

THE WEATHER:
FRESH WINDS; MILD.
TOMORROW—LITTLE COLDER.

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4 PAGES OF ROTOGRAVURE,
3 COLORED COMICS, MAGAZINE SECTION,
TOMORROW.

THREE CENTS.

SPEECH FROM THROAT TO PROMISE CUT IN TAXES Bandit Gets 7 Years and Must Face Trial For Shooting

FEDERAL PROGRAM AIDS ALL CLASSES



ISADORE GOLDSTICK,
re-elected president of the London
branch of the B'nai B'rith society.

FATHER OF 10 HELD FOR DESERTION

Edward J. Coulson Is Charged
With Failure To Provide
For Family Here.

MAY FACE BIGAMY

Deserting for two years his wife and ten children, eight of whom are under the age of 16 years, and leaving them in destitute circumstances, Edward J. Coulson, 49 years old, faced a charge under the criminal code in police court today. His arrest was brought about following his deportation yesterday from Port Huron.

Magistrate A. H. M. Graydon remanded him for one week upon the suggestion of Crown Attorney A. M. Judd, who threatens to lay a charge of bigamy, claiming that Coulson was married in Detroit. Mr. Judd termed the case "the most deplorable that has ever been brought to my attention."

"I am partly guilty and partly not guilty," Coulson answered when arraigned today. His plea was not accepted, however. The remand was given instead that Coulson's past history might be more thoroughly investigated.

The information against Coulson, laid by his wife, Mrs. Phyllis Coulson, states that prior to Dec. 4 he has not provided his family with the necessities of life. The only money he has offered, the crown said, was payment of \$10 a week to the wife for only a month.

Coulson was located by London police a few days ago in Detroit, where he had been living. He left for Port Huron yesterday, but upon his arrival his immediate deportation was ordered, and police awaited him on the Canadian side with a warrant for his arrest.

Mr. Judd stated that Coulson is the father of a child in Detroit by his second wife, through whom the bigamy charge may be laid.

KILLED IN FALL.
Canadian Press Despatch.
Montreal, Dec. 11.—Jean Baptiste Cole, 46, was instantly killed; A. Adam, 50, was injured, and A. Miron had a narrow escape from death yesterday when a scaffold on which they were working at the plant of the Melchers Gun and Spooling Company, collapsed at Berthierville, collapsed. The three men are residents of Berthierville. Miron managed to catch hold of a rope as he fell and saved himself.

THE WEATHER
FORECASTS.
Today—Fresh south-westerly winds, milder; light local snow tonight.

Saturday—Northerly winds and becoming a little colder again.

Stations	High	Low	Weather
Victoria	48	47	Clear
Calgary	54	24	Cloudy
Winnipeg	30	20	Cloudy
Port Arthur	20	18	Cloudy
Port Sound	16	14	Cloudy
Toronto	28	20	Cloudy
Kingston	16	14	Cloudy
Ottawa	8	4	Snow
Montreal	4	4	Fair
Quebec	2	2	Cloudy
Father Point	2	2	Snow
St. John	22	2	Clear
Halifax	22	8	Cloudy

LOCAL TEMPERATURES.
The highest and lowest temperatures recorded in London during the 24 hours previous to 8 o'clock last night were: Highest, 28; lowest, 18.
The official temperatures for the 12 hours previous to 8 a.m. today were: Highest, 28; lowest, 18.
The sun rises at 7:41 a.m., and sets at 4:41 p.m.
Barometric Readings.
Thursday—8 p.m., 29.11.
Today—8 a.m., 28.82.

Lower Taxes, Rural Credits and
Tariff Board Are All
Forecasted.

AID FOR IMMIGRATION

Speech Will Show Progress and
Developments Unprece-
dented in Years.

H. E. M. CHISHOLM,
Special to The Advertiser.

Ottawa, Dec. 11.—The speech from the throne, when parliament meets on Jan. 7, will be brief, but will forecast important legislation and will announce conditions of industrial, agricultural and trade progress and developments unprecedented for many years.

There will be provisions for some form of rural credits. For greater activity in immigration, for the appointment immediately of an advisory tariff board for the ratification of the West Indies treaty, for certain reductions in taxation made possible by increasing revenues and decreased expenditures, and for the alleviation of transportation burdens.

Premier King will not be in his seat when the session opens, and in this respect he is the victim of consistency. In 1921 he opposed the method adopted by Mr. Meighen in 1921, when the latter in order to secure a seat resorted to the simple process of creating a vacancy by appointing one of his followers to a position of ennoblement under the crown and he refused to resort himself to that method. He declined to run in 1924, which was opened by the death of the successful Liberal candidate because he did not desire that it should be thought that he was running away from Ontario. So, he will await the opening of the house when a seat may be vacated in the regular way of resignation to Mr. Speaker.

Obviously this course is a hardship on himself and his party, but it is the honorable course, and is not open to him. It is regarded here as now practically certain that Premier Dunning of Saskatchewan will enter the cabinet at an early date. After session opens Mr. Dunning will be an undoubted strength to the ministry. He will probably take the portfolio of trade and commerce with which the Saskatchewan premier is thoroughly familiar.

FORMER MINISTER IS PLACED UNDER ARREST

Hon. George P. Smith Is
Arraigned in Court on
Theft Charge.

Associated Press Despatch.
Edmonton, Dec. 11.—When city police court opened at 10 a.m. Hon. George P. Smith, ex-minister of education, was formally charged with the theft of \$5,820 from the Alberta treasury by means of fraudulent printing invoices. The accused did not plead, and bail was arranged at \$20,000.

A warrant charging theft was served on Mr. Smith last night, following his arrival from the east.

59 NEW COMPANIES.
Associated Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 11.—New companies to the number of 59, with authorized capital of \$7,538,950, were reported to the Monetary Times during the week ended Dec. 5, 1925, compared with 75 companies, with \$21,374,200 capital, the previous week, and with 36 companies with \$11,879,000 capital the corresponding week of last year.

TRUCK LOAD OF FUEL WOULD HEAT BIG AREA FOR WINTER

Super Energy of Future Seen as Removing Coal Problem of the
World and Proving Boon to Motorists When Gasoline
Supplies Begin to Diminish.

Special to The Advertiser.

Toronto, Dec. 11.—A fuel so powerful that an ordinary truck load of it would be sufficient to heat all the buildings of downtown Toronto for an entire winter was predicted by Prof. J. C. McLennan, head of the department of physics at the University of Toronto and eminent authority of helium and the atomic theory, in an interview today. And so the fuel problem would become a thing of the past. Motorists would need no longer be haunted by nightmares of the day when the world's rapidly-decreasing supplies of gasoline will be finally exhausted.

Prof. McLennan stated that already it is possible to manufacture helium from hydrogen at the same time producing enormous amounts of energy in the process, due to the fact that a certain amount of the matter existing in the hydrogen is given off as heat energy. In that fact lies the nucleus of the amazing possibilities for future power supplies.

Saved For Centennial



DOCTOR GREETED A FRIEND.
Here is Doctor, a member of the London fire department, whom everyone thought had gone to the boneyard, but who is very much alive and looking forward to celebrating London's centennial—not his own, because he has had only 31 years service. He is seen with Fireman Harry Beattie.

"Doc," 31 Years In Service Lives To See Centennial

Veteran Fire Horse Still Groomed With Care at No. 4 Station
So That He May Figure in Old Home Week
—To Be Chloroformed Later.

Thirty-one years of faithful service—sufficient time to warrant superannuation for anyone, let alone a horse. And London has a horse, "Doctor" by name, who has proudly labored for that many years in the service of the fire department. He has worked hard and still works as the last surviving member of a once famous stable.

But "Doctor's" reward is coming. With his birthday in April, celebration of his 32nd year, he will renew friendship with many of his old admirers, for he is being kept alive for one special reason—to take part in London's centennial celebration in August.

"Doctor" is still an excellent specimen, sturdily built, with rich glossy coat, fine canter and gallops with proud agility, retaining a spirited friskiness despite his years. He is well trained, still springing to readiness at the sound of bells and still anxious to do his share in response to fires.

Draws Service Wagon.
At No. 4 fire station he is stabled, groomed with care and fed handsomely. It is not the shining red service truck, laden with glistening ladders that he now hauls, however. It is a small wagon used for utility work.

"Doctor" can be remembered galloping through the streets with "Mack," a pretty chestnut, in the days of horse-drawn fire trucks, the two composing of a team as true as ever centered in the city. "Mack," weakening with age before his partner, was chloroformed not long ago, but "Doctor" remains to vividly recall the days when fire-fighting was realistic romance.

"Doc" is still strong. He still has teeth, not many, but enough to munch his hay and oats deavouringly and with relish.

His end draws near. He might have been destroyed some time ago had not special petition been made to have him on hand for old home week.

Hates Notoriety.
He lives for an admiring climax to his life of service. "Doc" doesn't know that he is being kept just for exhibition purposes next August. If he did he might demand to die right now because he hates notoriety. He loves affection, content to stand in his stable and have the firemen, some younger than himself, fondly stroke his nose and pat his neck and shoulders.

Next April "Doc" will be allowed as a birthday present to gorge himself with the delicacies of a special equine's feast. Should he survive a pampered horse's diet will be given him again when the centennial celebration starts. And with the end of old home week will come his own demise, for he is to be chloroformed and buried before another winter.

**LIBERAL ASSOCIATION
TO ELECT PRESIDENT**
Successor to J. C. Elliott, K.C.,
To Be Chosen at Special
Meeting Tonight.

Representatives of every polling subdivision in London are expected to attend tonight's meeting of the London Liberal association at Hyman hall for the purpose of electing a president to fill out the unexpired portion of the term of office of J. C. Elliott, K.C., whose resignation was regrettably accepted at a meeting last Friday night.

Mr. Elliott, who is member-elect for West Middlesex in the federal house, explained that he felt that he was no longer in a position to give to the office of president the attention and care which its importance deserved, and for that reason considered it better to tender his resignation.

Cars Stop If Board Cuts Fares

Street Railway Issue To Be
Decided at Meeting in
Toronto Saturday.

CITY PRESSES PLEA

Asks For Enforcement of the
Court Finding—Problem
Becomes Acute.

Provided with a copy of the decision of the second divisional court to the effect that the fares clause of the agreement between the city of London and the London street railway is still legally effective and faced with an application from the city through T. G. Meredith, city solicitor, that the company revert to the old rate of fares of seven and nine tickets for a quarter, the Ontario Railway and Municipal board is sitting in Toronto tomorrow to decide whether to issue an order compelling the street railway to go back to the cheaper fares.

R. G. Ivey, vice-president of the company, is in Toronto and will submit facts to show that the company cannot possibly continue in operation if such an order is issued.

The severer is caught with grave possibilities for London citizens, and may even result in a complete cessation of street car service in the near future. In an interview yesterday Mr. Ivey stated that if the city persisted in pressing its claim for lower fares there could be only one result, namely the company would be forced to cease operation. He made the statement not as a threat, he said, but merely as plain statement of fact.

Board in Dilemma.
A. B. Ingram, vice-president of the Ontario Railway and Municipal board, stated over long distance telephone today that the board had received a copy of the decision of the second divisional court. This decision was being backed by an application from the city of London for an order to the street railway company compelling a return to the old rate of fares, so that London's street transportation problem again becomes acute. The company still has recourse to the privy council in appealing against the decision of the court of appeals, and has indicated any intention of abandoning its expressed intention of taking the case there.

What effect this will have on any decision of the railway board is problematical. It may result in the holding up of any order until the company's appeal has been heard. On the other hand the board may decide that the low rate of fares must go into effect until the company has either established or failed to establish before the privy council its right to a higher fare. If the latter view is taken, the city will in all probability have to make application to the railway board to come in and operate the road, or else do without street cars altogether and resort to other methods of street transportation, such as buses.

Employees Watching.
In the meantime the employees of the company are watching proceedings with interest, since the outcome may have a direct bearing on their employment this winter. According to A. D. John Ashton, a member of their union, the men are merely holding a "watching brief" on the case.

"They realize that this is the company's fight," he said, "and are not taking any action. Our hope is that this year's council will deal with the whole transportation problem of London in a definite and business-like way, and that some permanent solution will be reached."

**MUSSOLINI RECOMMENDS
PEACE TREATY TO ITALY**
Associated Press Despatch.
Rome, Dec. 11.—The premier yesterday presented to the chamber of deputies his report as foreign minister on the Locarno security pact, recommending that it be ratified. The discussion is not expected to take place until after the Christmas vacation.

In his report Mussolini referred to the pact as "one of the most important international acts in which the Italian government has participated."

**GENERAL LI IS ROUTED
BY ENEMIES OF CHANG**
Associated Press Despatch.
Tientsin, Dec. 11.—The forces of General Li Chang Ling, civil governor of Chihli province, defeated an advance column of the Quomintang army (followers of General Feng Yu-Hsiang), near Nanchang yesterday in an all-day battle.

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FIRE LOSSES WAY DOWN.
Associated Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 11.—Fire losses in Canada during the week ended Dec. 9 are estimated by the Monetary Times at \$104,500, compared with \$750,200 the previous week and with \$470,250 for the corresponding week of last year.

COURT GIVES DAMAGES IN ST. THOMAS TRAGEDY



JOHN LUCAS,
chief of the London C.N.R. R. shops vol-
unteer fire brigade, which captured
first place in the dominion contest at
Montreal Thursday.

CITY CLERK URGES COUNCIL REFORM

Not Enough Centralized
Financing and Control,
He Believes.

FAVORS MANAGER

Pointing out that the council of 1925 controlled only \$680,000 out of \$2,350,000—less than one-quarter of the expenditure—but is nevertheless held responsible for the tax rate, City Clerk Samuel Baker in an address on Ontario Municipal Government, before the Kiwanis club at noon today, gave from his twenty-one years' experience as city clerk some constructive suggestions for the betterment of civic government in London.

"There is need for a more responsible council," he said. "There is no response to the call to the men of the town to take part in municipal government, because the real spending power belongs to the utilities, the board of education, the railway commission, the hospital trust, and the suburban area commission. Councilmen and ratepayers should recognize the responsibility of the council. We should stop decentralization and give the council more control of civic activities."

Mr. Baker believes strongly that London should adopt the council manager form of government, and judging by the enthusiasm with which his remarks on this subject were received his hearers also thought so.

Under the present system, Mr. Baker said, not through any fault of the council, but through defects of the system, sight is lost of debenture issues and the larger and more general municipal problems. Each separate activity is seized with the importance of its own departmental duties.

Need Central Body.
There is an absolute necessity in London, Mr. Baker believes, for a centralized legislative body for the separation of legislative and administrative functions, and the introduction of a council manager form of government.

"The defects of our municipal system are the barometer of the indifference of our citizens," he stated. "We are ruled by a minority representation. It is time for our citizens to take more interest in their affairs. Our constitution is continued on Page 2, Column 2."

COLLEGE CHANGES NAME.
Canadian Press Despatch.
Lennoxville, Que., Dec. 11.—The name of one of the oldest universities in Canada, founded by royal charter in 1844, has been changed by act of parliament, and the University of Bishop's College will henceforth be known as the University of Lennoxville. With the proposed legislative body for the separation of legislative and administrative functions, the name of the oldest college in the university.

STEAMER IS SAFE.
Associated Press Despatch.
Eastport, Me., Dec. 11.—The steamer Grand Manan, which was beached yesterday with thirty passengers aboard while in Ludec Narrows on a trip from here to Grand Manan, N. B., is in drydock for replacement of its broken propeller shaft.

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Award of \$2,075 For Death
of Eight in Boating
Accident.

STONER MUST PAY

Case Against City Is Dismissed
by Chief Justice
Meredith.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 11.—For the deaths of Mrs. Watts and seven children in the sinking of the swanboat, and the near drowning of 23 children at Pinafore Lake, St. Thomas, last summer, Chief Justice Meredith has allowed judgment for \$2,075 against Stoner, the proprietor of the little picnic craft.

Stoner is also required to pay all costs except those incurred by adding the city of St. Thomas as defendant, the action against the city being dismissed. Chief Justice Meredith contends that the boat was unfitted for its purpose. "It was," he says, "a dangerous contrivance for such use. It is extraordinary that anyone could have thought the contrivance he designed without any advice or assistance from any boat-builder, could be a safe vessel in the uses to which it was put. That which could not happen when the boat was loaded, did happen; the rowboats supporting the deck, were sunk until water poured in them, and the whole contrivance was lowered until it was easily overturned by the children passengers."

The Immediate Cause

The immediate cause of the disaster seems to have been the failure of the one man in charge of the boat to remain in or make for shallow water and to ground the boat there when he saw the boat was sinking.

The city had let the boat privilege in the municipal park to Stoner, judgment says, but nothing but rowboats were permitted. No right was conferred to introduce a wheel-propelled boat called the Swan Boat, and no power of inspection. As to damages, the plaintiff's only right was to recover the value of his property, present and future, made good.

The damages are divided by Chief Justice Meredith as follows:

Mr. Watts Gets \$1,000.

One thousand dollars to Mr. Watts, who claimed \$10,000 for the loss of his wife. This takes into consideration the possibility of his re-marriage, the judgment states.

Mr. Robinson, who lost his two daughters, 8 and 12 years old, \$400. He claimed \$10,000.

To Mr. Vidler, who lost a 12-year-old daughter, \$200. He claimed \$1,000.

To Mr. Sutherland, \$100. He claimed damages for the loss of his only daughter, aged 4 years.

Mr. Smith is allowed \$100 for loss of his 4½-year-old son.

Charles Murphy is allowed \$150 for loss of a 9-year-old grandson.

Thomas Murray is allowed \$125 for loss of his 7-year-old daughter.

The above estimates of the expenses are admitted in the judgment to be in most cases the best guess that could be made.

The accident occurred last July during the course of an Anglican Sunday school picnic at Pinafore park. Twenty-three youngsters embarked on the inflated swanboat at dusk, and the boat turned turtle near the shore when the youngsters rushed to one side to see a big mud turtle.

The damage action was tried before Mr. Justice Meredith at St. Thomas two weeks ago, his lordship reserving judgment at that time.

DECIDE TO DISCONTINUE MEMBERSHIP CAMPAIGN

The London Motor club membership drive has not come up to expectations during the week of campaign. E. C. Bernard, secretary of the club, attributes this to the time at which the drive was started. He believes that if the campaign had begun one month ago or a month hence the result would be different.

Owing to the unsuccessful nature of this drive the club is considering discontinuing the campaign for this month and resuming the drive for members either next month or the month after, when the expenses of the Yuletide season have been safely gone through.

SENATOR LEWIS A VISITOR

Senator John Lewis of Toronto was in the city today for a few hours as guest of Mrs. M. W. Rossie.

Woman Is Remanded For Theft

Mrs. E. Winslow of London,
Caught With Gang,
Pleads Guilty.

IN BRANTFORD COURT

Holder and Carey Must Face
at Woodstock, Charge
of Shooting.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Brantford, Dec. 11.—The law dealt speedily with William Holder, highwayman, arrested here with Wilbert Carey and Mrs. E. Winslow only yesterday, when he was sentenced this morning to seven years in Kingston penitentiary. Mrs. Winslow and Carey, pleading guilty to theft charges were remanded a week. The two men face more serious charges in Woodstock. On an accusation of shooting with intent to kill, they will stand further trial.

The trio was arrested yesterday afternoon by Brantford detectives and provincial police. They fired at Provincial Inspector Milligan last Sunday, according to the press, when he endeavored to stop them as they sped away in a stolen motor car.

Holder was convicted of highway robbery and theft in court this morning.

May Break Gang.

Police believe the three arrests will end the activities of a gang of motor thieves, working in the district since Nov. 5, during which time numerous cars in Woodstock, Brantford and Galt have been stolen.

Although Mrs. Winslow declared herself to be a resident of London at one time, police of that city have no information concerning her and it is not believed she was engaged in any crime at London.

Stealing a motor car from the market square on Saturday night, the trio is said to have taken a motor car to Woodstock and taken a shot at Provincial Officer Milligan when he attempted to place them under arrest. They escaped capture, at working the police had been manhandling a taxicab, by forcing the driver at revolver point went to Moyle's schoolhouse on the Paris highway, where they abandoned the car.

Three Arrested.
Early yesterday morning, Provincial Officer Milligan of Woodstock and Provincial Officer Huff of Simcoe arrived in Brantford. With city detectives, they made a systematic search of the city and managed to locate and arrest the three in a house several hours later.

Holder and Carey are Brantford men. Mrs. Winslow told the police she had lived at Toronto, Brantford, London and Detroit at different times.

ST. THOMAS ENGINEER DIES AT HIS THROTTLE

Robert B. Savage Stops Train
at Toronto and Drops
Dead.

Canadian Press Despatch.
St. Thomas, Dec. 11.—Robert B. Savage, Michigan Central Railway passenger engineer at St. Thomas, fell dead almost as soon as he stopped his engine, but he died before aid reached him. Heart disease was the cause.

His wife, Mrs. Mary Savage, and his three children, Mrs. Fred H. Ward, London, and five sons (Dr. L. V. St. Thomas; Robert, Stratford; Norbert, St. Thomas; Herman and Roy, Western University, London), survive.

Mr. Savage held an enviable record as engineer on the Canadian division in his 44 years of service, and his astuteness had been rewarded by giving him charge of the banner train on the division. At 9:54 he boarded train No. 10, a through passenger limited known as the "Detroitter," from Chicago to New York. Through the night he guided the speeding train across the international boundary and into Buffalo.

At 1 o'clock Fireman Butler noticed nothing strange about his senior's condition, but as he was about to step from the cab he pitched to the ground dead.

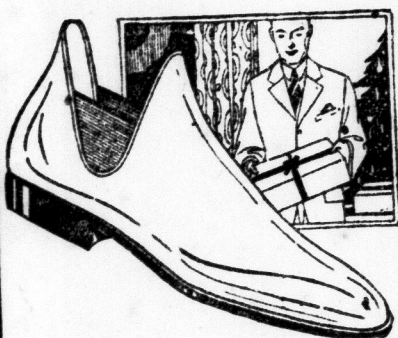
The remains arrive in St. Thomas this afternoon.

