

MICHIGAN CENTRAL NOT PARTY TO P. M. OFFER

Definite Information Again Received That Road Will Not Use L. and P. S. R. as Electrified Line.

TENANTS OF PERE MARQUETTE ONLY TO END OF PRESENT YEAR

Definite information has been received by The Advertiser from persons who were in communication with the head officials of the M. C. R. Friday, to the effect that the road was not a party to the offer of the Pere Marquette to use the London and Port Stanley Railway, and that the company has made no change whatever in its determination to refuse to use the road in case of electrification.

TENANCY EXPIRES THIS YEAR.

The Michigan Central is a tenant of the Pere Marquette only to the end of the present year, and as the Pere Marquette lease expires at the end of the year, it would have nothing whatever to do with the Michigan Central. This, in effect, is what Londoners were told by the officials of the Michigan Central in Detroit Friday when the matter was discussed.

MAINTAINS SAME ATTITUDE.

Mr. Ledyard, chairman of the board of directors of the Michigan Central, has given a definite statement in writing that his company would not use the L. and P. S. R. if electrified, and that this position has not been receded from in the slightest degree is known as a fact.

HAD NOT CONSULTED M. C. R.

Mr. Alfred, of the Pere Marquette, who wrote the letter which has been construed into an admission that the Michigan Central has changed its attitude, admitted that he did not know what the latter road's opinion of the matter would be. He could say that the Michigan Central was the tenant of the Pere Marquette up to the end of the present year.

MAY BE A SURPRISE.

Mr. Alfred is also said to have stated that the Pere Marquette is eager to secure the road for steam operation, and to rehabilitate it. Something entirely different from what was expected may be discovered when the bid is opened at a meeting of the London and Port Stanley board to be held Monday.

M. C. R. HAS NOT RECEDED.

The Michigan Central at any rate, as has been definitely stated on several occasions, will have nothing to do with the line if electrified, and the officials say no one has the right to make a contrary statement.

Handsone New Structure for Financial Institution on Richmond Street



The accompanying illustration is a reproduction of the plan for the front elevation of the building to be erected by the Canada Trust Company on Richmond street, between the Huron and Erie Building and the Bank of British North America Building. Work is to be commenced as quickly as possible, owing to the fact that the increased business of the Huron and Erie and Canada Trust, now occupying the same building, has compelled a separation of the staffs.

The building will have one of the most handsome fronts in London, with a terra cotta finish. The entire lower floor will be occupied by the staff of the Canada Trust. On the second floor will be used as a recreation room for the staff of the Huron and Erie and Canada Trust. A piano will be purchased, and there will be reading and rest rooms. The employees of the two companies number in the neighborhood of forty, and the social side of their associations is not to be neglected.

A contract will be awarded for the erection of the building in a short time.

STORM OF MIDSUMMER COMES IN MIDWINTER

Thunder, Lightning and Downpour Months Ahead of Its Schedule Rioted Above London This Morning—Some Phone Lines Out of Order.

Thunderstorms and cloudbursts in midwinter and, moreover, on George Washington's birthday, constituted a bit of unusual playfulness on the part of the weatherman this morning. It is rarely that Jupiter Pluvius, or whatever the weeping ogre of the skies is called, favors the Forest City with such attentions at this time of the year, and for a few minutes this forenoon, had one been living in the United States, and a loyal Republican, he might, in deed, have feared that as a sequel to the recent Democratic deluge, the very elements were trying to wash out the memory of the immortal George, whose youthful stupidity the school books try to excuse, on the ground of his unusual voracity, thunder and lightning. Translated into German, the exclamation would be a heinous offence, but really one did observe a few feeble flashes of scintillating fire darting from the cloud-veiled face of heaven, as if the Pleiades and the nine planets (more or less) were ashamed and chagrined by the superior successes of hidrow. And the rain, (or to poetize, the tears from Nature's eyes!) Nature must have mistaken cayenne pepper for her snuff box. A West London lady invited over the telephone The Advertiser local staff to go gondola-riding on the Wharncliffe road, and fears were entertained for a regular spring freshet in February.

Throughout the surrounding district quite a few telephone lines were out of working order, and linemen were sent out in all directions, but only a few complaints of telephone or electric light troubles were reported in the city.

DEDICATE TEMPLE APRIL 16

Leading Masons of Dominion To Be Present for the Opening Ceremony.

The new Masonic Temple will be formally dedicated April 16. Mr. W. M. Line has received a letter from Grand Master Aubrey White, of Toronto, stating that it would be convenient for him to attend on that day, and as the hall had not been engaged for any conflicting assemblies, that date was definitely decided upon for the dedication.

The occasion will be marked by elaborate and impressive ceremonies, and the majority of the leading Masons in Canada will be present. A committee has been appointed and has many of the arrangements already in hand.

ULGAR AIRMAN TAKEN BY TURK

Aeroplane Fell Inside the Lines of Adrianople Fortress.

[Canadian Press.] Constantinople, Feb. 22.—A Bulgarian military aeroplane, while reconnoitering over the fortress of Adrianople today was hit by a Turkish shell and fell inside the line. It was piloted by a Russian officer, Lieut. Nikolaos, who was made a prisoner by the Turks. The report from the Turkish commander does not state whether the airman was injured or not.

FOUND IN THE ROAD

Inebriated Man Fell From His Buggy Near Exeter.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Exeter, Feb. 22.—As Mr. A. J. Ford was driving to Exeter last evening from Hensall, he found a man lying full length in the middle of the road. A horse and buggy were found in the ditch close by. Investigation showed that the man was in a badly intoxicated condition, and had fallen from the rig. He was wrapped up in the robes found in the buggy, and when Mr. Ford reached Exeter he notified a local liveryman.

YOUNG CANADIANS SUCCEED IN NEW YORK

Dr. F. W. Troy Pays Tribute to the Ability They Show in Business.

Dr. F. W. Troy has returned to this city from his home in New York, whither he was obliged to go about two weeks ago on account of a breakdown in health. He is much improved and will again take up his evangelistic work in this city, speaking on Sunday in the afternoon and in the evening in the Adelaide Street Baptist Church. "There are many young Canadians making their mark in New York City," said Dr. Troy. "I have heard it said that there are 500,000 of them there in business, and there is a great demand for them."

Dr. Troy spoke of his acquaintance with Bud Fisher, the originator of the Mutt and Jeff cartoons. He knew him when a boy of 17 attending high school, and has always taken a great interest in him.

GRAND JURIES ARE EXCELLENT THINGS; GOOD EDUCATORS

Sheriff Cameron Points Out the Advantage of Attending Court.

Procedure Followed in Matter of Presentments to Govt.—Selection of Juries.

The discussion in the Ontario Legislature on Wednesday as to what comes of the presentments of the different grand juries has caused considerable discussion as to the value of the work assigned to the grand jury. A number of officials have given statements both in favor and against the continuance of the jury. Mr. W. E. N. Sinclair, of South Ontario, asked the Provincial Secretary what was done with the presentments of the grand jury, and a heated discussion followed. Several judicial officials have placed themselves on record as saying that the presentments might as well be done away with for all the good that is done.

Has Educational Value.

Sheriff D. M. Cameron stated to The Advertiser today that he was in favor of the continuance of the grand jury, if only on the basis of its being of an educational value.

"The presence of the grand and petit jurors in the court room gives these men the privilege of witnessing the proceedings and listening to the evidence, and they would otherwise know nothing of the procedure of a court of justice unless interested in an action. Of course, there is less need for a grand jury today than there was some hundred years or more ago, when the private citizen depended upon the jury to give him fair play when charged with a crime. Today the grand jury system is worth more than its costs, and I am in favor of its continuance."

As to the statement that little attention is given by the Government to the presentments the sheriff would make no statement, but said that all the presentments of the grand and petit jurors in this city were forwarded to the proper authorities by the clerk of the court. The grand jury, which consists of thirteen jurors, hears the evidence of all criminal cases, and if the evidence is sufficient to convict, in the opinion of the jury, it is returned by the jury returns a true bill against the accused person. The reason why no witnesses are heard for the defence is that the hearing would resemble a star chamber court, and this would be strictly against the principles of British justice.

The Procedure. At each sitting of the court at which a grand jury is empanelled, the jurors visit, in a body, all buildings that they wish to, and report as to the conditions. The presentment is presented to the judge and his direction as to the disposal of it is given to the clerk of the court. Sometimes it is sent to the county council, and sometimes to the Provincial Government. Of late years the presentments sent to the county council have been read, and then filed by that body and no action taken as to the suggestions embodied in the document.

The jurors, both grand and petit, are selected from a number of names submitted by the clerks of the different municipalities in a county by the county judges, sheriff, city and county treasurers, mayor of the city and warden of the county on Sept. 15 of each year. These selectors determine the number of names to be selected for all the courts to be held in the succeeding years, and three times the number of names as are required for the courts are sent in to the clerk of the court.

When the first selection is made the qualifications of each man are inspected, but the final selection in December is done entirely by ballot. There is no distinction between the qualifications of grand and petit jurors.

FATAL STRIKE RIOT

One Man Will Die as Result of Injuries in Rochester Clash.

[Canadian Press.] Rochester, N. Y., Feb. 22.—Striking garment workers to the number of twenty attacked two employees of one of the clothing factories last night with sticks and stones, and so seriously injured them that one will die. Neither of the men attacked was a garment worker, but one was stockkeeper and the other an assistant to a travelling salesman. Both were removed to a hospital.

Strike leaders today say that the factory owners are planning to reopen the shops Monday and openly declare that they will prevent this. The strikers have not given up hope that the state board of mediation will interfere, but there is no indication of such a procedure.

THE WEATHER.

TOMORROW—CLEAR, COLDER.

Forecast for Toronto, Feb. 22—8 a.m. Today—Occasional rain and sleet. Sunday—Heavily windy; clearing and turning colder.

The following are the highest and lowest temperatures during the 24 hours previous to 8 a.m. today:

Station	High	Low	Weather
London	22.5	26	Clear
Calgary	24	4	Cloudy
Winnipeg	24	4	Cloudy
Port Arthur	24	4	Clear
Parry Sound	20	14	Snow
Toronto	20	14	Snow
Ottawa	24	14	Snow
Montreal	25	10	Snow
Quebec	28	12	Cloudy
Father Point	23	4	Clear

Minus (—) means below zero.

Weather Notes. The disturbance from Texas has moved directly to the Great Lakes, and has caused a freezing rain in Southern Ontario and snow in the more northern and eastern districts.

LEADERS OF SUFFRAGETTES FACE PENAL SERVITUDE

British Cabinet Has Decided to Make the Punishment Extreme, But Hesitates at Making Martyrs of Mrs. Pankhurst and Others.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

London, Eng., Feb. 22.—Although Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst and several militant followers are clamoring for arrest in connection with recent suffragette outrages, the Government seems loath to take that action, and severe criticisms is being made by prominent people and influential newspapers of both politics in regard to this official lethargy.

The fact is, according to a statement by the Home Secretary this morning the Government has decided that the arrest of suffragette leaders would be pandering to their desire for martyrdom. Once arrests are made, however, it is likely penal servitude for life will be imposed, with positively no opportunity of pardon in any circumstances. This was decided by the cabinet this morning. It is quite probable that arrests will be made before night. The matter is left to Scotland Yard.

TWO OFFERS FOR BOARD TO CONSIDER

C. N. R. and Pere Marquette Only Lines Asking For Lease.

A meeting of the London and Port Stanley Railway board has been called for Monday afternoon at 4:30 to consider tenders for lease and for running rights over the London and Port Stanley Railway.

So far, no tenders have been received from the Grand Trunk for the lease or purchase of the road, and the two offers to be considered are those from the Canadian Northern and the Pere Marquette.

40 WOODSTOCK BOYS GUESTS AT Y. M. C. A.

Program of Sports Will Be Conducted During the Afternoon.

London Y. M. C. A. entertained at dinner today 40 junior schoolboys from the Woodstock Y. M. C. A.

A program of athletics, arranged by the local boys' secretary, J. G. Chadwick, is being contested this afternoon by the visitors, and over one hundred of the London junior schoolboys, and local noon-day boys, who are all rural students attending the Collegiate Institute or local business colleges during the day but living outside of the city.

One hundred and fifty boys in all had dinner at the local Y. M. C. A. today, and a luncheon will be held this afternoon. The visiting boys are accompanied by Boys' Secretary W. H. Pierce, of Woodstock.

BROUGHT TO LONDON.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Clonaboye, Feb. 22.—Mr. Harry Hanson, 62 years of age, an old soldier and well-known resident of Clonaboye, was today advised by his physician to go to St. Joseph's Hospital, London, for treatment of sciatic rheumatism. Mr. Hanson has recently been ill with pneumonia.

LOCAL OPTION MAY WIN BY FRACTION OF VOTE

Temperance Forces, After One Ballot Is Rejected, Have Majority of Two and Three-Fifths Votes—Three in Doubt.

Judge Talbot Macbeth presided at the official recount of the London Township local option vote at St. Johns on Friday, and he threw out one ballot in favor of the bylaw, thus reducing the majority.

He also reserved his decision in connection with three other votes until this morning, and this morning reserved his final judgment until Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

Two in Favor. Of these three votes two were cast in favor of the bylaw and one against it. The judgment in connection with the qualification of a number of the voters was also reserved until Monday morning.

A Slight Majority. The standing at present, with one vote thrown out, is 857 for and 567 against, giving the bylaw a majority over the three-fifths necessary of 2-5 votes.

ANNEXATION ACCOUNTS FOR \$83,000 DEBENTURE ISSUE

Waterworks and Hydro Figures Cleared Up—Letter From Mr. Glaubitz.

General Manager Glaubitz of the board of water commissioners writes: I wish to appeal to your sense of justice and fairness to correct several mis-statements which occurred in your issue of Friday. While any unprejudiced person with the most rudimentary knowledge of the conditions which make for efficiency must be aware that the separation of the electrical and waterworks departments is not at all in the best interests of the citizens, I did not make the statement at Thursday's meeting that I "did not think such (separation) would be the case," nor did I imply in any way that this was my opinion.

Moreover, you state that there is an increase of nearly \$200,000 in my estimate over previous year in the two departments, while, according to the figures, there is an increase of \$54,000, and this is only apparent. Of the debenture issue, \$36,000 is for water-works extensions and \$23,000 for electric-line extensions in the annexed districts, making a total of \$83,000 of extraordinary expenditure, as compared with former years, so that the estimate this year are actually less by \$29,000.

You state that the transfer of the Springbank equipment is \$44,803.56, while it is only \$6,000; the expenditure at the Springbank station of \$20,000 for load correction in the electrical department you repeat as an expenditure in the waterworks department. I expect that the above statements occurred inadvertently, and that you will give due publicity to their being erroneous. Yours respectfully, H. J. GLAUBITZ, General Manager, Board of Water Commissioners.

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BIG RAILROADER ARGUES AGAINST ELECTRIFICATION

Vice-President of the New York Central Foresees Loss of Half Million a Year.

Change From Steam on Boston and Albany Strenuously Opposed.

The Boston Herald of recent date says:

In reply to the criticism of the Boston and Albany Railroad by ex-Mayor Nathan Matthews at a previous hearing, James H. Hustis, vice-president of the New York Central, and general manager of the Boston and Albany, told the legislative committee on railroads yesterday that electrification would mean an annual loss in operation of at least \$500,000. He protested against what he asserted were the misrepresentations of Mr. Matthews and implied that he had dealt unfairly with a public question.

Shows Loss to Road. He did not oppose electrification, he related figures to the committee to show what it meant to the railroad.

Referring to Mr. Matthews, although without using his name, he said: "I am here, first, to protest against the misrepresentations made before your committee by a gentleman whose standing in the community by reason (if there be no other reason) of the high office which he has held in the city of Boston and the high honor which has been conferred upon him by the oldest university in the country ought to restrain him from dealing unfairly with a public question of this importance." (Continued on Page Eleven.)



Photo by Edgar Sanders. MR. E. VICTOR SMITH, president of the Hamilton Sifton Club, which enjoyed its annual banquet last night.

ENGINEER SIFTON ASKS \$5,000 AS SALARY AT HAMILTON

Former Londoner Finds Some Opposition to Appointment as Business Manager of Hydro Affairs at Mountain City.

The Hamilton Times of Friday says: The members of this year's board of control do not intend to adopt a trust-to-luck policy in connection with the affairs of the hydro department. Next Wednesday morning it is the intention of the controllers to go thoroughly into the hydro management, and not only decide on a business head, but also take up the small details of the department for their own information. The question was considered this morning by the board, and opposition was raised to Engineer Sifton being asked to be present when the controllers take up the hydro applications for salary increases next week.

MR. O'LEARY BECOMES YARDMASTER OF G. T. R.

Yard Foreman Ogilvie Succeeds to the Post of Night Yardmaster.

Night Yardmaster Michael O'Leary has been appointed yardmaster of the Grand Trunk, succeeding Mr. John Cloghesy. Yard Foreman W. Ogilvie will be the new night yardmaster. The changes go into effect immediately.

Wants Salary of \$5,000. Engineer Sifton is said to be talking for a \$5,000 salary, and the controllers do not think they can go over \$2,500. At the present time Mr. Sifton is filling a dual position, that of business manager and engineer, and apparently to the satisfaction of the board of control. With his electrical knowledge, though, there is little chance of the city retaining him for less than \$5,000.

Mr. Sifton is a Londoner, and formerly head of the electrical department in this city.

May Not Have Chance. Mayor Allan does not believe in favoring one official more than another, and for this reason does not think the department head should have anything to say beyond the customary recommendation. While it has been a persistent rumor ever since H. C. Barber, 1st manager of the hydro office, left or Toronto, that Engineer Sifton would take the position of business manager, in view of the fact that it would be only a year or so before his contract with the city as engineer would expire, Mayor Allan stated this morning that there was very little chance of his appointment being made.

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brick, 3 bedrooms, modern conveniences.

\$2,500—East side, brick cottage, modern
conveniences, large lot.

\$2,400—Lorne avenue, 1½-story brick,
3 bedrooms, modern conveniences.

\$3,000—Maitland street, central, 5 bed-
rooms, modern conveniences. Terms,
\$500 cash.

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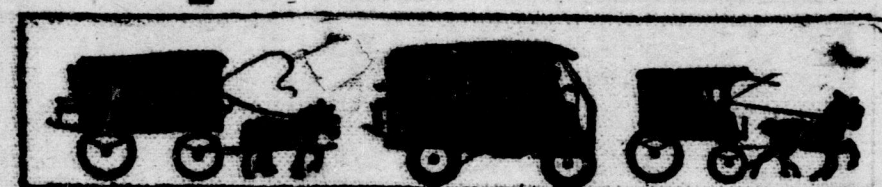
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 SMITH—On Tuesday, Feb. 19, 1913, to Mr. and Mrs. D. Frank Smith, 505 Talbot street, City, a son, John Albert.

DEATHS
 ADcock—At Calgary, Alberta, on Tuesday, Feb. 19, 1913, Mary A., beloved wife of the late Richard Adcock, aged 74 years.

Funeral private, from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. A. Bickley, 113 1/2 Richmond street, on Monday, Feb. 24, at 2 o'clock; service at 2:30 p.m. Interment at Woodland Cemetery.

BANFORD—At Victoria Hospital, on Saturday, Feb. 22, 1913, Sarah E., dearly beloved wife of Arthur Banford, aged 34 years.

Funeral from her late residence, Glenwood avenue, on Monday, Feb. 24, at 2:30 p.m.; service at 2 o'clock. Friends and acquaintances please accept our sincere sympathies. Interment at Mount Pleasant Cemetery.

OLDER—At Victoria Hospital, on Feb. 20, 1913, Alfred, widow of the late Henry R. Older, in her 70th year.

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LONDON, SATURDAY, FEB. 22.

THE FIGHT AT OTTAWA.

Evidently the Liberal party is determined that it will at least thoroughly discuss this matter of a money contribution which has not been authorized by the people. The constitutional implications of such a proceeding are too great to be lightly passed over. The principle of responsible government and of national control over expenditure is at stake.

The course being taken by Premier Borden is unconstitutional. Things would be different if he would be honest enough to make plain that contribution is not to be a permanent policy. But so far as can be gathered from his speech, he will not entertain the idea of a Canadian naval organization. He scouted the principle which he endorsed so strongly in 1909 and 1910. It cannot be supposed for a moment that the gift of \$35,000,000 is intended merely as a spasmodic action not to be repeated. Clearly the only alternative in Mr. Borden's mind to the Canadian navy, which he has abandoned, is contribution as a permanent policy. Mr. Cockshutt's interpretation of his master's mind has not been denied. Mr. Cockshutt's voice was his master's voice.

The Opposition, therefore, is right in opposing a reversal of constitutional principle. No Government of Canada has the right of paying tribute to even the British Government without the express sanction of the Canadian people. To get out of his sordid difficulties with the Nationalists he is bent on surrendering Canadian control over Canadian money. Whether the Liberal party will try or not to force the Government to seek the country's approval, will fight against any attempt to stifle discussion of a vital issue.

MR. POWY'S BYRON.

Mr. Powys, lecturing at St. Andrew's Church the other night, on Byron, drew attention to the service done by the poet and the man to the cause of freedom and democracy. When Napoleon had been stowed in St. Helena and Byron had partly been banished, partly banished himself from England, European peoples lay in the prison of the "Holy Alliance." Great Britain and Ireland enjoyed the paralyzing rule of Castlereagh, Lord Byron's pet aversion. Everywhere reaction against democratic ideas had been the outcome of the French Revolution and its failure. Byron took up the losing cause in the darkest hour, refused to be beaten, gave a defiant voice to a Europe in despair and helped to light humanity through the wilderness to the better things ahead.

In the early years of the nineteenth century, Great Britain and Ireland both endured a Reign of Terror, bloodless but brutal. Free-born Englishmen were deported to penal colonies for an expression of opinion. Every old abuse of state and church, of law, of parliamentary elections, of social or economic tyranny and slavery was sacred against innovation, reformers being branded indiscriminately as Jacobins or atheists. Toryism was constitutionally inactive. Whiggery lived under the auspices of noble lords, who were landlords and patrons first. Byron dared to advance from Whiggism to popular principles, a lord himself he entered the fray against conventional maxims, self-righteous privilege, and the worship of rent.

