its right wing, fell over on her. Her injuries caused her death in a few minutes.

Miss Bernard was born in 1893 at Troges. In September last she commenced learning to steer an aeroplane.

FANNY CROSBY IS 92

And Blind Writer of Hymns Is One of the Happiest of Mortals.

Bridgeport, Conn., March 25.—Fanny Crosby, the blind writer of "Rescue the Perishing" and other hymns, was 92 today. In spite of her great age, Miss Crosby conversed with all the animation and spirit of a girl.

"I am younger than ever," was her first remark. "Life with me is different," said Miss Crosby. "I never fret, never worry, never think disagreeable thoughts, nor find fault with anyone or anything. Life glides on like a little boat on a waveless stream, with beautiful flowers on each side. I have had sorrows, I have lost dear friends and felt depressed, but it is my firm belief that the Lord never afflicts His children—that is the work of the evil one."

"If in the whole world you can find a happier mortal than I am, bring him to me, I want to shake his hand." Miss Crosby is opposed to woman suffrage. "It is not woman's sphere, not one bit—when a woman is married all her devotion and energy are needed for her home and children. A woman in politics cannot attend her family and for an unmarried woman to become active in politics makes her stern and masculine. I have seen examples of it."

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**MAGIC BAKING
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Owing to the unsatisfactory ending last year the Ohio stake of \$5,000 at the Cleveland meeting will be best three in five heats. In 1911 it was raced on the three-heat plan and as many horses won heats, the one lucky enough to have a second being placed at the top of the summary.

NOT SPIES.
Portsmouth, Eng., March 23.—The four men who were arrested on March 29 on the Isle of Wight where they were discovered in the precincts of Saint Helen's Fort on the west side of the harbor, were brought up before the police magistrate today and were immediately released. It had been alleged that they were German spies, but the charge was withdrawn.

DISGUISED AS WOMAN.
Montreal, March 23.—An ex-fireman named Emile Perron was arrested here this morning on a charge of ringing in false alarms. When caught he was dressed as a woman.
A watch was kept for the culprit after false alarms began to be rung in from the Steadney district at intervals of ten minutes last night.

ANOTHER MUTINY.
Pekin, March 25.—Alarming rumors are in circulation that another mutiny of troops is impending, and these reports are causing much anxiety. The stoppage of the international loan by the four-power group because of the action of the Government in accepting accommodations from Belgium syndicate and the non-payment of the soldiers is largely accountable for the fears of a new uprising.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

MARKET WAS FIRM

Supplies are still scarce in London.

The shortage of supply was again responsible for a rather firm market in grain today, the prices quoted by the buyers climbing up to \$1.59 per cwt. Despite the fact that shipments were received in London from the west, the local market is still expected upon to a great extent, and the bad condition of the roads is responsible for a somewhat serious condition.

Hay is also very strong at \$20 to \$21 a ton.

As announced on Saturday, hogs were a quarter stronger than a week ago, and \$7.25 was paid by the buyers on the local square. Deliveries were fairly good.

Other quotations continued unchanged.

Grain, Per Cwt.

Oats, per cwt. 1.55 to 1.59

Wheat, per bushel. 1.55 to 1.59

Hay and Straw.

Hay, per ton. 20.00 to 21.00

Straw, per ton. 10.00 to 11.00

Dairy Produce.

Butter, dairy, wholesale. 34 to 35

Butter, creamery, lb. 36 to 37

Butter, fancy, retail, lb. 38 to 40

Eggs, fresh-laid, dozen. 22 to 25

Eggs, crate, wholesale. 22 to 25

Honey, sections, doz. 11 to 12

Honey, extra, doz. 11 to 12

Coultry, Dressed.

Turkeys, lb. retail. 18 to 22

Turkeys, lb. wholesale. 16 to 18

Chickens, per pair. 13 to 15

Chickens, lb. wholesale. 13 to 15

Chickens, lb. retail. 13 to 15

Old fowl, per lb. 1.75 to 2.00

Ducks, lb. wholesale. 12 to 12.50

Ducks, lb. retail. 12 to 12.50

Geese, whole, 12 to 13

Geese, lb. retail. 12 to 13

Poultry, etc., Ave.

Turkeys, per lb. 14 to 15

Ducks, per lb. 9 to 10

Chickens, per lb. 8 to 9

Old fowl, per lb. 8 to 9

Butcher's Meats.