RIFF CHIEF LOCATES 15 MILES FROM ADJIR

Associated Press Despatch.
El Arach, Spanish Morocco, Dec. 11.—Abd El Krim, Rifian chieftain, and his entourage are encamped at Ait-Kemara, in the Rifian frontier country, about 15 miles from Adjir, his former capital, which he abandoned before the advance of Spanish forces.

Political advances designed to bring about the surrender and subsequent disarmament of all tribesmen are being made by both the French and Spanish authorities and, it is said, with increasing success.

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The Favorite Model with most men. Neat about the ankles, yet light in weight, soft and comfortable. Made of Brown Kid leathers in three qualities, all of which are smoothly finished inside.

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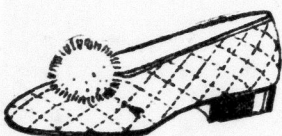
In attractive Plaid patterns. Warmly lined with flexible Leather soles and Rubber heels. Sizes 6 to 11.

\$1.50 and \$1.75

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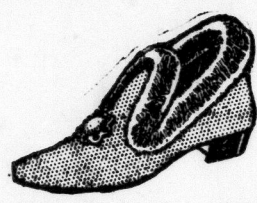
With soft Kid leather uppers, in Brown, Gray or Black. Cosily lined with Rubber heels.

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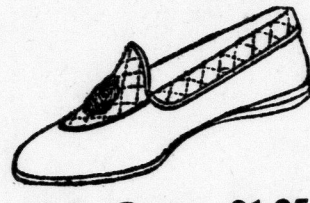
Boudoir Slippers, \$1

Made of kid leathers in shades of Brown, Gray, Blue, Green, Red. Nicely lined and with Rubber heels.



Felt Juliets, \$1.75

The ever reliable Fur-trimmed Juliet. Good weight felt and on a comfort-giving shape. Black, Brown, Gray.



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Ribbon trimmed with Pompon and Rubber heels. Choice of Brown, Red, Ecru, Lavender, Ancient Blue and Old Rose.

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A novel gift that is useful. Trimmed with hand bead work and warmly lined.

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Special for women only. Trimmed with White Fur over Pale Blue, Pink, Paddy Green or Red. Price \$2.00

High-Grade Boudoir Slippers, \$1.95

A quality Slipper of Vici Kid with Chrome leather soles. Cosily lined with felt, neat Pompons and Rubber Heels. Black, Brown, Ancient Blue or Gray. Sizes 3 to 8.

Satin Mules with Covered Wood heels \$3.00

Ashplant's
THE GOOD SHOE STORE

WARDEN PRESENTED WITH GOLD WATCH BY COUNTY ASSOCIATES

Allan McPherson Proves Himself an Able Host at Annual Banquet—Fine Speeches and Good Program of Music Mark Affair.

Warden Allan McPherson of Middlesex county was host to the county councillors, county officials and their wives at an excellent banquet in the Smallman & Ingram dining-room last night, and proved to be just as good a host as he is a warden, which is saying a whole lot.

During the course of the evening, which was interspersed with a splendid program of songs and speeches, Mr. McPherson was presented with a gold watch in token of the able manner in which he has presided over the affairs of Middlesex during the year, and the esteem in which he is held by his fellow-councillors. The address was read by A. L. McDougall, the presentation being made by Duncan Gordon, reeve of Delaware.

Warden's Address.
Following is the address read to the warden:

Allen McPherson, Esq.,
Warden of the County of Middlesex:
Dear Sir—This festive entertainment reminds us that your term of office with the year is nearing its expiration, and we, your colleagues and the officials of the county council of Middlesex for 1925, desire to take advantage of the occasion to convey to you, as well as our thanks for your genial hospitality, our earnest appreciation of the admirable manner in which you performed the functions of that honored position accorded you.

The many important responsibilities entrusted to you during the several years you represented your municipality in this council and the efficiency with which they have been discharged have convinced your associates of your worthiness of greater confidence, and it affords us no small degree of pride to assert that that confidence has not been misplaced.

The harmony and co-operation that must be attributed to no small measure to the consideration and courtesy shown while presiding over us—a manifestation of the sound judgment with which you are so generously blessed.

As a further assurance of our regard for you we ask you to accept this watch, hoping that while it points to time that's fleeting, you, and your estimable wife, whom we are pleased to have with us, will be spared many years of health and happiness to enjoy the blessings you so richly merit.

Signed, on behalf of the council, D. Gordon, William Ross, A. L. McDougall, J. M. Ross, A. C. Hodgins, Major Gordon Ingram and W. H. Wood.

Thanks Members.

The warden, in thanking the coun-

cillors for their gift, declared that the excellent showing made by the county this year financially and in every other way, was made possible by the members of the council through wise legislation and the splendid service and co-operation of the county officials. Exceptionally fine speeches were made during the evening by G. F. Pearson, J. C. Elliott, K. C. M. P., Dave Calvert, J. N. Sullivan, R. T. Roycraft, E. A. Finn, Tom Elliott, B. Pike, A. C. Hodgins, John Cousins, William Ross, all who eulogized the warden for his many good qualities, including his legislative ability. J. M. Ross acted as toastmaster in a capable manner.

The toast to the ladies was handed in an able manner by G. F. Pearson and David Calvert. Mr. Pearson referred to the manner in which the ladies had handled the Red Cross work during the war and stated that he hoped they would help in the Beck memorial endowment drive. This was looked on with favor by Mr. Calvert, who declared that the women's institutes would undoubtedly help in the worthy cause of the sanatorium.

J. C. Elliott, K. C. M. P., in proposing the toast to Canada, pointed out to the gathering that Middlesex county had had many splendid wardens in the past, but none more capable, efficient and popular than Allan McPherson of Glenoe. (Cheers.) The warden was known far and wide for his integrity and good fellowship, and there wasn't a more popular man in the county.

Mr. Elliott dwelt glowingly on the broad expanse of Canada, her mines and forests and agricultural opportunities. He spoke of the friendly relations between Canada, the Motherland and the United States, declaring that the Dominion was the link joining the two great Anglo-Saxon races.

R. T. Roycraft Replies.
R. T. Roycraft, in responding to the toast, referred to the splendid record of the Canadians in the great war. He reviewed a number of their exploits and told of the part he himself had taken in organizing the 135th Middlesex Battalion.

J. L. Sullivan paid high tribute to the warden's ability, declaring he had never sat in council under a more able warden.

J. S. Cousins and William Ross handled the subject of Middlesex county in a thorough manner, while E. A. Finn of the department of agriculture reviewed the honors that had come to Middlesex in agriculture this year at the Guelph, Royal and Chicago winter fairs.

W. H. Wood of the chamber of commerce, in speaking to the toast to London, declared that he was more than pleased at the co-operation manifested between county and city. He invited members of the county council to use the facilities of the chamber of com-

merce at any time. The chamber was prepared at all times to do everything possible for, not only Middlesex, but Western Ontario as a whole. (Cheers.) Major Gordon Ingram, speaking along similar lines, concluded by stating that the best thing about London was the fact that it was in Middlesex county.

Ben Pike and A. C. Hodgins replied to the toast to education, and gave two excellent speeches that were heartily applauded.

The musical program put on by Capt. Tom Robson, the Burwell quartet of South Caradoc, composed of M. M. and H. H. Wightman, Alf Whiting and G. Riley, and solos by Miss Betty Argo, accompanied by Miss Irene Cameron, were greatly appreciated and heartily enjoyed.

Splendid readings and recitations were given by Miss Mae Winter, daughter of Councillor Austin Winter, and Miss Mildred Calvert, daughter of Dave Calvert, reeve of North Dorchester.

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WANTS UNITED STATES TO RECOGNIZE RUSSIA

Senator Borah Introduces Resolution For That Purpose at Washington.

Associated Press Despatch.
Washington, D.C., Dec. 10.—Chairman Borah of the senate foreign relations committee today introduced a resolution calling for the recognition of the Russian soviet government by the United States. At his request, action was postponed.

HENRY LENDS EAR TO URGE FOR 35-MILE SPEED LIMIT

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 10.—Hon. George S. Henry, minister of highways, has promised consideration of the request of members of the Ontario Motor League, who conferred with him this afternoon and advocated an increase in the speed limit of automobiles from 25 to 35 miles an hour in the country, a reduction in motor license fees and the provision of lights on horse-drawn vehicles all over the province, instead of it being a matter of county option, as at present. There has been a considerable increase in the revenue derived from motor licenses during the last year, and the receipts are stated to total more than \$5,500,000.

KING SOLOMON'S LODGE ELECTS OFFICERS FOR YEAR

At a meeting of the King Solomon lodge, A. F. and A. M., No. 378, held in the Masonic Temple last evening, the executive for the ensuing year was elected. The new officers are: Wor-

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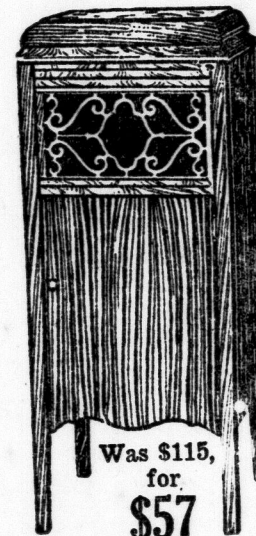
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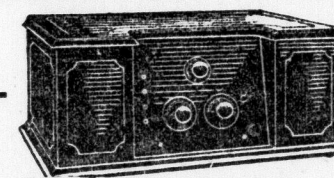
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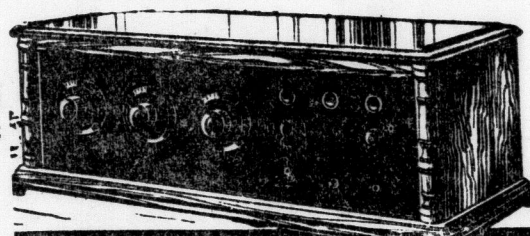
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The various representatives appointed were as follows: Masonic hall, Wor. Bro. A. J. Wilkins; board of finance, Frank Hornsby, J. H. Hobbs and A. Wilkins; board of benevolence, John Hobbs, Sen.; Masonic bureau, Wor. Bro. Albert Trick. Over 120 members attended the gathering.

FORMER STRATFORD MAN KILLED BY CAR IN CHICAGO

Special to The Advertiser

Stratford, Dec. 10.—Edward F. Dillon, Chicago, a former Stratford man, and son of Maurice J. Dillon, Huron street, met with a tragic death in the American city on Tuesday night, according to word which reached his father. The telegram intimated that he had been struck by an automobile.

The late Mr. Dillon was a native of the city and was 46 years of age. For some time he was employed as a brakeman on the Grand Trunk Railway here, and later followed the same pursuit on a railway operating out of Chicago. During the last few years he had been engaged in the plumbing business. Surviving, besides his father, are four brothers and six sisters.

MACCABEES TO MERGE.
Detroit, Dec. 10.—On Dec. 8-10 the Ladies of the Macabees, one of the pioneer women's fraternal benefit orders in the United States, will hold a special national convention in Detroit to vote on consolidating with the Macabees, the men's international fraternal order of that name. The proposed merger has been under consideration by the officials of both societies for some time.

PROGRESSIVES AWARDED HURON SEAT BY APPEAL

Justice Wright Directs County
Judge Lewis Detach Counter-
foils From Ballots.

342 WERE DISPUTED
Conservative Candidate Likely
To Protest Decision—Must
Pay All Costs.

Toronto, Dec. 10.—Mr. Justice Wright this afternoon decided the North Huron election case appeal in favor of J. W. King, the Progressive candidate in the recent general elections, and directed the Conservative candidate, George Spotton, to pay the costs.

Justice Wright directs the county judge to detach counterfoils from the 343 ballots which were thrown out because the counterfoils were attached, and these ballots are to be counted. The decision virtually results in the election of J. W. King over George Spotton. Justice Wright, in giving his decision, says it was the imperative duty of the deputy returning officer to remove the counterfoils, and the judge who may conduct any recount proceedings shall have the like power, and having the power, under the circumstances, it was his duty to exercise it.

"The ballots, if otherwise in proper form, should be counted as if the counterfoils had been at the proper time, removed therefrom."
"The law would indeed be impotent," he declared, "if in a case like the present, where 343 votes were deprived of their franchise, no relief could be had."

SPOTTON WILL APPEAL.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 10.—The Mail and Empire tomorrow will say:
"It is stated authoritatively that an appeal will be made on behalf of George Spotton, Conservative candidate in North Huron, against the ruling of Mr. Justice Wright allowing ballots with counterfoils to be counted, the result being that J. W. King, Progressive candidate, will have a majority."

What Recount Showed.

In the general elections on October 29, J. W. King, Progressive, was elected by a majority of 189 over George Spotton, Conservative, the count being: King, 5,342; Spotton, 5,153. Subsequently Spotton demanded a recount on the grounds of irregularities at three polls, Nos. 2 and 6, Grey, and No. 7, Ashfield. At each of these polls, the counterfoils had been left on all the ballots through the unfamiliarity of the deputy returning officers with the laws. There were 342 votes cast at these polls, giving a majority of 173 for King.

Judge Lewis' View.

The recount was held before Judge Lewis, of Goderich, and was consumed some days of the court's time. Each of the 10,495 ballots, cast in the riding was examined. Counsel for Spotton contended that leaving the "foils" on the ballots violated their secrecy, and they should, therefore, be thrown out. Judge Lewis upheld counsel's contention, and on November 19 declared that the ballots from the three subdivisions in question should not be counted, and awarded the seat to Spotton by a majority of eight votes. His figures were: Spotton, 5,088; King, 5,080.

The Appeal Arguments.

King carried his appeal to the supreme court of Ontario. Mr. Justice Wright presided in the case. N. W. Rowell, K.C., appeared for King, and Shirley Denison, K.C., for Spotton. Denison contended that the judge had no right to inspect the ballots to see if there was any identifying marks on them, but was overruled. He then claimed that in any event, the election writs having been forwarded to Ottawa, Justice Wright could not unseat a sitting member.

N. W. Rowell argued that the will of the people should not be thwarted through ignorance of election officials, and cited numerous precedents for the judge to follow. His argument was concluded last Saturday, and decision reserved.

The Candidates.

J. W. King, who won the seat by Judge Wright's decision, is a prominent farmer of Bluevale. He sat in the last parliament, defeating Spotton, Conservative, by 1,187, and Fraser, Liberal, by 2,817. This was his first attempt in the federal field.

George Spotton, defeated candidate, is a prominent businessman of Wingham. He is president of the Public School Defence League of Ontario, and an ex-major of Wingham.

The Present Standing.

The change in North Huron brings the Progressive total up to 25. The summary by provinces is now, as follows:

Province	Progressive	Conservative	Liberal	Other
Prince Edward Island	2	0	0	0
New Brunswick	1	0	0	0
Nova Scotia	3	11	0	0
Quebec	60	4	0	1
Ontario	12	68	2	0
Manitoba	1	7	0	0
Saskatchewan	15	0	0	0
Alberta	4	3	0	0
British Columbia	8	10	1	0
Yukon	0	1	0	0
Totals	101	116	25	3

QUEBEC'S REVENUES JUMP 20 MILLIONS IN 20 YEARS

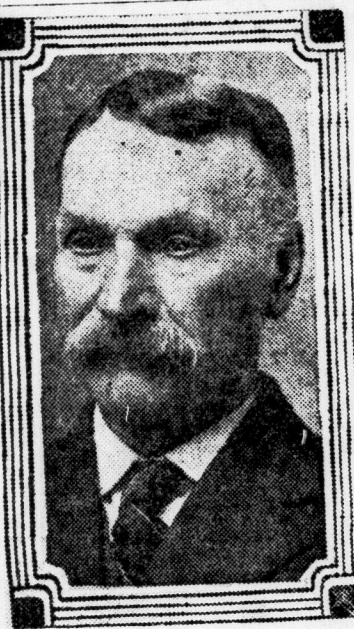
Canadian Press Despatch.
Quebec, Dec. 10.—Something of the progress which has been made in the Province of Quebec since 1900 was dealt with by Premier Taschereau here this evening in the course of the banquet tendered him by the electors of Montmorency county on the occasion of his 25th year as M. L. A. for that county.

Mr. Taschereau said that he was awaiting with impatience the day when still greater revenues would permit the government to make larger grants for education, and he was glad to say that the time was not far distant when this could be done.

Illustrating the progress made by the province, Mr. Taschereau recalled that in 1900 the total receipts were \$4,770,000, while for the last fiscal year they had passed \$26,000,000.

ORPHANS MOURN BENEFACTOR.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 10.—Thirty children from the Royal Trust Blue orphanage were among the mourners who followed the remains of W. J. Banfield, president of W. H. Banfield & Sons, who was buried this afternoon. Mr. Banfield was well known as a lover of children, and gave generous support to this and other orphanages.



JOHN W. KING, who will sit for North Huron in next parliament, according to a decision brought down by Mr. Justice Wright in supreme court yesterday. Justice Wright overruled the decision of County Judge Lewis, of Goderich, who in making a recount, had declared George Spotton, Conservative, elected by a majority of eight over the Progressive candidate.

CROWDS FLOCK TO PENINSULAR FAIR

Attendance at Chatham Show
Proves the Best of Past
Three Years.

Special to The Advertiser.

Chatham, Dec. 10.—There were large crowds at the Peninsular winter fair here again today and officials state that the attendance for this year's show exceeds those of either of the other two. Goslin & Sons, Cottam, won the Percheron stallion grand championship of the show with Jericho and the reserve championship with Venerable. J. J. McLaughlin, Guelph, won both the Percheron female grand championship and reserve championship, the former with Woodside Jess and the latter with Woodside Queen.

G. W. Guertney, Guelph, won the Belgian stallion grand championship with Leader, while Ben VanMader, Chatham, won the reserve championship with Prince D'Ar. Guertney also won the female grand and reserve championships with Mona and Iris.

McNeil & McNeil, Dutton, won the Hereford bull grand championship with Brae Dale, and B. Jasperon, Kingsville, the reserve championship with Melady Cavalier.

R. Harris, Kingsville, won the Hereford female grand championship with Gay Lass 5th, with McNeil & McNeil, Dutton, taking the reserve with Miss Brae Dale 21.

Amos & Black, Moffat, won the Shorthorn female grand championship with Maxima, and Rosemary, with F. Brien & Sons, taking the reserve championship with Mary Ann of Lancaster.

F. Brien & Sons, Ridgeway, won the male Shorthorn grand championship with Legislation, Amos & Black taking the reserve with Mina Chief.

Brandon Bros. of Forest won the A. D. Chaplin special for the best string of five horses in the show.

F. Weaver & Son, Turnerville, won the sweepstakes in single ear Dent corn, and R. J. Johnston, Chatham, the sweepstakes in the single ear Flint corn.

C. N. R. FIRE TEAM HERE LEADS ENTIRE SYSTEM

Montreal Wet Race Is Won in
Competition With 24
Squads.

Special to The Advertiser.

Montreal, Dec. 10.—In competition with 24 other teams representing various large car shops of the Canadian National Railways, team No. 1 from the London shops captured first place in the wet races being held here in connection with the annual competitions of the C. N. R. voluntary fire brigades.

In a similar competition the Island Pond team took first place among the round-house teams. The London team had been playing the target in E2 2-5 sections, while the Island Pond won their section with an elapsed time of 1 minute 31.5 seconds.

The London team consists of the following: J. Lewis (chief), Alfred Osborne (captain), C. Bond, J. Malone, C. Young, C. Scagg, R. Allan, R. Rollands, A. Arbuckle, J. Widdowson, J. Garwell, C. Goddard and H. Aske.

WANT AVIATION BUREAU

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Associated Press Despatch.

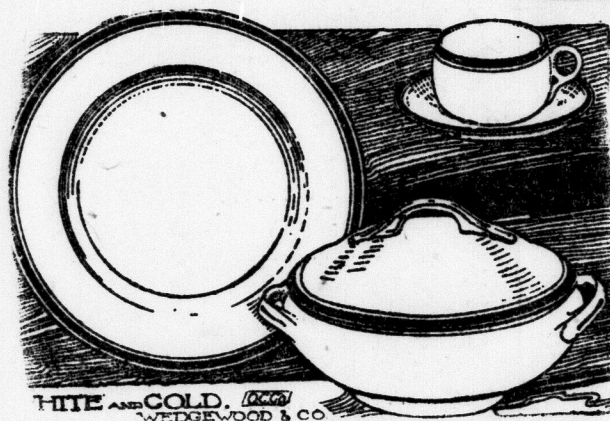
Washington, D.C., Dec. 10.—Creation of a bureau of air navigation in the department of commerce to regulate and encourage commercial aviation, continuation of a policy of aircraft development in the light of the loss of the mail service to all sections of the country, were recommended in the annual report submitted to congress today by the national advisory committee for aeronautics.

RADIO ON GREAT LAKES.

Port Arthur, Ont., Dec. 10.—The first test of radio direction finding on the Great Lakes was completed yesterday with the arrival in port of the steamer Glen Eagles of the Great Lakes Transportation company. The results are reported as most satisfactory. The system is being operated in conjunction with coast stations, and the operator of a ship may call at any time for direction.