As Mr. Powys said, Byron became the greatest figure of a man among English poets, and a great force in the movement of European ideas. He had something to do with the freeing of Greece and of Italy. The second part of Faust shows what an impression he made on the mind of the great Goethe, and for his attack on English Philistinism he was the idol of so different a man as Matthew Arnold. There can be no question of Byron's first rate importance as a political and social poet. Those who depreciate his poetry lay more stress upon mastery of technique than on originality of attitude and expression, more on fine imagination, taste and idealism than on motor power.

It may be maintained that Byron failed to be like Scott, a gentleman, and certainly the best he could write of women was no better than sentimental. Neither was he a philosopher like Wordsworth or even Keats. His literary criticism was nonsense. But he was a very real rebel, an Alpine avalanche of dynamic energy, and kept the world alive.

OUR UNREPRESENTATIVE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

The British North America Act has been always interpreted by the Confederation resolutions upon which it was founded. Section 19 of the resolutions says:

"IMMEDIATELY after the completion of the census of 1871, and IMMEDIATELY after every decennial census thereafter, the representation from each section in the House of Commons shall be readjusted on the basis of population."

The wording of the corresponding section of the British North America Act, section 51—is as follows:

"On the completion of the census in the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and of each subsequent decennial census, the representation of the four provinces shall be readjusted," etc., etc.

The word "immediately" does not appear in the act, but the words "on completion" no doubt were intended to convey the same meaning as "immediately" in the Confederation resolutions. Parliament has always acted on this assumption. There was a census in 1871, and a redistribution in 1872; a census in 1881 and a redistribution in 1882; a census in 1891 and a redistribution in 1892; a census in 1901 and a redistribution in 1902. In the latter case the census was not completed until December, 1902, owing to the reorganization of the census bureau and the extraordinary range and thoroughness of the returns. It is now a year and a half since the census returns of 1911 were completely tabulated. If the Government has its way there will be no redistribution until 1914, a delay of nearly three years.

The Government's motives for this unconstitutional course are so obvious that there is no attempt at concealment. The west is under-represented by 25 or 30 seats in the present Parliament, and the Government feels that its interests would be served by this state of affairs if the Opposition forced an election on the naval issue. The Opposition, however, may so rally the western provinces in the fight for their electoral rights that the Government will be forced to bring down the redistribution bill demanded by the Turfist resolution.

On the basis of the census of 1911 the western provinces are under-represented in the present House of Commons to the extent of 25 seats. But the population has grown since then so fast that the under-representation today would be nearer 35 than 25. Mr. Turfist, of Assiniboia, calculates the unit of representation on the basis of the present population:

Inhabitants.
British Columbia has one member for each 66,068
Alberta has one member for each 53,532
Saskatchewan has one member for each 49,242
Manitoba has one member for each 45,561
Average 48,739
And here are the figures for the eastern provinces:

Inhabitants.
Ontario has one member for each 29,340
Quebec has one member for each 30,810
New Brunswick has one member for each 37,063
Nova Scotia has one member for each 27,352
Prince Edward Island has one member for each 23,432
Average 29,376

UNITY AND DIVISION.

Four years ago the House of Commons voted unanimously for the organization of a Canadian navy, to work in co-operation with the naval forces of the Empire. Soon afterwards, under pressure from the Nationalists and other forces of his party, Mr. Borden set out to destroy this unanimity. He has succeeded. His own resolution is now adopted by the House on a question on which it was unanimous in 1909, but he has divided his own party.

The policy now goes upon record as that of only half the people of Canada. This is the natural and expected result of the national unity shown in the resolution of 1909.

FINANCIAL NOTE.

"You have never suffered from financial reverses?"

"No," replied Mr. Dustin Stax. "Finance is like dancing. When the music turns around and goes the other way you must reverse with it."

A LAZY MAN.

"Is he lazy?"

"He is. He'll go into a revolving door and then wait for somebody to come along and turn it around."

HOME.

Officer—Where do you live? Where's your home?

Inebriated Motorist—Why—I left it standing right there an hour ago. No. 914,782 New York.

SERIOUS ENOUGH.

"Was Mr. Brown's illness a serious one?"

"Well, he married his nurse."

A RARE GUEST.

"Clubman and his wife don't speak."

"No."

"No. He happened to be home for dinner one night recently, and his wife rose in her place and began: 'Children, we have with us tonight—' and Clubman has had a grouse ever since."

FRENCHMEN'S THRIFT.
[London Daily News and Leader.]
Succession duty was paid last year in France on \$59,113 fortunes, the total value of which amounted to \$761,724, 73 francs, a little more than \$230,000,000, which is more than the indemnity paid by France to Germany at the end of the Franco-German war.

During the year 661 "millionaires" died. Three only left over \$2,000,000 each; nine left between \$400,000 and \$2,000,000; 39 left from \$200,000 to \$400,000; 245 left from \$20,000 to \$200,000; 279 left from \$40,000 to \$20,000; 832 left between \$20,000 and \$40,000; 1,675 left from \$10,000 to \$20,000; 4,878 left from \$4,000 to \$10,000, and so on.

Curiously enough, this progression is not constant right through, for whereas

105,966 persons left between \$20 and \$40, only 95,522 left from a franc to \$20, another proof of the saving capacity of the working classes.

FORTUNES IN ALE.

[London Daily News and Leader.]
The late Mr. Robert Ratcliff, senior director and only surviving member of the original directorate of Messrs. Bass, Ratcliff & Gretton, limited, left an estate for probate valued at \$264,929.

He died intestate, and as his widow, Mrs. Emily Ratcliff, has renounced administration of the property, letters of administration have been granted to his sons, Mr. Robert Frederick Ratcliff, M.P., and Mr. Percy William Ratcliff, as two of the next-of-kin.

The duties on the property will amount to \$143,000. Other fortunes left by members of this famous firm are:

Mr. John Gretton, who died in 1899 \$2,833,640
Mr. Richard Ratcliff, died in 1898 1,116,190
Lord Burton, died in 1909, property provisionally valued 1,000,000
Mr. Richard Henry Ratcliff, died in 1902 609,524
Mr. Hamar Alfred Bass, M.P., died in 1898 196,547

GUARDING A TREASURE.

[Washington Star.]
"We have a jewel of a cook!"
"That's fine."

"Yes. Only we have to eat at a restaurant three times a week to keep her from complaining of overwork."

IS IT THOU?

[New Orleans Picayune.]
Many a man who goes through life bemoaning the fact that he is misunderstood ought to be thankful that such is the case.

AFTER FOUR YEARS.

[Montreal Free Press.]
On March 29, 1909, after a day's debate, conducted on the highest level ever reached in the chamber the Canadian House of Commons adopted UNANIMOUSLY a resolution pledging the people of Canada to a participation in imperial defence by the creation of a Canadian navy.

On Feb. 14, 1913, the Canadian House of Commons, after two months of partisan, and at times embittered controversy, adopted by a MAJORITY OF 32 a resolution in favor of an immediate contribution of \$35,000,000 to the imperial navy and postponing indefinitely the formation of a permanent naval policy.

Now is the end of the controversy. The naval bill, based on the resolution adopted yesterday, will be brought forward, and if it finally gets through, without the Government being forced to go to the people, the matter of naval defence will become a standing issue between the parties upon which the judgment of the people will be sought at the next general elections.

Who thinks that Canada has progressed in the solution of the problem during the past four years?

BETTER THAN WHITE COAL?

[Calgary Albertan.]
Now Lethbridge comes along with the announcement that it can produce power at \$15 per horsepower from the real, old, black coal. That should put Lethbridge right in the running in the race for manufacturing.

A COLOR YOU CAN FEEL.

[New Orleans Picayune.]
A scientific writer says that the only color that can be determined by the sense of touch is blue. True enough. A man always knows when he feels "blue."

OPINIONATED.

[Denver Republican.]
A man can get a very big opinion of himself thinking what he's going to do if he ever gets started.

A CANADIAN'S ADVANCEMENT.

[Springfield, Mass. Republican.]
Prof. F. W. Sykes, of Columbia University in New York City, has accepted the presidency of the women's college that is to be in New London, Connecticut. He is a Canadian by birth, and held a chair in Western University at London, Ontario, before being called to Columbia, where he has been professor of English literature and director of extension teaching since 1903. He has written text-books, and the connection of his work with the college is a right man to develop their new educational institution.

SOLVENT.

[Louisville Courier-Journal.]
"I thought I told you not to eat any porthouse steak without my permission?"

"So you did, doc; so you did."

"Then why are you disobeying my order?"

"This won't delay the paying of your bill, doc. This steak is being paid for by my friend here."

SAYS INCINERATOR IS GOOD VALUE.

Mr. Garratt Refers to Costs of London and Ottawa Plant.

In a letter to The Advertiser Mr. H. A. Garratt, who is superintending the installation of the incinerator in this city for the contractors, says that he did not say that a mechanical feed similar to that on Ottawa's incinerator would cost more than an incline such as is being constructed for London. Mr. Garratt also claims that he explained that the cost of a feed system would depend on local conditions and that an incline feed would cost more in London's case.

What appeared in The Advertiser on this point was: "London's feed system is from the top, while Ottawa's is from the bottom, with an elevator system to carry the garbage to the feed dump. The latter would probably cost the most, in Mr. Garratt's opinion."

The incline at the London incinerator is a natural one, and commenting on this fact, The Advertiser reporter asked Mr. Garratt if such a feed with only a platform and receptacle to provide, would cost less than an incline system, and the reply received was in the affirmative.

Mr. Garratt continues: "Both plants represent the most modern and up-to-date practice in this particular branch of engineering; both have been designed to meet the peculiar local conditions and requirements, and anyone competent to form an opinion could at once say that full value has been given for the small difference in cost."

MEXICAN INDIANS ARE ON WARPATH

Savages Want Diaz and Not Huerta as the Head of Republic.

A NEW REVOLT NIPPED

Attempt Made By Sympathizers of Madero to Effect a Rescue.

[Canadian Press.]
Mexico City, Feb. 22.—Acceptance of the new administration in Mexico is not so general as was at first thought. To the States of Coahuila, Sonora and Yucatan, which at the moment of the overthrow of Francisco Madero declared they were not in accord with the new conditions, must now be added the State of Oaxaca, where the Sereno Indians have refused to recognize the Government of Provisional President Huerta. The government of Oaxaca is so alarmed and disturbed by the Indians' attitude in the state that he has asked for reinforcements from Mexico City.

Indians on Warpath.
Bodies of federal troops have been sent to the cities of Jalisco and Orizaba, in the State of Vera Cruz, in order to maintain the balance of power. The Indians in the State of Oaxaca have gone on the warpath and are attacking the state, and the Indians declare that since he has not been made president of the republic, then it is necessary to appoint a provisional president, they demand the nomination of Francisco Hernandez, another native of Oaxaca, who has had a very distinguished army career. In no case, say the Indians, will they recognize General Victoriano Huerta as provisional president.

The disturbances which have broken out in the State of Vera Cruz are supposed to indicate that the support the new administration has gained in that state is questionable. A small group of sympathizers with Francisco Madero stopped a train on which he was believed to be fleeing with the object of rescuing the deposed president. The news reached General Roberto Velasco at the city of Vera Cruz, to whom it was reported, that the venture had been successful. He then sent a force of federal troops with the object of rescuing the deposed president, and a force of federal troops was sent off posthaste from the federal capital to Orizaba, and, on reaching there, surrounded and disarmed the men commanded by General Velasco.

CIGAR FACTORIES TO INCREASE OUTPUT
Dun's Bulletin Says Manufacturers Are Working at Capacity.

Dun's Bulletin for this week says of London trade: Retail trade is a little quiet, due, no doubt, to the exceedingly mild and unseasonable weather. Wholesale trade is not very busy, although looking forward to a good year. Cigar factories have been quiet generally since the Christmas trade, but this is typical of the season, and a number of firms are making provision for increased output this year. Manufacturers generally are working to their capacity, and there are no local reasons for showing hesitancy; but the disposition of the municipalities to hold back improvements until their debtments find a better market, causes some firms to go slowly with expansions.

NEW YORK POLICE PROBE.

New York, Feb. 22.—Money which it is alleged, Police Captain Dennis Sweeney, who is under indictment, took for police protection in his Harlem precinct, was turned to speculation in stocks, according to evidence which District Attorney Whitman showed today had come into his possession. It was alleged that two large and active accounts in Sweeney's name were found yesterday in a stock brokerage house on Wall street. It was shown that the brokers would be subpoenaed before the grand jury early next week to furnish evidence regarding these accounts. It is said that in the main Sweeney had been a heavy loser in his speculations.

WAR MAP SHOWING HOW THE UNITED STATES HAS MEXICO SURROUNDED, READY TO STRIKE AT MOMENT'S NOTICE.

MEXICO IS NOW ENTIRELY SURROUNDED BY THE AMERICAN ARMY AND NAVY. AMERICAN WARSHIPS ARE ANCHORED AT ALL THE IMPORTANT SEAPORTS. THE ATLANTIC FLEET IS WAITING IN CUBA. GUNBOATS ARE ANCHORED AT NEARLY CENTRAL AMERICAN PORTS. THOUSANDS OF SOLDIERS ARE ON THE NORTHERN BORDER, READY TO CROSS THE LINE OR SHIP TRANSPORTS TO VERA CRUZ; ALL THE REST OF THE ARMY IS PREPARED FOR ACTION, AND THE NATIONAL GUARDIANS HAVE BEEN NOTIFIED TO BE READY FOR A SUDDEN CALL.

STATE OF WAR BETWEEN U. S. AND MEXICO AS IT STANDS TODAY

WAR MAP SHOWING HOW THE UNITED STATES HAS MEXICO SURROUNDED, READY TO STRIKE AT MOMENT'S NOTICE.

MR. STRUTHERS GIVES FORMAL REPUDIATION

Local Newspaper Publishes a Letter Giving Truth About "Interview."

The following letter from Mr. Harry H. Struthers, of the firm of R. C. Struthers & Co., appears in The London Free Press today:

Dear Sir—An article which mentioned my name and occupied a very prominent space in your Thursday evening and Friday morning editions, is such an absolute misrepresentation that I would ask you to give this statement of the facts of the case, as I know them to be, equally prominent space in your Saturday morning and evening editions.

Your reporter approached me, having an edition of The London Advertiser in his hand, and pointing to the headline "Pere Marquette Ready to Renew Lease of Railway," said to me: "What do you think of that?" My reply was: "That is what we want; what all the railways we can get in London; we are against the electrification of the London and Port Stanley Railway, and as you know, the original letter and petition of those opposed to electrification without further information on the subject, started here. But the thing London wants is all the railway connections it can possibly get."

How my reporter could have such manipulated the above as he did, and give it the meaning that is given in his article, is more than I can understand. I did not declare "That the situation is now cleared up as far as the interests Mr. Struthers represented and the petition are concerned." I did not state "I was delighted with the turn affairs had taken, as it assured me beyond question that the important connections furnished by the P. M. and M. C. R. would be retained." I did not say "Mr. Alfred's letter cleared up the point of connections, and that it satisfied me." Until after your reporter had gone, I had not read Mr. Alfred's letter, and therefore it would be impossible for me to say that this letter cleared up the matter of connections.

I did, however, say that I hoped the running rights would be given to the C. N. R. and every other railway.

I ask you to publish this letter, as I do not propose to have such misleading statements attributed to me, in spite of the fact that I do not care to have my name in public press.

I am in anticipation of your compliance with my request. I am, yours truly,
HARRY H. STRUTHERS.

100 AT BANQUET TO RETIRING ENGINEER

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke Guests of Honor of Railwaymen.

Van Horne Division, No. 528, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, and the local shop employees of the Canadian Pacific Railway tendered a reception and banquet in the B. of L. E. Hall, East London, to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Clarke to mark the retirement of Mr. Clarke from the road on account of ill health.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke were presented with a silver tea service and a handsome reclining chair. The accompanying address was read by Mr. W. B. Printer, Cleveland, Ohio, first grand engineer of the order, who, accompanied by Mrs. Printer, visited London expressly to attend the reception to Mr. Clarke. The address was signed on behalf of the donors by George Blencoe, George Downing, Jas. Roddick, George Prodder, Richard Burr, Wm. Upthegrove, John Cartley, Geo. Banks.

The banquet, which was attended by one hundred people, was provided by the Ladies' Auxiliary of the order. George Blencoe, presided, and addresses were given by Mr. Clarke and Mr. Printer, who related interesting reminiscences of their life on the road. The program included well-rendered musical selection by Richard Burr and Miss Brock; violin and piano numbers by Mrs. and Miss Potts; solos by Miss Kunz, Percy Downing, Miss Routledge and Miss Kernohan; a duet by Master and Miss Pendleton; readings by Miss Purvis and Master Upthegrove. Little Miss Russell delighted all present by cleverly dancing the Irish Washerwoman. A selection on the bagpipes by James Hamilton was also well received.

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MOTOR CLUB WILL SEEK TO SECURE NEW MEMBERS

Solicitor Will Be Appointed and Literature Widely Distributed at Show.

At a meeting of the executive of the London and Western Motor Club Friday afternoon plans for the coming season were discussed. The club have arranged for a booth at the motor show, and literature pertaining to the work and plans of the organization will be distributed to all interested, and an active campaign will be conducted for the enlistment of new members.

A booklet to be distributed is now in the printer's hands, and a proof of it was discussed at the meeting. The booklet contains information on the services of a club solicitor, who will conduct all the cases pertaining to motorists, and will also make a specialty of the motor laws.

RETURNS FROM TOUR OF FARMERS' MEETINGS

Representative I. B. Whale Examines Classes in Grain Judging.

Mr. I. B. Whale, B.S.A., of the Middlesex department of agriculture, returned this morning from attending a series of Farmers' Institute meetings at Parkhill, Greenway, Mount Carmel, West McGilivray, and Ganderdyke, where he examined the classes in grain judging, and spoke on "Weeds" and "Grain Selection."

Mr. Frank Slinox, of Elgin County, gave addresses on "Intensive Farming" and "Alfalfa Growing." Mrs. Norman addressed the concurrent Women's Institute meetings in the afternoon and the evening meetings of the Farmers' Institute. The attendance at both institutes, Mr. Whale reports, was very much larger than last year.

SPECIAL GUARD FOR WILSON.

Washington, Feb. 22.—More than 1,500 special and regular policemen and detectives will guard the inauguration crowds during the induction of President-elect Wilson into office. Plans for this small army of protectors were completed today. Included in the total are 400 members of the special committee having the policing program in charge. These, among whom are many men prominent in society and official life, will be sworn in as deputies and given badges next Thursday. A new feature of the parade was announced today when it became known that Baltimore and the remainder of Maryland would send a delegation of several thousand marchers, all of whom will be decorated with the Maryland colors, orange and black, which are the same as those of Princeton University.

BEATEN TO DEATH

Negro Teamster Murdered On the Streets of Lynn, Mass.

[Canadian Press.]
Lynn, Mass., Feb. 22.—William Washington, a negro, was killed on Commercial street early today by two men who made their escape. According to Harry Brogan, who claimed to have seen the affair, and who notified the police, Washington was attacked without provocation. One man struck him in the face with his fists while the other beat him on the head with a heavy package.

Washington was a teamster, 35 years of age, and married.

The Duffy Malt Whiskey Company
ROCHESTER, N. Y.

INDIAN WAS FINED.
[Special to The Advertiser.]
Ailsa Craig, Feb. 22. — Dou
Charles, an Indian, was fined \$5
Squire Smith for being drunk
disorderly recently.

SIDE LIGHTS ON MANY SPORTS

Mutt Finds the Scenery Very Annoying



VICTORIAS BEAT NEW WESTMINSTERS

Evened Up for Defeat in New Westminster at the First of the Week—Final Score Was 8 to 1 in Dazzling Game.

[Canadian Press.] Victoria, B. C., Feb. 22.—Victoria swamped New Westminster here last night, the final score being 8 to 1. This is the most decisive defeat met with by any team in the Pacific Coast League this season. The New Westminster team is now clearly out of the running for the championship. Last night's game was very one-sided, even more so than the last game between them. The Victoria team broke through Westminster's defence whenever they liked. The Royal City players seemed puzzled by Victoria's bursts of speed.

Summary—First period—1, Dunderdale, Victoria, 2:23; 2, Dunderdale, Victoria, 4:45; 3, Patrick, Victoria, 5:24. Second period—4, Tobin, Westminster, 9:08; 5, Prodder, Victoria, 1:40. Third period—6, Dunderdale, 1:40; 7, Genge, Victoria, 1:13; 8, Poulin, Victoria, 6:23; 9, Patrick, Victoria, 16:23.

The lineup: Westminster—Lehmann, goal; Roehon, point; Johnson, coverpoint; Tobin, rover; McDonald, centre; Oatman, wing; Gardner, wing.

Victoria—Lehmann, goal; Prodder, point; Patrick, coverpoint; Poulin, rover; Dunderdale, centre; Rowe, wing; Genge, wing.

MONTREAL BALL CLUB WILL GO SOUTH SOON

Royals Are Getting in Shape for the Spring Training Trip.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Feb. 21.—The Royals will start training at Charlotteville in four weeks' time. The players belonging to the club at the present time are: Catchers—Burns, Madden, Murphy and McGovern; Pitchers—Smith, Matern, Dale, Mason, Burke, McGinnis, Fournier, Averett and Taylor; Infielders—Griggs, Luss, Cunningham, Pugh, Yeager, Esmond, Lennox, Elmer, Ode Cleghorn and Elmer Collins; Outfielders—Demmitt, Hanford, Gilhooley, Belcher and Irvine.

President Lichtenhein said today he expected to have as many as 35 men in the training camp.

"We look better than at this time last year, and our opportunities in the player market are more favorable. I am on very friendly terms with several big league clubs, and have their promise for first call on their surplus men. Two good pitchers and an outfielder are our needs before the season opens, the Royal's boss added.