Lamb, per lb. 10 to 12.50

Beef, young, 8 to 10

Dressed hogs, choice. 9.50 to 10.50

Beef, per cwt. 8.50 to 9.50

Beef, cow, 7.00 to 8.00

Mutton, per cwt. 8.00 to 9.00

Heavy hogs, 8.00 to 9.00

Stags, per cwt. 2.00 to 3.00

Small pigs, pair. 4.00 to 5.00

Select cattle, 4.00 to 5.00

Milk cows, each. 40.00 to 60.00

Live Stock.

Fat sows, cut. 4.50 to 5.00

Vegetables.

Beets, per bushel. 5.00 to 6.00

Artichokes, per bushel. 2.00 to 3.00

Paranips, per bushel. 1.00 to 1.25

Potatoes, per bushel. 1.00 to 1.25

Apples, per bushel. 2.50 to 3.00

Carrots, per bushel. 7.00 to 8.00

Celery, per bunch. 1.00 to 1.50

Cabbages, per bushel. 1.00 to 1.50

Onions, per bushel. 1.00 to 1.50

Radishes, per bushel. 4.00 to 5.00

Starch, per bushel. 4.00 to 5.00

Lettuce, dozen. 4.00 to 5.00

Hides, Wool.

Lambkins, each. 8.00 to 10.00

Hides, No. 1, lb. 10 to 12

Hides, No. 2, lb. 8 to 10

Hides, No. 3, lb. 6 to 8

Wool, unwashed, lb. 12 to 14

Wool, washed, lb. 12 to 14

Calfskins, per pair. 12 to 14

Tallow, rough, lb. 2.13 to 2.15

Tallow, rendered, lb. 5 to 5.50

For Other Markets See Page Ten

LIVERPOOL, March 25.—Close: Wheat.

Spot nominal, futures firm; May, 48 1/2; July, 48 1/2; Oct., 48 1/2; Corn, spot steady; American mixed, new 65 1/2; old, 65 1/2; new, 65 1/2; old, 65 1/2; Flour, winter patents, 28 1/2; 90s, in London, 28 1/2; 100s, 28 1/2; 110s, 28 1/2; 120s, 28 1/2; 130s, 28 1/2; 140s, 28 1/2; 150s, 28 1/2; 160s, 28 1/2; 170s, 28 1/2; 180s, 28 1/2; 190s, 28 1/2; 200s, 28 1/2; 210s, 28 1/2; 220s, 28 1/2; 230s, 28 1/2; 240s, 28 1/2; 250s, 28 1/2; 260s, 28 1/2; 270s, 28 1/2; 280s, 28 1/2; 290s, 28 1/2; 300s, 28 1/2; 310s, 28 1/2; 320s, 28 1/2; 330s, 28 1/2; 340s, 28 1/2; 350s, 28 1/2; 360s, 28 1/2; 370s, 28 1/2; 380s, 28 1/2; 390s, 28 1/2; 400s, 28 1/2; 410s, 28 1/2; 420s, 28 1/2; 430s, 28 1/2; 440s, 28 1/2; 450s, 28 1/2; 460s, 28 1/2; 470s, 28 1/2; 480s, 28 1/2; 490s, 28 1/2; 500s, 28 1/2; 510s, 28 1/2; 520s, 28 1/2; 530s, 28 1/2; 540s, 28 1/2; 550s, 28 1/2; 560s, 28 1/2; 570s, 28 1/2; 580s, 28 1/2; 590s, 28 1/2; 600s, 28 1/2; 610s, 28 1/2; 620s, 28 1/2; 630s, 28 1/2; 640s, 28 1/2; 650s, 28 1/2; 660s, 28 1/2; 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A DUKE IN DISGRACE

Abruzzi Reproved For Failing to Sink Two Turk Warships.

[Canadian Press.]

London, March 25.—Information has reached here that the Duke of the Abruzzi, a cousin of King Victor Emmanuel, who is in disgrace at Tarento for having failed to sink two Turkish warships in the Aegean Sea, as he was ordered to do, offered his resignation, but the Italian minister of marine refused to accept it.

King Victor, it is learned, then sent the duke a bitter reproof for having allowed his personal feelings to tempt him to throw up his commission at such a critical time.

Since the opening of the war with Turkey the duke has been in command of a squadron of Italian warships.