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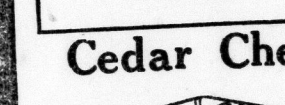
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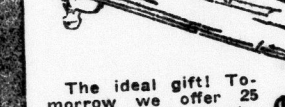
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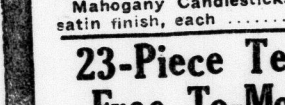
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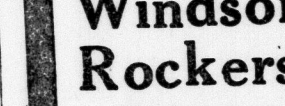
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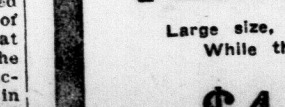
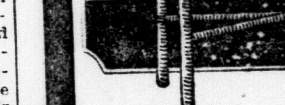
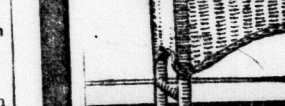
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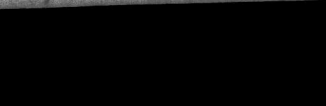


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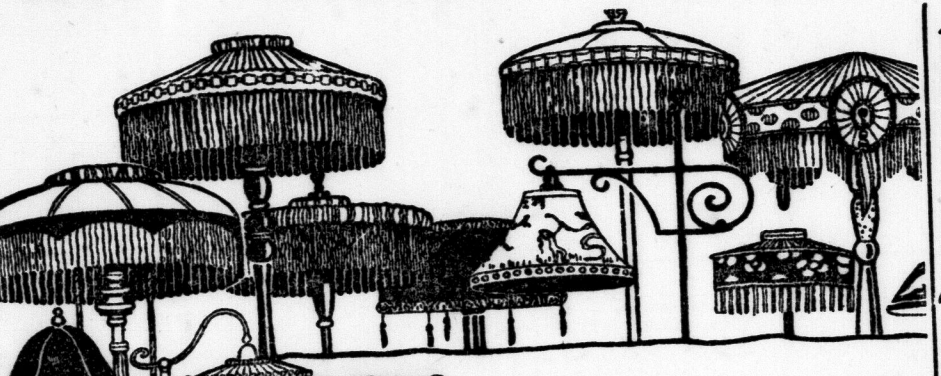
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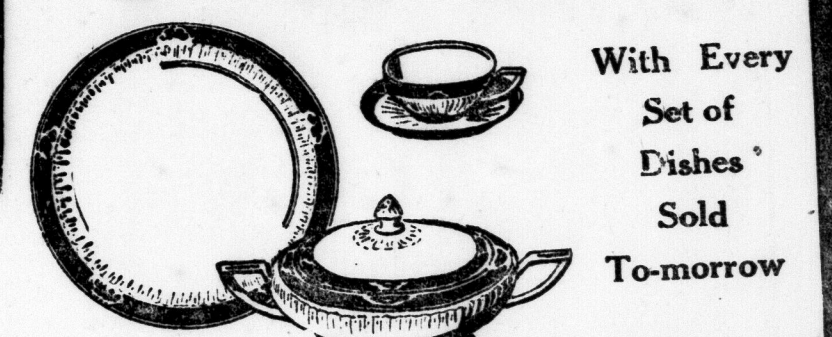
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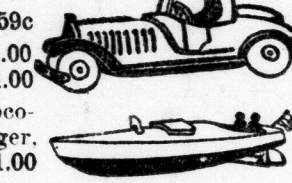
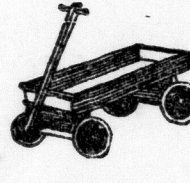


Dolls, regular \$1.50 69c
Dolls, regular \$2.00 95c
Dolls' High Chairs, \$1.25
Toy Carpet Sweepers, 75c
Wagons \$3.95 to \$10.00
Wheelbarrows \$1.25
Automobile \$6.95 to \$24.00
Doll Carriages \$2.50 to \$15.00
Tinker Toys 50c to \$1.50
Quilts \$1.35
Erectors and Model Builders \$1.50 to \$15.00
Dolls' Sewing Machines, Regular \$2.50, for \$1.75

Gifts for Boys

MECHANICAL TOYS

Coon Jiggers 59c
Powerful Katrinka \$1.00
Tractor \$1.00
Trains on track—Heavy locomotive, tender and passenger, and circular track, 50c to \$1.00



SILK VESTS

Ladies' Dainty Silk Knitted Vests, in white, pink, peach, orchid, with ribbon strap. Reg. \$1.25

79c

Kingsmills

SLIPPERY STREET BRINGS BIG FINE

William Mitchell in Court With Dangerous Looking Bottles of Home Brew.

For the next month William Mitchell can recline in county jail to denounce and blame London's slip streets for his misfortune. He slipped gymnastically yesterday, his feet shooting before him high into the air. With his violent gyrations and feeble attempt to steady himself his coat flew back and protruding from either hip pocket two bulging bottles glistened in the afternoon sun.

The glint of glass caught a policeman's eye. They are ever watchful. He investigated. Billy Mitchell was arrested for having liquor in a place other than a private dwelling.

The bottles were exposed in police court this morning as Mitchell pleaded guilty to the O. T. A. charge. They were beer bottles, filled with a soapy liquid—home brew.

Chief Birelli handled them gently as he displayed them to the court. He has had experience with home brew, and these bottles looked particularly dangerous. The contents fizzed explosively with the least disturbance.

Mitchell told his story. He bought the liquor from an unknown man and the beer itself was of an unknown strength, strong enough, however, to register a stagger per mouthful.

"You can be fined \$300 for buying this liquor and \$100 for having it," said the court sternly, and Mitchell quivered slightly. "We'll make it \$50 and costs, or one month, this time," Mr. Graydon continued, and Mitchell stopped quivering.

"Four that stuff down the sink before it explodes," said the chief, as he timidly handed the bottles to an officer.

"Z-z-z-z-z," answered the bottles in defiance.

"Hurry," exclaimed the chief, "but be careful."

And as the officer ran from the room court spectators ducked with fear when he passed them by.

EXECUTRIX IS SUED. Maria Way has issued a writ in the supreme court of Ontario against Sarah Way as the executrix of the estate of John Way. Claim is for breach of an agreement made under seal, dated Nov. 2, 1923, by which defendant, John Way, agreed to pay for nursing and medical and hospital expenses. McEvoy & Henderson are acting for the plaintiff.

Attendance Officer Finds 34 In Theatres and Stores

T. J. Holmes Reports Busy Month in Rounding Up Children Who Should Have Been in School and Were Not—Warns of Future Action.

Pupils who attend downtown theatres in the afternoon when they should be in school are heading into a storm. T. J. Holmes, attendance officer of the board of education, is "wise" to the practice, and is checking it up sharply. In his report for the month of November, read at yesterday's meeting of the board of education, occurs the following sinister paragraph: "The names, and addresses of 34 children were taken during the month for being found in theatres, stores, etc., during school hours, and their parents notified of the fact."

Mr. Holmes sought and obtained the approval of the board in sending to all factories, theatres, etc., a copy of that portion of the school act dealing with attendance. Managers of such places will henceforth be on the lookout for children during school hours.

The attendance officer reported 300 calls during November. The reasons given for non-attendance were: Sickness, 41; by request of parents, 142; by neglect of parents, 6; want of shoes, 4; truancy, 2.

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POLICE FEES HIT IN ELGIN COUNTY

Grand Jury Brings in Report Asking For Investigation of System.

Special to The Advertiser.
By Staff Correspondent.
St. Thomas, Dec. 11.—Important changes may result through the recommendation brought in by the grand jury in their presentation of conditions of the constabulary in the county of Elgin. In brief, the grand jury declared that certain constables were laying information and starting prosecutions for the sake of securing the fees attached. They requested the court of the general sessions to investigate the fee system in the county, and prevent the public from being exploited by officers administering justice in the county.

POLICE CHIEF'S BROTHER CHARGED WITH MURDER

Associated Press Despatch.
Cormick, N. Y., Dec. 11.—Michael J. Enright, brother of Police Commissioner R. E. Enright, of New York, taken into custody yesterday near Campbell, in connection with the brutal murder of Timothy Shay, farm laborer, will probably face a charge of first-degree murder, according to District Attorney Guy Cheney of Cormick.

WORKMEN TUNNELLING 18 FEET EVERY DAY

Work on the four-foot tunnel being built by the city engineer's department in connection with the west end sewage disposal plant is progressing most favorably, City Engineer Near declared this morning.

Mr. Near stated that the workmen were tunnelling 18 feet per day at a depth of 27 feet, and by Saturday night would have completed 100 of the 750 feet.

SANSONE REMANDED.
Pete Sansone, appearing in county police court this morning, was remanded for one week by Magistrate Hawkshaw. Bail was renewed to the amount of \$3,000.

Sansone is charged under the criminal code with negligence, reckless driving and obstructing bodily harm on the Springfield road on Nov. 20.

Dog Pack Kills, Devours Child

Canadian Press Despatch.
St. Johns, Nfld., Dec. 11.—The head and bones of a 6-year-old child of Charles Hines, of Boone Bay, Nfld., were all that were found after a ferocious attack by dogs, according to a message received here by the department of justice.

ST. MARTIN'S BAZAAR PROVES BIG SUCCESS

Pastor Expresses Thanks For Efforts of the Workers in Various Departments.

St. Martin's church bazaar closed last evening, after a four-night run in the parish hall. In the prizes drawn for last evening, Miss Kinsella, of Princess avenue, Miss F. Clifford, Wilson avenue, and Father Mahony, of St. Peter's cathedral won rosaries. The guessing contest on the glass of money was won by Mrs. Henry, Beecher street, who guessed \$10.83 on the jar containing \$10.90. Mrs. W. McAnn of London township was the winner of a luxurious bed quilt.

Ten dollars in gold was won by Miss Winnifred Reeves of Briscoe street. Miss Frances Clifford of Wilson avenue won the third rosary. A chunky cloth centerpiece was won by Mrs. Nottage of Langarth street. A rose and blue floor lamp was won by Mrs. Kennedy of 231 Simcoe street. Mrs. Faulds of 82 Ashkin street was the winner of one dozen sherbet glasses.

Miss McKee was the winner of the five-pound box of Laura Secord chocolates. Miss McKee guessed the number of chocolates in the box to the exact number of 158.

The bazaar was a decided success and Mrs. McKee expressed her thanks to all who had donated articles, given time and work, and to the patronage themselves, for making this the biggest and most profitable bazaar the church has ever held.

The bazaar netted over \$2,250. The chances taken on the motor car brought over \$1,300 alone. The fancywork booth in the money taken in, while the keno and country store booths followed a few dollars short of the leading figure.

COUNCIL IS NOT AFRAID TO SEEK VOTE ON CADETS

Cairncross and Wheable Reply Vigorously to Statements at U.F.O. Convention, Which Are as Strongly Upheld by David Ross.

A. R. Cairncross, vice-chairman of the board of education, and Administrator G. A. Wheable, B.A., M.C., this morning denied the truth of the statement at the United Farmers of Ontario annual convention in Toronto yesterday that the London city council was afraid to put the question of cadet training in the schools to a plebiscite vote of the people.

Both Mr. Cairncross and Mr. Wheable reiterated the opinion they have expressed frequently on former occasions in favor of the cadet movement in the schools, while Mr. Wheable characterized as "extreme" the charge that Ontario school books glorify war and militarism.

On the other hand, David Ross, prominent brotherhood union leader, strongly upheld and congratulated the U. F. O. upon its stand in opposition to cadet training in the schools, in calling upon the federal government to transfer its grant for that work under the militia department to work for physical training under the department of education, and in urging the teaching of ideals of peace throughout the schools.

Not Afraid.

"The council was not afraid to put the question to the people," declared Mr. Cairncross, "rather did the members of the council vote to endorse the judgment of the board of education in the matter. The principals of the schools strongly endorsed the cadet movement in reports to the board, and as far as I know not a single educationist of the city ever objected to the movement."

"As far as the money spent on cadet uniforms goes, that is the best investment the board ever made, while, to my mind, there is a certain discipline, call it esprit de corps if you like, that comes from cadet training, that can never be gotten from mere physical training. I have always supported the cadet movement in the schools, and I have yet to see or hear of anything to make me change my mind on the subject."

"The council recognized that to submit a plebiscite on the cadet question was beyond its prerogative," observed Mr. Wheable, "and thus it was not fear at all that influenced their decision in the matter. The council has not control over what instruction is given in the schools, and had a plebiscite been taken, and had the vote been unfavorable, the board of education would not have been bound by the vote in any way, other than probably accepting it as a guide to their action. The council realized that the board, in approving of the cadet movement was perfectly within its rights, an perfectly in accord with what was proper, and in the interests of the boys attending the schools."

No War Glorification.

"As for teaching the glorification of

war and militarism in the schools," pursued Mr. Wheable, "that is absolutely not the case. In all the old wars of history what is emphasized is the cause and effect and the purpose of that war, not the war itself. We teach in the schools that war is neither a profitable and desirable thing, and that is far from glorifying war and militarism."

"True, in school work, we do refer to the great work of Nelson, Wellington and other great men in contributing to the cause of the British empire, but we don't teach hero worship, and if we are to stress loyalty and patriotism at all, and that, too, is quite different from glorifying war and militarism, we must refer to these leaders."

"To say the school books teach glorification of war and militarism," concluded Mr. Wheable, "is just as extreme a statement as is the desire of those who made the statement."

Backed by Ross.

"The U. F. O. was correct," asserted Mr. Ross, "in saying that the London council was afraid to put a plebiscite on cadet training. I think it first rate for the U. F. O. to oppose cadet training, and first class of them to uphold physical training as opposed to cadet training in the schools of the province, and I agree with them that our schools do teach the glorification of war and militarism."

In the report of the U. F. O. education committee Wednesday morning, which report was adopted by the convention, as read, was the following sentence: "The advocates of cadet training in the schools are afraid to present it to the people as a plebiscite, as shown by the city council of London. A request by the Protestant churches and the Labor party to secure a vote of the people on cadet training, as was reported in the Globe of Oct. 5, this year."

A resolution adopted in connection with endorsement of the league of nations was included the following: "It is resolved that we put ourselves on record as being in full sympathy with the aims and objects of the league of nations and in favor of teaching ideals of peace throughout our school books, instead of glorifying war and militarism."

A further resolution then referred to in the article was adopted as follows: "Whereas, we believe that physical training would be useful to rural school children, not only in building the bodies of the pupils, but also in strengthening their minds in habits of decision, promptness and obedience, be it resolved that we seek to have such physical training, not only in our military training, introduced into our schools, and to have suitable text books prepared to cover such a course."

WENGE REFUSES TO LAY PROTEST

Mayor Denies Rumors of Affidavits Concerning Alleged Irregularities at Polls.

"It's all bunk," declared Mayor Wenge today, when told that there were numerous rumors about to the effect that he would protest the majority election as a result of alleged irregularities at some of the polling booths.

"It is said that you have in your possession a number of affidavits regarding election irregularities," the mayor was informed.

"Who said so?" asked the mayor. "Well, have you?" he was questioned.

"It's all bunk as far as I am concerned," he replied.

"Will you protest the election?" "Everything is peaceful and quiet on the Potomac. Why disturb the peace?" asked the mayor as he hurried back to his seat at the Kiwanis luncheon to hear City Clerk Baker speak on municipal government.

It had been had been any irregularities brought to his attention concerning the election, City Clerk Baker complained that the returning officer was absent from the room when he asked for his ballots, which were given him by the poll clerk. The same thing had happened a year ago, and the poll clerk made him wait until the deputy returned.

Mr. Baker told him that the election act provided for a continuing election, and allowed the poll clerk to act as deputy, in the absence of the returning officer, and that there was nothing done that was illegal.

Mr. Baker told also of protests being made by individuals who stated they had told by outside scrutineers that they had no vote.

"We have no control over outside scrutineers," said Mr. Baker, "and we can't do anything about it after the election is all over. On election day I heard of such a case, and I sent one of our staff to the polling booth to warn the scrutineer."

"We have had more complaints this year as to the manner in which the election was run than ever before. We certainly did the best we could."

SALVATION OFFICERS WILL VISIT INGERSOLL

Lieut. Col. D. F. McAnnamond, divisional commander of the local division of the Salvation Army, accompanied by Staff-Captain Sparks, also of this division, will be in Ingersoll over the week-end.

The officers of the division will be in Ingersoll in that town and inspect the officers of the district.

No. 2 district of this city will present its annual young people's demonstration at the Tenthaven avenue candel on Dec. 28.

It is announced that Capt. Miriam Peasey of Toronto will be attached to this division in the near future. Capt. Peasey is quite experienced in Salvation work and will prove an asset to the local division. It is not known as to what position she will fill here, but this will be announced later.

AUSTRALIAN COURT FREES TOM WALSH

Government Exceeded Powers in Arresting Labor Leaders—Fails Deportation Order.

Associated Press Despatch.
Sydney, Australia, Dec. 11.—The high court here has ordered the release of Tom Walsh and Jacob Johansson, recently president and secretary of the Australian seamen's union, who were arrested on Nov. 29 and held for deportation because of their activities in connection with the unofficial strike of British seamen at Australia ports.

After the arrest of Walsh and Johansson a writ of habeas corpus was ordered on their behalf, the writ calling on the Commonwealth police superintendent to show cause why he should not produce the two accused men in court, and why they should not be released from custody. The writ to save Walsh and Johansson from deportation has been going on in the courts ever since their arrest.

The deportation act under which the president and secretary of the Australian seamen's union were arrested and adjudged deportable, was passed at the last session of the Commonwealth parliament, and is generally supposed at the time to have been aimed at those two who had been active in promoting the strike that had tied up shipping to a serious extent.

It is believed that the high court's decision that Walsh and Johansson should be released from custody was based on the view that the action of the act under which the deportation proceedings were conducted, is beyond the legal power or authority of parliament, and contrary to the Australian constitution. While the application for the release of the two men was made under a habeas corpus writ the chief justice said this was unnecessary.

For this and other reasons the government proposes to discontinue the subsidy in May, but though nobody admits benefit from the subsidy at present the house of commons has a hunch that certain powerful interests will feel injured if the subsidy stops in May. Therefore, it wants to know whether there is to be a new threat of civil war and how it is to be averted without a new subsidy.

None of the wise men at present with any confidence. Churchill hopes trade may improve, or that the royal commission will discover some as yet unknown scheme that will save the coal industry.

Sir Alfred Mond, who is a mine owner, and Vernon Hartshorn, who is leader of the miners' trade union, both say that the only way to save the situation is by a great international combination of the coal industry to raise the prices of coal, and to force the British and German coal owners. It is very likely that Mond and Hartshorn will prove true prophets.

SIXTH ADJOURNMENT ALLOWED BY COURT

Frederick Kingham Still Confined to Hospital Following Street Accident.

The sixth adjournment in as many weeks was granted in police court today in the case of Ernest Blackwell and Louis Cake, charged under the criminal code with furious driving and causing bodily injury to Frederick Kingham, street railway employee.

Kingham is still confined to Victoria hospital, and although Magistrate Graydon last week made the suggestion that his evidence be taken at the hospital to put an end to further adjournments, Crown Attorney A. M. Judd said today that his condition would not permit his deposition being taken now. The man suffers from shock, he said, and an examination by lawyers might retard improvement in his health.

Bail, originally set at \$200 for each defendant, was renewed upon acceptance of four sureties of \$100 each.

CARSHOPS CONCERT WILL BE HELD DEC. 22

Plans Completed For Annual Entertainment of C.N.R. Athletic Association.

The annual Santa Claus concert of the Canadian National Railway amateur athletic association of this city will be given in the library of the car shops.

The concert, which is in the form of a variety show, is put on by the members of the association every year for the kiddies of the district and as a means of raising money for the association. In conjunction with the concert there will be a Christmas tree at the car shops.

D. R. McFarlane, car distributor for this district is the chairman in charge of the committee of social events, and it is under his supervision that the program will be carried out.

MOVE TO LESSEN CITY CLERK'S WORK

Municipal Association Asks Exemption From Preparing Part Three, Voters' List.

The executive committee of the Ontario Municipal Association, meeting in Toronto yesterday, passed a resolution asking that city and township clerks be absolved from the duty of preparing part three of the voters' list, which has to do with parliamentary voters only.

"I didn't support the motion," said City Clerk Baker, who returned from the meeting this morning. "I feel that there is no better method than the one in vogue now, which provides for the list being prepared by the assessors. It is fair and economical."

Mr. Baker stated that this and other resolutions would be placed before Premier Ferguson today. He was not hopeful that much consideration would be given to any of them by the premier.

Mr. Baker said that another resolution called for the municipalities sharing in the gasoline and motor vehicle taxes to be used for the upkeep of city roads, while still another sponsored by Windsor requested the government to allow cities to collect taxes from American citizens.

"Windsor wanted it, and Windsor made a strong effort to get the adoption of a resolution calling for the universal adoption of grant-in-aid income tax," said Mr. Baker. "It seems that Windsor collects a tax now, but Ford, Sandwich and Walkerville don't. This means that there is much evasion and a waste of money for the province."

An amendment to the marriage law was asked whereby it would not be necessary for anyone over 20 years of age to produce a certificate of income tax. The executive requested also power on the part of municipalities to collect statute law tax from anyone who was assessed less than \$25 for income tax.

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- For All—A Real Gift.
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| Lot 1 goes for | 39c |
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| Lot 3 goes for | 97c |
| Lot 4 goes for | \$1.44 |
| Lot 5 goes for | \$1.94 |
- BIRTHDAY BOOKS**
Lot 1 goes for 28c
Lot 2 goes for 48c
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For Adults. This is a Sensible Gift.
47 only of these will be sold for 94c



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Be Our Guests at "The King On Main Street"

CHRISTMAS SERVIENTES
While they last, will be sold, per doz. 9c
Real quality. See these.

QUILL PENS
Exceptional quality, assorted colors. Reg. 50c, will be sold 29c

Big assortment of Hand-Painted Calendars with gift edge; a high-class gift. Will be sold for 48c each

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ADOLPHE MENJOU
The First Fifty Persons making a purchase of \$1.00 or more, Saturday, will each receive a Free Ticket to see this big picture at the Capitol on Monday evening Dec. 14.