PERTH SUSPENDED FOR PLAYING RINGERS

Used Some Montreal City Leaguers in Game With Smith's Falls.

[Canadian Press.] Montreal, Feb. 21.—The governors of the Interprovincial Amateur Hockey Union have suspended Perth, of the western section, and cancelled all the games played by them. It appears that the governors were advised that Perth tried to play ringers against Smith's Falls in a recent scheduled match at Perth. There was evidently a demonstration at the rink, as the admission money was demanded back by the visitors who refused to play against the ringers. Two good pitchers and an outfielder are our needs before the season opens, the Royal's boss added.

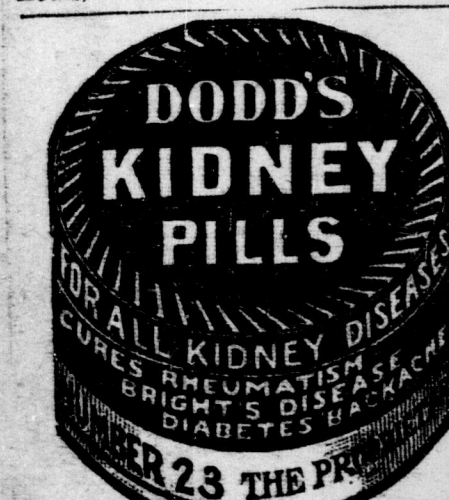
RALPH ROSE BREAKS HIS OWN RECORD

Weight-Throwing Records Were Broken at San Francisco Meet.

[Canadian Press.] San Francisco, Feb. 21.—In the annual open track meet last night of the San Francisco Olympic Club, two world's records were broken. Ralph Rose, the noted Californian athlete, raised his own record for the 18-pound shot put to 45 feet 5 1/2 inches. The former mark was 44 feet 1 1/2 inches. Pat Donovan of this city, threw a 56-pound weight a distance of 16 feet 7 inches, half an inch better than his former record.

Juarez Results.

El Paso, Feb. 21.—The races at Juarez today resulted as follows: FIRST RACE, six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up, selling—1, Camis, 2 Blue Bird, 3 Sprightly Miss. Time, 1:14. SECOND RACE, six furlongs, 3-year-olds, selling—1, Mother Ketcham, 2 Ardelon, 3 Fitzgerald. Time, 1:14 1/5. THIRD RACE, 5 1/2 furlongs—1, J. E. Robinson, 2 Ella Bryson, 3 Mona Canamann. Time, 1:07 1/5. FOURTH RACE, one mile, 3-year-olds and up—1, Hateras, 2 Dr. Dougherty, 3 Sepulveda. Time, 1:40. FIFTH RACE, six furlongs, 3-year-olds and up—1, Dominica, 2 Miss Jean, 3 Goldfinch. Time, 1:13. SIXTH RACE, one mile, 4-year-olds and up, selling—1, Acumen, 2 John Louis, 3 Flying. Time, 1:41 1/5.



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Charleston Results

Charleston, Feb. 21.—Following are today's race results: First race, 3/4-mile—1, Chilton King, 2 Polly Worth, 3 Ancon. Time, 1:18 1/5. Second race, 5 1/2 furlongs—1, Berkeley, 2 Martre, 3 Camellia. Time, 1:16. Third race, 5 1/2 furlongs—1, Progressive, 2 Amoret, 3 Chemulpo. Time, 1:10. Fourth race, 5 1/2 furlongs—1, Michael Angelo, 2 Dipper, 3 Harcourt. Time, 1:10 4/5. Fifth race, 7 1/2 furlongs—1, Haldean, 2 Blanche Frances, 3 Letourne. Time, 1:32 4/5. Sixth race, 2-year-olds and up, one mile—1, Effendi, 2 Jacqueline, 3 Fiel. Time, 1:45.

TEESWATER BEATEN IN LAKESIDE LEAGUE

Lost to Lucknow at Home in Fast and Exciting Game.

Teeswater, Feb. 21.—In a Lakeside League game here tonight Lucknow defeated Teeswater by a score of 7 to 3. Small and Thornton of the home team started. The lineup: Lucknow—Goal, McCuak; point, Johnson; cover, Hedley; centre, Allan; rover, McCoy; right, Millson; left, Malough. Teeswater—Goal, Thornton; point, Hiscox; cover, Small; centre, Arcott; rover, McDonald; right, Donahue; left, Grenache.

Referee—Thompson, Lucknow.

STONEHENGE TO BE SOLD

Famous Archaeological Relic May Be Bought By Americans.

[Canadian Press.] London, Feb. 22.—One of England's famous archaeological relics is Stonehenge, included in the Amesbury estate, belonging to Sir Edmund Antrobus, which is to be sold shortly by private contract. It is a condition of the sale, however, that the historic ruin shall be preserved to the nation, this stipulation effectively disposing of the oft-repeated rumor that American dollars were going to secure Stonehenge for the U. S.

Efforts are being made to induce the war department, which owns a large portion of Salisbury Plain, to purchase that part of the estate which includes Stonehenge and which adjoins the military training grounds. The government is said to be considering the proposal.

Dispatches From the Tunnel

LONG STEP FORWARD IN DEVELOPMENT OF LAMBTON

Organizations Amalgamated to Form County Board of Trade—Better Shipping Rates To Be Asked For At Once.

SARNIA BRANCH OFFICE, 209 Front Street, Office hours, 9 a.m. to 5:30 a.m., 3:30 p.m. to 5:00 p.m.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Feb. 21.—In the formation today of a new organization to be known as "The Amalgamated Boards of Trade of Lambton County," the most important step ever taken toward the general development of this district was successfully.

The new organization includes all the various development organizations in the county and will deal with all conditions of trade and industry with all the power that such a combined force will have.

The meeting was a most enthusiastic one and representatives were present from Alvinston, Forest, Thorndale, Arkona, Bridgford, Watford, Wyoming, Bridgen, and Petrolia. Each of the present trade organizations in these places will send two members to meetings which will be held every three months. In the meantime each local organization will put forth every effort toward booming Lambton.

Energetic Officers.

The election of officers resulted in the choice of H. F. Holland as president, and Johnson McAdams as secretary-treasurer. An executive will be formed, which will consist of one of the members from each town.

A keen discussion took place on the urgent need of better shipping facilities and the following resolutions were unanimously passed: "That, whereas, it has been brought to the attention of the amalgamated boards of the county of Lambton that other sections in Ontario are being furnished with express rates that are much lower than those here, and that, whereas, we feel that the development of Lambton along lines of fruit and vegetable production will be greatly retarded unless our growers are furnished with competing rates; therefore, it is resolved that the attention of the proper officials be called to this discrimination against our county; that they be requested to supply competing rates, and further that if these officials do not furnish these satisfactory rates, that we present our protest to the board of railway commissioners for action."

Moved by George French, of Sarnia, seconded by H. J. Pettypiece, of Forest. That as it has been brought to our attention that many parts of Canada are being furnished by the various railways with special commodity rates on certain lines of produce and manufacturing, and as the conditions that have brought about these special concessions elsewhere are existent in Lambton we request the various railways to furnish us with similar commodities upon such lines as our volume of business warrants. In failure to secure this the matter be taken to the railway commission.

"And, whereas, it has been brought to the attention of the board that the Northern Navigation Company proposes to increase their freight rates on various lines of fruit and produce, and as no valid reason has been given, and whereas, the present rates are in excess of the rates enjoyed by other lake ports to north points, and that the board does emphatically enter its protest against the increase on the following grounds:



The Juarez meeting will probably be extended to run into April. Sam Louis took Henry Hutchinson out of a selling race at Charleston for \$700. The stables at Miss Wilks' Crickston Farm, recently destroyed by fire, are being rebuilt.

Ching Hare announced at Charleston (about the Dufferin and Hillcrest circuit would open Aug. 1. Except the richest harness racing fixture in Canada this year will be the \$5,000 2:20 pace at Winnipeg. A London cable says: General Sir Evelyn Wood, at the annual meeting of the Essex Farmers' Stagbonds yesterday, said he had hunted with the pack since 1862—before most of the present-day followers were born.

JOHN E. MADDEN BUYS BALLOT, KEENE STALLION

Will Be Shipped From England to Kentucky Soon.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 21.—John E. Madden has bought from the James R. Keene estate the 9-year-old stallion Ballot, by Voter, which is now near Newmarket, England, but will be returned here and placed in the stud at Hamburg Place. He is the first thoroughbred horse imported into this country since the passing of the Hart-Agnew bill in New York. Ballot was a tremendously good racehorse, though he never was able to display his highest form in England. Several other breeders are associated with Mr. Madden in the purchase of Ballot, whose price is reported to be \$30,000.

AMERICAN WALKER EQUALS 1/2-MILE MARK

Schwartz, of Irish-Americans Travels Fast at Hartford Meet.

[Canadian Press.] Hartford, Conn., Feb. 22.—A Feature of the athletic meet of the naval militia in the armory here last night was the equaling of the world's outdoor record in the invitation half-mile walk by Schwartz, of the Irish-American A. C. His time being 3 minutes and 48 seconds. This establishes a new indoor record.

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"That, if the increases go into effect it will divert a large share of our county business to other points,

GATHERING DATA FOR NEW HYDRO SYSTEM

Engineer Jeffrey, of Toronto, Visited Many Manufacturers and Grand Trunk.

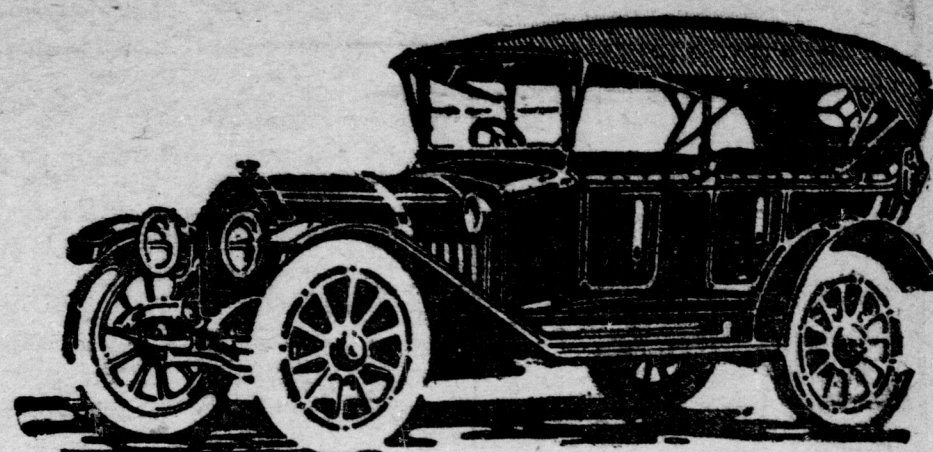
[Special to The Advertiser.] Sarnia, Feb. 22.—R. H. Jeffrey, the hydro-electric commission engineer of Toronto, is in Sarnia looking over the situation here and gathering data relative to the use of the Niagara power in this town. Mr. Jeffrey paid visits to the various manufacturing concerns throughout the city.

It is said that the industries throughout the town are favorable to the introduction of the power into Sarnia. A trip was also paid to the Grand Trunk powerhouse in Port Huron. This is the plant that furnishes the electricity for the tunnel.

Whether the Grand Trunk would consider using the power from the Falls if brought here has never been made public, although there has been considerable speculation along that line. It is understood that if hydro-electric does come here it will probably be

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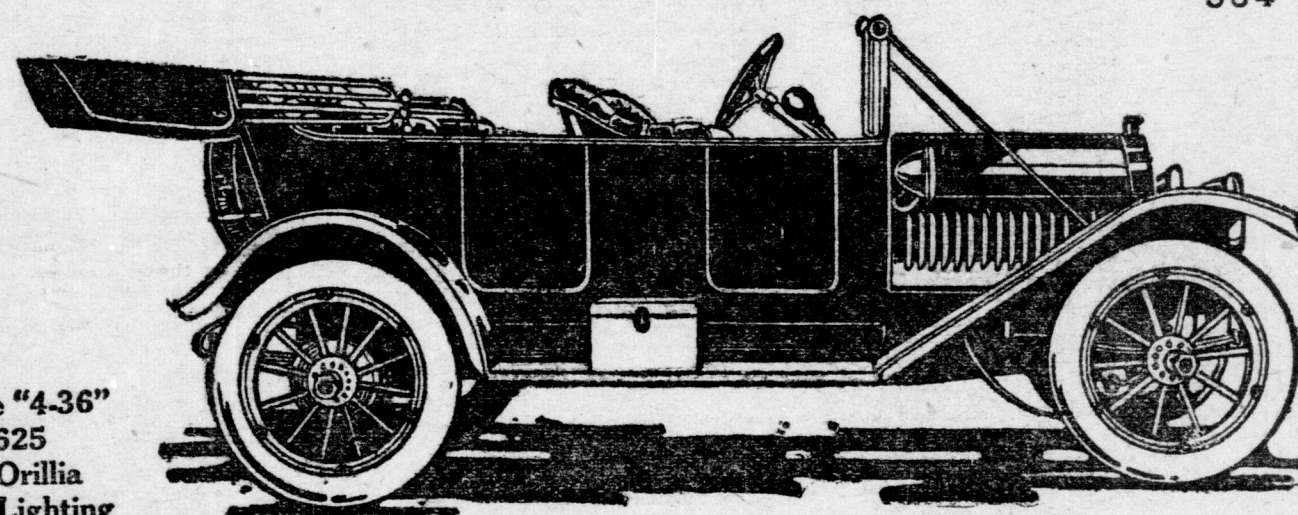
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[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Feb. 22.—The immense fields of ice in Lake Huron in this vicinity have been broken up by the warm weather of the last two days and the floating ice is coming down the St. Clair River. The stream is now filled with the drifting ice from shore to shore.

The sunshine and thaws of the previous days has so honeycombed and softened the huge cakes that the ferry boats plow through it without much difficulty. Occasionally it is necessary to dodge a cake in which the processes of dissolution have not set in, but it is not thought that if all the ice is of the same degree of softness as that coming down today, that the boats will be delayed in their schedule.

BOARD OF TRADE HELD ENJOYABLE BANQUET

Dr. C. O. Fairbank Urged the Importance of Securing Better Roads.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Sarnia, Feb. 22.—The annual banquet of the Sarnia Board of Trade, held at the Hotel Vendome last night, was a great success. Dr. Fairbank, of Petrolia, delivered a splendid address on the question of good roads. Mayor Bell gave an appropriate toast to "Visitors," which was responded to by Mr. Stirrett, of Petrolia. Leroy Gibb, of the Detroit Chamber of Commerce, gave a snappy talk on the value of publicity. Mayor Bell, of Port Huron, was not present, but Asa Brown, secretary of the Businessmen's Association in that city, spoke in his place.

Holland, manager of the local Bank of Toronto, and president of the Amalgamated Boards of Trade of Lambton, gave a good sound speech, and Dr. G. J. Grant, of Thorndale, spoke at some length. Taken altogether the occasion was most enjoyable and

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everyone enjoyed themselves. W. J. Hanna and Mr. Fardee were not present, but sent their regrets.

WILSON—GRANT.

[Special to The Advertiser.] Tilbury, Feb. 22.—Charles Wilson and Miss Grace Grant, both of Tilbury

East, were married yesterday by Rev. J. P. McQuarrie, at the home of the bride's brother, Charles F. Grant.

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BRILLIANT SCENE AT SECOND COURT

Great Display of Jewels and Most Striking Costumes.

[Canadian Press.]
London, Feb. 22.—The second court of the season held by the King and Queen at Buckingham Palace last evening was largely attended. The Queen wore gown of pale natter, with blue brocade and with a design in gold and silver, embroidered in silver. Her train was of gold and silver, with Indian crown ornamented. It was noticed how fashionable simple handfufs of flares have become. Many women carried clusters of orchids, roses, lilies or carnations. There was a great display of jewels and many striking costumes.

SHOT HER STEPSON

Western Woman Is Charged With Tempted Murder.

[Canadian Press.]
Edmonton, Alta., Feb. 22.—Mary A. Gush, who is charged with attempt to murder her 12-year-old stepson Akim Mogush, at Bashaw, Jan. 10, brought to Edmonton yesterday. Comptable Clifford, of the Royal N. M. P. The woman has been committed for trial and the case will come at Wetaskiwin next assizes. Prev to the shooting, it is alleged, Mrs. Gush repeatedly threatened the live her two step-children, of whom was insanely jealous, in a fit of reasoning anger, she willfully shot boy Akim, the bullet entering his forehead. She afterwards threatened the 8-year-old girl, with the same fate, but was prevented from committing the deed, and placed confinement. The boy's condition at first critical, but has since proved.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

SMALL OFFERINGS ON LOCAL MARKET

Slippery Condition of Roads Kept the Farmers at Home.

Owing to the slippery condition of the roads, the attendance at the local market today was smaller than that of the last six Saturdays. No hay, oats, wheat or straw were offered, as the roads made heavy traffic almost an impossibility. The lack of these offerings did not affect the market in any great measure, as the quantity sold during the early part of the week was large enough to satisfy the demand until the roads are in better shape.

The vegetable market was perhaps the largest section, but there were only a few changes in the quotations. Potatoes, which were quoted at 85c and 91c per bag on Thursday, were sold at 81c and 85c per bag today. The offerings were smaller than usual, only about four or five loads being sold. Cabbages, carrots, turnips and beans were in good supply, but the prices were unchanged.

Dairy Produce. The offerings of butter and eggs were small, but the prices did not change. Butter was sold from 27c to 28c per lb. on the square, and the price in the dairy hall was a few cents higher. The average selling price of eggs was 27c.

The quantity of butcher meats offered was also small, and the prices remained unchanged, despite the brisk demand. Dressing hogs were sold at 11c and 12c per cwt., and 12c per cwt. for the lightest.

Although the price of live hogs for the shipment on Monday was not announced, it will in all probability be the same as that which prevailed last Monday, 85c per cwt. The prices of hogs live and dressed hogs throughout Western Ontario have been exceptionally firm this week.

The prices were:

Grain, Per Cwt.		
Wheat, per cwt.	81 to 85	
Oats, per cwt.	10 to 11	
Barley, per cwt.	10 to 11	
Buckwheat, per cwt.	1.25 to 1.25	
Wheat, per bu.	5 to 5.5	
Oats, per bu.	3.2 to 3.5	
Barley, per bu.	3.2 to 3.5	
Buckwheat, per bu.	3.2 to 3.5	
Wheat, per doz.	40 to 40	
Potatoes, per bag.	1.00 to 1.05	
Carrots, per bu.	30 to 30	
Turnips, per bu.	30 to 30	
Beets, per bu.	30 to 30	
Onions, per bu.	30 to 30	
Cabbages, per doz.	40 to 40	
Carrots, per doz.	40 to 40	
Turnips, per doz.	40 to 40	
Rhubarb, per doz.	1.00 to 1.00	
Watercress, per doz.	40 to 40	

Hay and Straw.		
Hay, per ton.	12.00 to 12.00	
Straw, per ton.	8.00 to 8.00	

Dairy Produce.		
Butter, dairy, whole sale.	28 to 28	
Butter, fancy, lb.	28 to 28	
Butter, store, lb.	28 to 28	
Butter, creamery, lb.	31 to 31	
Butter, crocks, lb.	28 to 28	
Eggs, dairy, per doz.	30 to 30	
Eggs, fresh-laid, doz.	30 to 30	
Eggs, crate, whole sale.	25 to 25	
Eggs, crate, retail.	25 to 25	
Honey, strained, 10 lbs.	2.00 to 2.00	
Honey, sections, doz.	2.00 to 2.00	

Poultry, Dressed.		
Chickens, per pair.	1.25 to 1.50	
Chickens, lb. whole sale.	15 to 15	
Chickens, per lb.	15 to 15	
Old fowl, per lb.	11 to 11	
Ducks, per lb.	15 to 15	
Ducks, per pair.	1.50 to 1.50	
Turkeys, per lb.	22 to 22	
Turkeys, per pair.	22 to 22	

Poultry, Alive.		
Chickens, per lb.	12 to 12	
Ducks, per lb.	11 to 11	
Turkeys, per lb.	13 to 13	
Old fowl, per lb.	8 to 8	

Live Stock.		
Fat cows, cwt.	6.00 to 6.00	
Small pigs, pair.	6.00 to 6.00	
Select hogs, per cwt.	8.00 to 8.00	

Hides, Wool, etc.		
Cow hides, No. 1.	11 1/2 to 11 1/2	
Cow hides, No. 2.	10 1/2 to 10 1/2	
Cow hides, No. 3.	9 1/2 to 9 1/2	
Wool, unwashed, lb.	12 to 12	
Wool, washed, lb.	12 to 12	
Califskins, per lb.	12 to 12	

Meats.		
Lamb, per lb.	12 to 12	
Dressed hogs, choice.	11 1/2 to 11 1/2	
Beef, per cwt.	12.00 to 12.00	
Beef cows, cwt.	8.00 to 8.00	
Beef, young, cwt.	10.00 to 10.00	
Mutton, per cwt.	10.00 to 10.00	
Heavy hogs, cwt.	7.50 to 7.50	
Stags, per cwt.	2.00 to 2.00	

For Other Markets.		
See Page 9		

LIVE STOCK.		
CHICAGO, Feb. 22.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,200; market steady; beefs, \$8.75 to \$9.15; steers, \$8.20 to \$8.60; calves, \$9.00 to \$9.40; hogs, \$8.20 to \$8.60; market strong; light, \$8.20 to \$8.60; mixed, \$8.15 to \$8.55; heavy, \$7.95 to \$8.40; roughs, \$7.40 to \$8.15; pigs, \$8.40 to \$8.80; hams, \$10.00 to \$10.40; market steady; sheep, \$5.10 to \$5.65; yearlings, \$5.70 to \$6.15; lambs, natives, \$7.40 to \$8.85.		

HOLIDAY ON 'CHANGE.		
American stock exchanges are closed today in celebration of Washington's birthday.		

TORONTO STOCK EXCHANGE.		
18-21 to The Advertiser.		

TORONTO.		
Feb. 22.—Market prices today.		