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James Crerar Was a Widely Known Shorthorn Breeder.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Stratford, March 25.—James Crerar, aged 91, and one of the pioneers of North Bristow, is dead at his home here. He was born in Perthshire, Scotland, and came to Canada when a boy of 12. He had resided in North Bristow for 69 years, where he was widely known as one of the best breeders of Shorthorn cattle in Ontario. He was a lifelong member of the Presbyterian Church.

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Seriously ill.
Mrs. James Kilgour, 238 Piccadilly street, is very seriously ill at her home and fears are entertained for her recovery. She was slightly improved today.

Played With Matches.
The fire department had a run to 151 Central avenue on Sunday afternoon about 3 o'clock to the residence of Jos. Panulano. Some children playing with matches set fire to paper in a closet. The blaze was extinguished with no damage.

PYEATT---LOY

Former Pere Marquette Superintendent Was Married in St. Louis.

[Special to The Advertiser.]
St. Thomas, March 25.—The wedding took place in St. Louis recently of Mr. J. Samuel Pyeatt, formerly superintendent of the Pere Marquette here, and Miss Myra Loy, daughter of Mr. F. W. Loy, of Chaffee, Missouri. Mr. Pyeatt is at present vice-president and general superintendent of the Fort Worth and Rio Grande lines, with headquarters at Fort Worth.

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Her Spring Millinery Opening for Monday, Tuesday and following days. A complete showing of spring styles. 706 Dundas street. Open evenings, 6 to 10.

MONSIGNOR AYLWARD

ON NE TEMERE DECREE

Is Surprised That the Anglican Church Should Oppose the Church Law.

Rev. Monsignor Aylward, rector of St. Peter's Cathedral, in reply to a query in the "Question Box" at the church, dealt with the Catholic side of the ne temere decree, discussed Sunday evening, expressing his surprise that the Anglican Church especially should join in the discussion against it, in view of what he claimed was a fact that the Church of England was founded upon a violation of the marriage laws.

Mons. Aylward explained that the decree is binding only on the consciences of Catholics, and that the church has never pretended to interfere with civil jurisdiction. Ministers of other denominations, who have engaged in the criticism of the Catholic Church with respect to the ne temere, were criticized.

The attacks of the Methodists, Baptists and three hundred other sects were treated with silent contempt, he said. "But Catholics were surprised that the Church of England should join in the criticism of the decree."

In stating that the Anglican Church was founded on a violation of the marriage laws, Mons. Aylward made reference to King Henry VIII. of England.

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LEFT LIFE OF CRIME FOR WORK IN CHURCH

Mr. John Callahan Spoke Three Times in London on Sunday.

Mr. John Callahan, of the Hadley Hall Mission on the Bowery, New York city, addressed four meetings in London Sunday, morning and evening services and the men's meeting in the afternoon.

Mr. Callahan confined his addresses to the work he is taking part in and stories of some of the incidents so common in his life. But the one that affected his listeners the most was his own account of his life from the time he was put in an orphanage at the age of six years until he was converted in a mission hall in Minneapolis in December, 1890.

He told how he started out to earn his own living when eight years old as a newsboy at the Grand Central Station in New York, and as he grew older he gradually sank into a life of crime. After being arrested several times, and becoming known to the New York police, he decided to go to Chicago, where he was not so well known. However, he soon got in with a gang of criminals, and in a short time was sentenced to a term in Joliet prison. On his release he beat his way to Minneapolis, where he obtained a position as a bartender.

Only two days afterwards, however, he entered a mission hall and was converted, and gave up his bartending. He started to work in the large flour mills in Minneapolis and remained there for five years, until he received a call to go into mission work. He accepted, and for the last sixteen years has been rescuing men from the life he once led himself.

Mr. Callahan stated that no person was beyond help, and said that if Christ be taken into the heart anything is possible. The Askin street male quartette furnished the music at the afternoon meeting.

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The Michigan Central is also preparing to store coal here.

Officials claim that they do not know why the coal is being stored, but it is generally believed here that it is in anticipation of coming coal troubles.

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The Cost of Living Reduced

A fire above our South London store caused the soiling of labels and packages. We will not place soiled packages with our regular stock. The result is

A Fire Sale of Groceries

We have secured the premises at 229 DUNDAS ST., and removed all goods there. We want to clear them out quickly. The prices are so low that no telephone orders can be accepted.