LINEN TABLETS
Genuine 10c value, will be sold Friday and Saturday, 2 for 11c

ENVELOPES
More of these Linen Envelopes, regular 10c package, will be sold, 2 for 11c

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A real buy for personal use or a gift. Will be sold, per box 33c

Underwood's Writing Ink, Reg. 10c Now 5c

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FRIDAY AND SATURDAY
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Come EARLY For THESE CREAM JUGS, Each, 9c

Playing Cards. A real serviceable card. Will be sold for 28c

CHRISTMAS CARDS
Values to 10c, will be sold, each 5c

Bags of Marbles, 50 to a bag. Regular 5c. Now, 2 bags for 6c

These Items Make Good Gifts, and Will Be Sold Come Early

Companion Sets will be sold	
Lot 1 29c	Lot 2 39c
Shannon Files go for	78c
Shannon Binding Cases	44c
Genuine 5c value Lead Pencils will be sold, dozen	39c
Guaranteed Fountain Pens, \$2.00 value, go for	\$1.38

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Undoubtedly the best Book Bargain in this wide Dominion of ours. All kinds, suitable for all. Values up to \$2.00 in this lot, will be sold
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Real Values.

Children's Testaments, each	23c
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Of All Kinds in these groups.

Lot 1 will be sold	19c
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Lot 1 23c Lot 3 go for 49c

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WOMAN INJURED BY MYSTERY CAR

Mrs. F. Bennett of Southwood in St. Thomas Hospital With Broken Leg.

STRUCK BY MOTOR
Victim and Relatives Withhold Information As To Identity of Motor Driver.

Special to The Advertiser.
St. Thomas, Dec. 10.—Mrs. Frank Bennett, of Southwood, was seriously injured this afternoon while walking on the highway near her home a mile and a quarter north of St. Thomas. She is in the Memorial hospital with a broken leg, quite severe cuts about the head, and a possibility of other injuries.
A car bearing a St. Thomas license is reported to have been travelling toward the city, and to have either struck or run over Mrs. Bennett. The Bennett's have not told anything they know about the name of the driver of the car, or the license number.
The last case to be brought before the general sessions of the peace at the court house was that of Rex vs. Howarth. The grand jury returned a true bill of reckless driving.
The charge hinged on a motor crash on the Union hill last July, in which the occupants of the C. L. Wideman car, Londoners, were hurt. It was alleged that William Howarth, the driver of the second car, was travelling on the wrong side of the road. The jury discharged the prisoner and dismissed the case.
In the case of Rex vs. Vernon Tisdale, the South Yarmouth farmer charged with obstructing a peace officer in the discharge of his duty. The case was taken out of the hands of the jury when the prosecution had closed, and Judge Ross ruled that the inspector had overruled his authority and dismissed the case.
One of the jurors, H. R. Shell, city, was robbed of his coat while attending the sessions.

JUDGING FINISHED IN POULTRY SHOW

Winter Event of Woodstock Association Best in History—1,000 Entries.

Special to The Advertiser.
Woodstock, Dec. 10.—The most successful winter show conducted by the Woodstock Poultry association in years is now in full swing. The judging, conducted by Robert B. Fox of Toronto, is now completed. Nearly one thousand birds make up the show and according to J. H. Macdonnell of the poultry department of the Central experimental farm, Ottawa, the quality of the stock is equal to any of the winter poultry shows held in Ontario this year.
One of the features of the show is the exhibit of pigeons. Over 200 birds were judged, and the Ottawa expert was high in his praise of this branch of the show. Among the chief outside winners were H. Turner, Stratford; Hoffman Bros., Kitchener; J. Ridler, London; A. Fink and W. Holden, Woodstock.
In the poultry classes the principal winners were Hoffman Bros., Kitchener; Smith and Williams, Ingersoll; A. Cadogan, H. Lewellen, Rod McJannet, George Coward, Thomas Wardell, J. Masson and Percy Owen, Woodstock; John Jellows and George Hayward & Sons, Ingersoll; John Ransom, A. Fink and James Silk, Woodstock.

JOHN SNELL, PIONEER OF CHATHAM, PASSES

Though 85 Years of Age He Was An Ardent Swimmer—Staunch Liberal.

Special to The Advertiser.
Sarnia, Dec. 10.—John H. Snell, aged 85, for years a resident of Chatham, died suddenly last night at the home of his daughter, Mrs. James (Carr), of this city. He came here a few weeks ago on a visit, and up to the hour of his death was apparently in good health.
The late Mr. Snell was born in Parrissboro, N.S., and while still a young man came to Belmont, Ont., with his parents. Shortly after he was 21 years of age he married, and Chatham, which was his home for more than 60 years. He was a carpenter and cooper by trade, and for 35 years was employed by the Kerr mills, for 29 years being foreman of their cooper shop. Several years ago he retired from active work.
Ten years ago Mr. and Mrs. Snell marked their golden wedding anniversary. Mrs. Snell died four years ago, and since then Mr. Snell had lived at the homes of his daughters.
Surviving relatives are two sons, Alfred of Chatham and Harry of Vistula, Cal.; three daughters, Mrs. R. Lowe of Chatham, Mrs. J. Garen of Sarnia and Mrs. (Rev.) L. L. Cousins of Talbotville; one brother, Rev. Charles Snell, Los Angeles, Cal., and two sisters, Mrs. J. H. Shaw of Chatham and Mrs. E. C. Gammon of Toronto.
The remains have been taken to Chatham, and the funeral will be held on Friday afternoon at Maple Leaf cemetery, the services being conducted by Rev. W. Gaetz, assisted by Rev. L. L. Cousins and Rev. A. E. Jones.

Milk Is Lower In Tillsonburg

Special to The Advertiser.
Tillsonburg, Dec. 10.—Dec. 1 local milkmen announced that the price of milk would be 11 cents a quart instead of 10 cents, but Pandried citizens, starting today, are again enjoying 10-cent milk, following an announcement by the Cedar Ridge Dairy that the lower price would prevail until further notice.

Dowlers

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This Is a Friendly Store

Store Open Until 10 p. m. Saturday

Built on Value—Maintained on Value.

NEW LOW PRICES SATURDAY ON DOWLERS OVERCOATS

Hundreds of Styles, Patterns and Colorful All-Wool Fabrics Offer Greater Values Than Ever.

GIFT HINTS FOR MEN

\$5.00
New and beautiful patterns in these Gift shirts, of finest English broadcloth. Handsomely boxed for presentation, \$5.00

\$1.15
A special purchase of Paroli's Italian Silk Neckwear, richly blended colorings and novel designs. Special at \$1.15

\$1.50
These Cashmere Mufflers, in contrasting tones, are strongly favored this winter by well-dressed men.

\$2.85
Genuine Pigskin Gloves are gifts that any man will treasure over, and these are offered at the lowest price you've seen in years \$2.85

\$5.00
Lumberjack Sweaters, of heavy flannel cloths or knitted wools, make ideal gifts for the winter sportsman \$5.00

The Ad Man's Corner
A well-known Chicago business man, with an hour of leisure on his hands, dropped into the store the other day to look around. Before he left he told us quite frankly that he was amazed and delighted with the quality of merchandise on display, the rich beauty of patterns and fabrics, the superb blending of colors. He is a man who is widely traveled, visiting most of the famous cities of America and Europe once a year—a man who has seen enough to have his final judgment seriously considered. And he told us what he thought of this store in highly complimentary terms—and he backed up his verdict by carrying away over \$102.00 worth of furnishings as Christmas gifts for his friends across the line.

Cap



\$16.50

There will be a number of very fortunate men who secure one of these Overcoats on Saturday at this exceedingly low price. They are coats of all-wool fabric, in a number of attractive shades and authentic styles. Coats that you've never seen equaled at this price. We have all sizes, but you may be sure that they won't last long. It will pay you to select yours as early as possible on Saturday morning.

\$28.50
and
\$38.50

There are no finer values in Canada than these superb Coats at \$28.50 and \$38.50. Of all-wool British fabric, beautifully tailored, correctly styled and in some of the smartest patterns and richly blended colors we have shown this season.



Society Brand Overcoats
Hand Tailored
\$45 up

You know the virtues of Society Brand Coats. Hand tailored of the finest all-wool cloths woven in famous English mills. Styling in the latest approved models and patterns and colorings are new and exclusive. Saturday, \$45.00 up

A Double-Breasted Glenkeith Serge
For Holiday Wear
\$37.50

Nothing smarter for the Christmas holidays than one of these Correctly Tailored, Double-Breasted, Navy Blue Suits, of "Glenkeith" serge, widely known all over Western Ontario as a fabric which has no equal. Woven in England, guaranteed fast color and an incomparable value at \$37.50. Single-breasted models, too, of course.



The Consul
A 1926 Tuxedo
\$37.50

We've had a hard time keeping enough of these new Tuxedos in stock to satisfy the demand, but a new shipment has just arrived in all sizes, for the holiday season. Rich, black Barathea cloth, faultlessly styled for formal occasions, with the new, wide, satin lapels and art-silk lined. Remarkable value at \$37.50

FOR A BOY'S CHRISTMAS

79c to \$2.00
Hundreds of patterns and choice fabrics in this comprehensive display of Gift Blouses for boys. Very moderately priced.

\$1.50
The Jackie Coogan Muffler, in a variety of smart shades, is a gift any boy will cheer for.

\$3.00
All-Wool V-Neck Sweater Coats for boys, finely knit, in a wide range of novel designs and rich colorings \$3.00

85c
Direct from England these All-Wool Golf Hose come in a variety of attractive plain shades, with colored fancy tops 85c

\$4.95
Nothing like a Mackinaw for comfortable warmth and general all-round wear and tear. Splendid value at \$4.95

\$12.50
A boy finds it very easy to choose an Overcoat he likes to wear in Dowlers' range of all-wool cloths, in richly blended colorings and attractive patterns. They're styled the way he likes them.

J. P.
COOK
AND CO. LIMITED

As Essential To Your Feet
as--
Food To Your Body



WOULD you consider going through the winter without an overcoat? Of course you wouldn't. Would you consider wearing a straw hat during a heavy snowstorm? Of course you wouldn't.

Why, then, should one try to live through the entire winter without proper footwear? The Adjusto Over-shoe meets the demand required by the discriminating dresser. Every objection to the old style overshoe is done away with.

Adjusto Goloshes, like the cut, in two qualities, for women at \$4.50 and \$5.00 pair

The **J. P. COOK** COMPANY, LIMITED

USE EITHER ENTRANCE, DUNDAS OR RICHMOND STREETS

Bargains for Christmas

WATCH OUR ADS
WE HAVE LOTS OF BARGAINS

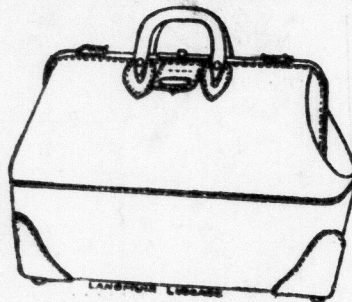
We have a full stock of Aluminumware "Wear-Ever" Special. Come in and see them. Teakettles Regular \$4.85, for **\$3.59** Potato Pots Regular \$2.00, for **\$1.39** Large Roaster Regular \$6.75, for **\$3.98**

See our 15-Cent Counter for Aluminumware. Wonderful Bargains.

We have all kinds of bargains in Aluminumware. Full stock. Bonny Blue Enamelware. Just what you want for Christmas Presents. Come in and see our assortment.

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REAL LEATHER
Cloth lined \$4.00
Leather lined \$5.50
SOLID COWHIDE
Leather lined \$8.75 to \$35.00

SUITCASES

Patent enamel \$4.00 to \$15.00
Real leather \$5.50 to \$30.00

HAT CASES

Round shape, with leather binding, made of fabric, real leather or patent enamel \$4.00 to \$15.00

FRENCH IVORY AND SHELL

A full line of both ivory and shell at reasonable prices. Mirrors, Brushes, Combs, Jewel Cases and all small pieces.

LADIES' DRESSING CASES

Pitted with French ivory or shell in leather case, nicely lined \$15.00 to \$40.00

FITTED SUITCASES

Real leather cases with tray inside, nicely lined and fitted with ivory or shell \$24.00 to \$55.00

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Keystone Guaranteed Military Brushes, real ebony, shell or natural ebony, all pure bristles \$2.00 to \$10.00 pair



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All of our bags are guaranteed real leather. We show a nice variety of colors and patent leather. Under-Arm Bags \$2.00 to \$12.00 Pouch Bags \$2.00 to \$10.00 Manicure Sets, Tobacco Pouches, "Jag" Cases, Cigarette Cases, Memo Pads, Playing Cards in Case, Bridge Sets, Auto Rugs, Auto Gaucies.

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All time scheduled P.M. except that time after midnight is denoted by heavy figures.
1-2 p.m.—Gard. Wisley, piano; B.H. Durkin, saxophone; A. Nielson, vocal; market reports and weather forecasts.
7-15 p.m.—London Central Collegiate orchestra.
11 p.m.—2 a.m.—Canadian Joy-Givers' club.
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1:00—"Your Honor League."
WJAR, PROVIDENCE—309.9.
7:45—Book chat; concert.
8:30—Jolly Bakers.
11:00—Billmore orchestra.
WJR, DETROIT—516.9.
7:00—Tette symphony.
8:00—Musical feature.
WJY, NEW YORK—405.2.
7:30—Abram's orchestra.
8:20—Musical comedy (WGY).
WJZ, NEW YORK—454.3.
6:30—University of the air.
7:00—Levitov's orchestra.
8:10—Organ recital.
9:00—L. S. army night.
10:00—Musical feature.
10:30—Lorraine orchestra.
WLS, CHICAGO—344.6.
7:30—Organ recital.
8:00—Lullaby: WLS trio.
8:45—Poet corner: RFD.
10:00—Orchestra and choir.
11:00—Ford and Glenn time.
WMAQ, CHICAGO—447.5.
7:00—Organ; Wideawakes.
9:30—Whitney trio.
9:00—Musical lecture.
10:00—Lecture; recital.
WMB, MIAMI BEACH—384.4.
7:30—Concert music.
10:00—Dance program.
WNAQ, BOSTON—280.3.
6:00—Krazy Kat Club.
8:20—Dinner dance.
8:30—Spanish war veterans.
WNYC, NEW YORK—526.0.
6:10—Market; piano recital.
6:20—French lessons.
7:30—Alarms; ensemble.
9:10—Colonial orchestra.
10:10—Book talk; alarms.

WOC, DAVENPORT—483.6.
6:45—Chimes; reports.
9:00—Musical program.
10:00—Around the world.
10:45—St. Ambrose choir.
WOO, PHILADELPHIA—508.2.
7:30—Ritz-Carlton orchestra.
8:00—WOO orchestra.
9:30—Fox theatre orchestra.
10:00—Mary Vogt, organist.
10:30—Sylvania orchestra.
6:15—Santa Claus; sports.
WOR, NEWARK—405.2.
6:37—Stories; dinner music.
WOS, JEFFERSON CITY—440.9.
9:00—Address: Boonville male and mixed quartets.
WPG, ATLANTIC CITY—299.8.
6:45—Organ; Motion trio.
8:15—Curlbert melody boys.
9:00—Traymore ensemble.
10:00—Nichols' orchestra.
11:00—Organ recital.
WSB, ATLANTA—428.3.
9:00—Concert.
11:15—Miniature symphony.
WTC, HARTFORD, CONN.—475.9.
6:30—Young people's hour.
7:00—Heimburger's trio.
7:20—Watson Woodford, tenor.
8:20—Community night.
11:50—Clockmakers' serenaders.
WWJ, DETROIT—352.7.
6:00—Dinner music.
8:00—News orchestra.
9:00—Dance music.

STEER GOES TO BUTCHER AFTER FINAL TRIUMPH

Whiteface Champion, Tipping Scales at 1,100, Becomes Anderson Beef.

Special to The Advertiser.
Chatham, Dec. 10.—Judge L. O. Clifford, Oshawa, put J. E. Harris's King's-ford purchased Hereford steer at the top of the market cattle classes at the

Peninsula Winter Fair tonight. This whiteface champion, which tips the scales at 1,100 pounds, was reserve champion Hereford steer at the recent winter fair, and was sold after the Toronto show to Anderson's, the Big Store, London, for 25 cents a pound. His victory will be short-lived, as his new owners propose to kill and dress him that he may tickle the palate of citizens of the Forest city on Christmas Day.

TAYLOR VANCOUVER'S MAYOR.
Vancouver, B.C., Dec. 10.—L. D. Taylor was re-elected mayor of Vancouver yesterday over Louis Rubinowitz. The ratepayers endorsed by 20 majority the two-year term for mayor and aldermen.

To Sleep To-night Use RAZ-MAH To-day for ASTHMA
Head and Bronchial Colds. No smokes, no sprays, no snuff. Just swallow a few Raz-Mah capsules. No slightest trace of narcotics or other dangerous or habit-forming drugs. Especially effective in reduced dosage for children's asthma. R36

ASTHMA COMFORT RAZ-MAH

SPECIAL: Send for information, booklet and generous trial of RAZ-MAH to: Temptations Ltd., Toronto 2, Ont.

GUARANTEED RELIEF: Raz-Mah quickly stops gasping, coughing and choking—ends the headaches and pains in the eyes—makes breathing easy—relieves mucus gatherings in bronchial tubes—gives long nights of restful sleep. Every drugstore sells Raz-Mah on a money-back guarantee of relief from one \$1.00 box.

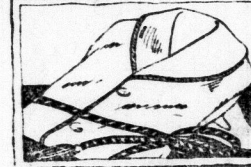
Suggestions To Help You Shop



Pyjamas—

Presenting an excellent selection of madras, percale and soisette Py-jamas at

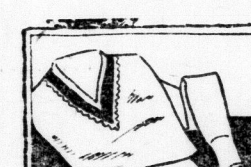
\$2.50 to \$3.50



Bathrobes—

Here's a gift that he will find every day use for; a complete selection offered at only

\$9 to \$15



Pullovers—

Every young man and youth will want one; in plain colors and fair isle patterns; at

\$3.50 to \$5.50



Neckwear—

Here are pure silks, cut full-fashioned and offered in the season's newest patterns.

75c, 95c

\$1.50



Suspenders—

Shown in a variety of patterns with the silk web; special at

50c to \$1.00



DOLLAR FOR DOLLAR Values In Overcoats

YES, even more than you expect for your Clothing dollars. Styles that have just been unpacked; woollens from the finest looms and tailoring of the custom-tailor variety—all at this price.

Men's and Young Men's Winter Overcoats

One lot Men's and Young Men's All-Season O'Coats. All styles and models, imported fabrics, grays, fawns and lovals, in English Tweed mixture; all sizes; \$40.00 values.

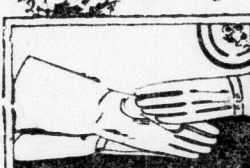
SALE PRICE \$24.50

One lot of Men's and Young Men's Winter Overcoats, fine imported pure wool fabrics. Wonderful styles and patterns to select from, products of Canada's and England's best makers. These are the cream of Oak Hall's stock; \$50.00 values.

SALE PRICE \$29.50

156 DUNDAS STREET **OAK HALL** LONDON
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Oak Hall Prepared To Serve



Gloves—

Whether he seeks Dress Gloves or Gauntlet Gloves for motoring, here's a fine selection; very special.