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mies to health and
happiness that hu-
man beings know. Its
effects on the general
health are amazing.
And some people
suffer for years be-
fore they learn the
source of their trou-
ble. Be advised. You
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of examination will
tell if you do or not.
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said Uncle Eben, "is that a whole lot
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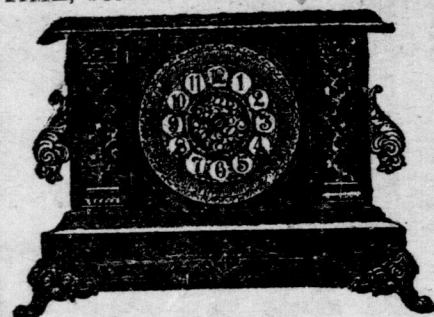
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LONDON AND DISTRICT

Death of Phillier A. O'Dell.

A former Londoner, in the person
of Mr. Phillier A. O'Dell, died at his
family residence, 1404 Hammond ave-
nue, Superior, Wis., recently, of par-
alysis, at the age of 79 years. He
was a brother of the late John F.
O'Dell, of this city, and removed from
here to Superior 22 years ago. At the
time of his leaving London he was
foreman of the Henry Green Lum-
ber Company, which position he had
held for a number of years. He had
been in poor health for a long time.
He is survived by two daughters,
Miss Minnie and Miss Addie, and one
son, Harry, all of Superior.

Second Lecture.

Professor Powys will give the second
of his course of six brilliant lectures,
under the auspices of the Woman
Teachers' Guild, in St. Andrew's Hall
on Monday evening, Feb. 24, when
"Keats: the Ecstasy of the Spirit," will
be the poet to be studied. The large
and delighted audience that greeted
Professor Powys last Monday night,
when he gave masterly and im-
mortal portrayal of Byron and his
poetry of passion and adventure, are
eagerly looking forward to the next
lecture, which promises to be a rich
literary treat. The revolutionary ard-
or and ethereal pantheism of Shelley
will be dealt with by Professor Powys,
who has in view not only the particu-
lar aesthetic qualities of the poets but
the fact that these poets were not in-
jured thereby. They are even banishing
peanut men from Detroit, and it may
come to this here. I believe the poor
man relatively spends locally more
money than the rich man. Your re-
sponse to be studied on the next five
consecutive Monday evenings.

CORRESPONDENCE

Re the Draymen.

To the Editor of The Advertiser:
As a drayman and a ratepayer, I
cannot understand what the city coun-
cil was about in banishing us to the
south of the track. We, as ratepayers,
used to stand on city property, and
larger ratepayers were not injured
thereby. They are even banishing the
peanut men from Detroit, and it may
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Latest Styles

Are being shown in millinery by Mad-
ame Allenby at 619 Richmond street.
Open evenings.

NEW C. P. R. SERVICE.

With the sailing of the "Rupenia"
March 20, and the "Tyrolia" April 17,
from Trieste, Austria, the Canadian
Pacific will have inaugurated an en-
tirely new service. These steamers,
which are large and well equipped in
every way, will sail direct to St. John
and Montreal respectively, and will
make regular schedule trips between
Trieste and Canada, direct, thereafter
monthly. The rates via the above route
are very low, when you consider the
fact that meals, berths, etc., will be
"Canadian Pacific Standard." To those
who have come in contact with the
Canadian Pacific Railway in any of its
numerous departments, the phrase
"Canadian Pacific Standard" is quite
obvious, but to the uninitiated it might
be explained as meaning the best ob-
tainable for the money. W. Fulton, city
passenger agent, corner Dundas and
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Taxicabs and Carriages for every
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Seventh Annual Sale of
Jewelry and Diamonds.
See tomorrow's announcement.

Eat More Bread

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and do better for it—for a
light stomach makes a clear
head.

TRY IT!

The lightest and most
palatable Bread is

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With one man's superior knowl-
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over every prescription, there is
reason to suppose less liability to
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personal standard. Every pre-
scription put up by us has the
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The quality of drugs is guaran-
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positive. The results are just
what the doctor has a right to
expect. So bring your prescrip-
tions to us and know the indi-
vidual care each customer gets.

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Chemists and Druggists,
216 Dundas Street, London, Ont.

LEAVING ARVA

Fred McClary and Family Given Send-
Off By Epworth League.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Arva, Feb. 22.—About 100 members
and friends of the Epworth League met
at the home of Mr. Fred McClary, con-
6, recently and had a most pleasant
time. Mr. McClary is moving to Ed-
monton in a couple of weeks, and the
league took this opportunity of showing
its esteem for himself and family. A
good program of speeches, recitations
and songs was given, in which the fol-
lowing took part: Mrs. Smibert, Misses
Elliot and Gibson and Messrs. Fortner,
Knapp and Westlake. Rev. Mr. Sal-
mon was master of ceremonies. Delic-
ious refreshments were served during the
evening.

ACCEPT OFFICE POSITIONS

Young People Enter Business
Life.

The following young people, trained
at the Westervelt School, Y. M. C. A.
Building, London, have accepted posi-
tions: Miss Leithridge, bookkeeper and
stenographer, Lake of the Woods Milling
Company; Mr. R. Lyons, office
clerk, G. Belton Lumber Company;
Miss Loney, stenographer, Mutual Life
Insurance Company; Miss Harmer,
bookkeeper, W. Boughner; Miss Spry,
stenographer, Meredith & Fisher; Miss
Bradish and Miss Graham (temporari-
ly), London Life Insurance Company;
Miss Farrarworth (temporarily), Benson
& Wilcox Company.

A course may be started at the Wes-
tervelt School at any time. Write the
principal for full particulars.

FAST SAWING

[Special to The Advertiser.]
Dressed Feb. 22.—A very interesting
sawing match occurred here yesterday.
Prizes of \$10, \$5 and \$3 were given
to the speediest sawyers. First prize was
won by Messrs. Price Brothers; second
by Abrams Brothers, and third money
by Smith Brothers.

Each pair of contestants was re-
quired to make two cuts through a 16-
inch beech log and Price Brothers made
the two cuts in 60 seconds.

DE JONG'S DUTCH COCOA.

One of the finest articles that has
come to the attention of the House-
keeper in the last few years is De
Jong's Dutch Cocoa. This product,
which is manufactured in powder form,
contains pure Cocoa only, and is rec-
ommended for its excellent qualities, as
well as for its simple and quick prepa-
ration, also especially for convales-
cents, children, and persons of weak
and delicate constitutions, it being so
easily digested.

De Jong's Dutch Cocoa is having
large and repeated sales in London
and Western Ontario, and is sold by
Messrs. T. B. Elliott & Co., Limited,
Wholesale Grocers, either in 10c, 15c
or 25c containers. A trial package
from your grocer will convince you of
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ROWAT'S COFFEE
Please people who
are particular.
40c per lb.
T. A. ROWAT & CO
250 Dundas St., Also South London.
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FOREIGN PROBLEM PERPLEXING ONE FOR CHURCHES

Different Denominations Are
Anxious To Be Responsible
for Spiritual Welfare.

Russian Teacher Representative
of All Branches May Be
Best Solution.

Rev. W. R. McIntosh in the Y. W.
C. A. Friday night, told of the difficul-
ties presented in the proposed cam-
paign for bringing the gospel to Lon-
don's Russian and Polish colony lo-
cated in the southeastern portion of
the city. No definite action was taken
and the matter was left over till a
future meeting.

According to Mr. McIntosh the prob-
lem is a complicated one, and will re-
quire skillful handling. The situation
has to be looked at from two different
standpoints, notably from the stand-
point of the foreigners and from the
point of the churches. The Russian
colony is in union with one
creed and denomination. The second
situation deals with the various re-
ligious denominations in London, each
of whom are seemingly striving for
the upper hand in gaining these people
for their own church.

No Jealousy Exhibited.

While no jealousy is being displayed
among the denominations it is mani-
fest that each of the churches will
present a claim for a portion of the
foreign population joining with them.
Certain portions of the creed of the
Russians and Poles make these dis-
tinctions in the religion of these peo-
ple a problem which is indeed puzz-
ling and will require a great deal of
careful arbitration among the churches
of the city.

The four religions of the Russians
in London have points of similarity
with others of much difference. The
first is the state church or known as
the Orthodox Greek Church. This
race has absolutely no belief in the
pope and are very caustic toward
ceremonies which introduce his name.

Retain the Ritual.

The Greek Catholics recognize his
holiness, but retain the Greek ritual
and doctrine.

The straight Catholics are the third
class, these chiefly being of Austrian
descent. The fourth is the independ-
ent Greek, whose tendencies are
largely Protestant, but who retain
still the ritualistic forms.

The four Protestant religions, all
present claims for these people. How-
ever, the Presbyterians, Methodists and
Congregationalists are unanimous in
unifying since their proposed basis of
union holds them as one denomination.
The Baptists and Anglicans are other
contenders, and each claim the religion
of the Russians leads closer to their
creed than any other.

Since the Methodists have been
working a great deal among the Poles
in other parts of Canada, they con-
sider the Polish population in London
should come under their jurisdiction.

Believe in Immersion.

The Baptists are immersionists, and
this is the type of religion which the
state church in Russia follows. Since
the Presbyterians were first on the
ground in London, and the Canadian
Presbytery is bringing out priests from
the old country, their claim is advanced
for these reasons. The Anglican ser-
vice is in accordance with their cere-
monies and services which strongly
appeal to them.

To produce, out of this complicated
tangle, a religion which is suitable for
all is the task which the Interdenom-
inational Young People's Society is
striving to perform, and with which
they are meeting many difficulties. Mr.
McIntosh declared that the only pos-
sible solution for the problem is for the
churches to drop their various distinc-
tions and turn their efforts toward en-
gaging a suitable man, one who will
preach the Gospel, and not adopt any
special form of service.

Native Minister Successful.

Mr. McIntosh stated that a Mr. Bur-
tis, a native Russian minister, spent
two days among them at New Year's,
and adopted a perfectly neutral de-
nominational position among them. As
a result the local foreigners were
greatly gratified, and were deeply im-
pressed by the services he held.
In regard to many of the people de-
siring the Catholic religion, Mr. Bur-
tis says they will not be interfered
with in the least. A great many of
them already do attend the Catholic
churches in London.
The matter will be more fully gone
into at a meeting to be held two weeks
later.

BELMONT PASTOR IS CALLED TO STRATHROY

Methodist Congregation Wants
Rev. A. E. Jones to Succeed
Rev. Mr. Graham.

[Special to The Advertiser.]

Strathroy, Feb. 22.—Rev. A. E. Jones,
of Belmont, has been extended a call
by the Strathroy Methodist Church, to
succeed Rev. Mr. Graham, who has been
called to Sarina.
A home social was held by the Ladies'
Aid Society of the Baptist Church at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. Evans, last
evening. The feature of the evening was
a debate upon the subject, "Resolved,
That Woman Has More Influence Than
Man." The affirmative was taken by
Mrs. McLachlan, Mrs. Murphy and Miss
L. Seatham, and the negative by Messrs.
N. Zavitz, N. D. Brown and I. Burk-
holder.
The building of the Strathroy uphol-
stering factory, which is to be torn down
this spring, was erected in 1874. It was
used continuously by the Episcopal
Methodists until about ten years ago,
when that body joined forces with the
Wesleyan Methodists. The building then
passed into other hands, and has been
since used for manufacturing purposes.
The structure, with its old style archi-
tecture, has a belfry and spire, the top
of which is the highest point in Strath-
roy, over 155 feet.

NEW APPOINTMENTS

Bishop Williams Has Made Several
Changes in the Diocese.

The Bishop of Huron has appointed
Rev. B. A. Kinder, of Gorrie, to the in-
cumbency of Leamington and Wheatley,
in succession to Rev. John Morris, who
has gone to the West. Rev. T. E. Whealen,
of Princeton, has been appointed to be
incumbent of the Anglican Church at
Dresden, in succession to Rev. George J. Avey,
who takes charge of the Kincaid
church. Revs. Kinder and Whealen will
occupy their new pulpits on the first Sun-
day after Easter.

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matic power.—Buffalo Courier.

Vigor and humor of characterization, together with an
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Philadelphia North American.

Good Tea

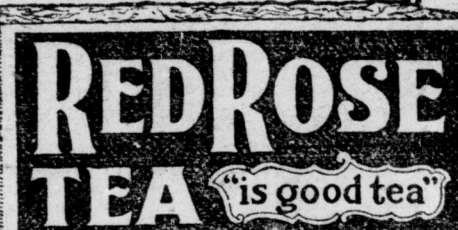
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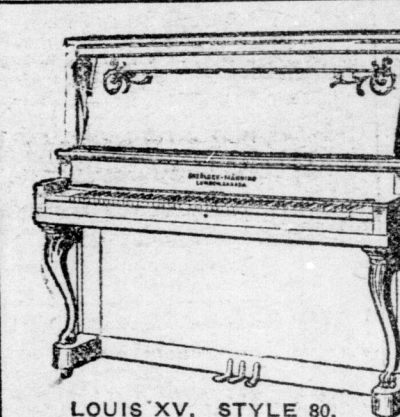
[Special to The Advertiser.]

Embros, Feb. 22.—The concert given
in Knox Church was a decided success,
and was thoroughly enjoyed. Rev.
Mr. Matheson occupied the chair. The
program was one of the best ever
heard in Embros. The singing by the
Schubert Male Quartette more than
pleased the audience. Miss Thompson,
of Listowel, rendered several solos,
most acceptably. Miss J. McIntosh, of
Woodstock, who is well known here,
delighted the audience with her read-
ings. Rev. J. A. H. McLean and W. R.
Osborne each delivered short addresses.
This concert concluded the anniversary
services, which were very successful
throughout.

APPIN.

Appin, Feb. 22.—Misses May and
Violet Crockett, of Toronto, are visiting
Mr. and Mrs. James Rosser.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles MacFee spent
Thursday in London.
Misses Ethel and Laura McAlpine
are spending the week-end in London.
Mrs. James Rosser entertained a
number of friends Thursday in honor
of the Misses Crockett, of Toronto.

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An Englishman
Who Came to the
County Penniless
and Won

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PRINTS

Englishman Who Came With No Capital Now Owns a Fruit Farm

Mr. A. Thompson Says Man Who Cannot Make
a Living Is No Good Anywhere—Sheer
Pluck Wins Success.

[By W. J. Bartlett.]
Lambeth, Feb. 21.—Ten years ago, Mr. A. Thompson, an Englishman, not content with the progress he was making in the old land, decided to try his luck in Canada.
He had heard something of the big things being done in the West, and as he had himself some experience in farming he became possessed with the idea.
Fortunately, however, he was not swallowed up in the great Northwest. An old countryman friend of his in Middlesex advised Mr. Thompson to settle here.
Came With Right Spirit.
And he came, a greenhorn, with no capital, but with a determination to succeed.
He hired to a farmer and found the conditions very favorable. The customs of the country were new to him, but he caught on and adapted himself to the new life.

Build Homes for the Hired Man Counsels Optimistic Englishman

To the Editor of The Advertiser.
I was greatly interested as to the remarks of Mr. W. J. Bartlett, which appeared in your Saturday's issue in reference to "Hired Help" in Canada. I am confident that if suitable dwelling houses were erected on Canadian farms for married men, suitable help would then be obtained from England, and from the county of Norfolk, where I was born and from which I came direct three years ago.
Previous to my settling here in this County of Middlesex I travelled through other counties, and indorse Mr. Bartlett's remarks that Middlesex is a "Grand County," the best in all Canada. I sincerely trust that the Greater Middlesex Association will be successful in obtaining the hired help as required, and meet with every success appertaining to their cause. Yours respectfully,
ERNEST POPE.
Delaware, Ont., Feb. 18, 1913.

Premier Asquith's Reply to Mr. Bonar Law Derides Latest Tariff Policy of Unionist Party

Says the Opposition Has Overdone Its Melodramatic
Malignity—Preference on Manufactures No Use
to Colonies—Significant Letter From Manitoba
Grain Growers Against Food Taxes.

Mr. Asquith recently addressed a meeting of his constituents in East Fife, Scotland. The gathering was held in the town hall, Leven, which was crowded to its utmost capacity, and the Premier received a great ovation. He said:
"Only two nights ago in the House of Commons, Mr. Bonar Law, in a speech, for him, exceptionally urbane, interjected as though it were the merest truism the remark—I have got it here—that no one of the ministers has a moment of time to think about anything except how they can continue in office for another year."
"According to their view, under this fettered regime from which a suffering people are yearning to be released, all laws human and divine are for the time being in abeyance, and the Empire is—or is going to be—falling to pieces, and things will go steadily from bad to worse unless and until the nation is clear-sighted enough to transfer the charge of its destinies to the cool, firm hands of Mr. Bonar Law. (Laughter.) Then, and not till then, will this black chapter in history close, and the fabled reign of Saturn will return."
"Dregs of Vituperation."
"I may observe, in passing, that whatever else we have been charged with, we have shown no indisposition to appeal to the country. Less than three years ago we had two elections in the course of twelve months, and under the parliament act which was passed last year, we deliberately shortened the term of life of the House of Commons from seven years to five, with the object that the appeals in the future may become even more frequent."
"When I hear and read this kind of rant, when I see the terrible strain which is being put day and night on the superlative degree, and that our fine and copious vocabulary of vituperation has already been drained to the dregs, I tremble to think what these gentlemen would find to say, what, indeed, there would be left for them to say, if we were discovered committing some serious offence than that of prosecuting with strenuousness and with success a policy obnoxious to our political opponents. (Laughter and cheers.)"
"But let me for a moment, and just for a moment, put aside by side the epithets I have culled—a few of the choicer ones—and the actual facts. Gentlemen, we are now in the eighth year of administration. (Cheers.) And how do matters stand? By universal admission our trade at home and over the seas was never so prosperous or percentage of unemployment in this kingdom so small. We have placed on the statute book the two greatest social reforms, measured by the extent of the relief which they give against the vicissitudes of life, which Parliament has ever enacted—the act for old aged pensions—(cheers)—and the national insurance act. (Cheers.)"
"We have made provision, in the face of growing difficulties and exigencies, for maintaining unchallenged the command of the sea, which is essential to our national and imperial life. (Cheers.) In carrying out these costly



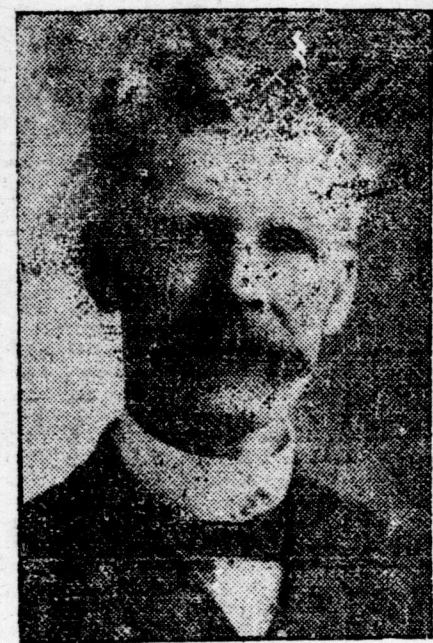
E. W. KELLY, an active participant in the work of advancing the Lambeth District.

DR. ROUTLEDGE FAVORS PUBLICITY

Land in Vicinity of Lambeth
Has Rapidly Advanced
in Price.

PRAISE OF NEW SOCIETY
Will Serve a Need the County Has
Long Felt, in His Opinion.

[By W. J. Bartlett.]
Lambeth, Feb. 21.—Exceedingly enthusiastic was Dr. G. Routledge on the future prospects of Lambeth. No man is better acquainted with the village and surrounding district. He has always taken an active interest in all agricultural affairs, and is an authority on horses, having raised the finest equines in Canada, bringing the name of Middlesex before the world as the banner county.
"We have a grand county," he stated, "and Lambeth will deserve a share in the great boom that is going on."
A Great Future in Store.
"The improvements made in the village are very remarkable, and I have every faith that a great future is in store."
"It is the prettiest spot in all Canada, and enthusiasts from the east and north say we have them beaten. Every stranger has a good word to say."
"We have three general stores, carrying everything needed; two churches, two large halls, blacksmiths, a grist and a sawmill and a cement block and tile yard."
Some of the Advantages.
"Then, again, we have the Bell Telephone, with free interchange, and no overcrowding of line; the roads are especially good, and water the purest. We have room for a canning factory here."
"With a C. N. R. line running through Lambeth, great things would come about. We are in the heart of a fine agricultural district that cannot be beaten anywhere in Canada for general farming, dairying or fruit growing. The value of farm land has gone up rapidly. Five years ago an acre was worth \$40. The same land is now up to \$125 per acre."
County Needs Advertising.
Dr. Routledge had some complimentary things to say about the Greater Middlesex Association. He is firmly convinced the county has suffered through lack of being judiciously advertised.
"The great Northwest has been built up through boosting. Let us follow their example," he concluded.



DR. G. A. ROUTLEDGE, Ex-M.P.P. of Lambeth.

CO-OPERATION THAT'S THE SPIRIT

In the campaign for the furthering of the interests of Middlesex County, The Advertiser does not propose to confine itself to the districts immediately adjacent to London.
Requests have been received from the Alisa Craig Board of Trade, the Coldstream Farmers' Institute, and from friends in Belmont and other localities. These various obligations will be gladly assumed in turn, and further communications in the matter will be gladly received.

A Threshing Scene at "Weldwood"



Middlesex County has one of the best of experimental farms in Weldwood, near Lambeth, conducted by the Farmers' Advocate. An advanced idea of agriculture is behind all the operations conducted on the place. Apple-growing is being steadily advanced, hundreds of trees having been planted recently.



W. T. ROBINSON, Partner in Lambeth Concrete Company, and One of the Community's Active Spirits.

The views of Mr. W. T. Robinson on Middlesex are of vital interest, owing to his having travelled all over the American continent and Canada.
"We have the finest county that's going," he stated, "and we should let the world know it. I am particularly proud of the village of Lambeth. I have lived here for thirty years, and it is the nicest spot I know."
"There will be a great boom here during the next few years. Eleven new houses were put up last year, and we expect sixteen more this season."
"We have room for a few businessmen at the present time, and if the C. N. R. comes through, things will move rapidly. We have a grand country around Lambeth."