HERE ARE SAMPLES OF THE BARGAINS:

Package Teas

30c a pound for ... 15c
40c a pound for ... 20c
50c a pound for ... 25c

Aylmer Brand Tomatoes

Regular 15c, now 10c.

Fancy Biscuits

Were 20c and 50c, now **Half Price**

Maple Leaf Salmon

Regular 25c, only 18c.

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12-lb. sacks 25c
25-lb. sacks 50c

OLIVES, were 10c and 15c, now, 5c each.

ASSORTED SOAP BARS, 8 for 25c.

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MUST WORK AS WELL AS SHOUT

Rev. W. R. McIntosh Referred to Orangemen in His Sermon on Sunday.

CHURCH OF THE FUTURE

Interesting Subject Touched Upon at the King Street Presbyterian Church by the Pastor.

"The Religion of the Future—Protestant or Catholic?" was the subject dealt with by Rev. W. R. McIntosh at the evening service in King Street Presbyterian Church on Sunday before a large congregation. It was the final sermon of a series of subjects dealing with social questions, and was, as Mr. McIntosh stated, the most important of them all.

"I may say," he began, "that this subject is not introduced in any sensational or controversial manner. It has already been introduced in the newspapers. It is a question that Canadians are beginning to ponder over."

Religion in the Future.
"I assume that there will be a religion in the future. That is an assumption which is oftentimes denied. Some men tell us that in the future, science and travel will take the place of religion, and the time will come when put to devotional purposes will be then put into politics for civic development. However, religion has always been in the world. It was not dragged in by anybody, nor was it invented by anybody for a money-making purpose. Religion is an outgrowth of the human soul, and as long as there is an aching heart, a woman's tears, a cry of children, and pathos and sorrow in the world, there will be religion."

Two Great Religions.
"I assume that the religion of the future will be a Christian one. It will be the universal religion of the future. But a question arises. The church that says it is right when it is only inherently right, will lose. The Roman Catholic Church will pass through a man who has paid his church dues, has attended church regularly, but is immoral. We will not do that. The church that has the courage to be moral through and through will win."

A Democratic Church.
"Thirdly, the coming age will be a democratic one. The Roman Catholic Church is opposed to this. It is governed by the priests, while the Protestant Church is governed for the people. They may have the start on us in this, as the priests are better educated, but the religion that depends upon and trusts the people will finally win out. The people will govern themselves by and by. God intended that this earth should be governed by the common people. It is our business to hasten the day. God is on the side of the religion that trusts the people. History proves it. The leading nations of the world are Protestant. The Roman Catholic nations are going back. The Roman Catholic Church has more power in the United States than anywhere else, because it is there that it is most democratic. The Protestant religion creates freedom. The Protestant nations outdistance the Catholic nations in freedom, in glory, and in wealth."

Miss Jerusha, by Zombro, has the distinction of being the first pacer to beat 1:10 in a race this year, having done so in a matinee at Los Angeles when she drove the colt in 1:09.4. On the same day the trotter Lady Love, by Whips, stepped a mile in 2:12.

BLOOD-POISONING RESULTS FROM DIGGING OUT CORNS

To really make a corn go away, to remove it for all time, there is just one way. Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor, a soothing, helpful remedy that separates the corn from the good flesh, lifts it out without pain. The name tells the story—Putnam's Painless Corn and Wart Extractor, price 25c. Look out for dangerous substitutes for "Putnam's," which is sold by druggists.

"I would say to the Orangemen that if they make a big celebration of the 12th of July, what good does it do if they do not follow it up with real endeavors to improve the Protestant religion?"

A Comparison.
Mr. McIntosh then went on to compare the two religions. He explained that he was dealing with a live issue, but that he meant no disrespect to the Catholics or the Catholic religion. He did not undertake to settle the question, but to merely deal with it in a comparative sense. Continuing, he said:

"On whose side is God? That will settle the question. Which of these two great systems has God with it? The Catholic says: 'When Jesus founded the church, he put the keys in the hand of St. Peter, and we are direct descendants of the apostles. But we must be the church.' But this we, as Protestants, deny. We do not believe that God put into any one person's hands the care of His great business. God does not commit Himself in a single moment that He will trust this thing to you or I. The God that will settle this is the God of Evolution, the God of History. This does not settle the question either way, but it dispels the foolish controversy as to which church is the better."