\$1.75, \$2.50

\$3.50



Underwear—

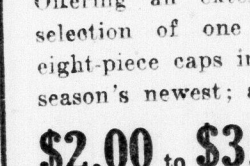
Presented in weights and materials suitable for present wear; unusual values at

\$1.75 to \$5.00



Offering an extensive selection of one and eight-piece caps in the season's newest; at

\$2.00 to \$3.00

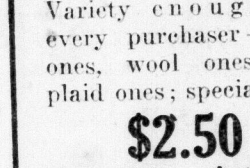


Mufflers—

Variety enough for every purchaser—silk ones, wool ones and plaid ones; special at

\$2.50

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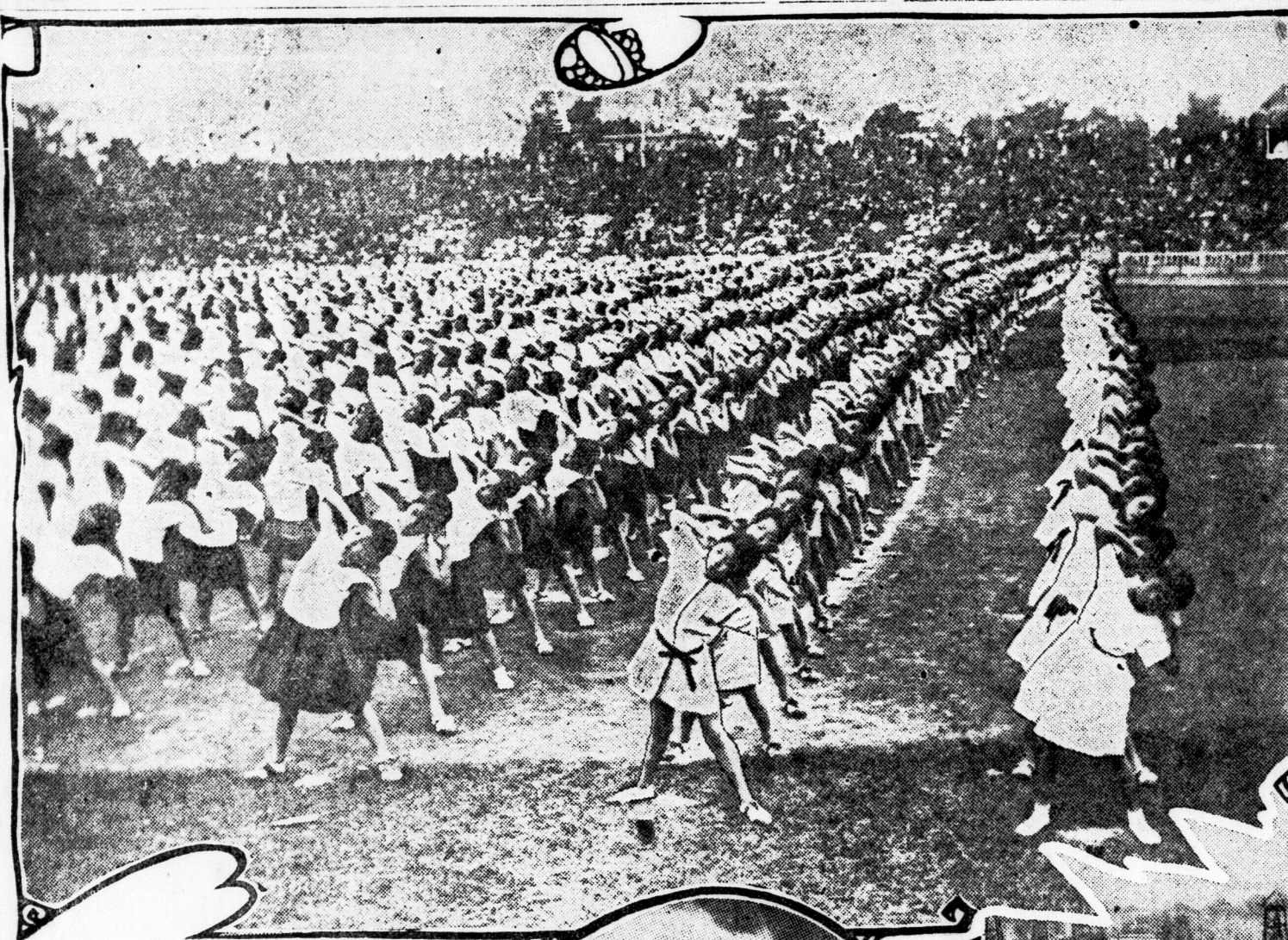


Sweaters—

Plenty of fair isle patterns shown in these Jacket Sweaters

\$5.50

Spanish Nightingale Is Decorated :: Britain Sued In Big Tank Claim



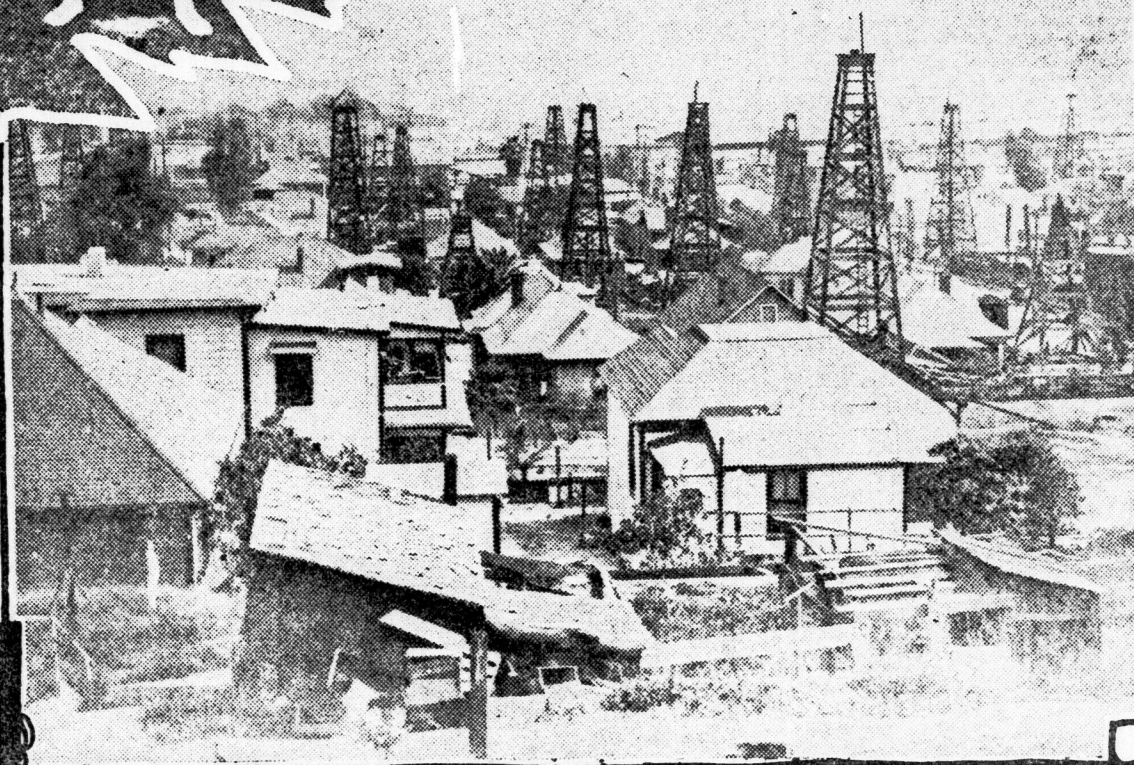
"P. T." IN JAPAN — Physical culture drill by 3,000 Tokio school children at a public festival recently held in the Japanese capital.



LT.-COL. SHERRILL, former aide to President Coolidge, who is slated to become city manager of Cincinnati at a yearly salary of \$25,000. He is at present the director of public grounds and buildings at Washington.



A BEAUTY—Miss Lilly Neufeld, chosen the most beautiful girl in Hungary, the land of the rhapsody and the far-famed goulash.



CITY OF SHAPES is a new name for Los Angeles. In backyards, on the lawns, in the business districts, the oil wells are being probed. The above photo shows a view of Bernard street.

SWEPT TO SEA—At least two were killed and traffic of all kinds was completely demoralized in the terrific storm on the Atlantic seaboard. The above photo shows the Ambrose Channel boat-house of Bensonhurst, Brooklyn, which was blown five miles out before it sank.



SOVIET WAR CHIEF—Clémence Voroshiloff, peasant born and in early life a foundry hand, recently promoted from commander of the Moscow district to the rank of commissar of war for the soviet armies, Trotsky's old job.



CANADIAN TURFMAN SAILS—Commander and Mrs. J. K. L. Ross sail on the round-the-world trip of the Empress of Scotland. The noted millionaire sportsman is shown being bid bon voyage by Alphonse Jongers (left), New York artist.



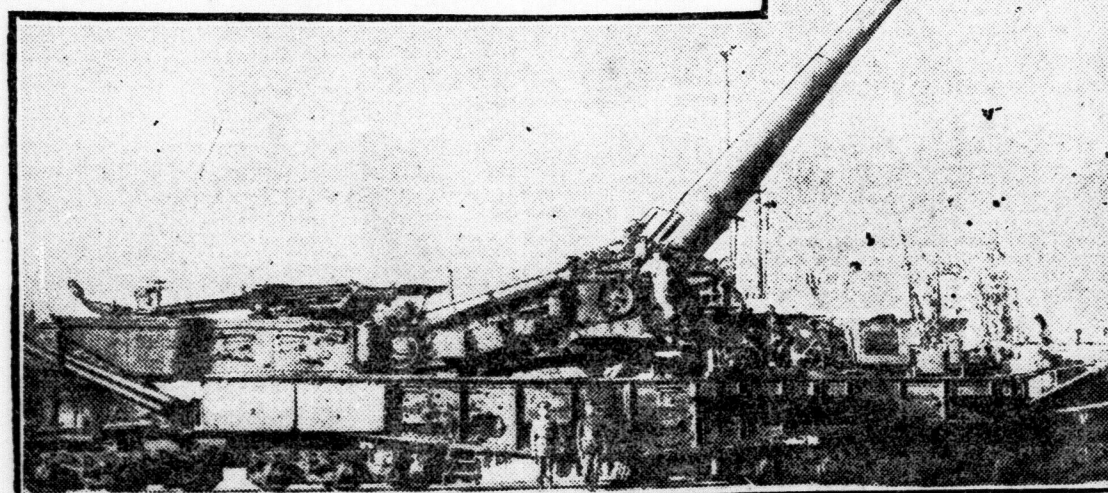
STARTS WORLD TOUR—With a passenger list including many Canadian and American notables, the C.P.S.S. Empress of Scotland left New York, December 5, on the first lap of her round-the-world tour.



TANK CLAIM—Capt. Bede Bentley, who is suing the British government for three hundred thousand pounds, claiming he is the inventor of the tank developed during the war.



NIPPON BEAUTY HERE—Accompanied by her husband, Mrs. Chyoko Takahata, reputed to be the wealthiest and prettiest woman in Japan, arrives in America on a world tour.



DISARMING GUN—This 14-inch, 50-caliber gun on a railway mount will take its place in strengthening the defence of the west coast of the United States. It has a 50-degree elevation and can fire at the range of 25 miles.



GRID CZAR? — Following Commissioner Landis' success in baseball, Walter Eckersall, former star Chicago quarterback, and noted referee, is being boosted for the czarship of organized football in the United States.



ANOTHER NIGHTINGALE—In the above photo is shown Rosario Vazquezque, a nurse with the Spanish forces, who has been decorated with the military medal for her bravery and coolness during the present Moroccan campaign.

WOMEN and THE HOME

NATIVITY PLAY IS TO BE PRODUCED

Rev. Quintin Warner Will Present "When Half Gods Go" by Nora Holland.

AT WARNER HALL

Drama League Is Assisting in Present When Half Gods Go, by Nora Holland.

The Nativity play, When Half Gods Go, from the eloquent pen of the late Nora Holland, is being produced for the fourth time in London at Warner hall on the evening of Dec. 23.

The play is being presented by Rev. Quintin Warner, rector of Cronyn Memorial church. Mr. Warner is being assisted by the Drama League, from which stage settings are being procured, and also by some of the Drama League members, who will take part in the production. With the permission of F. W. Willoughby, his musical selections will be used.

Owing to the limited capacity of the hall, invitations are being sent out to persons in membership in the various organizations of the church. After the expenses of the production are deducted, the proceeds will be turned over to the relief fund for the many needy folk applying to Warner hall.

'TEEN AGE GIRLS ARRANGE CONCERT

Pupils of Miss Gladys Lowes, Assisted by Friends, Giving Program.

A rather unique little concert is being given this evening in the auditorium of the Victoria school, South London, when a number of 'teen age girls will present a program of music, readings and dances in aid of the Christmas cheer fund.

The young ladies, most of whom are pupils of Miss Gladys Lowes, A.T.C.M., are very enthusiastic about the evening's entertainment. For some time they have been practicing under the supervision of Miss Lowes and Miss K. Esterbrook, soprano, who will also assist in the program. Others assisting the young performers are Miss Margaret Christopher, reader; Miss Peggy Taylor, reader; Miss Jean Houston, soprano; Miss Winnifred Munro, soprano; and Miss Mary Haring, dancer.

AVON LADIES' AID. Avon, Dec. 10.—The ladies aid met at Mrs. Elston Dufco's home with a large number present. The lesson was read by Mrs. Herbert Wyatt. A number of articles left for a bazaar were sold. Miss Hazel Andrew gave a reading, entitled, "The Call Path." Lunch was served by the hostess.



LADY MORVYTH AND CHILDREN.

The above charming study shows Lady Morvyth Benson with her two little daughters, Lillian and Sarah. Lady Benson, who is the wife of Capt. E. Benson, was formerly Lady Morvyth Lillian, daughter of the Earl of Dudley.

Hunt and Country Club Is Scene of Smart Dance

Magistrate A. H. Marshall Graydon and Mrs. Graydon Entertain Over One Hundred and Sixty Guests On Thursday Night at Kennels.

The London Hunt and Country Club was the scene of a smart dance given last night by Magistrate A. H. Marshall Graydon and Mrs. Graydon. Over 100 guests were present. Dance room, dining-room and reception hall had been prettily arranged with palms and ferns, while great bowls of golden chrysanthemums reposed on mantels and supper table. A special guest of the occasion was Mrs. Blair Russell of Montreal, sister of the hostess, who is a house guest with her. Mrs. Graydon received her guests wearing a graceful gown of flame color enriched with silver.

Guests at Dance.—Guests at the dance included: Dr. and Mrs. Norman Alexander, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Bartlett, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beattie, Mr. and Mrs. James Boucher, Lieut.-Col. and Mrs. Carling, Captain and Mrs. S. V. Cooke, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Croson, Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Cronyn, Dr. and Mrs. Evans Davis, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Duffield, Captain and Mrs. Fenton, Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Glass, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Groom, Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Gunn, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Harro, Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Harris, Captain and Mrs. Houston, Dr. and Mrs. J. G. Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ingram, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Ingram, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Levy, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ivey, Major and Mrs. Kippen, Col. and Mrs. Robertson Leonard, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Little, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Little, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Jones, Mr. and Mrs. MacDermott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McCormick, Mr. and Mrs. John Smalman.

LONDON OFFICIAL VISITS TORONTO 'Y'

Mrs. S. L. Taylor, Administration Building Convener, Inspects Institutions.

Mrs. S. L. Taylor has returned to the city after visiting friends in Brantford and Toronto and incidentally inspecting the Brantford and Toronto Y. W. C. A. buildings. Mrs. Taylor, who is convener of the new Queen's avenue Y. W. C. A. building committee, is anxious to have all information possible before going ahead with the necessary changes there. The Y. W. C. A. staff expects to move from the King street building to the Queen's avenue building at the first of the new year.

Mrs. Taylor was greatly impressed with the adequate Y. W. C. A. building in Toronto. She found there an excellent swimming pool and gymnasium, as well as ample administration room and accommodation for secretaries' offices. She realizes that London would be able to surmount such an extensive institution, but sees the possibilities of adapting the Queen's avenue building to meet the needs of the girlhood of this city.

Mrs. Taylor also visited the Brantford Y. W. C. A. and was favorably impressed there. She thought that Brantford had a remarkably fine building for a city of that size and that London would do well to live up to Brantford's standard.

MOUNT BRIDGES, W. C. T. U.—On Sunday, Dec. 13, evening services will be held in the United church under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. The pastor, Rev. Mr. Parnaby, will give an illustrated sermon showing the effects of alcohol on the human system. There will also be special music.

Mr. Longears. Then he sat down to talk to Grandma Kat while Tommie went after putting about the house looking for something to eat.

All of a sudden the little pussy boy came running into the room where Uncle Wiggily was talking to Grandma Kat. He made such a noise, banging into a chair, that Grandma looked over



Tommie Kat stood in the doorway.

the top of her glasses and mewed: "Little cats should be seen and not heard, my dear."

"Oh, but Grandma—Uncle Wiggily! I want to be heard!" gasped Tommie, who was quite a bit of a braver than his mother. "Something dreadful is going to happen! There's a little fox trying to get in the back door—a little red fox. I guess the big red fox saw him and he could get in. And if the little fox gets in then the big fox will come in also, and he'll eat us all up!"

"Nonsense!" exclaimed Uncle Wiggily. "The little red fox wouldn't come here!"

"Oh, but I saw him—out of the window!" gasped Tommie. "He had red fur, like a fox and a big, red, bushy tail. It is lucky the door was locked or he might have gotten in! What shall we do?"

Uncle Wiggily looked at Grandma Kat and she looked at him. There was a scurrying sound outside the house, a sound as of paw nails scratching on the door.

"Someone is there!" whispered Grandma. "I'll go look," offered Uncle Wiggily. And when he had peered through the glass the bunny laughed and said: "Oh, Tommie, you made a mistake! That red animal you saw has the name of a fox, but it is the Red Fox Squirrel—cousin to Johnnie and Billie Bushytail, the gray squirrels. The Red Fox Squirrel will not harm you—he only eats nuts. I guess he wants to tell us something. I'll open the door."

In scurried the Red Fox Squirrel, who indeed, looked just like Billie and Johnnie, except that his fur was a reddish brown instead of gray.

"I don't blame you for thinking I was a little fox, for that is my name," said Chitter, the new squirrel. "But my cousins, Billie and Johnnie, told me to come over and invite Tommie and Joie to come and play. Will you?"

"Yes," mewed Tommie, laughing at his mistake. "I'll come and so will Joie and Chitter. But my cousins, Billie and Johnnie, told me to come over and invite Tommie and Joie to come and play. Will you?"

"Come in and see," invited the pussy boy. So, with a twinkle of his pink nose, Mr. Longears hopped into the cute little house, while Tommie, very politely, held open the door for him. Inside, the bunny expected to see Mrs. Kat, as well as the other two little animal children, but they were not in sight. However, there was old Grandma Kat warming herself behind the stove and she slowly blinked her eyes at Uncle Wiggily, first one and then the other, and mewed:

"Oh, Mrs. Kat and Joie and Tommie will be sorry to have missed you, Uncle Wiggily!"

"Why, aren't they here?" asked the bunny.

"No, Mrs. Kat just took the two children downtown to get them new shoes," answered Grandma Kat.

"Oh, that's right!" cried Tommie. "I forgot about mother not being here. Uncle Wiggily, I was so glad to see you. But can't you stay a little while until Kittle and Joie get back. They'll be so disappointed if they don't see you!"

"Well, I'll stay a little while," agreed

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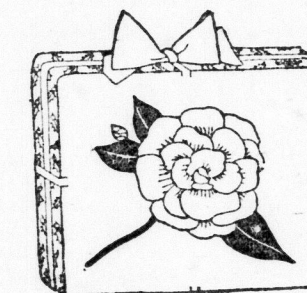
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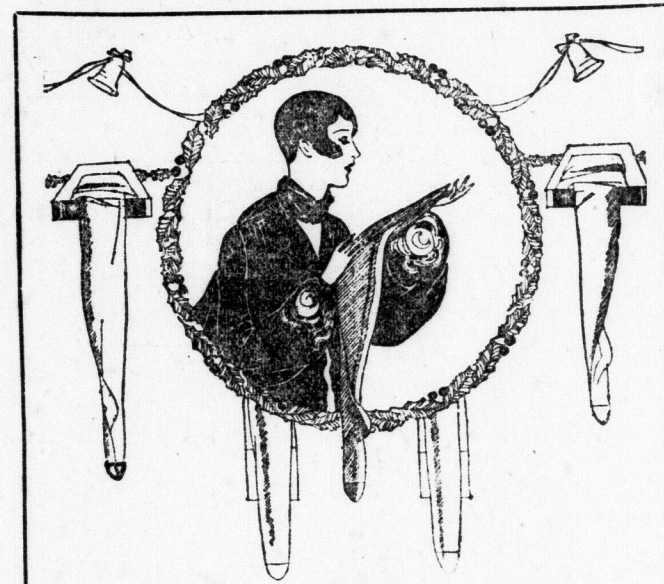


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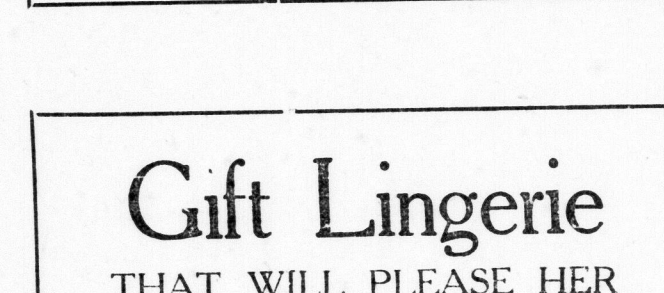
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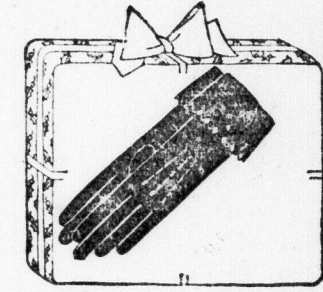
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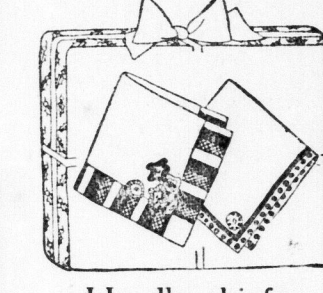
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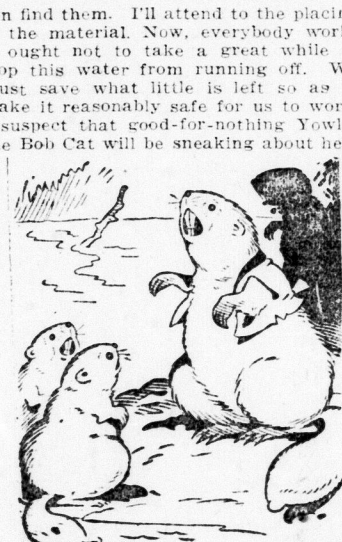
By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

The two young Beavers, following their mother and father up the Laughing Brook, were inclined to grumble a bit at first. It seemed to them that they hardly had closed their eyes when Paddy waked them and ordered them to follow him at once. They didn't know what it was all about. They knew that he was greatly upset about something, and they guessed that it probably had something to do with the new dam, but they couldn't believe that it could be anything important enough to get them up in the night after a hard day's work. So they grumbled a little between themselves, but took care not to be overheard by their mother or father.

Straight up the Laughing Brook faster than they ever had travelled before they rubbed their eyes. Never had they known him to hurry like this before. At last they began to suspect that something serious must have happened after all. And when at last they were in the swamp they knew. They had left a big pond. They found little more than a puddle. It was so surprising that they rubbed their eyes.

But Paddy didn't stop to rub his eyes. He swam straight to a great hole in the middle of the dam. One glance was enough for him. "Buster Bear!" he snapped. "I guessed as much."

He climbed out on the dam and carefully looked over the hole and the condition of the dam on both sides and above and below. Then he turned to the two young Beavers. "You youngsters get busy at once cutting and bringing sticks and brushy tops of young trees as fast as you can," he commanded. "You," he continued to Mrs. Paddy, "dig mud and sods if you



"You youngsters get busy at once cutting and bringing sticks."

soon, if he isn't hiding close at hand already. Keep a sharp watch, youngsters, and keep close to deep water while you are cutting."

Paddy's guess that Yowler the Bob Cat might be somewhere near was a good one. Yowler was right where he could see all that went on. There was no place for him to hide within jumping distance of those busy workers, but he hoped that as the work went on without disturbance one of them might become careless and get far enough away from the water for him to have at least a chance for a Beaver dinner.