MIDDLESEX LEADS SAYS EDITOR OF FARM JOURNAL

Mr. Allbright Says Need of
Pruning and Spraying Has
Been Demonstrated.

Experimental Farm "Weldwood" Conducted With
Great Success Near
Lambeth.

[By W. J. Bartlett.]
Lambeth, Feb. 21.—One of the greatest agricultural authorities in Canada is the genial editor of the Farmers' Advocate, Mr. Allbright. He has travelled all over the east and has closely studied the conditions.
In 1910 the proprietor of the paper purchased a 112-acre farm at Lambeth, which is run in the interests of its readers. Mr. Allbright lives on the farm, and directs operations.
Middlesex First.
"Middlesex comes first," he asserted, "of all counties for general agriculture, dairying and fruit growing. The soil holds fertility and is easy to work."
"The county is making a name for fruit production and the apples are not excelled anywhere in the Dominion."
"Orchardists must, however, give more attention to pruning and spraying to obtain the best results. Our

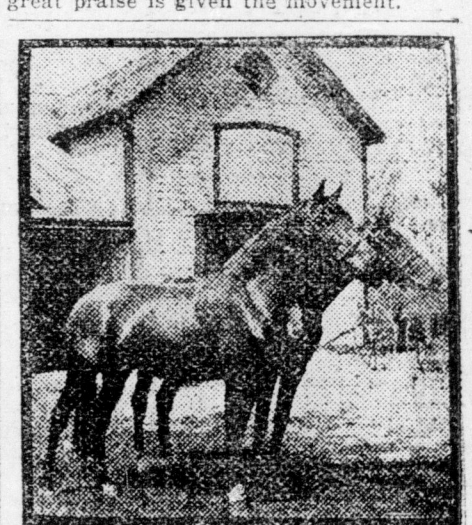
Live News From Middlesex

[By W. J. Bartlett, Advertiser Commissioner.]
Nail the colors to the mast, and Middlesex will win.
Prune your orchard thoroughly. Don't grow cordwood.
S. D. Dawson is delighted with the Greater Middlesex campaign.
Glencoe is a progressive village that has a great future ahead.
M. Laughton, Parkhill, is the kind of enthusiast Middlesex needs.
J. Sharrman, manager of the London branch Middlesex Fruit-growers' Association, has the right ideas to build up a Greater Middlesex.
The Advertiser recognizes no politics in boosting the county.
The Greater Middlesex Association pamphlet is nearly completed.
Springbank Park is one of the finest spots in Canada.
Middlesex leads the way; all others follow. No need to shoot off "hot air." The county DOES produce the goods.
Once upon a time the farmer was called "a hayseed." Now he is "the man."
J. J. Davies, Byron, is rapidly coming to the front. He is an Englishman who has made good in Middlesex.
This is the time for the farmer to plan his work for the spring.
The boom has spread to the towns and villages.
We have a golden heritage; let us make the most of it.
While apples were rotting in Middlesex last fall, the great Northwest could not be supplied. The Fruitgrowers' Association should remedy this.
Every township should be active in the movement to advertise the resources of the county. If you have any live news send it along.

BOARD OF TRADE HAS BROUGHT LAMBETH TO FORE

Radial Line Has Also Had
Enormously Beneficial Effect
Upon Village.

[By W. J. Bartlett.]
Lambeth, Feb. 21.—Of compelling interest is the remarkable progress Lambeth has made during the last few years. Indeed, the metamorphosis is complete. From a straggling, lifeless village, one of the most modern now stands in its place. And the cause for all this is not difficult to understand. The village is some five miles from London, and in the heart of one of the finest agricultural districts in Canada. It is a healthy spot, the water is the purest, and the good gravel roads make traffic the easiest possible.
But the greatest advantage of all has yet to be stated. Lambeth is linked with the London and Lake Erie Transportation Company, giving an hourly service in the most splendidly equipped cars, making travelling a luxury. Therefore many London businessmen, seeking a change from the stress of city life, have made their homes in the village.
Lambeth is distinctly fortunate in having such progressive men as Messrs. Garbutt, Earle, Anguish, Robinson, Routledge and House. They are live wires and boosting things right to the front. These gentlemen compose the Lambeth board



A Pair of Fine Roadsters, Sold by Dr. Routledge, to an American Millionaire.

Bonar Law Says He Has Not Hauled Down Flag On Imperial Preference

Explains Why He Wanted to Resign Leadership and
Why He Did Not Do So—Says Party's Policy
Is Perfectly Definite—Says the Colonies Have
Demanded Preference in British Market For a
Generation.

In the letter, to which our chairman has referred, to me by the Unionist members in the House of Commons they expressed, with a unanimity which I think, has never been equalled under similar circumstances, not only their adherence to the policy of imperial preference, but their determination to support our country, and to bring into practical effect, (cheers.) It is because that is the policy of the party, and it is also because we have behind us a united party in support of that policy, that Lord Lansdowne and I are still the leaders of the Unionist Party. Now, it would be easy to leave the subject where I have now put it, but if I were to do so, I should not tell quite the whole story, and I want to tell you the whole story since I spoke at Ashton. I have done something which at that time I did not intend to do, which I thought it was not possible that I should do. Lord Lansdowne and I had both realized at that time that the majority of our party were reluctant to have what are called "food duties" an issue at the next election, and we had realized that, if that was the feeling of the members of Parliament and the candidates who had to fight our battle, flying in the van in the Unionist army.

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Anglican Ladies Desire a
Voice in Church Vestry.
The Nomad Spins a Yarn.

WHAT EVERY WOMAN WANTS TO KNOW

Some Helpful Hints for
Every Feminine Reader.
Katherine Leslie's Chat.

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COMFORT SOAP

Called Most Beautiful American Woman



Since MRS. HUGH RONALD FRENCH attended the Southern Relief Ball in Washington recently, society at the capital has been raving over her beauty. A certain C. H. de Lyon Nicholls, who is going around the country promoting the Society of Colonial Cavaliers, pronounced her the most beautiful American woman he had seen.

Mrs. French was born in California. She is a daughter of former Postmaster-General Robert Wynn. Her husband, Captain French, is an officer in the English army.

WHEN MUSIC CHARMED

"Land sakes!" exclaimed Mrs. Bings, glancing over to the Merrimans' parlor windows. "At it again! 'Tis almost too much for a lone widow to bear," and the good lady paused long enough in the preparations for her lonely supper to listen to the strains of music coming from the house next door.

"The whole four of them youngsters seem to take turns keeping that piano going from morning 'till night, and if it isn't the piano, it's the violin, which is ten times worse. I'm sick to death of 'Day Dreams' and 'Sweet Genevieve,' and all them silly, warbling songs they sing nowadays. Just listen to that!" Being the only other animate object in the room besides Mrs. Bings, Plumper, the black cat, thinking himself addressed, purred sympathetically. He did not like music, either.

"To you beau-tee-ful lady I raise my eyes," sang a "Youthful Voice," while somebody rendered a most dashing accompaniment at the piano, and another "somebody" sounded vibrant notes—more often wrong than not—on a violin, until finally an "three ended with a rushing discord."

"What a racket!" said Mrs. Bings, in an exasperated tone, breaking a couple of eggs into a bowl and beating away at them, as if she had all the bother, some Merrimans and their music beneath her egg-beater. Here the somebody at the Merrimans' piano dashed off into an irresistible two-step, and the sound of a lively dance on the kitchen floor reached Mrs. Bings' ears. "How their ma can stand it beats me, but she seems to like their noise as well as they do themselves. I wouldn't wonder now if she was taking a step or two herself," and Mrs. Bings, adding a final dash of seasoning to her omelet, poured it into the waiting frying-pan. Plumper purred again.

"I do believe" (going to the window ostentatiously for the purpose of drawing the shade), "that she's going to play a piece for them herself. Surely she'll play something kind of sensible!"

It was the melody of an old-time waltz that presently stole through the walls of Mrs. Bings' old house, and penetrating into her very heart, seemed to awaken a long-forgotten echo there. She was young once more, and where? Oh, yes, at Ben Perkins' barn-raising, she remembered. John Bings led off the first dance with her and was so busy telling her how sweet and rosy she looked in her new chintz dress with the knot of pink ribbon at her throat, and she was so intent upon what he was saying that they took a wrong turn in the waltz, and everybody laughed at them. How handsome John looked, and when they were playing forfeits and it was his turn to kiss her, he didn't bore them all, but afterwards he—"Dear me, what's burning? The omelet, I declare and I don't seem to have the heart to make another," gasped the widow, coming suddenly back to reality.

The omelet certainly was burned to a crisp, even too much so for Plumper

to devour, and Mrs. Bings' meal consisted of bread and butter and some canned peaches.

The widow's dreams that night contained visions of quaint chintz dresses and burnt omelets and the sound of old melodies intermingled throughout. She and John, it seemed, were just starting off for a walk through a grassy meadow, where the birds were trilling the strains of "Money Musk," when all at once John became separated from her and somebody was calling "Fire! Fire!" The meadow and the song vanished, and suddenly she was enveloped by a dreadful cloud of smoke, so dense and thick and suffocating that her feeble cry for help sounded in her own ears like a whisper. Were all the omelets in the world burning up, she wondered? Then everything became a blank.

Everyone said that if the Merrimans had been Mrs. Bings' best friends they couldn't have treated her better at the time of the fire. How they worked, Father Merriman and Jack, helping the firemen remove what bits of furniture they could, while Mother Merriman and the girls tenderly cared for the poor widow in their home, and helped the doctor dress her burns. "After the way she grumbled at their music, too," said the People-Who-Like-To-Talk, and who actually seemed to resent it because the Merrimans acted neighborly. "Yes, and they say the Merrimans never touch the piano now, out of respect to her," replied the People-Who-Always-Have-an-Answer.

It was one day during her convalescence that Mrs. Bings appeared unusually thoughtful. She had borne her pain with a fortitude and cheerfulness that surprised all who knew her. "Somehow I can't help but be cheerful here with all these young faces around me, and everyone so kind," she told the doctor. And it was that night that Mrs. Bings gave the Merrimans a genuine surprise. "Can't some of you young folks give us a turn? There's that one about 'beau-tee-ful lady' and a dance piece, I used to hear you playing. Seems to me I'd like to hear them again."

Many of the newest large Jabots are composed of three or four different kinds of laces, cluny, French tulle, Irish crochet and shadow laces may be combined with good effect.

Daily Healthgram

LOCK THE DOORS OF THE brain when you go to bed. If this seems impossible study the state of the stomach. Probably it is the wedge which prevents the closing of the door. A light evening meal will very often remedy this condition.

Problems of the Fair Sex Solved by Cynthia Grey

[Correspondents are requested to make their inquiries as brief as possible, and to write on one side of the paper only. It is impossible to give replies within a stated time, as all letters have to be answered in turn as they are received. No letters can be answered privately.]

"The Heavenly Railroad."
Dear Miss Grey—In answer to your call for "The Heavenly Railroad," I send you all I can remember of it. I am not quite sure that there were no more verses, as the remembrance dates back 53 years. Hoping it may help, I sent it.

MRS. S. L.
A.—As usual a kind reader meets the request for this poem by furnishing a copy. If my correspondent who wished it will now send me her address, I shall forward it at once.

"The Only Girl at Home."
Dear Miss Grey—I'm the only girl at home, and 24 years of age. I am discontented with my present fortune. My parents are very old, so I have to stay close at home, and always have lived in a lonely place. My highest ambition is to learn to be a musician. I am learning to play—have only taken ten lessons. I would continue by lessons if I could take them regular, but live too far from my teacher. Now, what troubles me, is I think I could learn so much faster if I could stay with my teacher, as she wants me to, and help her with the work to pay for my lessons. I think if I could stay one month this winter it would help me so much. As we are not so busy at home, my mother wouldn't have so much work to do. So please tell me what to do. Shall I give up my music entirely, or divide my time?

A WORRIED GIRL.
Answer.—Your first duty is to your aged parents. It would be most unfair for you to leave them alone. You really do not need to leave home to make progress in your music. The practicing is the thing that counts in music, and this you could do at home to much better advantage than if you were out there. Such arrangements as you would be expected to pay for your lessons with work. Such arrangements as you would be expected to pay for your lessons with work. Such arrangements as you would be expected to pay for your lessons with work.

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Dear Miss Grey—In reading your advice I think that you could help me in my tale of woe. I am a young man and have been going with her for about one year. I like her company, and she seems to like mine. Now this young lady is going to leave town, and perhaps to stay away for the rest of her days. I am not sure, but I do not like to drop her. Therefore I write to ask you whether it would be proper for me to correspond with her. H. B. W.

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Little Girl Is Victim of Devilish Cruelty of Science

She Is Dying a Lingering Death From Tuberculosis, and the Doctors Who Might Save Her Are Letting Her Die Just Because of a "Scientific" Quarrel.

[By W. G. Shepherd.]

Staff Correspondence.
Berlin, Feb. 21.—I've been seeing "science" at close range—medical science, of which Berlin is the world's centre—and it's a pretty sight. It seems to me that "science," though the kindest human thing we know, is also the most heartless.

Here's a true story of a little girl in Berlin, who is feeling the cruel power of science, as her mother, Mrs. George Seewald, told it to me:

"My two children, Martha and George, both got tuberculosis. It appeared in Martha when she was 4 years old. Now she is 8, and she has had tuberculosis of the bone and flesh for four years. When little George was 4 years old the disease appeared in the glands of his throat. The doctors could do nothing for them.

"Dr. August Bier, a famous physician, had charge of their cases. One time Dr. Bier left the city for a while and Dr. Friedman came to the clinic and gave George an injection of his new medicine for tuberculosis. WITHIN TWO MONTHS GEORGE WAS QUITE WELL, and there was only a clean, healed scar on his neck where there used to be a running sore.

"When Dr. Bier came back to Berlin he saw what had happened to George, and he wrote a letter to Dr. Friedman, asking him to give the medicine to Martha also.

"Before doing so Dr. Friedman went to talk to Dr. Bier about Martha's case. I don't know what they said to each other, but Dr. Friedman told me that Dr. Bier said to him, very haughtily, 'You give the little girl your medicine, and if you don't cure her, I will.'

"Then Dr. Friedman answered, 'I will not give her the medicine, if you say YOU can cure her, and went away. And ever since then two men have been quarrelling between themselves, and Martha is getting worse all the time.'

I went to Dr. Bier myself, and also to Dr. Friedman, about Martha.

Dr. Bier said simply, 'I will not admit that if Dr. Friedman cures Martha, his medicine is a cure for tuberculosis. Even if FIFTY patients, under Dr. Friedman, recovered from tuberculosis, that would not be scientific proof that he had found a tuberculosis cure.'

Dr. Friedman said to me: 'It is too bad, but I will not treat the little girl until Dr. Bier sends me a written statement, over his own signature, that he cannot cure her. Dr. Bier is the chief obstacle to the progress of my remedy, and he must be removed.'

"But suppose the little girl dies?" I said to Dr. Friedman.

"It is Dr. Bier's case," he replied.



Little Martha Seewald, whom the doctors are allowing to waste away with tuberculosis—note tubercular sores on her right hand and George, whom Dr. Friedman is said to have cured.

Martha's right arm is being slowly eaten away by tuberculosis. She plays with its rattle and does not suffer much pain, but she is doomed to a

living death—unless the quarrel between the two scientists is soon ended. Martha is a tiny little bit of humanity, caught between two mill stones of science—one guinea pig in a laboratory, dying of disease; one dog, being cut to pieces alive by scientists.

One little girl being consumed by tuberculosis—what does she matter in the great war that science is making against disease? The few must suffer

SIR SYDNEY OLIVIER CHOSEN TO REVIVE BRITISH AGRICULTURE

When Mr. Balfour was still in the limelight, it was customary for politicians to refer to him as a very clever philosopher, and for philosophers to speak highly of his accomplishments as a politician. Both philosopher and politician were, of course, correct, and each made use of an old trick of dialectics in praising one side of Mr. Balfour's character in order to belittle, or at least to minimize, the other. The Daily Mail adopts the device when, in referring to Sir Sydney Olivier's appointment as secretary of the board of agriculture, it describes him as a musician, poet, dramatist, and essayist, and omits all reference to his long career as a political administrator. The Daily Mail is, of course, fully aware that the arts are merely a side issue in the life of Sir Sydney Olivier, but, even supposing that his list of his accomplishments were complete, I should not regard it as proof positive that his appointment to the board of agriculture was based on the indictment would amount to no more than this—that he is a man of imagination. Now, if there is one British industry that, above all others, has suffered from a lack of imagination in the past, and that needs it more in the present, it is agriculture; and that a man of imagination has at last been found to tackle the problems is far from being an evil portent.

It is important to consider what are Sir Sydney Olivier's qualifications for the task that is before him. It may be admitted at once that, though the son of a country parson and the grandson of a country squire, and though he has resided for the greater part of his life away from the din of cities, he is not a farmer or practical agriculturist in any sense of the term. I don't suppose for one moment that he would be able to give you reliable advice on the rearing of orphaned colts, or the preparation of manures, but, on the other hand, there are few men living who have had greater experience of the organization and finance of agriculture as an industry. From the day in 1882 when he left Oxford, with a brilliant record as a student of economics, down to the present day, his whole official career, whether as clerk in the colonial office, or as secretary to the colonies, or as secretary to royal commissions or governor of Jamaica, has been spent in solving the problems that arise in purely agricultural communities.

Land and Peasantry. It is not too much to say that the policies which have changed the West Indies in the course of the last few years from derelict communities of unemployed laborers to prosperous communities of peasant proprietors have been almost entirely due to Sir Sydney Olivier's inspiration, and carried out under his control. It would be the worst quibbling to point out that there are differences between the West Indies and England, and that the methods that have succeeded in the one place will not necessarily succeed in the other. That is obvious. The real point to be considered is that the problem is the same in each case, and that the methods that have succeeded in the one place have been applied in the other. That is obvious.

A Weak Spot. All these things require a man of powerful mind, of trained administrative capacity and of financial ability, and in Sir Sydney Olivier the Government have acquired the man for the job. He is, however, unfortunately, a man whose success in life will often depend as much upon his manner as upon his abilities, and here we touch upon the weak spot in our subject's character. He is, in fact, he is liable to ride roughshod over opposition, and he makes no attempt to conciliate his foes. The British agriculturist will complain of his apparent aloofness—not recognizing it as a mere form of shyness that a life-long struggle has not sufficed to shake off. Above all, in public life and in public office, he is not a man to be trusted for he does not suffer fools gladly, he looks to a man to be efficient in his job, whatever it may be, and he will give no place to poor relations or disappointed political candidates.

A Fabian Musketeer! His attitude towards democracy, too, will probably arouse opposition. In his younger days he spent Sunday after Sunday with George Bernard Shaw and Sydney Webb—the three Musketeers of Fabianism, as G. B. S. has dubbed them—in going around the workingmen's clubs of London preaching socialism. The result of his experience was to make him almost despair of the workingman, and to produce in him the conviction that the workingman requires to have a lot done to him before he will be capable of doing much for himself. But after all, it was the same Sydney Olivier who made such an impression upon the people of Jamaica, that when that island was devastated by earthquake and their capital destroyed by fire, he petitioned the Government, as with a voice—bishop and banker united for once—to send him out to them as their governor. And what happened in Jamaica, may possibly happen in England when his honesty of character and purpose come to be recognized—but I am afraid he will have to live a very long time for that.

The Man. Personally, Sir Sydney Olivier is a magnificent figure of a man—tall, broad, and strikingly handsome. His affectation is to dress invariably in the shades of brown—probably because they suit him as nothing else would. He is a man one would instinctively turn to look after in the street. His tastes are catholic, and it is at least questionable whether he does not regret that literature is with him a hobby and not his life-purpose. When in England he was a frequent contributor on literary matters to the

Music Cure For Baldness

Violin and Double-Bass as Hair Preservers—M. de Parville's Theory.

"If you are bald, learn the violin," is one of the morals to be drawn from some startling statements made by M. Henri de Parville, quoted in the Musical News.

M. de Parville's line of reasoning is that, as music exercises a manifest action upon the nervous system, which itself affects the nutrition of the bodily tissues, it seems reasonable to conclude that, in a general way, music has an influence upon the physiological individuality.

Musicians, it appears, are bald in the proportion of 11 per cent., but among instrumentalists the influence of musical vibrations make themselves felt in two opposite directions, according to the class of instrument.

Thus, while string instruments prevent and arrest the falling off of the hair, the brass instruments exercise the most deadly influence upon the scalp. The piano and the violin, especially the former, are said to have a preservative effect. An undeniably preservative effect, M. de Parville says, M. de Parville, have an Ysaye-like head of hair. The violoncello, the harp, and the double bass all partake of the beneficial effects of the piano; the oboe is inferior to the double bass, while the clarinet and the flute have but a very slender effect, and towards one's fiftieth year the hair begins to thin very perceptibly.

On the other hand, the effect of the brass is deplorable. The cornet and the horn despoil the most hirsute man of his locks with surprising speed and certainty.

The trombone, however, is the most deleterious of all, for in five or six years the player had lost at least 60 per cent. of his hair. This disagreeable result is known as "Fanfare Baldness," because the evil particularly punishes regimental musicians.

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Whimble—"Isn't Gumble's light-haired wife pretty extravagant?" Gumble—"You bet. He calls her his blondest indebtedness."—Life.

"I'll tell me big brother on you." "Aw, me big sister kin make him jump through hoops, see?"—Washington Herald.

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England's Most Beautiful Japanese Garden Built and Maintained by an American

Stands on Site of Nonsuch Palace, Where Earl of Essex Was Summoned by Queen Elizabeth on His Return From Ireland.

The most beautiful Japanese garden in England—and, probably, in the world, outside of old Japan itself—nestles gloriously at the foot of the hill where once stood Nonsuch Palace.