"The Roman Catholic Church is consolidated with Rome. Rome presents an undivided front to the world. The reason we are not consolidated with Rome is because we do our own thinking. In the meantime the Catholics have the start of us. They are consolidated, while we are divided. The Catholic Church does not depend upon the voice of its teachings. It depends upon crucifixes, painted windows, intense swinging and different movements in the service. It is the same in all the Catholic churches of the world. An ancient church is apt to be a wise church, and the Roman Catholic Church is a wise church. Wise in the way it trains its children. I do not, however, agree with the confessional, and we all do not believe in Purgatory. We believe in the living not in the dead, and it is a great imposition to say we can help you in the land of the dead."

"I have the profoundest belief that the future is with us. First, the future will be increasingly scientific. The Roman Catholic Church is opposed to science. It believes in antiquity. Its dogmas are unreasonable. It is opposed to modern advancement. Protestantism is scientific, and the Roman Catholic Church is not wholly, as compared to the Protestant Church. The Roman Catholic Church believes in the law, the Protestant Church in the moral law. I believe that the future ages will be increasingly moral, not necessarily religious, but moral. The races of the future will deal with the church that says it is right when it is moral. The church that says it is right when it is only inherently right, will lose. The Roman Catholic Church will pass through a man who has paid his church dues, has attended church regularly, but is immoral. We will not do that. The church that has the courage to be moral through and through will win."

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WILL OF GREAT INTEREST

Annuities Left to Several Individuals Who Are Designated by Initials Only.

Toronto, March 25.—Aside from its pecuniary import, seldom, if ever, has a will of greater interest been filed in the Toronto surrogate court than that of Hon. Edward Blake, which was passed Saturday by Judge Winchester. The total of the estate is \$299,491.94, made up as follows:

Household goods \$ 4,050 00
Bank and other stock 170,092 50
Real estate 18,500 00
Securities for money, etc. 106,849 44

Total \$299,491 94

In detail this was made up of:

Real Estate.
No. 449 Jarvis street \$ 10,500 00
Le Caprice, Pointe Pic 4,000 00
Maison Rouge Caprice, Pointe Pic 4,000 00
Total 18,500 00

The Securities.
Life Association of Scotland \$ 9,733 30
Rio de Janeiro bonds 90,729 75
Cash on deposit Central Canada Loan Savings 5,679 63
Bank of Commerce 255 55
S. V. Blake 421 18
Total \$106,849 44

Stocks.
584 shares Huron and Erie \$ 60,444 00
2,823 shares Huron and Erie 55,048 50
275 shares Mackay Co. 19,250 00
150 shares National Trust 30,750 00
100 shares North American 4,000 00
10 shares Haverhill College 600 00
Total \$170,092 50

In addition to the above are certain properties settled upon Mrs. Blake and Samuel Hume Blake, on August 4, 1885, which are now held by the Toronto General Trusts Corporation, and are not mentioned in the papers filed today.

Interesting points in the will are these: "I request that my wife will present to each of my children, and to my brother and sister, one article of mine chosen by her as a personal remembrance of me."

S. H. Blake and Professor Wrong are named as literary executors in order that some selections from his writings and speeches may be published in popular form, \$4,000 being bequeathed to defray expenses.

The Beneficiaries.
Margaret Blake, his widow, gets a life interest in the property at 449 Jarvis street, Le Caprice and Maison Rouge at Pointe au Pic, Quebec, and the money payable under the life assurance policy, and cash in hand and on deposit. The contents of 449 Jarvis street are also bequeathed to her, as well as a life interest in the residue of the estate.

Hume Wrong, daughter, benefits to the extent of a contingent interest in the life policy. At the death of Mrs. Blake, Mrs. Wrong is to receive \$2,000 in cash, and the Le Caprice property at Pointe au Pic, and one-fourth share of residue of estate.

Edward William Hume Blake, son, is bequeathed \$6,000, and one-fourth share of residue at the death of Mrs. Blake.

Books and papers are left to Samuel Verschoyle Blake, another son, who also gets \$2,000, and property known as Maison Rouge, and one-fourth share of residue at the death of Mrs. Blake.

Gerald, Margaret, Verschoyle, and Constance, children of E. F. Blake, are to have equally divided among them one-fourth share of residue, and \$5,000 at the death of Mrs. Blake.