But Paddy seemed to have eyes every-

where at once. The instant one of the others began to stray the least bit away from the water Paddy's flat tail would thump a reminder and warning. And how those Beavers did work! They didn't waste a minute. Before it seemed possible the amount of water flowing out through that hole in the middle of the dam began to grow less. It grew less and less faster than it takes to tell it. You see, Paddy was working with might and main, and he seemed to know just where to put each stick and each brushy top and the sods and mud Mrs. Paddy brought. Even as Yowler looked at it the puddle above the dam began to grow bigger. It grew slowly at first, but soon it grew rapidly. That hole was being filled up.

When the young Beavers saw this one of them suggested that they go over to the other hole Buster Bear had torn in the dam. But Paddy wouldn't allow this. You see, there was no water running through this hole, for the pond was now too small for there to be any water behind the dam there. To have fixed that hole the Beavers would have

had to work out of water altogether. It was this very thing that Yowler had been hoping and hoping they would do. But Paddy put his foot down against this. Perhaps it would be more correct to say he put his tail down. Anyway he slapped the ground with it whenever one of those young Beavers started toward that other hole, and that was all there was to that. It wasn't until the water to reach and begin to run through that other hole that Paddy gave it any attention. Then he swam over to it and began work on that.

So about the time that jolly, round, bright Mr. Sun began his daily climb up in the blue, blue sky, the work was finished, and Mrs. Paddy led two tired young Beavers back down the Laughing Brook to their home. Paddy said he would remain a while. As for Yowler the Bob Cat, he dipped away unseen, muttering to himself in disappointment. (Copyright, 1925, by T. W. Burgess.)

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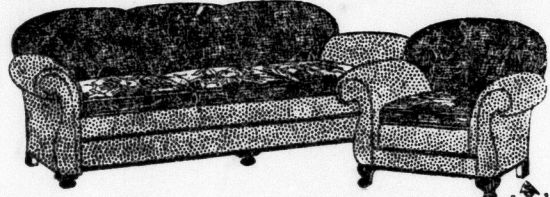
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AT THE THEATRES

LOEW'S THEATRE

The New Commandment.

The New Commandment, starring Ben Lyon and Blanche Sweet, appearing at Loew's the remainder of the week, is a modern society melodrama triumph and is one of the best pictures of the season. The picture is full of thrills, pathos, comedy, beauty and romance, and is a dazzling entertainment with novelty to spare.

The picture abounds in good acting, with Ben Lyon playing the leading role and ably supported by beautiful Blanche Sweet. The vivid war scenes showing the hardships of the soldiers and the wonderful work of the nurses are some of the most colorful ever produced on the screen.

The story is of a young man left a millionaire by the death of his mother, and who is the victim of a scheme to have him married to a girl whom he does not love. He goes to Paris, where he sees a girl in a cafe badly treated by a man. He takes the girl's part and in a terrific struggle the cafe is wrecked and he and the girl must flee from song of circus days with a refrain in

arrest. He falls desperately to love with her, but is arrested and later goes to war. Here he is wounded, and in the hospital meets the girl he loves once more and all leads to a happy conclusion.

The Butterfly Kiddies' performance is an exceptionally fine vaudeville act and they captivate the audience with their dances and songs. Two other acts of vaudeville were a novelty act by Peters and Le Buff, and Walsh and Crook.

A Christie comedy, My Sweetie, and Pathe News complete the bill.

CAPITOL THEATRE.

The Freshman.

Western night at the Capitol Theatre, presented by arts '28, proved a huge success last night. At both the 6 and the 9 o'clock performances the show played to capacity houses, and it is estimated that well over the expected sum was realized.

The program put on by arts '28 took the form of a variety show. The show opened with a comedy skit by the Barnum Brothers of Astoria, who gave an amusing musical number and sang a song of circus days with a refrain in

the form of conversational repartee. The Asylum East Twins was also another musical act, a parody on the famous Siamese Twins. "Tiny" Iverson and "Phyl" MacFarlane were the "twins," and their singing of the latest song hits to the accompaniment of their "dukes" met with great approval.

"Doc" O'Brien, comic actor extraordinary, recited a poem, the theme of which was the sad tale of a "Duke," a gambler, who got into bad company, and tried to reform the poker rules of the club.

A piano solo of excellent worth was the contribution of Cella Little toward the success of the evening. Miss Little plays exceptionally well, and her renderings last night were well received.

"Connie" Stuthers danced a beautiful ballet to the accompaniment of the piano. The dancing is Miss Stuthers' forte, and her exhibition of this art quite established her talent in the minds of the audience.

"Eucalyptus Herb" Uren was perhaps the best number on the bill. Mr. Uren has a very pleasing voice, and singing to the thrumming notes of his ukulele, his act made a great hit with the audience.

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ALBERTA ORDERS ARREST OF SMITH

Warrant For Former Minister of Education on Fraud Charge.

Canadian Press Despatch. Edmonton, Alta., Dec. 10.—A warrant for the arrest of Hon. George P. Smith in connection with the fraudulent printing charges was issued today, and will be executed by the city police in regular course on the arrival of Mr. Smith, who is now on his way to Edmonton.

Mr. Smith was minister of education in the government of Hon. Charles Stewart, which relinquished office when defeated at the polls in 1921, when the farmers' government was formed in Alberta. He later resided at Hamilton, Ont.

Mr. Smith stated that he had intended to have been present at Edmonton before the inquiry opened, but following the advice of counsel, which has already been explained to Justice Walsh, in charge of the commission, he had decided, he said, to stop off in Winnipeg and await results. "I now feel, however, that I should have been there," said Mr. Smith, who added that he was sure none of his friends could believe him guilty of "abominable charges" which had been made.

SECOND CONFERENCE ON NAVIES PROPOSED

Suggestion Made at League of Nations Council by Brazilian.

Associated Press Despatch. Geneva, Switzerland, Dec. 10.—An entente cordiale between the League of Nations and the United States for the reduction of armaments was advocated by Brazilian member of the league council, in a statement issued today.

Under this proposed entente the league would collaborate in a second naval conference at Washington, and the United States would co-operate in the general disarmament conference now being planned by the league.

CUT STRAPPING POWERS OF SCHOOL TEACHERS

Windsor Board Makes Principals Responsible—11-Year-Old Girl Complains.

Special To The Advertiser.

Windsor, Dec. 10.—Teachers in Windsor public schools will be asked in future to consult with their principal before corporal punishment is administered to any pupil in their charge, following a meeting of the board of education tonight. The resolution came about following the alleged strapping of an 11-year-old girl, Mary Talsell, by her teacher, Miss Frances Wynn.

The resolution placed on the books tonight was moved by W. D. MacGregor. It is declared that each teacher shall be supplied with a book for use in case of punishment, and in every case where punishment is necessary, a report of the nature of such punishment shall be entered in the book, together with the name of the pupil, and that before the entry is made, a consultation shall also take place with the principal.

Brantford Trio Under Arrest

Sequel To Series of Motor Car Thefts in the City Recently.

Canadian Press Despatch. Brantford, Dec. 10.—William Holder, Wilbert Carey and Mrs. W. L. Snow were taken into custody by city detectives co-operating with provincial officers today. The trio are suspected of being connected with a series of thefts of motor cars in the city during the past few weeks.

BLUE RIBBON FOR POULTRY GOES TO ONTARIO BREEDER

Associated Press Despatch. Chicago, Dec. 10.—M. C. Wallace of Iroquois, Ont., won the highest honor with his entry in the Brahma cockerel and pullet division in the mid-west poultry and pet stock show here today. First for Buff Rock cockerel and pullet went to C. O. Dillingham of Sullivan, Ind.

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The Dream Detective

By SAX ROHMER

"This is the room from which the whisper is the most clearly audible!" said Moris Kiaw. "I could tell you—ah! I spent several nights here!"

"The devil you did," rapped Haufmann. "I must sleep pretty soundly."

"I've never heard a thing. Greta's room is next on the right. She has said nothing."

Kiaw looked troubled. "There is no sound unusual to hear," he answered. "I quite convinced myself of that. But it is the tradition that speaks, Mr. Haufmann! In those silent watches even so insensible an old fool as I can imagine almost anything, aided by such gruesome memories."

The monk, who probably fell foul of a prowler thief, the tragedies are easily to be explained. The old antiquarian died of syncope, and the poor girl, in her sleep. She had a tremendously neurotic temperament."

"It's bad, now Greta knows," mused Haufmann. "Her nerves are all unstrung. It's just the thing I wanted to avoid."

"Can't you induce her at any rate to change her room?" I suggested. "No! She's as obstinate as a pony! Her poor mother was the same. It's the Irish blood!"

Such was the situation when we left. No development took place for a couple of days or so, then that befell which we had feared and half expected.

Haufmann walked into my office with:

"It's started! Greta says she hears it every night!"

Prepared though I had been for the news, his harshly spoken words sent a cold shudder through me.

"Haufmann!" I said, sternly. "There must be no more of this. Get the girls away at once. On top of her previous nerve trouble this morbid imagining may affect her mind."

"You haven't heard me out," he went on, more slowly than was his wont. "You talk of morbid imagining. What about this I've heard it?"

I stared at him blankly. "That's one on you," he said, with a certain grim triumph. "After Greta said there was something came in the night that wasn't trees rustling, I sat up and smoked. First night I read and nothing happened. Next night I sat in the dark. There was no breeze and I heard nothing for my pains. This night I stayed in the dark again, and about twelve o'clock a breeze came along. All mixed up with the rustling and sighing of the leaves I heard a voice calling as plain as I ever heard anything in my life! And it called me!"

"Haufmann!"

"I blame—well called me! I'd take my oath before a jury of twelve."

"This is almost incredible!" I said. "I wish Moris Kiaw were here."

"Where is he?"

"He is in Paris. He will be away over the week-end."

"I met a man curiously enough," continued Haufmann. "Just outside the Charing Cross Tavern on my way back, who's coming down to have a look into the business—a hot man on mysterious."

He mentioned the name of a celebrated American detective agency. "I'm afraid it's right outside his radius, but he volunteered, and I was glad to have him. I'd like Kiaw down though."

"What about the girls?"

"I was going to tell you. They're at Brighton for a while. Greta didn't want to quit, but poor Lai was dead scared! Anyway, I got them off."

The uncanny business claimed entire possession of my mind, and further work was out of the question. I accordingly accompanied Haufmann to the hotel where the detective was lodged and made the acquaintance of Mr. J. Shorter. He was a typical New York clean-shaven and saw-toothed man, with good gray eyes and an inflexible mouth.

"We don't deal in ghosts," he said, smilingly; "never met a ghost that couldn't stop a bullet if it came his way!"

"I'll make a confession to you," remarked Haufmann. "When I heard that soft voice calling, I hadn't the sand to go and look out! How's that for funk?"

"Maybe it was wisdom!"

"Do you mean?"

"I've got an idea about it, that's all. Did Miss Haufmann hear it the same night?"

"Not the same night I did—no. She seems to have dozed off."

"When she did hear it, was it calling you?"

"She couldn't make out what it called!"

"Did she go to the window?"

"Yes, but she only looked out from behind the blind. I went with her."

"See anything?"

"No."

"I should have very much liked an interview with her," said Otley, advisedly.

"She could tell you no more than I have."

"That evening we all three dined at the Grove, dinner prepared by a woman who departed directly we were finished. A gusty rain of billiards served to pass the time between twilight and darkness, and the detective and I departed, leaving Haufmann alone in the house. The weather was arranged by Otley, who had some scheme in hand. Side by side we tramped down the poplar avenue, went out by the big gate, and closed it behind us. We then skirted the grounds to a point on the side opposite the gate, and scaling the wall, found ourselves in a wilderness of neglected kitchen garden. Through this the American cautiously led the way toward the house, visible through the tangle of bushes and trees in sharp silhouette against the sky. On all four sides we crossed a little yard and entered a side door which had been left ajar for the purpose, closing it softly behind us. So, passing through the kitchen, we made our way upstairs and rejoined Haufmann."

A post had been allotted to me in the room next to his and I was enjoined to sit in the dark and watch for anything moving among the trees. Haufmann departed to a room on the west front with similar injunctions, and the detective remained in Haufmann's room."

As I crept cautiously to the window, avoiding the broad moonbeam streaming in, I saw a shadow of my host's figure was acting as Haufmann would have done if he had been retiring for the night. Three minutes later the light vanished, and the nervous vigil was begun."

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On the right of the poplars lay a shrubbery, and beyond that a garden stretching to the east wall. Just to the left, an outbuilding gleamed whitely. Some former occupant had built it for a coach house and it now housed Haufmann's car. The apartments above were at present untenanted.

I cannot say with certainty when I first detected, mingled with the whistling of the branches, something that was not caused by the wind. But ultimately I found myself listening for this other sound. With my eyes fixed straight ahead and peering into the shadows of the poplars I crouched, every nerve at high tension. A slight sound on my left told of a window softly opened. It was Otley creeping out on to the balcony. He too, had heard it!

Then, with awful suddenness, the inexplicable happened.

A short, shrill cry broke the complete silence, succeeding one of those spells of whispering. A shadow shot upon it—then a second. Somebody fell with a muffled thud upon the drive—and I leapt to the window, threw it widely open, and stepped out on to the balcony.

"Otley!" I cried. "Haufmann!"

A door banged somewhere and I heard Haufmann's muffled voice.

"Downstairs! Come down!"

I ran across the room, out on to the landing, and down into the hall. Haufmann was unfastening the bolts. His injured arm was still stiff, and I hastened to assist him.

"My God!" he cried, turning a pale face toward me. "It's Otley gone! Did you see anything?"

"No! Did you?"

"Curse it! No! I had just slipped away from the window to get my repeater! You heard the voice?"

"Clearly!"

The door was thrown open and we ran out into the drive.

There was no sign of Otley, and we stood for a moment, undecided how we should act. Then, just inside the shadow belt, we found the detective lying.

Thinking him dead, we raised and dragged him back to the house. Having fastened the door, we laid him on a sofa in the morning room. His face was deathly and blood flowed from a terrible wound on his skull. Stranger of all, though, he had a gaping hole just above the right wrist. The skin about it was discolored as if with burning. Neither of us could detect any sign of life, and we stood, two frankly frightened men, looking at each other over the body.

"It's got to be done!" said Haufmann, slowly. "One of us has to stay here and do what we can for him, and one has to go for a doctor! There's no telephone!"

"Where's the nearest doctor?" I said. "There's only at the corner of the first road on the right."

"I'll go!" I said.

Without shame I confess that from the moment the door closed behind me I ran my hardest, down the poplar avenue until I had passed the gate! And it was not anxiety that spurred me, for I did not doubt that Otley was dead, but stark fear!

CHAPTER III.

Moris Kiaw deposited a large grip and a travelling rug upon the veranda. "Good day, Mr. Haufmann! Good day, Mr. Searies!"

At an open window the white-aproned figure of a nurse appeared. "Good day, nurse! I am direct from Paris. This is a case which cannot be dealt with under the head of the Cycle of Crime, and I do not think it has any relation with the history of The Park. But thoughts are things, Mr. Haufmann. How helpful that is!"

Forty-eight hours had elapsed since Haufmann and I had picked up Otley for dead in the poplar avenue. Now he lay in a bed made up in the billiard room hovering between this world and another. I had a shrewd suspicion that the doctor who attended him was mystified by some of the patient's symptoms.

Haufmann started oddly at Moris Kiaw, not altogether comprehending the drift of his words.

"If only Otley could tell us!" he muttered.

"He will tell us nothing for many a day," I said; "if, indeed, he ever speaks again."

CONTINUED TOMORROW.

FOREIGN STEEL ENDANGERS CANADA, WOLVIN DECLARES

Canadian Press Despatch. Montreal, Que., Dec. 10.—Action must be taken by the Dominion government in the very near future to protect the steel industry of Canada, and the steel products of European countries in which wages are paid in depreciated currency, Roy M. Wolvin, president, advised shareholders of the British Empire Steel company at their annual meeting today.

ESSEX WILL ENFORCE NIGHT LIGHT LEGISLATION

Windsor, Dec. 10.—Following addresses by J. C. Schofield, Dr. J. W. Brian and W. H. Adams, secretary of the Ontario motor league, the county council in session at Sandwich today instructed their solicitor to draw up a bylaw requiring all moving vehicles, drawn by horses or motor propelled, to carry lights between sunset and sunrise on county roads.

This bylaw is made possible by enabling legislation recently passed by the provincial government. It follows the recommendations made by several committees' juries within the past year, after a number of fatal accidents arising from the presence of unlighted vehicles on the roads. Little discussion arose over the matter and no definite opposition developed.

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The Apex-Super-Five is the supreme achievement of the Radio age. A receiving set that more than meets the most exacting demands for distance, selectivity, clarity and volume. Housed in a handsome walnut cabinet; all fittings gold-plated. Price, without accessories... **\$112.50**

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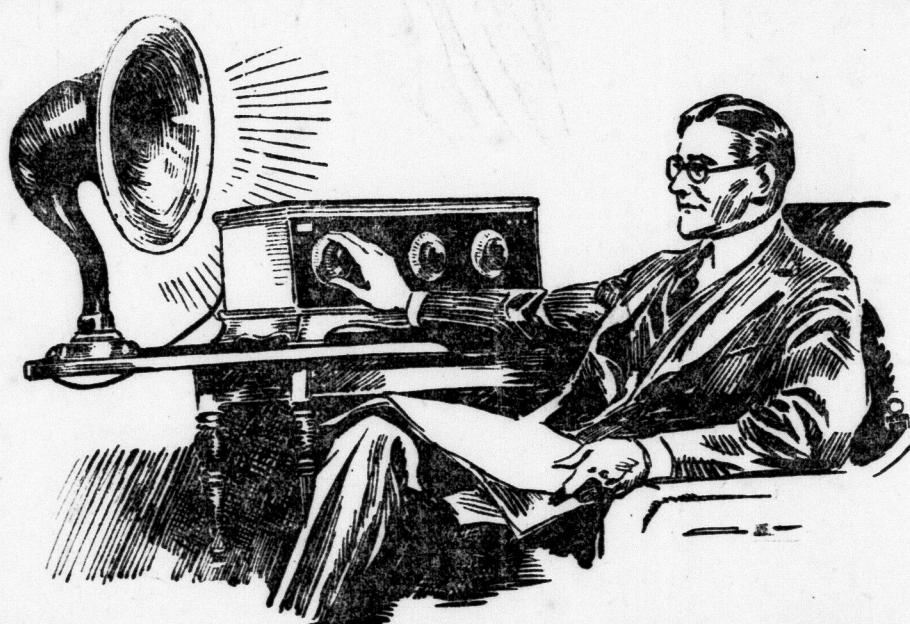
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From our large selected stock you will find the Speaker you want. We have all the best styles and makes to choose from. Each equipped with quality tested units.

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Tubes, Batteries, both A, B and C Battery Testers, volt and amp. meters. Aerial Equipment Kits, complete with wire, knobs, lightning arrester; in fact, everything to install a real aerial. B Battery Eliminators—this eliminates all B Batteries and furnishes a steady flow of ninety volts. All accessories priced right.



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The past experiences of the founders of this new firm in work dealing with radio and with phonographs, are ample guarantees of the quality of their goods. W. D. Stevenson, the leading member of the company, has been for a number of years the general manager of the Canada Sales Company, the local representative of the Starr Phonograph Company; and in this capacity has had a great deal of experience in judging of tonal qualities in different reproducing machines. C. Gunn, the other member of the firm, was the sales manager and part owner of the Gun-Son-ola, Radio Cabinet Company of Wingham, and he also is very familiar with tonal qualities, and also with the merits of the respective radio sets and equipments on the market today.

Wide Range of Stock.

Radio sets, cabinets, parts, aerials, loud speakers and equipment of all kinds go to make up this exceptionally large and wide range of goods.

Agents for every radio manufacturing company in Canada, and representing some of the largest firms in the United States, the Radio Sales Co. has ample opportunity to display the finest quality of different lines in the radio business.

The fact that Mr. Gunn is interested in the Gun-Son-ola Radio Cabinet Co. at Wingham makes their cabinet stock very large, and cabinets of all sorts may be purchased at the lowest prices. Every style and type of cabinet can be had for any kind of set. It was especially pointed out that sets already being used can be fitted into cabinets of practically any style at a nominal fee. Wide variety and selection may be had from the small, neat set to the console, baby grand and larger period design cabinets. Special orders may be placed to have wood finished to match your home furniture.

lation will be given. This also applies to necessary work which may be required or special adjustments. Radio sets which have been purchased elsewhere and are not giving the results expected may be brought to our service department. For a small service charge, consistent with the labor placed on sets either for rebuilding or examining, your set can be repaired to produce possibly greater results. This is one department that is expected will give a great service to the radio fans of this district.

The managers particularly desire that anyone who is troubled in radio matters come to the service rooms and receive expert advice and help. "This rule holds good in connection with dealers as well as private individuals," said Mr. Stevenson. "We're not only retailing but we're wholesaling as well, through out all of Canada, and any members of the trade are invited to call at the store and talk over radio, discuss their difficulties and seek advice from our experts. The dealers will always be well come; we are glad to help the trade all we can."

The large stock is an asset to the radio retailers of the city. The wide range of different types makes possible the choice of stock that most meets with the approval of the buyer, and retailers will be particularly interested because whereas in the past distant points received very slow service due to the time taken in transportation, the radio retailer can buy practically anything he wants and be assured of immediate delivery by us," declared the members of the firm.

City Churches

FIRST UNITED W. M. S.