The name of "Nonsuch" is sufficiently fanciful as to conjure up visions of goblins and golden-haired princesses, or even of Pilgrim's Progress. Yet it was to Nonsuch Palace that the headstrong Earl of Essex was summoned by Queen Elizabeth on his return from Ireland.

It was at Nonsuch—the ruins of which now crown, odd islands, whimsical Jap bridges, and rose temples that once graced Tokio itself—that Essex was placed under the arrest which ended in his execution.

It was from Nonsuch that Queen Elizabeth fled, after the death of Essex, was placed under the arrest which setting sun reflected on the palace windows made her think it was afternoon. Others said it was for fear of the ghost of betrayed Essex.

Charles the Second found Nonsuch Palace so handy that he installed in it Barbara, the beautiful Countess of Castlemaine, and Duchess of Cleveland, and constructed a secret subterranean passage between the palace and his own palace in London—a distance of

eleven miles. Traces of this pioneer subway still exist.

For reasons which history does not clearly recount, the Duchess of Cleveland caused Nonsuch Palace to be demolished, and so ended the pretty plans of that moral ruler, King Henry, the Eighth, who had erected the original structure as a country retreat, probably with a view to accommodating a few more wives.

Built on Historic Ground.

In the beginning of the last century, Thomas Calverley built Ewell Castle, at the foot of the slope, and in the grounds where Henry the Eighth, Elizabeth, and the Stuart monarchs had held "Nonsuch" Palace. The name of Ewell because that is the name of the pretty old world Surrey village that surrounds it, and where once lived the retainers of the royal merrymakers.

About five years ago Ewell Castle, with its priceless traditions, its ruins of Nonsuch Palace, and its broad acres

Pretty Japanese Garden.

Ingeniously constructed lakes now teem with rainbow trout and big (golden carp of the Japanese variety). Japanese duck quack their merry way across the waters, regardless of the frowning shades of Elizabeth and Charles, who always were opposed to foreign invasions. The lawns are full of Japanese flowers, shrubs, plants and trees. Umbrella-shaped bamboo shelters dot the banks.

An Oriental boat cave shelters a punt and a canoe, a Japanese tea-house, with many windows, crowns an island. Goldfish go tumbling down the cascade, past the rockeries, and into the deeper pools, where the trout take frightened glances at the solemn Japanese stories that stand sentry on the bank—stories that are really yew trees, clipped and cut so as to deceive the shortsighted. Here there is a terraced walk with sixteen feet of water—fine for a good swim—running by its side. There are

"YOU JUST WAIT TILL I GET YOU HOME."



went the way of most historical English places. It was bought by an American.

The purchaser, Capt. Clarence Weiner, of Philadelphia, a graduate of Harvard University, not only renovated the castle, but conceived an idea which would have done credit even to that artistic soul, King Charles the Second. He determined to make a Japanese garden second to none in the world.

The octagonal turret and embattled parapets of Ewell Castle looked out over well-ordered lawns and fields that slope gradually up to the old Nonsuch banqueting hall. This once unbroken bill of green is now channeled by winding streams, and decked with all the variety of a perfect Japanese garden.

To accomplish this the expert assistance of a landscape architect was obtained for many months from the Japanese Government. Stone and wood were brought from over sea. The work was slow and cost many thousands of dollars. Today it is complete, and Ewell Castle, alone of all the English castles, now is fronted by a Japanese garden. Beyond it, and looking down upon it, are the ruins of Nonsuch Castle.

rose temples, there a Japanese bath-house, here a Japanese sun dial, from which you shall never tell the time.

Cheek by jowl with this eastern fairland are the modern necessities—a tennis court, a polo ground, hot-houses galore, an up-to-date farmyard. In the background the glorious copper-hued beech, the spreading chestnut and the oak. Surrey at its loveliest, yet only eleven miles from London! Twenty-five minutes by automobile from the House of Commons.

The opportunities for combining country with town life, in these days of the automobile, especially in such places as Ewell, which lies to the south of the automobile, especially in such a sale migration of society.

Ewell, for instance, which is several miles nearer to the metropolis than Epsom, where the Derby is run, might as well, for rural loveliness, be a hundred miles from town. Here people find they can spend a day golfing, hunting or shooting, dine in town, go to the play, have supper and get home by automobile almost as early as they would if they kept up huge city homes.

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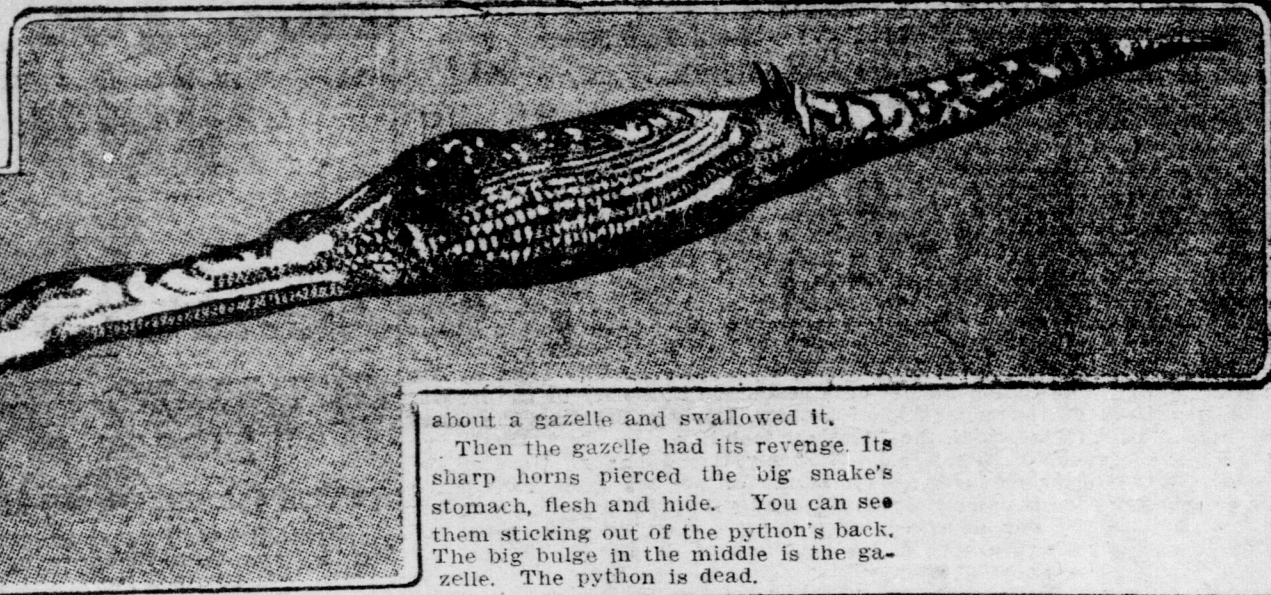
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This 16-foot python glided silently from its jungle home, twined itself



about a gazelle and swallowed it. Then the gazelle had its revenge. Its sharp horns pierced the big snake's stomach, flesh and hide. You can see them sticking out of the python's back. The big bulge in the middle is the gazelle. The python is dead.

Germany's Strange Criminal Run Down at Last

Murderer, Yet Lover of Children and Pigeon-Fancier—Had Eluded Police For Years—How He Was Discovered.

In the pretty valley of the Oder, above Oderberg, a valley whose most prominent landmark has received the name Pimpfner Hill from its flower-loving inhabitants, there is a village called Pilsener, which assembles weekly in the timber-built inn to discuss over a plot of Pilsener and a pipe the affairs of the village in much the same order as those affairs would take in a local newspaper if there were one. Births, deaths and marriages come first, with a word for the latest godfather, Herr Gross, the Children's Friend; then the question of war or peace in the spring; then the new road to the station (a matter of four miles or so); and, finally (which is the real purpose of the gathering) the village-shaking question of the black rabbits and foreign water-pigeons introduced by the grave and lovable president of the club, ex-Miller Otto Gross.

It is regrettable that Mr. Otto Gross could not be present to receive the congratulations due to him on his success at the county show, but in his absence, why, the least that can be done is to order another pint of Pilsener and drink the health of the friend of all children and doves.

Who is that at the door? This is a private session, strangers not admitted; besides, everybody in the village knows the honorable club is in session, and no one would dream of intrusion. The door flies open, and on the threshold stands the chief of the local gendarmie with a smart Berlin detective and two Frankfort police.

"The hubbub ceases; and out of the confusion develops the drone of the police commissary's voice explaining in pitiless official monotone the truth that the grave and lovable president of the pigeon-and-rabbit-fanciers' club, the ex-miller, Otto Gross, is none other than August Sternickel, murderer and fugitive."

A third-class reserved carriage on the railway from Wriezen to Frankfort-on-Oder. The pigeon-fancier sits in the middle between two policemen. In the corner, by the window, is a commissary, with fountain-pen and note-book; opposite the prisoner is a detective. The detective, holding a file of papers and photographs—a little yellow at the edges, and showing file-marks. He holds out to the prisoner first an enlarged print of a dactyloscopic measurement taken the previous day; then he places by its side a similar enlargement taken nine years ago at Striegau. Patiently the detective follows the whorls and lines with a fine style, and shows the prisoner how line by line the marks correspond. "You are Sternickel!" the detective says; "the lines prove it." "The lines correspond," says the pigeon fancier, then shuts his weak mouth and will answer no more questions.

The detective proceeds to detail the two crimes, that of yesterday and that of the yellow parchment. First there is the murder with the thick axe, then there is the one case the burning of the mill, in the other the burning of the hay-rick, in both cases the object being to destroy the corpses.

Then he records the evidence of 1905, Sternickel, it states, recorded, was wont to spend all his money in pigeon-breeding and in crossing breeds of rabbits. Sternickel had one finger bent and dwarfed. "You are Sternickel!" repeats the detective, pointing to the pigeon-fancier's withered finger. Still the prisoner refuses to answer. He will not deny, but he will not confess.

Nasse shuts up his papers, looks the little bag in his hand. Suddenly a thought seems to strike him. From his pocket he draws a case of cigars and a matchbox, lights a cigar, and hands one silently to the prisoner. The pigeon-fancier looks quickly up, then the head droops; and suddenly, half in a whisper, comes to the confession, "I am Sternickel! And it's all up with me."

It is night in the inner office of the central police station at Frankfort. Ever since dusk, when Sternickel was driven from the station through a crowd that at first strove to storm the police van and afterwards contented itself with shouting "lynch him!" Sternickel, the remorseless inquiry has proceeded. Prisoner and interrogators alike are completely exhausted; and still the inquiry proceeds, still the stenographer adds sheet after sheet to the record of the pigeon-fancier's amazing confession of crime in almost every part of Germany. The horror of his now cold-blooded account turns even the police commissary sick, and when on the stroke of three the prisoner is at last led away limp and alive.

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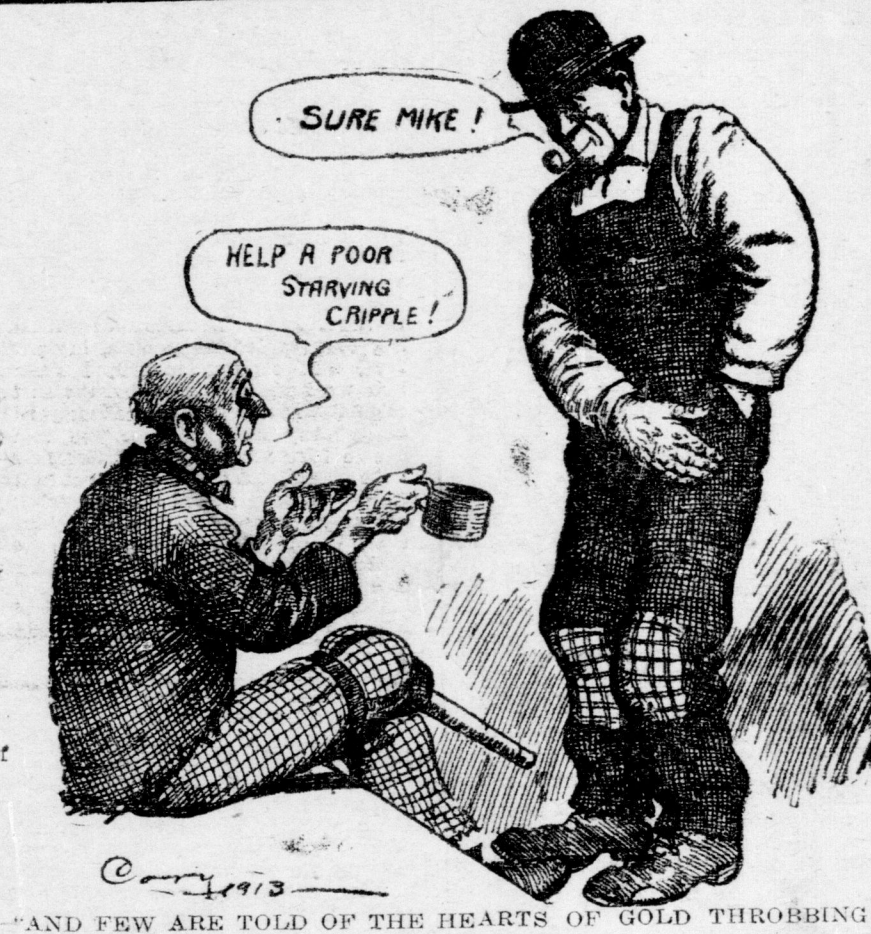
PEOPLE ARE PRETTY GOOD PEOPLE

By Berton Braley and J. Campbell Cory.

People are pretty good people,
Taking them all in all,
You can find a good spot in the worst
Of the lot.
(Often it's very small).
But most of 'em go on trying,
Doing the best they can.
I haven't a rap for that hard-working
Chap.
The average human man.

People are pretty good people
Trying hard to be kind,
And the wrong they do—except a
few—
Is just because they're blind,
Blind and bothered and busy,
Harried by toil and strife.
For work and fret is the game they
Get,
All of the years of life.

They do good deeds in silence,
Hiding their love away,
And few are told of the hearts of
gold
Throbbing in mortal clay.
The hearts that always answer,
Hearing the rightful call—
People are pretty good people,
Taking them all in all!



"AND FEW ARE TOLD OF THE HEARTS OF GOLD THROBBING IN MORTAL CLAY."

CAPTAIN RAWLING'S STORY OF NEW GUINEA PYGMIES. EATERS OF HUMAN FLESH

Discovery of a New People—Prefer Human Beings to Pigs for Dinner—Clubs of the Stone Age—A Filthy Country.

"The Land of the New Guinea Pygmies." By Capt. C. G. Rawling, C. I. E., F. R. G. S. Illustrated. Seeley, 16s net.

It is a rare achievement in these days—it will soon be an impossible one—to discover a new people. Capt. Rawling's expedition which set out in 1909 under the auspices of the British Ornithological Association to explore those parts of Dutch New Guinea which lie in the neighborhood of the Snow Mountains, will always be remembered for having introduced to us a hitherto unknown race of pygmies, the pygmies of Tapiro Mountain. On the whole, we cannot wonder that New Guinea is still able to boast of great tracts of virgin country for the explorer. Reading has convinced us that even the South Pole must be a more inviting region.

The rains are incessant. During the first year he and his companions spent in the country, he tells us, they rarely knew what it was to have dry clothes.

"Heavens, how it rained! Wollaston took the trouble to keep an account of the wet days, and found that during the first year rain fell on three hundred and thirty days, and on two hundred and sixty-five days was accompanied by thunder and lightning. Was there ever such a streaming land?"

Then there are the swamps and the impenetrable jungles—swamps of unconscious humor, the members claiming that human flesh is preferable to that of pig, as, no matter what quantity is eaten, the former never induces indigestion.

None the less, the natives, though they never invited their visitors to any man-killing gathering entertained them to a rather lurid pig-killing festival, in which two boars were loosed from a hut and slaughtered by a crowd of savages.

"In the case of one tribe this gruesome custom is not without a touch of unconscious humor, the members claiming that human flesh is preferable to that of pig, as, no matter what quantity is eaten, the former never induces indigestion."

On the other hand, the pygmies seem to belong in culture to the Stone Age, or even earlier.

nooses, placed themselves on either side of the hut, within which the pigs were confined, and at a given signal the animals were driven forth, successfully overpowered and trussed, their snouts tightly bound and chains thrown into their faces and eyes. With a man seated astride each animal, and to the accompaniment of loud wails from the women, they were lifted shoulder high, carried to the place of slaughter and lashed to the platform.

"The executioners, with their clubs, took up position, while the audience, numbering some 200 souls, crowded closely around, and as the rain of blows fell, drowned the squeals of the victims by yells and the beating of drums. Death must have been instantaneous, but the basting continued until the carcasses had ceased to quiver, when for quite five minutes the entire audience gave itself up to unrestrained wailing and gnashing of teeth the women hugging and clasping the carcasses in their unnatural grief, while the air rang with shrieks and tears poured down every cheek."

Was this all a substitute for some older human sacrifice?

We follow with the closest interest every step of Capt. Rawling's journey, but, naturally, we find the chief absorption in the chapters on the pygmies whom he discovered in Tapiro Mountain. These pygmies, whose average height is 4 feet 8½ inches, in contrast to the 5 feet 6½ inches of the ordinary Papuan, are in at least two respects superior to their larger neighbors. Their architecture is better, and they count better.

"The plainmen from the foothills to the sea have words to denote the first and second numerals only, any addition to that number being shown by the fingers of the hand, and if these are insufficient, by including the toes. According to Grant, who questioned some of the men who visited his camp on the Kapare, the pygmies can count up to ten, a considerable advance in intelligence."

Obviously clothes are not considered quite respectable in pygmy land. Like other civilized races, the pygmies are enthusiastic cigarette smokers.

"Tobacco is always smoked in the

attitudes" the victims had taken in their struggles. Yet a few minutes later he looks up the two children of the murdered farmer (probably to save them from the hands of his frightened accomplices), and before leaving the house he cooks breakfast for the children with his own hands.

He wandered through Westphalia, South Germany, East Prussia, and Northern Austria, always with his hand against his masters, but always with his strange craze for doves and his love for children. Once when Germany became too hot to hold him he escaped into Russia. A friend on the frontier helped him across without passport, sharing the fee of ten shillings with the frontier guard. Sternickel liked Russia. "Wages were lower," he admits, "but food cheaper." After twelve months in Russia he became home-sick and returned to Germany to close his career of crime with a crime more terrible than the rest, and to be betrayed at last by his love of children and doves.

novel manner. The tobacco is rolled up in a dry leaf, and, to make it covering more pliable, is warmed for a few moments over the fire. One end is lighted, the other closed with the thumb and finger, and the centre of the cigarette is placed between the lips, the smoke being drawn from the middle through the crack formed by the folding leaf; when partly consumed the end is placed in the mouth and finished in the usual way.

Besides cigarettes there are apparently few consolations in the life of that part of New Guinea. Capt. Rawling does not tell us, however, whether bad conditions kill the pygmies off so early as their cousins of the plains, or whom he writes:

"Middle-aged men and women are rarely seen, and I doubt if any person over 40, or at the most 45, years of age, is to be found in the district."

No, it is a filthy country, to which we do not feel attracted in the slightest degree. It is as bad as the worst parts of Patagonia. Capt. Rawling, however, deserves the highest praise for this cheerful, instructive and interesting narrative of his adventures and discoveries. His book will be widely appreciated by lovers of the literature of travel.

A. J. L. TOOLE JOKE.

The late Auguste Van Biene had a liking for practical jokes, and it was perhaps only poetic justice that he came into the orbit of that prince of practical jokes, J. L. Toole. The actor had apparently conceived an extraordinary craze for distributing safety razors broadcast among his friends, and, meeting the cellist, promptly begged his acceptance of one. Van Biene acknowledged the gift with thanks, but when he next met Toole the latter's condition of his chin was poor testimony to the "safety" of the razor. Toole gravely asked to see the razor. "Dear me," he then said, "and you actually tried to shave yourself with that! Why, I forgot to send you the blades!"—Westminster Gazette.

Stops Tobacco Habit in One Day

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'TWOULD BE A CHILLY JOB IN MARCH!!!



Some Expert Advice on Books and Reading

[By the Right Hon. G. W. E. Russell.]

In the first place let me congratulate all those who have thus asked my guidance on the grand and elementary fact that they love books. The love of books cannot be acquired. It must be born in one, like the love of music, or the love of horses, or the love of the sea (or, to take a humbler instance, a taste for olives). If nature endowed us with it we ought to be devoutly thankful; for in truth it is one of the chief assets of happiness. Life may be vexatious and disappointing—nay, painful and even tragic—but as long as we have got books to read, and the love of reading them, it can never be dull. It therefore pleases me to know that so many of my friends in Lancashire value a little of the priceless heritage which has been handed down to us in the books of all ages; that they dutifully reverence those true 'Relics of the Saints' without imposture; and are not indifferent to that vast assemblage of uncrowned kings who stand silently beckoning to us, and bidding us sit down at the rich feast of their manifold wisdom.

But this vague regard for books is one thing, and reading is another. A more general interest in literature and writers and libraries, such as in an age of superficial culture we all profess, is no substitute for that close, sympathetic, penetrating study of a book which brings us into personal relation with the man that wrote it, which fills us with his mind and spirit, till they become part, and the best

A MOTHER'S DUTY TO HER DAUGHTER

REQUIRES THAT HER BLOOD SUPPLY BE KEPT RICH, RED, AND PURE.

Every mother who calls to mind her own girlhood knows how urgently her daughter is likely to need help and strength during the years between school days and womanhood. It is then that growing girls droop and become fragile, bloodless, and nervous. Nature is calling for more nourishment than the blood can supply, and signs of distress are plainly evident in dull eyes, pallid cheeks, aching backs, a languid step, depression, headaches, and a dislike for food. These signs mean anaemia—that is, bloodlessness.

The watchful mother takes prompt steps to give her girl the new, rich, blood her system is thirsting for by giving Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, which make new blood and transform unhappy, anaemic girls into robust, happy, bright-eyed young women. No other medicine has ever succeeded like Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, because no other medicine can make that new rich, red blood which brings health and vitality to weak, bloodless systems. Miss Mamie Krouse, Copestown, Ont., says: "Dr. Williams' Pink Pills have been a blessing to me. I have been a sufferer for almost two years from anaemia, and seemed no matter what I tried, to be growing worse. I was very pale and seemed bloodless, suffered from frequent headaches, the least exertion would leave me completely tired out, and I was very much discouraged and fretful. At last I was advised to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, and got a half-dozen boxes, and by the time they were used, I was feeling much better. A few more boxes fully restored my health, and I have since been well and strong and able once more to enjoy life."

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part, of ourselves; which gives us, in short, fellowship with the immortals.

Power of a Book.

If, as I believe, the love of books is a birth-gift, it is also true that the gift develops itself in quite different ways. In some cases it begins with a particular instance, and expands as it grows. Some one great book first seizes on the boy's virgin intelligence—perhaps a religious book, perhaps a romance, perhaps a poem; he loves it, devours it, assimilates it. In turn, the book reacts upon the boy; it takes possession of him and masters him; and remains, from school days to old age, the core of his heart, and the coloring principle of his intellectual life. Of course, as years go on and interests widen the young man travels to 'fresh woods and pastures new,' includes one domain of literature after another in his mental range, learns to love books of all kinds and ages and countries, because they are books—the work of human genius, the utterance of human voices. Yet still he keeps 'the young lamb's heart amid the full-grown flock,' and reserves his fondest homage for the great man who first woke him to intellectual energy.

With another class of readers the process is reversed. Perhaps the boy is brought up amid literary surroundings in a cultivated home, or educated by some teacher more capable than his fellows of making literature attractive to a young man. The boy grows up with a general interest in books at large, touched here and there with more special affection for some clinging passage of sonorous prose, or some line of poetry more than usually 'interpretative,' but as yet there is no individualizing interest, no personal attachment. There is a general sense that literature is grand and beautiful, and the knowledge that it has played a great part in human thought and action; but there is no direct and conscious interest of any one book as a personal friend. Then, somehow, somewhere, the hour and the man arrive. Some learning from within, or some pressure from without, brings the young student face to face with a mind which his own; he finds his vague aspirations satisfied, his ideal conceptions realized, and the traditional office of literature, as he received it from others, actually fulfilled in his own case. The vague love of literature, which was natural to him, becomes concentrated and defined in love for an author who has cheered or calmed or guided; care for books in the abstract becomes care for a book in the concrete; and at last the man knows by personal experience that the sac-

redness of literature is no cunningly devised fable or worn-out platitude, but a tangible and beneficent reality.

Reader Becomes a Disciple.

Thus, sooner or later, by one process or another, every boy who really cares for reading becomes the disciple of some great author. The authors are really the 'epoch-making' men—not epoch-making merely in the chronological order of history, but epoch-making in the lives and intellects of those whom they subjugate. 'The decisive events of the world take place in the intellect.' It is this realizing contact with the mind of a writer, this human interest, in literary work, that gives it special value to classical study, and makes it, as an instrument of education, so much more helpful and expansive than physical science. No body can read Plato or Aristotle, even superficially, and be mentally, just the same man that he was before.

'The modern European civilization,' wrote Mr. Gladstone in 1861, 'from the Middle Ages downward, is the compound of two great factors—the Christian religion for the spirit of man, and the Greek and, in a secondary sense, the Roman discipline for his mind and intellect. St. Paul is the apostle of the Gentiles, and, in his own person, a symbol of this great wedding. The shade, for example, of Aristotle and Plato in Christian education, is not arbitrary, nor in principle mutable.'

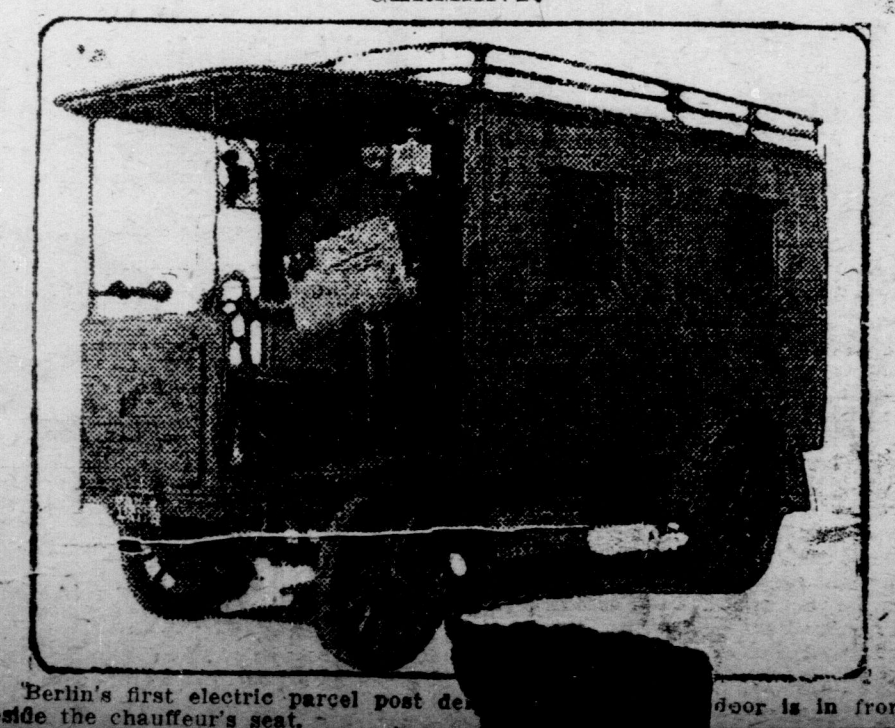
Among the great men of antiquity, and indeed of all time, Homer remains to the present hour the inexhaustible source of 'that light and heat' which, dispersed through ten thousand channels, have filled the world with bright images and illustrious thoughts. Those who are curious in such matters have noted that Homer has been pre-eminently the statesman's poet, as Horace has been beloved by dwellers in courts and camps, by wits, diplomatists, and men of fashion. Tennyson was guilty of no exaggeration, when he saluted Virgil as

Wielder of the statelest measure, Ever molded by the lips of man.

Influence of Modern Writers.

Of the moderns, Shakespeare has probably educated more minds than any other writer; but, if we put him on one side with Homer, Plato and Dante, as belonging to the rank of the unapproachably great, it would be difficult to name the modern writer who has most powerfully influenced his contemporaries. 'Goethe made, and unmade, Germany,' but I disregard that mysterious sentence, for just now I am thinking of the writers who have left their mark on England. Countless schoolboys have owed their first interest in books to Sir Walter Scott. Carlyle formed the thought and deformed the style of three generations. Cardinal Newman's mind, that 'miracle of intellectual delicacy,' guided the religious investigations of a great and goodly company. Tennyson threw the glamor of genius over the most familiar aspects of English life and landscape. Ruskin preached a gospel of

SOME CLASS TO THIS PARCEL POST WAGON—IT'S IN GERMANY.



beauty, which was to many a new revelation.

Agreement in thought and mere opinion between the author and the reader is by no means essential to the love of the book. Milton, I suppose, has awed and charmed by his austere and lofty genius thousands who shared neither his Plinianism on the one side nor his latitudinarianism on the other. Pope has been read with delight by generations of sound Protestants. Cowper's pensive yet humorous muse has attracted numbers whom his Calvinism would have utterly repelled. Keble's love of nature has won him a place in very unecclesiastical households. We can enjoy Thackeray's style, though we repudiate his view of human nature; and thrill to Burns' pathos while we loathe his ethics. The divine melody of Shelley has enchanted thousands of homes which his social theories would have rendered desolate. Our love of Byron—never so keen as when the eastern question is uppermost—is not extinguished by our detestation of his character; nor are 'The Pleasures of Memory' less pleasurable because their author was accounted the greatest sensualist of his age.

What the heart demands of the writer who would claim homage is a mysterious faculty which speaks straight to our innermost being, and sets all the chords of our nature vibrating, which tells us something about ourselves that we did not know before, or something that the knowledge set by itself hidden from all else, which puts into vocal form and expression the vague, impalpable impressions that have swayed us, yet eluded our grasp

Cruising in a Zeppelin, A Voyage in Mid-Air Delightful Sensation, Says a Passenger—Dropping Souvenir Postal Cards to Earth—Two and a Half Hour's Trip.

Situated on the banks of the Havel at Potsdam, Germany, and sheltered by an almost windproof forest of firs is a magnificent brick and steel edifice, whose imposing entrance is adorned with the expressive legend, 'Air Harbor.' A couple of hundred soldiers wearing the khaki gray of the Airship Battalion flit about the place, doing the duty of house and stone, and juggling ballast-bags, fetching petrol, and so forth—and on every hand are tall young lieutenants in motor-goggles who carry upon their broad, muscular shoulders the tremendous responsibility of keeping Germany's future empire of the air. Such is the home of the great passenger Zeppelin Hansa, a ship of peace, though used exclusively by army men at the present time. It was built for excursion service and belonged to the German Airship Company. The company expected the craft to carry thousands of passengers at the rate of \$50 an hour, but the Kaiser's war department divided, and the custom of keeping Zeppelins for military service and use it as a training-ship. Frederick William Wile, Berlin correspondent of the London Daily Mail, got upon the Zeppelin Hansa, and I take a two-and-a-half-hour voyage in the Hansa with officers from the battalion, and tells an interesting story about it. He writes:

You have to imagine yourself within the Mauretanian landing-stage at Liverpool or in some giant London railway station to gather an adequate idea of the immensity of a Zeppelin garage. Well over 600 feet long, the Zeppelins span a width of 150 feet, and its brick walls tower to the height of a five-story house. Everything about it spells permanence. You have the certain conviction that the Zeppelin is a thing which indeed passed beyond the realm of fancy and dreams into the sphere of practical reality. And when you find yourself alongside the aluminum levitation, as gracefully as the wind on a sailing ship, and the Havel once more in its capacious station.

A voyage in a Zeppelin costs 38 cents a minute, according to the present tariff. It is worth every farthing of it.

ROUMANIAN VIEW OF LONDON.

One of the most interesting personalities drawn to London by the various diplomatic conferences which have followed the Balkan war is M. Take Joneescu, special envoy of the Roumanian Government. M. Joneescu is a barrister by profession, and pays a yearly visit to London. To the Morning Post he said:

'I have watched with interest your social life develop. London in particular has vastly changed. It is now more 'continental,' to use your own word, more gay. It was a long time ago that I saw London as a background to the gaiety, as a suggestion perhaps that behind it all is still the noble and stately life of the manor houses, there are those fine homes skirting the river, embowered in their old trees.

IT WAS COLD AND WET WEATHER

THAT BROUGHT ON LOUIS WALSH'S KIDNEY DISEASE.

It Was Dodd's Kidney Pills That Cured It—Statement of a Quebec Man Who Is Well Again After Two Years' Suffering.

St. Leonard, Portneuf County, Quebec, Feb. 21.—(Special).—Mr. Louis Walsh, a well-known young farmer of this neighborhood, who has been an invalid for about two years, is now a well man, and he has issued a statement giving Dodd's Kidney Pills complete credit for his cure. In his statement Mr. Walsh says:

'For two years I was troubled with kidney disease brought on by cold and wet weather. A doctor treated me, and I tried many medicines without relief. I was utterly discouraged. It was hard work for me to do anything, as I was in pain all the time. My back ached and my sleep was broken and unrefreshing. I was always tired and nervous, and felt heavy and sleepy after meals. Reading what Dodd's Kidney Pills had done for other sufferers, I decided to try them. Two boxes cured me.'

—in a word, the faculty which makes us feel that we do not stand isolated and friendless in the great world of intellect and spirit.

Read Translations.

Here for a moment I must turn from books to reading; from rather hackneyed generalization to two topics of practical counsel.

1. If my friend cannot read Greek or Latin, and sees no reasonable prospect of learning them, I exhort him not to neglect Plato and Virgil, but to read them in their English guise. The form of translation can never be exactly the form of the original, but, as regards substance, a translation such as 'The Republic' in the Golden Treasury Series leaves very little to be desired. I fortify my advice on this head by the unimpeachable authority of the master of Trinity, lately addressing the Classical Association.

2. If my friend has no time or inclination for serious and exhaustive study, and yet loves books and wishes to know more about them, he must not be ashamed of desultory reading. Let him read as nature prompts him—the authors whom he enjoys and the subjects in which he is interested; and, if more mechanical students sheer at his imperfect knowledge, let him retort with the encouraging instance on which Mr. Balfour, addressing the undergraduates of St. Andrew's, once enlarged: 'Pope, with the most imperfect knowledge of Greek, translated Homer, with the most imperfect knowledge of the Elizabethan drama, edited Shakespeare; and with the most imperfect knowledge of philosophy, wrote the "Essay on Man."'

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There are many other complaints, too, in which GIN PILLS have done marvelous amount of good. A Montreal newspaperman tells 'how he was cured of Rheumatism by the aid of GIN PILLS.' Other testimonials show great help in cases of Lumbago, La Grippe, Backache and similar afflictions. 50 cents a box—6 for \$2.50—money back if not satisfied. Sample free by writing National Drug and Chemical Co. of Canada, Limited, Toronto.

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Sweetens Your Stomach, Clears Your Head and Thoroughly Cleanses Your Liver and 30 Feet of Bowels of Sour Bile, Foul Gases and Clogged-Up Waste.

All those days when you feel miserable, headachy, bilious and dull, are due to torpid liver and sluggish bowels. The days when your stomach is sour and full of gas, when you have indigestion, the nights when you cannot sleep, and you are restless, and can't sleep, could be avoided with a teaspoonful of delicious Syrup of Figs. Isn't it foolish to be distressed, when there is such a pleasant way to overcome it?

Give your inactive liver and ten yards of waste-clogged bowels a thorough cleansing this time. Put an end to constipation. Take a teaspoonful of Syrup of Figs tonight, sure, and just see for yourself by morning how gently but thoroughly all the sour bile, undigested,

fermenting food and clogged-up waste matter is moved on, and out of your system—no nausea—no griping—no weakness.

You simply can't have your liver inactive and your thirty feet of bowels constipated with sour, decaying waste matter and feel well. The need of a laxative is a natural need, but with delicious Syrup of Figs you are not drugging yourself. Being composed entirely of luscious figs, senna and aromatic it cannot injure.

Ask your druggist for the full name, "Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna." Refuse, with scorn, any of the so-called Fig Syrup imitations. They are meant to deceive you. Look on the label. The genuine, old, reliable bears the name California Fig Syrup Company.

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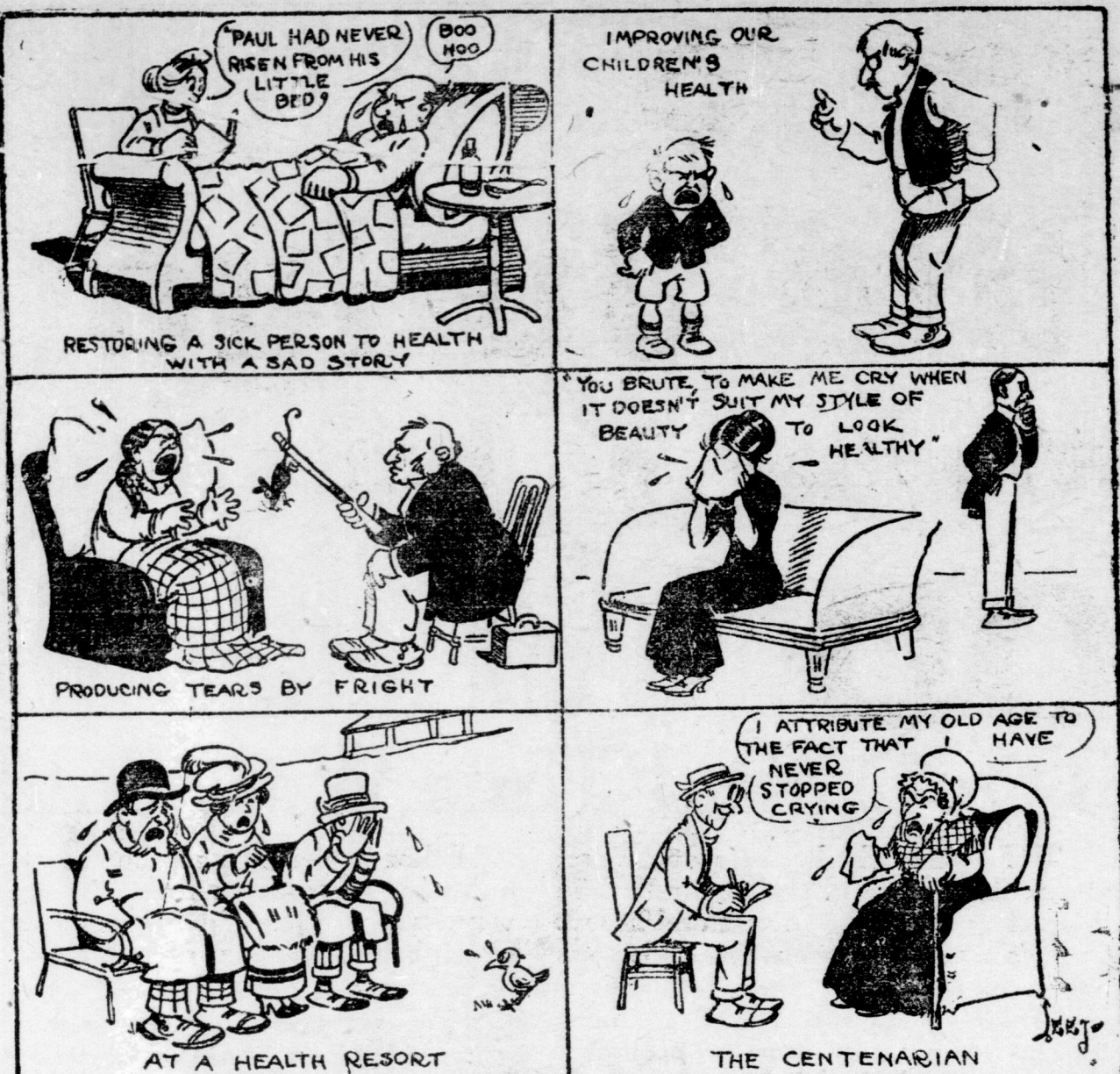
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Sir Henry Lucy's Memoirs
Stories of Notable Men

Parnell a Curious Mixture—Beaconsfield at the Grave of His Wife—The Origin of Hansard—Rosebery as a Letter Writer.

"Sixty Years in the Wilderness: More Passages by the Way." By Sir Henry Lucy ("Toby, M. P.") (Smith, Elder, 10s 6d net). "A pot of ale, but no politics," said the knife-grinder. Sir Henry Lucy can remember the day when ale, or a stiffer beverage, washed down the politics of the older lions of Fleet Street; but the fashion was even then declining. For himself, he seems from an early age to have found politics sufficing, and all readers of the best political press and gossip of our time have been the gainers.

The political dishes in this "feast" are abundant. A red-hot one was served up for the country some 33 years ago, when, in the autumn of 1879, Mr. Gladstone made his first descent on Midlothian. Lucy, at that time chief of the gallery staff of the Daily News, called on his manager, with an offer to go northwards.

"Robinson pooh-pooled the suggestion. Gladstone's power in the country, he said, was hopelessly broken, never to be re-established. Three days later I received an urgent telegram, summoning me to Bouvier street, where I was instructed to proceed to Edinburgh by the earliest train. A great deal had happened in the brief interval. The veteran statesman's journey northward had been a triumphal progress. At every town where the train pulled up a vast crowd besieged the railway station, listening with enthusiasm to a stirring address, occasionally interrupted by the sudden onward movement of the train by direction of the guard."

Gladstone's friends suspected the guard of being in a Tory plot; but, after all, he had to get his train home in time. It was a bold adventure that Gladstone had embraced, and the result flattered the adventurer, leading up to the capture of the Tory stronghold, the sweeping away of Disraeli's majority, and the inevitable succession of Gladstone to the premiership."

The "great scheme" of the day, as Mr. Chamberlain's proclamation of "forgetting" of Goschen; and the tragic ending of Parnell's career are among the places de resistance on Sir Henry's well-furnished table.

"Parnell was a curious mixture of icy self-confidence and uncontrollable rage. Those who knew him since his first appearance in the House of Commons, recognized in the paroxysm of passion that broke forth in committee room No. 15 a revival of earlier habit. His old associates knew all along that the restrained, imper-

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Such is Lord Rosebery's high praise of William Windham, whose life and correspondence have just been published, with an introduction by Lord Rosebery.

An Interesting Man. Windham has many claims of interest. His period of life was, from 1750 to 1810, and he came of an old Norfolk family. He did not like London even in those days. He said it asphyxiated him. He was the friend of Dr. Johnson, and was with him two days before he died in Bolt Court. Other friends were Burke and Pitt.

He was a fine speaker and a splendid conversationalist. At one time he might have been prime minister. He took a part in the impeachment of Warren Hastings, and talked with Fanny Burney during the trial. He is claimed as "the first Conservative." His friend Johnson said that the first Whig was the devil. Uncertain of his diplomatic qualities, "finds" in his correspondence a man who said: "Don't be afraid, sir. You will soon make a very pretty rascal."

His Friends and His Diary. Among Windham's correspondents we find the names of Addington, Nelson, Cobbe, Sir Arthur Wellesley, Mrs. Crewe, Mrs. Siddons, Sheridan, Johnson, Malone, and Hazlitt.

The Burke letters were, thanks to Mr. A. O. Falgout, privately published some two years ago for the Roxburghe Club. Of his diary Lord Rosebery says that he left the fourteen volumes of which it is compiled as an heirloom to pass with the entail and estates, and yet any judicious friend would have taken it without hesitation, behind the fire. But there is one passage which "redeems the whole book; it is the pathetic description of the last interview with Dr. Johnson. This is classic."