The annual meeting of the W. M. S. of First United church was held in the lecture hall of the church Wednesday night, with Mrs. Wm. Beattie presiding, in the absence of the president, Mrs. Vining. The members were greatly favored by having as their speaker, Mrs. D. C. McGregor, who gave a most graphic word picture of her journey in the holy land during the past summer. Miss Josephine Campbell contributed a vocal solo, and after a brief business session, Mrs. E. V. Jones, president, Mrs. R. D. McRae, vice-president, Mrs. J. Vining, first vice-president, Mrs. Wm. Beattie, second vice-president, Mrs. George Gillespie, recording and corresponding secretary, Mrs. C. B. McQueen, treasurer, Mrs. Russell Wright, pianist, Mrs. Kenneth Murray, literature secretary, Mrs. Watson Young, supply secretary, Mrs. J. C. Hunt, press secretary, Miss Grace Simpson, and mission board secretary, Miss Marjory Reid.

ST. GEORGE'S ENTERTAINMENT.

A delightful afternoon was spent on Wednesday when a number of the junior auxiliary of St. George's Anglican church held their Christmas closing. The mothers of the children were special guests, and 88 junior members were present. Songs of welcome were sung, after which very appropriate addresses were given by Mrs. Anderson, diocesan president; Miss Jean Waugh and Mrs. Bovan. A splendid program was arranged by the children, including several choruses, solos and recitations, and during the afternoon tea was served to the mothers in the concert room by the members of the senior B. auxiliary. Supper tables were prettily arranged for the children with red streamers, parrots and butterflies, and each mother carried away an all-day sucker, dressed as Santa Claus. Archdeacon Sage, president, and Mrs. Hunt, the superintendent of the junior auxiliary, was in charge of the successful event, which was greatly enjoyed by all.

ST. JAMES' GIRLS.

Miss Ethel Oliver presided at the regular meeting of the girls' auxiliary of St. James' Anglican church held recently, when the following officers were elected for the coming year: President, Miss Evelyn Woods; vice-president, Miss Elaine Houston; secretary, Miss Kathleen Ledgely; assistant secretary, Miss Edith Appleyard; treasurer, Miss Winifred Dawson; diocesan secretary, Miss Rosale Hardie, and press secretary, Miss Nora McConkey.

BROUGHDALE CLUB.

The members of the Broughdale men's club held a meeting recently, when the following officers were elected: Hon. president, Rev. A. S. H. Cree, president, W. Day; vice-president, W. Dodd; secretary-treasurer, R. Burt; auditors, H. Henry and J. White; visiting committee, W. Dodd and R. Acker; press reporter, O. Du Mars. The regular meeting night has been changed to Wednesday night. A supper party will be held in the near future, when a large attendance is expected.

IN SUNNY CALIFORNIA.

In Sunny California this winter hundreds of Canadians will again revel in the beauty of the orange groves, the pepper trees and the palms in that land of perpetual summer.

The attractions of California are manifold. It is recognized as one of the greatest out-of-door playgrounds in the world, with an unsurpassed winter climate. The glory of its mountain scenery is indescribable. Deep sea fishing, motoring, golf, and every other outdoor recreation may be indulged in.

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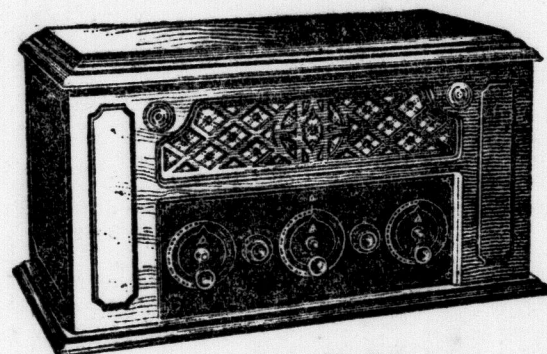
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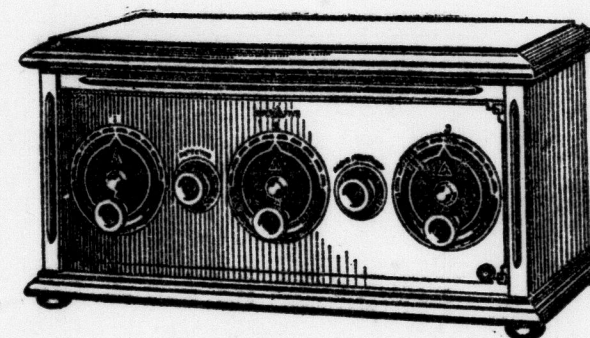
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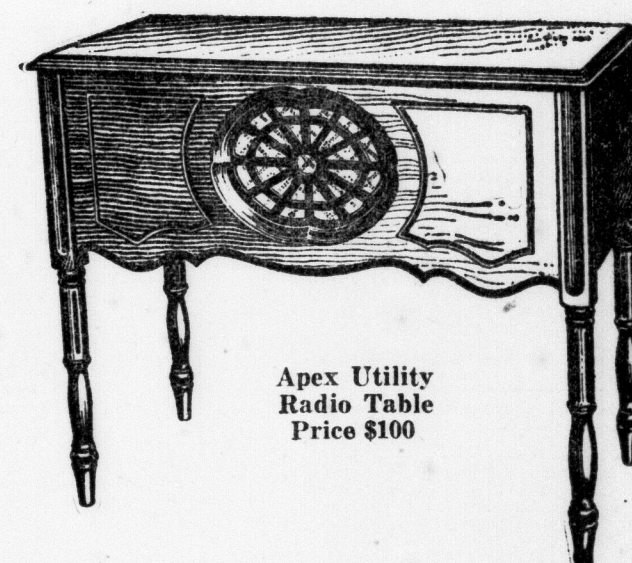
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sters As Good On Foreign
Sheets As On Own.

The experiment of changing the national boat night to hockey night in London will be watched with interest Saturday night, however, will not be grabbed off by London schedule hounds if the venture is an outrageous success, as it should be, with Parkdale as opposition.

Parkdale canoe club will close the exhibition series for the locals who open their "Big Six" season next Wednesday at Stratford. They expect to be the most colorful crew the locals have met to date and the strongest. Harry Watson, a hockey player in perhaps one of the two outstanding amateurs left over from the pro days, with Collett, Watson was a member of the Granites, conceded by many experts, the greatest collection of amateur players ever gathered together in Canada.

There is local interest in the appearance here of McAllister, in intermediate grade, the Sarnia was considered the most phenomenal net guardian ever seen in action on local ice sheets. That he has proved a sensation in higher company hasn't shaken the conviction of the local fans that McAllister is among the best of goalies ever developed in hockey. Cole, who will play center for the Paddlers, is the same sent who performed for Stratford last year and who so far has not been granted a chance to play O.H.

If the locals get away with the Paddlers by the slightest of margins, their rating will be enhanced. The win in Grimby has demonstrated that, despite some leanings to youthfulness, the locals are no slouches in performance. Paddlers were beaten by Preston last night, but the team that is coming here Saturday will be different opposition.

The line-up and numbers of the Parkdale canoe club team are as follows:
(1) Collett, goal.
(2) McAllister, goal.
(3) Lout, defense.
(4) Hughes, defense.
(5) Cain, defense.
(6) Cole (King), center.
(7) Jeffrey, forward.
(8) Morris, forward.
(9) Clayton, forward.
(10) Watson, forward.
(11) Gossett, subs.
(12) Staines, subs.

ENGLAND'S BADMINTON TEAM SCORES TRIUMPH

British All-Star Squad Well
Pleased With Tour
So Far.

Special to The Advertiser.
Toronto, Dec. 10.—Before boarding the Canadian Pacific train for the west to-night the British all-star badminton team, which is now touring the dominion in the interest of raising funds for themselves as being highly satisfied with the results of their trip to date. They are now in the city of Toronto, where large crowds turning out to witness their games wherever they have been scheduled. The team, which played yesterday and today were filled to capacity.

The team comprises A. K. Sutton, holder of the men's doubles championship of England; Sir George Thomas Bart, English champion, 1920-21, and eight times holder of the men's doubles and mixed doubles championship; E. Hawthorne, former mixed doubles and men's doubles champion; J. E. Devlin, present British singles champion; H. R. C. Martin, winner of several open championships; and W. M. Swinton, runner-up singles champion in 1920 and doubles in 1921-22.

They will play in Winnipeg, Calgary, Stoumont, Okanagan Lodge, Kelowna, Penticton and Vancouver before returning for a final game in Ottawa before sailing for England.

ARGENTINA'S NEWEST THRILL

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, Dec. 10.—Argentina, whence came Piro, "the Mailer," Luis Lavee and a number of other famous Tirodotti and Lillian Harrison swimmers, now is a thrill with a turf sensation. Macon, Don Jorge Mito's three-year-old colt, is unbeaten this year in nine classics.

Mother! Bobby's Hurt His Finger

How many times the kitchen door opens and a scared little face announces a fresh catastrophe.
Mother—reach for the bottle of

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Cuts, sprains and bruises yield readily to its treatment.
A few drops in a cut will destroy infection and prevent swelling while a small quantity rubbed briskly on a sprain or bruise will allay the pain, reduce the swelling and greatly assist in restoring the injured part to a normal, healthy condition.

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SENATORS TURN IN THIRD WHITEWASH

Shake Tex Rickard's Manhat-
tans For 3-0 Loss and Are
Better Than Score.

Associated Press Despatch.
New York, Dec. 10.—Everett Scott, Washington utility infielder, who created a major league record by playing in 1,307 consecutive games between 1916 and 1922 as a member of the St. Louis Cardinals, is ready to announce his voluntary retirement from baseball.

Stanley Harris, manager of the Washington American, revealed this today while discussing the prospects for the Washington Senators for next year. "Roger Peckinpaugh will be back at his old berth at shortstop next year, but I expect to be the voluntary retirement of Scott at any time," he said. "He is a fine player and a fine fellow, but his business in Port Wayne, Ind., and I don't expect him to report in the spring."

**ST. PATS SCOUT SAYS
"LINDSAY" IS GENUINE**
Mysterious Wires Were Fei-
ers For New Pro Loop,
Says Breen.

Special to The Advertiser.
Stratford, Dec. 10.—Billy Breen, scout for the Toronto St. Patricks professional hockey club, was a former visitor at the Indians' practice yesterday. Billy, who admits being connected with the game for over thirty years, allayed all fears that he has any intention of luring any of the Stratford seniors from the amateur ranks, this year.

Questioned regarding "A. R. Lindsay," who has been sending telegrams to players in the Big Six, including Stratford, Mr. Breen said that undoubtedly "Lindsay" was representing the Indians' interest in the season. He said he has been sending out letters, and in the nature of a letter, he has indicated that some of the organized hockey men was in a position to say definitely who Lindsay is, and he indicated that some of the organized hockey men was in a position to say definitely who Lindsay is, and he indicated that some of the organized hockey men was in a position to say definitely who Lindsay is.

He feels sure that the interests Lindsay represents will make an effort to float a professional league in the near future, with Stratford, London, Niagara Falls and other cities being added.

FOLEY AND EBBER IN PINK FOR TITULAR BOUT TONIGHT

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 10.—With boxes in the pink of condition and confidence of the outcome, the Foley of Vancouver, heavyweight champion, and Bobby Ebbert of Hamilton, a former titleholder, will merely have their names on the program for their championship tilt tomorrow night. Bobby Ebbert, who is 18 pounds and anticipate no difficulty in making the poundage when they weigh in tomorrow.

WINDSOR MAROONS PLAY KITCHENER SENIOR TEAM

Special to The Advertiser.
Windsor, Dec. 10.—The Green-shirts, this year crowned with the Toronto team will provide opposition for Windsor Maroons at the new Windsor arena tomorrow night in the last exhibition game prior to the opening of the championship schedule.

The Windsor team was dealt a blow this week when Ernest Vonne deserted the ranks of the Windsor senior team. Lonsome, however, is available for the game and will be between the posts tomorrow night.

Kitchener came with several of the stars that have spurred the green for many years. Hiller, Kargos and Hemphill are three of the veterans who have made the team. Their big game, made the ice a fine solo effort, but failed to connect. With about five minutes to go the Indians began to show

OUR BOARDING HOUSE.

SAY, YOU BIG BLOND
RUTABAGA! JEG'S BECAUSE
I REFUSE TO TAKE PART IN
TH' CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT,
YOU TOLD MISS CHURCH, THAT
AS AN ACTOR, I WAS A HAM-
OF TH' HIGHEST HOOD. "AN"
THAT TH' SHOW WOULD BE A
WOW WITHOUT ME, EH?
ANYMORE CRACKS LIKE
THAT, AN' I'LL BOIL YOU
DOWN TO AN EXTRACT!

LISEN, DON'T SHOW
YOUR BRIDGWORK
TO ME WITH A SWARL!
SINCE IM TH' ONLY EGG
IN THIS CRATE, WHO'S
WILLING TO TAKE A PART
IN TH' PLAY, I STILL
SAY, YOU COULDN'T EVEN
ACT IN AN EMERGENCY!
G'WAN, HIT ME, AN' I'LL
SWAT YOUR RELATIVES
WITH A VOLLEY OF NIGHT
TELEGRAMS!

HEY! IF YOU
WET GOCKS DON'T
DRY UP I'LL WRING
TH' BOTH OF YOU!
AS FOR BEING
ACTORS, TH' THREE
OF US WOULD
HAVE TO BE
SUPPORTED BY A
STRONG COMPANY
OF CRUTCHES!

COUPLE OF BAD ACTORS

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Grange, Badly Injured In Smoky City, Is Fed Up With Life Anyway

Correl-Top in Washington and Boston Interviews Says He's
Tired of Chasing Money He Never Sees.

Associated Press Despatch.
Pittsburg, Dec. 10.—Red Grange was injured painfully during the first period of the Chicago Bears-Pittsburg all-stars football game here today. Dr. Gustav Berg, physician of the Pittsburg club, said the former Illinois star had sustained a torn ligament and a broken blood vessel in his right arm.

Special to The Advertiser.
Boston, Dec. 10.—"Red" Grange is tired of football fortune-hunting. The halved half-back made this plain following his Boston debut here, during which he tasted his first professional football flop. Chicago's Bears, with whom, it is reported, he has climbed the financial ladder to a position of semi-millionaire, have been bowled over and flattened by the Pittsburg Steam-rollers, 9 to 0, and Grange clearly showed his disappointment.

"A lousy affair," was the way in which the wearer of the magical "77" described the game. The penalty of fame is "thumbs down" when a star doesn't deliver and that the public is sick of a great public hero, a worn and half out of this racket," he added. "Somebody suggested he probably wouldn't mind this, as he already had made a fortune out of the capitalization of his pluckin' prowess. 'A fortune?' Red ejaculated. 'Say, I haven't seen a dollar of real money yet.'"

Indians Hand Allan Cup Champs 2nd Eastern Loss

Classic City Crew Has Most
Punch Left For Third Period
and Get Off Goal.

ELLIOTT IS STAR
Special to The Advertiser.

Stratford, Dec. 10.—Upwards of 1,800 Stratford fans were treated to some real hockey tonight when the Indians, Stratford's senior O. H. A. representatives, defeated the crack Port Arthur team, holders of the Allan cup, 4 to 3.

It was any man's game almost to the last, though the locals had the edge for the final twenty minutes. In the first period the world champions had it all over the locals and indeed threw a little scare into the audience. Their forwards rushed well and passed frequently, while the defense appeared almost unbeatable. In fact they looked to be in mid-season form, and during the period scored two goals. They started out almost as fast in the second, but the Indians showed better form and the score now was 2 to 1. The forwards rushed well and passed frequently, while the defense appeared almost unbeatable. In fact they looked to be in mid-season form, and during the period scored two goals. They started out almost as fast in the second, but the Indians showed better form and the score now was 2 to 1. The forwards rushed well and passed frequently, while the defense appeared almost unbeatable. In fact they looked to be in mid-season form, and during the period scored two goals. 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PREMIER CONFERS WITH COLLEAGUES

Ministers in Conference at Ottawa—Portfolios May Be Fewer.

Canadian Press Despatch.
Ottawa, Dec. 10.—A lengthy conference took place today between Premier Mackenzie King, Hon. J. A. Robb, minister of finance, and Hon. Vincent Massey and Hon. Herbert Marler, ministers without portfolio.
The discussion, which took place in the premier's office, lasted for about three hours, but no announcement was forthcoming at its conclusion. Mr. King merely said that he was "talking some matters over" with the ministers. Reconstruction, to take place following the opening of parliament in the event of the government securing a majority in the house of commons, may have been under consideration. Both Mr. Marler and Mr. Massey were defeated at the general election, but it has been suggested that an effort would be made to find seats for them. It has been suggested that the premier is considering reducing the number of portfolios in the government by the amalgamation of certain departments now administered separately.

Shock Endangers Heroic Rescuer

Canadian Press Despatch.
Toronto, Dec. 10.—Brought on by his heroic rescue of a boy from the waters of the lake last month, Ernest Clark, returned soldier, is suffering in Christie street hospital from severe nervous smelt and is in a weak condition. His plunge into the icy water aggravated the complaint from which he has been suffering since his return from overseas, where he was severely gassed and shell-shocked. His wife and three children are in a precarious financial condition.

ST. MARYS BOARD TALKS COURSE IN AGRICULTURE

Special to The Advertiser.
St. Marys, Dec. 10.—An important change may be made in the curriculum of the St. Marys college institute next term, if the suggestion of J. Tanton, science master, is carried out and the teaching of agriculture is substituted for botany and zoology in the first and second forms. This would entitle the school to receive quite a large sum in government agricultural grants. The matter was brought up at the regular meeting of the board.
The attendance report showed a total enrollment of 251, with an average attendance of 259.
A letter was received from the department of education to the effect that the school board has power to declare a holiday when they think it advisable. The matter of having an appraisal of the school property was left over to secure further information.

DOLLAR HAT BARGAINS AT ROYAL MILLINERY

Extra Sales Staff Secured
For Big Event On Saturday.

Ladies of London will welcome the annual pre-winter dollar hat sale of the Royal Millinery, which is being announced elsewhere in this paper today. This is one yearly event that is eagerly looked forward to by the ladies of this vicinity, and it is expected that Saturday will eclipse all former sales.

The store will open for this sale from 9 to 12 and from 1 p.m. to 10 p.m. Avoid disappointment by attending this sale early, as many hats are samples, etc., and will be purchased quickly. An extra sales staff will be in force to render quick service.—Adv.

BRICK MASONS ELECT

The bricklayers and the masons of this city have elected the following officers to direct the program of their organization during the coming year. The executive includes: President, Fred Northey; vice-president, H. Hicks; financial secretary, F. Tibbary; corresponding secretary and treasurer, J. Rymill; warden, D. Holt; deputy, J. Smith; assistant deputy, E. Brooke; trustees, W. Judge, C. Pirie and J. Smith; arbitration committee, F. Northey, H. Hicks and H. Rymill; executive board, E. Brooke, Ed. Walker, W. Judge and F. Tibbary; auditors, C. Pirie and J. Tripp.

FRANK SMITH CASH AND CARRY Market Lane SPECIAL FOR SATURDAY, MONDAY AND TUESDAY

Cluster Raisins 1 lb. package	29c
Table Figs 1/2-lb. package	15c
Lemon and Orange Peel per lb.	27c
Mixed Candy per lb.	20c
Mixed Nuts per lb.	25c
Shredded Coconut per lb.	25c
Minced Meat 1/2-lb. pail	55c
Magic Baking Powder 1 lb. tin	34c
Granulated Sugar 10 lbs.	65c
5 lbs. 35c; 100 lbs. \$6.40	
Pure Plum Jam 4 lbs.	43c
Buckwheat Honey 5 lb. pail	45c
Jelly Powders 3 packages	23c
Cornstarch 3 packages	29c
Pumpkin, Tomatoes, Corn 2 tins	25c
Eggs Baking Powder per tin	25c
Icing Sugar 3 lbs.	25c
Molasses per tin	10c
Bulk Coffee per lb.	55c
Rideau Hall Coffee per tin	63c
Orange Pekoe per lb.	69c
Salada per lb.	69c
Lipton's Tea per lb.	69c
Red Rose Tea per lb.	69c
Olives 16-oz. bottle	34c
Grape Juice per bottle	23c

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Sirloin, Porterhouse, Corner Rump and Steak Roasts, per lb.	18c

Rib Stew	8c	Meaty Pot Roasts	8c
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Prime Ribs Rolled	22c	Roll Pot Roasts, per lb.	10c

Peas Corn Tomatoes 2 tins for	25c
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BACON	
Wiltshire Picnic Hams	22c
Wiltshire Shoulders, sliced	30c
Smoked Breakfast Bacon	36c
Sliced	38c
Smoked Rolls	32c
Mealed Rolls	32c

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Choice Shoulder Cuts, per lb.	23c	Prime Rolled Ribs, lb.	25c	Choice Shoulder Cuts, lb.	20c		
Boston Butts (boned)	25c	Rump Roasts, lb.	18c				
Rolled Wiltshire Bacon, lb.	45c	Boneless Pot Roasts, lb.	12/2c	Fresh Herrings, lb.	15c		
Pure Pork Sausage, large and small, lb.	25c	Fresh Churned Creamery Butter, lb.	46c	Flounders, lb.	15c		
				Sea Salmon, lb.	18c		
				Kippers, pair	15c		

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NUTS

Mixed Nuts	1b. 25c
FILBERTS, ALMONDS, WALNUTS, BRAZILS.	
NEW LARGE WASHED Brazil	1b. 29c
CALIFORNIA Budded Walnuts	1b. 43c
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Rump Roasts Beef, Any cut, per lb.	15c	Fresh Spareribs, per lb.	20c
ROUND STEAK, lb. Saturday morning only	15c	Sweetbones, per lb.	5c
Lean Beef Cuttings, per lb.	10c	Pork Liver, per lb.	5c
Hamburg, per lb.	10c	Choice Pickled Shoulders, per lb.	18c
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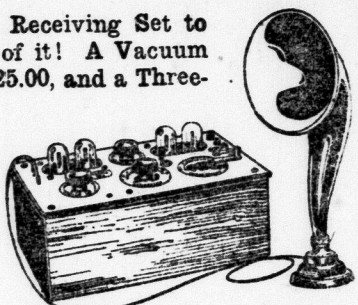
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COUNTY SHELVES LICENSE QUESTION

Middlesex Council Refuses To Support Move To Control Poultry Sales.

PROFITS FROM HOGS

House of Refuge Reports Industry Good—Prov. Engineer Speaks.

After a lengthy discussion yesterday afternoon, Middlesex county councillors shelved the question of licensing poultry buyers in the county till the January session.

Some of the councillors took the attitude that a license system would not help the farmers against chicken stealing, while others took the attitude that it would help a whole lot. On motion of Allan McDougall the matter was laid over till next month, when the new council will take office.

Councillors John Cousins and J. Leitch declared they were in favor of licensing poultry dealers. It was not a question of monetary gain to the county, as the fee would be but \$1 per year, but it was entirely a case of protecting farmers from chicken raiders.

William Boler wanted more information on the matter, declaring the time was approaching when a man would be taxed for putting on his hat.

Objects to Licensing.
Councillor Rogers objected to any by-law licensing chicken buyers, stating that any crook could get a license. He would support it if it were any good, but he had his doubts.

Mr. Billings was opposed. He stated such a by-law would involve a lot of work and mean another county job for some one.

J. N. Sullivan said if the by-law protected the farmers he was in favor, otherwise he was opposed.

Reeve Dave Calvert of Dorchester pointed out that thieves might steal chickens in Middlesex and dispose of them in Brantford or Hamilton.

Mr. Boler felt strongly on the subject. He declared chicken thieves didn't get sentences that were heavy enough. He noticed where one man convicted of the offence got six months. In his opinion he should have got 10 years. He was in favor of petitioning the government for heavier sentences for this particular crime.

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Adolphe Menjou and Greta Nissen in the Monta Bell production, The King On Main Street, showing at the Capitol theatre the first of next week. Free tickets to see The King On Main Street may be obtained from the store of F. T. Harris, 175 Dundas street, in connection with the Bankrupt Stock Sale, where people are buying most acceptable Christmas presents at very attractive prices. Read the big advertisement from the Harris' store elsewhere in this paper.—Adv.

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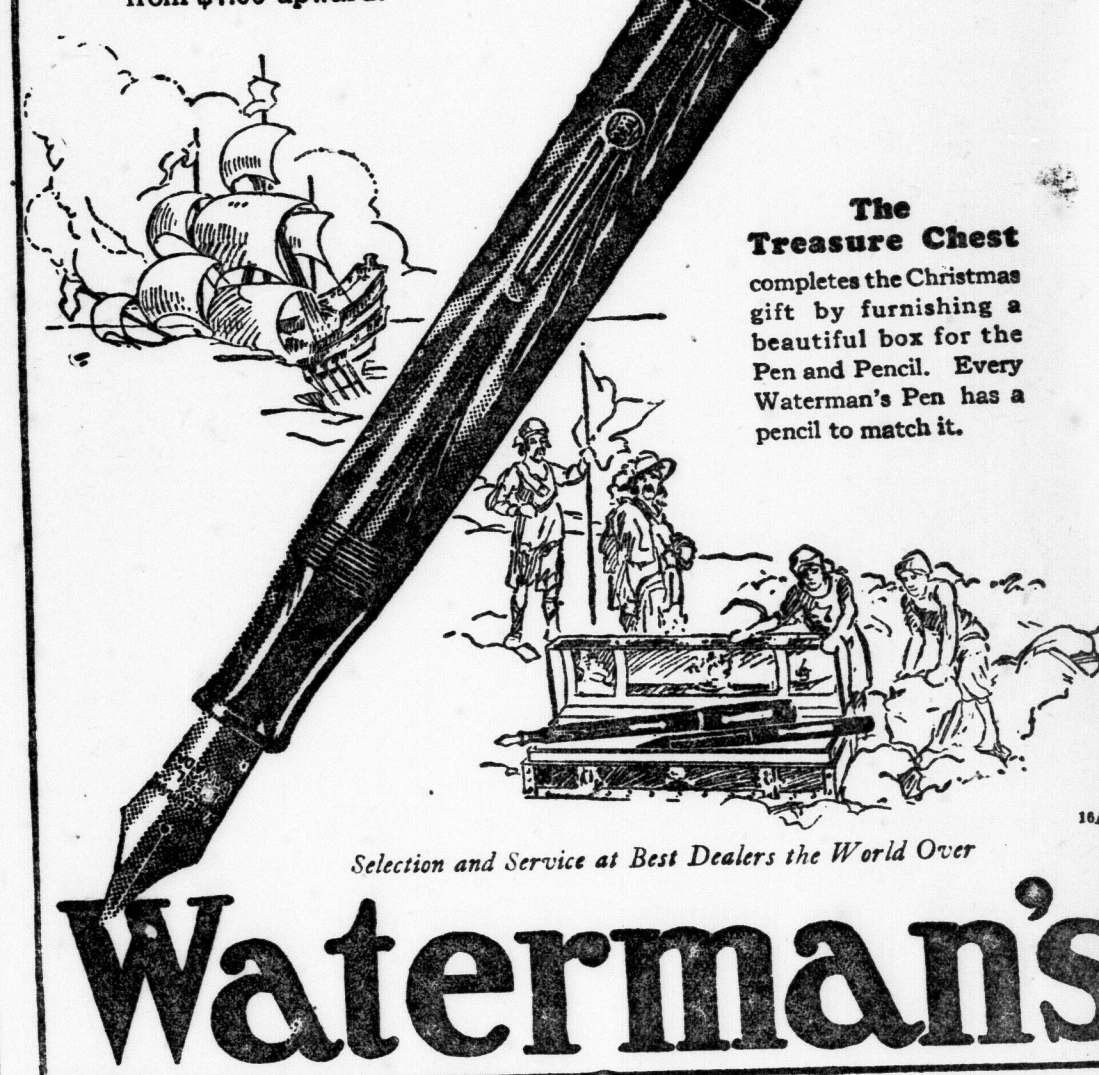
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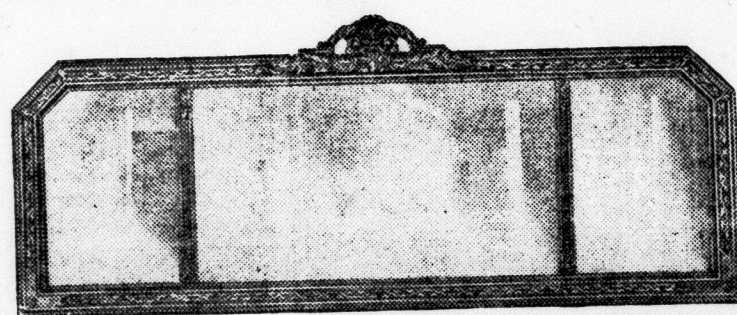
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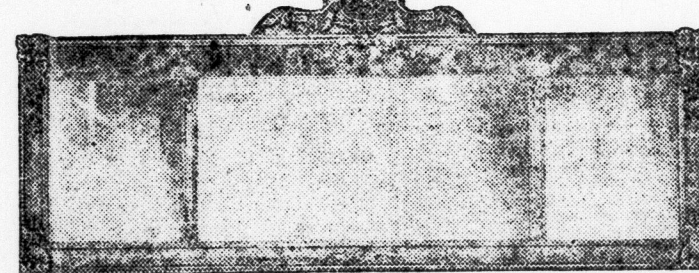
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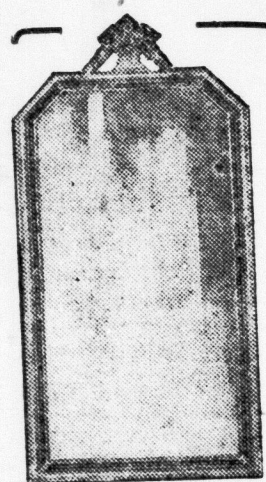


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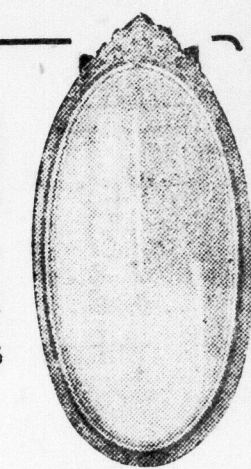
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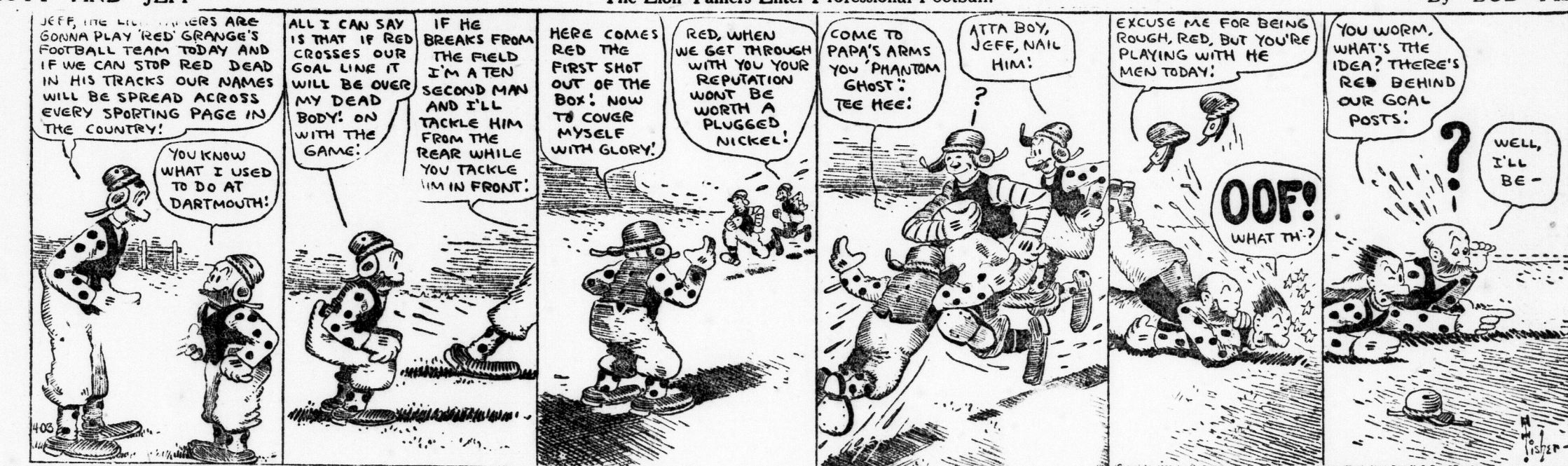
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After-Supper Story

A Short Story Complete in This Issue.

THE LOVE LIGHT.
Sarah Penny had said to herself before she began that she would talk to her daughter, Elsie, and then Warren sticks right by that old factory same as his father's always done. He'll work there till he dies, and he'll die a poor man.

Mrs. Skiff laughed. She looked at Elsie, who looked back at her appreciatively. Sarah saw the look, and her jaws shut like a clamp.

"I guess we'd better stop talking about Warren, Sarah," she said, "or I see we shan't agree any better than you and Elsie do. What I came for, anyway, was to tell you about my new lamp. I want you and Elsie to come over and see it. Mr. Skiff gave it to me for an anniversary present."

"A floor lamp," she said, "I saw a picture of it in the paper. It was a very nice lamp, and I thought I'd like to have one. You coming, Elsie?"

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The comedy, always essential to burlesque, is ably handled by two veterans in this line, Fred "Falls" Binder and Bob Snyder. Their lines are original and strictly humorous, and they have plenty of room for smart repartee, which is introduced freely. Billy Young and Ray Yearwood contribute important parts, the former playing "straight" and doubling in many characters, while Yearwood, a featured character in a great many scenes and a number of vocal offerings, revealing a pleasant tenor voice that finds a warm reception.

Bois Claire finds much to do in addition to the rather heavy duties of a prima donna, but all her work is of the highest order. This applies, too, to Sylvia Pearl and Buddy Nichols, two young ladies, without whom the show would not be the success it is.

The costumes and scenic effects present a fresh and pleasant picture.

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Bloomers As Dainty As They Are Colorful

Rayon (artificial silk) fashions these bloomers. In all the dainty pastel shades, as well as Brown, Blue and Black. Some of them have double elastic knee, while others are frilled at the bottom, elastic at the waist and an exceptionally low price make these attractive, dainty gifts \$1.95

BLOOMERS of English broadcloth, well made with French seams, double elastic knee and full, roomy seat. These bloomers of English make are of a fine quality, in all sizes and many shades.

Second Floor.

YVETTE EVENING FROCKS

For the Approaching Holiday Festivities

Fascinating Dresses with all the dash, the chic, the subtle blending of colors that characterizes the Parisian-made frock. A very good collection representing all that is new in fabric, style and delicate trimmings awaits your selection.

Second Floor.

Restaurant Fourth Floor SATURDAY

Special—
Roast Young
Chicken Dinner .. 65c
Supper will be served
from 5 to 8 p.m., 40c, 60c.



BATHROBE BLANKETS, \$7.50

Complete with girdle set and in box, either to make up or give as they are. Young men like the Indian Blankets and the quieter colors will catch dad. Many beautiful lighter shades for ladies' wear. The quality is Beacon Blanket Velour, and note the large size, 72x90, enough for a big man. The cuttings make cosy bedroom slippers. Complete \$7.50 each

English Broadcloth, 59c

A special purchase, and you will appreciate the value. All those bright and striking colors, being used so much for slips and bloomers for Christmas gifts. Ask for the genuine English broadcloth, in white as well as colors; 38-inch 59c

Main Floor.

Lingerie Crepes, 35c

Making pyjamas or gowns or kiddies' garments for Christmas? Don't fail to see these lovely shades and patterns. A pretty Wash Crepe, no ironing necessary, soft finish English cloth, new designs, many very quaint, as well as butterfly and bluebird, also English robin patterns; 31-inch. Extra value ... 35c

FOUNTAIN PENS For the Boy or Girl, \$1.00

A lever self-filling safety pen with a clip, fitted with 14k gold nib; packed in a box; fine, medium and broad nib. Name engraved free on every pen \$1.00 Stationery Department, Main Floor.

A GIFT OF GLOVES



A practical, dainty and inexpensive gift, and a gift that always pleases. Chamoisette Gloves in pretty styles, with a flare cuff and embroidered back; smart shades of Oak, Mode, Grays and Ponces \$1.00 pair Fashionable slip-on styles in chamoisette, in a variety of shades and prices \$1.00, \$1.50, \$1.75 and \$2.00 Smart Glove of Double Chamoisette, with two pearl domes and embroidered back.

Main Floor.

SPECIAL SALE OF BRIDGE LAMPS AND SHADES \$10.90

A new Polychrome Bridge Lamp fitted with silk shade, in blue, gold or rose. A choice of designs. Lamp has adjustable arm, weighted base, and ready to connect up. Sale price \$10.90

Fourth Floor.

BLACK SILK SALE SATURDAY

Coming at an opportune time for your Christmas gifts, at a moderate cost. These prices are for Saturday only.

Extra Fine Quality Black
Satin Duchesse, \$1.49 Yard

Come early and see this Duchesse. You'll admit it's very unusual and a low price. It's a yard wide and 3 to 4 yards is sufficient for a dress.

2 Pieces of High-Grade Black Crepe
Satin, \$3.50 Yard

You can buy other Black Crepe Satins here at \$2.50 and \$3.00, but this is a special imported French Pure Silk Crepe Satin at a considerable saving on jobbers' qualities not up to this standard. These are real Crepe Satins for guaranteed wear \$3.50 yard

Silk Department, Main Floor, Rear.

Wear-Ever Aluminum For Your Christmas Gift

2-Quart Double Boilers \$1.49
5-Quart Potato Pots \$1.39
5-Quart Tea Kettle \$3.59
Wear-Ever Roasters \$3.49 and \$3.98
Basement.

INTERESTING SPECIALS IN THE LINEN SECTION PILLOWCASES MAKE ADMIRABLE GIFTS

Not expensive, yet practical and pretty, are these two numbers in Embroidered Cases; and will fit in quite nicely on your gift list for matron or miss. Novelty colored crocheted borders, in the new deep three-scallop edge, in Rose, Blue, Gold or all White. Special \$1.38 pair Irish embroidered in either scalloped or hemstitched edge, or nice quality laundered finished cotton. Special \$1.49 pair Other numbers at \$1.98, \$2.25, \$2.75 and \$2.95 pair

Irish Linen Huckaback Towels,
95c Each

Here is a wonderful collection of delightful qualities and designs in Pure Irish Linen Huckaback Towels. All are spoke stitch hem and many with space for initial. Size 20x36. All one price 95c each

Main Floor.

12-Inch Hand-Made Cluny
Doilies, 39c each

With genuine French hand-made lace edge on all pure linen center of fine quality. There are several hundred in the lot, but this popular size for cake plate or small center pedestal, buffet or china cabinet should find eager buyers in the morning. Special ... 39c each

SPECIAL—FLANNEL TWEEDS FOR WINTER SPORTS 54 INCHES WIDE, \$1.50 YARD

A purchase of these smart medium weight Dress Tweeds came our way at almost half the usual price. The qualities are fine and clear, attractive colorings. A choice of

Brown and White, Navy and White, and another design in mixed colors—Blues, Greens, Tans, Browns, Grays, etc.; all 54-inch. Special \$1.50 yard

EMBROIDERED BORDERS, 54-INCH DRESS GOODS— A DRESS LENGTH FOR \$8.00

The newest fashion of New York, 54-inch fine wool materials, comprising Pure Wool Charm de Luxe, Fine Poplins, Ottomans, etc. in Sand, Canard Blue, Navy, Tan, Nigger and Gray. Embroidered with borders 14 inches

deep, in rich, contrasting colors. And the cost here is about half New York prices because we've saved you the duty on the cost of work by having it done in Canada.

Dress Goods Department, Main Floor, Rear.

SALE OF MEN'S WINTER OVERCOATS

Here is a splendid opportunity for men Saturday. Nearly 100 Overcoats, taken from regular stock and reduced one-third for rapid selling tomorrow. Some of the finest fabrics and makes are included in this sale tomorrow. See window display. Early selection is advisable. ON SALE SATURDAY (TOMORROW), 9 A.M.

OVERCOATS

Sale Price \$12.33

Warm, good wearing Overcoats, in smart ulster models.

ONE-THIRD OFF TOMORROW.

Reduced 1-3, as Follows:

13 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$12.33
4 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$13.33
9 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$16.66
6 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$19.00
24 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$23.33
20 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$26.67
14 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$30.00
2 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$33.33
3 Overcoats, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$36.67
1 Overcoat, 1-3 off. Sale price...\$43.33

WHITNEYS, ULSTERS, ULSTERETTES, CHINCHILLAS—BLUES, GRAYS, BROWNS, AND MANY OTHERS.

New Striped Broadcloth Shirts, \$2.95 WITH COLLAR TO MATCH.

Fine Striped Broadcloth of lustrous finish, in new blue Very special at this low price, per suit \$2.95

Safe of Men's Fancy Cashmere Hose, 98c Pair

Men's Fine All-Wool (Cashmere) Hose in new fancy patterns. Sand, Gray and Lovat mixtures. These are a special purchase, considerably below regular price. Saturday (in a gift box), pair... 98c

MEN'S PYJAMAS, \$2.49 SUIT

English Flannellette Pyjamas, trimmed with silk frogs, in striped patterns of Helio, Tan, Blue and Pink. Sizes 34 to 46. Very special at this low price, per suit \$2.49

NEW GIFT SCARFS FOR MEN, \$1.98

Beautiful Rayon weaves in accordion knit Scarfs; brilliant and conservative colorings. A large purchase special at ... \$1.98

New Aberley Jerseys and Sweaters for Boys

A new shipment of Aberley Sweater Coats, in new Fair Isle and plain color tones. An ideal gift for the boy.

OVERCOATS

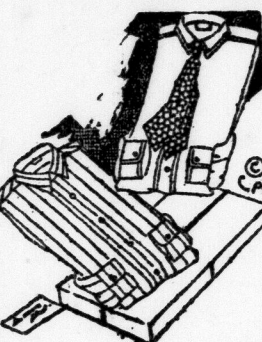
Sale Price \$23.33

Fine Overcoats in medium and dark colors. Good looking, well tailored Overcoats—ONE-THIRD OFF.

ANOTHER LARGE PURCHASE OF MEN'S FINE ENGLISH Broadcloth Shirts, Tomorrow, 9 a.m., \$1.98 Each.

In solid colors of WHITE, SAND, BLUE, HELIO and GRAY. Soft collar to match. These are in high-grade English Broadcloth. Exceptional in wearing qualities, with double soft cuffs. Sizes 14 to 16½. Sale price \$1.98

50 DOZEN MEN'S PURE IRISH LINEN HANDKERCHIEFS, ON SALE SATURDAY, 9 A.M.—4 FOR \$1.00



Men's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs, with ¼-inch hemstitched borders. Full 18-inch size. On sale Saturday, 9 a.m., at 4 for \$1.00

Boys' Fair Isle Sweater Coats, with V-neck, \$1.98

All-Wool Sweater Coats in new Fair Isle patterns, for boys. Sizes 24 to 32.

Thousands of TIES

For Gifts

59c, 79c 95c

and \$1.35

Almost every color combination is included in this large showing of Ties for men. Individually boxed for a gift if you wish.

Swiss Silks and French Moires, Regimental Stripes, Mogadors, Rayon weaves, Foulards, in patterned or striped effects, 59c, 79c, 95c, \$1.35

BOYS' NEW TIES ... 50c

SMALLMAN & INGRAM
LIMITED

SUPPER, SATURDAY NIGHT
5 to 8 p.m. Special course. 40c and 60c.
Restaurant, 4th Floor.

SPECIAL
150 Boxes of 1¼ lbs. each Assorted Chocolates, hard and soft centers. Special, Saturday, 43c box.