A Classic Passage. Here is the classic passage to which Lord Rosebery refers: "On Dec. 11, 1784, Windham saw Johnson for the last time. 'After promising that I considered what I was going to say as a matter of duty, I said that I hoped he would not suspect me of the weakness of attempting him to take needless sorrow for the purpose of prolonging his life for a few hours or days. I then stated what the reason was, that it was to secure that which I was persuaded he was most anxious about—viz., that he might preserve his faculties entire to the last moment. Before I had quite stated my meaning, he interrupted me by saying that he refused no sustenance but inebriating sustenance, and proceeded to give instances where, in compliance with the wishes of his physicians, he had taken even a small quantity of wine. I readily assented to any objections he might have to nourishment of any kind, and, beyond the memory of many men, there was seen in the lobby of the House a little old gentleman whose identity puzzled newcomers. He was certainly not a native, and since he always appeared, summer and winter, in an overcoat with an umbrella in his hand, he could hardly be an official of the House. He did not talk to many people, and generally stood by the door, waiting for a visitor. This was Mr. Hansard, proprietor of the famous reports of the parliamentary proceedings."

Presently, under a Conservative Government, "Hansard was abolished in favor of a newer arrangement, and the little old gentleman, wandering about the lobby with feeble step and at longer intervals, vanished from the scene. And now he is dead. His heart was broken when there was taken out of his hand work that had been in the family for nearly a century. Should he, perhaps, the gem of Sir Henry's engrossing pages is this:

"38, Berkeley Square, W., March 22, 89. 'My Dear Mr. Lucy—You have, alas! fixed for your dinner a day of private fasting and humiliation to me. 'You don't understand that May 7 is a domestic tragedy, the misadventure of which is the bosom of my family. I should never be allowed to dine out on that day. 'On that melancholy anniversary I scrape myself with a pother, and decorate my few remaining hairs with ashes. Nor do I take meat, or drink, or repose. In short, it is my birthday. 'Surely your last 'Observer' article is one of the best? 'Yours sincerely, 'ROSEBERY.'"

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"After waiting some short time in the adjoining room, I was admitted to Dr. Johnson in his bed-chamber, where, after placing me next him on the chair, he sitting in his usual place on the east side of the room (and I on his right hand), he put into my hands two small volumes (an edition of the New Testament) as he afterwards told me, saying, 'Extremum hoc munus munda habeto.' He then proceeded to observe that I was entering upon a life which would lead me deeply into all the business of the world; that he did not condemn civil employment, but that it was a state of great danger; and that he had therefore one piece of advice earnestly to impress upon me—that I would set apart every seventh day for the care of my soul; that one day, the seventh should be employed in repeating what was amiss in the six preceding, and for fortifying my virtue for the six to come; that such a portion of time was surely little enough for the meditation of eternity."

Johnson's Funeral. Here is a letter written by Windham to Fox after Johnson's death:

"You have heard, no doubt, that to the great men who have departed in our time one more instance is to be added; and that learning and virtue have sustained a loss, equal to any they have ever known, in the death of Dr. Johnson. Though you have never known him, his acquaintance has lived much in his society, you have so much respect, perhaps, for his genius and character as to feel a satisfaction—which is all that can be said—in doing an act of honor to his memory. His friends, including 'the club' of which you are a member, mean to attend his corpse on Monday morning from his house in Bolt Court, Fleet street, to its place of interment in Westminster Abbey. You are not too much of a philosopher to share in the vulgar prejudice that leads men to pay honors to the dead. If you can make it convenient to you to be in Fleet street by 11 o'clock, or in Westminster Abbey by 12, I trust you will put on a black coat and show yourself among the mourners at his funeral."

A Valet's Letter. When Edmund Burke died his valet Woodford wrote thus to Windham: "Mrs. Burke is calm beyond all hope. Her pious resignation, her tender care, her fortitude in waiting his last moments, administering what all relief was vain, every little assistance he was capable of receiving to make death less hideous, was done with such a patient suffering tenderness, as show her worthy of the friend she has lost. 'I join the letter I had just secured up when I was called upstairs. In moving from the couch to the bed he waited, some short time after. . . he was yet insensible and after that gave scarce any sign of life, no groans, no convulsion. His breath grew weaker and weaker, till about a quarter before one, and then we only knew he ceased to be probably some minutes before life was wholly ended. Mrs. Burke had desired the service of the sick to be read some time before. When I perceived he was gone, I read the two last prayers of the burial service, and then she said, 'I am so glad, I do not feel carried away, but saying, 'I do not take my leave of him.'"

When Windham wrote to Mrs. Burke he said of her husband that "Never was a man so born for the service of mankind."

The Duke of Gloucester, George III's son-in-law, wrote thus to Windham of the coming power of the United States. It is interesting to read today:

"I foresee another event in another part of the globe that will be attended with bitter consequences to this country namely, the formation of a navy by America. Should she ever become a maritime power, all the West Indies will be hers, and I should not be surprised to live to see South America under her dominion. What a power! What immense inexhaustible resources! What a length of coast! and what fine harbors!"

SIR W. CROOKES ON THE FUTURE OF SCIENCE. Sir William Crookes says that "a chemist is no longer a mere analyst, but an architect and builder, able to manipulate the plastic molecules, to imitate, and even to improve the structure and physiological action of natural products. To the chemist today a knowledge of almost every department of natural science is indispensable."

"The practical side of the chemistry of the future would be synthetic. Already they have made synthetic drugs, synthetic scents and essences, synthetic rubber, synthetic dyes, synthetic foods, and, alas! synthetic drinks. But they had not yet achieved synthetic beef nor synthetic mutton."

On the philosophy of the side of chemistry he predicted that the greatest progress would be made in inquiries into the constitution of matter. Even now they were beginning to prick the bubble of those variable, mysterious and complex

"Complexion Secrets Of An Actress."

In a recently-issued volume bearing the above title, the author says: "Continuous use of grease paints, rouge and the like, had ruined my complexion. My skin was colorless, wrinkled, flabby, coarse and punctured with large pores. In England I heard of the virtues of mercurized wax; my first experience with this marvelous substance convinced me it was more valuable than all cosmetics combined. Now whenever my complexion begins to go wrong I get an ounce of mercurized wax at the nearest drug store spread on a thin layer of it before retiring, washing it off next morning. The wax, after a few such treatments, seems literally to absorb the worn-out cuticle, when a brighter, healthier, younger-looking skin appears."

For the enlarged pores, wrinkles and flabbiness, I began using a solution of azoic, one ounce, dissolved in a half pint with hazel. Batching the face in this soon relieved the condition most wonderfully."

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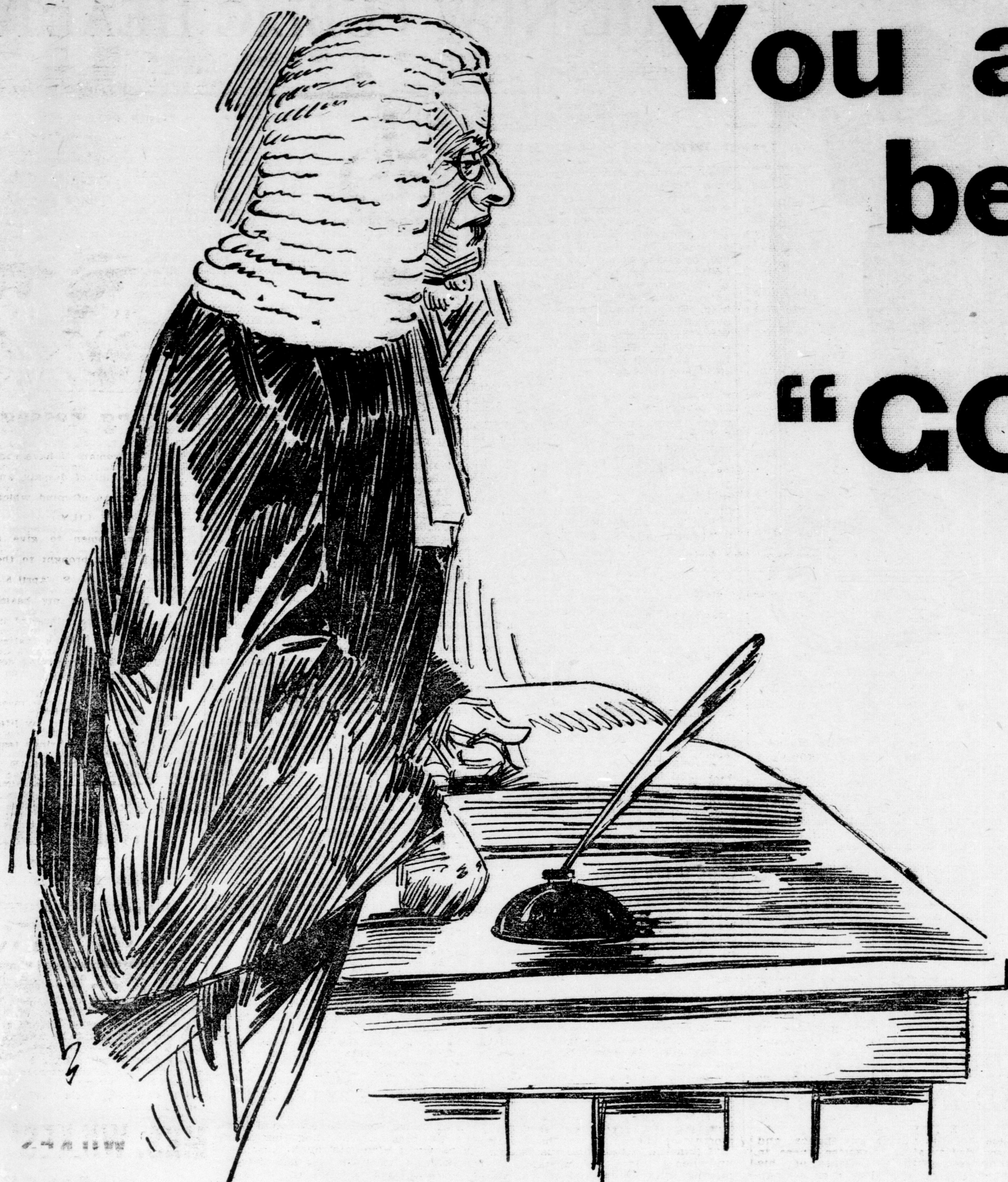
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Cured Ailments Peculiar to Female Sex

I am delighted to inform your Company that you have done more to relieve my suffering than the combined efforts of several Doctors.

For years I have suffered from ailments peculiar to the female sex, and never received anything more than temporary benefit from medicine etc., until I came across "Good Health". It has completely built me up. I now feel as well as I did before my first baby was born, which is sixteen years ago.

It is with the greatest pleasure that I recommend all women who suffer from female troubles to use your valuable Remedy.

M. KENNEDY, St. Lambert.

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Name _____
(Write very plainly)

Address _____
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MUSIC and DRAMA

Coming Attractions at the Grand.
Today, matinee and night—Pollard Opera Co., in "Toymaker" and "Sergeant Brue."
Thursday, Feb. 27—"The Bird of Paradise."
Friday and Saturday next—"Officer 666."

Pollards Close Today.

The Pollards give two performances today, with "The Toymaker" at the matinee, and "Sergeant Brue" in the evening. These capable young people have endeared themselves in the good graces of many Londoners. Their performances this week have been exceedingly enjoyable and a return visit will be welcome news.

"The Bird of Paradise."

"East is East and West is West," wrote Kipling, "and never the twain shall meet." This briefly is the theme of "The Bird of Paradise," Oliver Morris's production of Richard Walton Tully's romance of Hawaiian life, which will be the offering at the Grand Opera House next Thursday evening. Tully gave to his "Rose of the Rancho" the atmosphere of the California-Mexican border. In "The

ham, are seen in the leading roles, while more than a score of others together with a band of Hawaiian singers, dancers and musicians, make up a company of unusual excellence. London is but one of four Canadian cities to be visited by this beautiful and spectacular attraction outside of Montreal and Toronto. From the latter city the company returns to the United States for several weeks' engagements in Philadelphia and Boston. Seat sale opens Monday at 9 a.m. This attraction should be welcomed to London with a capacity house. They are playing Montreal this week, to capacity houses at every performance.

"Officer 666."

A wealthy young chap named Travers Gladwin returns from a thrill-seeking expedition to Europe only to receive the shock of his life in his own home: a young lady named Helen Barton calls and announces herself as the fiancée of "Officer 666's" uniform, and in that disguise makes good his escape. Helen, however, discovers that she likes the real Gladwin even better than the impostor, so eventually all ends well. At Grand next Friday and Saturday; matinee Saturday.



Guy Bates Post and Bessie Barriscale in that great play "The Bird of Paradise," at the Grand next Thursday evening.

"The Bird of Paradise" he has taken a heretofore unexploited and inviting locale, the Hawaiian Islands or, as they are termed, "The Paradise of the Pacific." While London is in the middle of the winter season local playgoers will be given a glimpse of tropical life in "The Bird of Paradise." So faithfully are scenes in these islands presented that the spectator imagines himself among the natives and is entranced by the strains of native Hawaiian music. The play is in three acts and five scenes, showing everything of interest from the rare tropical growth to a frowning and spouting volcano in fiery eruption. This latter scene is said to outdo the famous sand storm scene in "The Garden of Allah." "The Bird of Paradise" will be seen here with the complete original company and production that carried it through its five months' run in New York. Bessie Barriscale, Guy Bates Post, Lewis S. Stone, Margaret Lang-

fallen in love with the innocent Helen Barton, and wishes to save her the scandal of police interference. He goes out and bribes Michael Phelan, "Officer 666," to lend him his uniform. Thus disguised as a policeman, Gladwin lies in wait for the thief, and presently Alfred Wilson, the crook, who has been impersonating Gladwin, comes in and commences cutting the pictures out of their frames. Gladwin attempts to arrest Wilson, but meanwhile Bateato, the valet, has summoned the real police, and when these arrive, Wilson manages for a time to convince them that he is Gladwin and that gentleman is the thief. Then Gladwin's friend, Whitney Barnes, arrives with the announcement that Helen's aunt is on her way to stop the proposed elopement, and matters are still more surprisingly complicated. At last, Police Captain Stone recognizes Wilson as a crook, but before he can be arrested, Wilson hides in an old chest; and a little later,



The last two performances of the Pollard Opera Company will be given today, with "Toymaker" at the matinee, and "Sergeant Brue" in the evening.

while the police are searching elsewhere, the desperate thief covers Gladwin with a revolver, deprives him of "Officer 666's" uniform, and in that disguise makes good his escape. Helen, however, discovers that she likes the real Gladwin even better than the impostor, so eventually all ends well. At Grand next Friday and Saturday; matinee Saturday.

"The Shepherd of the Hills."

The critic on the Milwaukee Sentinel says of "The Shepherd of the Hills," the dramatization of Harold Bell Wright's famous novel, which has been made into a play by its author with the assistance of Elsie W. Reynolds: "Those who love a quiet, restful story will rejoice in 'The Shepherd of the Hills.' It is like a beautiful October afternoon, with the calm and beauty of summer, tempered by the cold breath of the yet-distant winter." "The Shepherd of the Hills" will be the at-

traction at the Grand Friday and Saturday, April 7 and 8.

Walter Jones, in "Baby Mine."

Margaret May's delightful comedy, "Baby Mine," conceded to be the funniest play in the English language, is announced for an engagement at the Grand Tuesday, March 11, with Walter Jones in his original character of "Jimmy," as played by him in New York City over 150 times.

Anniversary Clipper Number.

The New York Clipper, week of Feb. 15, issued their annual special publication celebrating the sixty-first anniversary. As usual, the Clipper has excelled itself in its special issue. The illustrations of the past and present dramatic people is a feature of this year of important interest. The anecdotes of dramatic events, talks of minstrelsy, and other data, makes this number of particular interest to the dramatic fraternity. The high-class illustrations are well printed, and the number itself is a very praiseworthy one.

AN M. P.'S TERRIBLE TALE OF WOUNDED IN BALKANS

"I hesitate to state truly what I saw of the wounded in the Balkan War," writes Mr. Noel Buxton, M. P., in the Contemporary Review. "We dislike horrors, and we dislike the people who have a taste for them. The ugly facts in normal life we agree not to speak of."

But to Mr. Buxton the time has come to tell just what war means to the human beings whom we disguise and forget under the name of "soldier" or "army." With his own eyes, Mr. Buxton has seen the horror of the Balkan War, and these are some of the things he saw:

What War Means.

"Many who fell where the Turks afterwards advanced were mutilated, at most ways, happily, in such a way that life could only last two or three hours," says Mr. Buxton. "Often the eyes were gouged out. In other cases men were blinded by shell explosions. Blinding seemed to stupefy the mind. A man as injured said to the doctor, 'The flour has got into my eyes and the mice are eating it.'"

"The majority of infantrymen were hit in the left arm or hand, and as it was lifted for firing, shrapnel balls (coming from above the troops as they knelt or lay) struck the shoulders, back and legs. We saw many men pierced through the lungs. An officer rode six miles shot just below the heart."

"They are terrified of losing a limb. I heard one man say to the doctor who was preparing to take off his gangrenous arm, 'Please kill me rather than take off my arm. If I can't work on my farm, I would rather be dead.'"

"Foreign military attaches picked up Turkish dum-dum ammunition, and nothing else would have expanded in soft flesh with the dreadful results that came in a few cases to our surgery. One, for instance, had, in traversing the upper arm, spread so as to make the exit wound quite a long way from the entrance. The inner side of the thigh caved on the outer side a hole quite

fourteen inches in length, the flesh protruding in separate oblong masses, and, when put together, the skin apparently all carried away."

"A much slighter dum-dum wound was in the hand. In the palm was the tiny entrance hole; at the back of the hand the core of the bullet had splintered the metacarpal bone which connects the first finger with the wrist; but round the course taken by this core the soft lead seemed to have sprayed so quickly that in a flash of one inch it had spread to a circle more than an inch wide, carrying away all this extent of sinew and flesh, and leaving a cavernous hollow across which the jagged ends of bone met and only. The task was to cut off these loose ends and clean the hole."

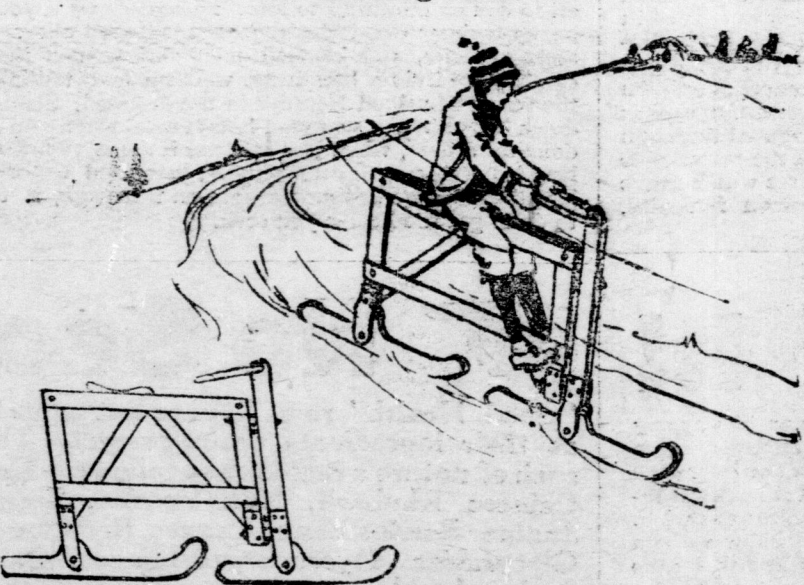
"The more ruthlessly and quickly we worked, the larger seemed the crowd still needing our services. The air grew fouler, the heat more intolerable, the stench more annoying, the smell of gangrenous and exposed flesh more disgusting; fatigue made one even more callous; but never could we get through that endless queue at the door."

"Here were human beings of a fine type, of pure blood, in the prime of life, remarkably free from immoral disease, of a courage and endurance that makes them renowned as fighters throughout Europe, with a quality of mind and body unique among the peasants of the world. As one worked on, the mind recoiled, with impartial coldness, the immense value of each of these creatures, beings to whom the expression made in the image of God might quite philosophically be applied."

"And here, at closest quarters, by the insistent impact of sight, and smell, and hearing, and touch, we realized the image smashed; its capacity for work, thought, fatherhood, happiness, destroyed by resultant ill-health; not one alone, such as would, in peace time, in a case of misfortune, move a whole nation to sympathy, but by scores and hundreds and tens of thousands."

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bicycle saddle can be added if wanted, although the top rail, padded with carpet, makes an excellent seat. The sketch shows the entire structure and the materials for making it should not cost more than 50 cents, hardware included. The parts need to be put together with heavy bolts. The rear portion can be fastened to the "front fork" with a pair of hinges like those used on a gate. These must be good stout hinges, as the greatest strain comes on them.

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FUTURE OF PUBLIC HEALTH.

The development of national sickness insurance under Government control in Great Britain, has gone forward with a rush since the British Medical Association withdrew its opposition. About 14,000,000 people are thus practically provided with medical attendance at a cost of about \$120,000,000, or about \$8 per head, the expense being borne partly by employers, partly by employees. We think of England as rock-bedded and dyed-in-the-wool in unchangeableness, but nothing more overwhelmingly different from the old ways in medicine than this has ever occurred in English-speaking countries, although Germany has had a similar system for some years.

Dr. Benjamin Moore, of Liverpool University, a noted thinker and writer on these subjects, has pointed out many times, and again quite recently, that great as these advances are in supplying treatment for the sick, the really desirable thing is to prevent the need of treatment at all. The great Journal of the American Medical Association, Feb. 15, 1913, quotes from his recent address in effect as follows: "Even now \$30,000,000 is spent for treatment, only \$5,000,000 for prevention. A properly-organized state medical service for prevention, requiring about one whole-time public health man for every 20,000 of the population, would reduce the need for the spending of that \$30,000,000, besides saving the sorrow, disability and death that such diseases entail. Our efforts for improved physique, high health, abundant vigor, are useless, when infectious diseases attack us, since they destroy the strong equally with the weak. We must abolish infections if we are to have a really high-grade race."

It is well known to all stock raisers that the high-bred and carefully-looking-after stock are more subject to infections than the scrubs; therefore they need the more protection from such diseases, and the only protection really worth while is that dependent on abolishing all danger by abolishing the germs that cause it.

Finally, he shows that the cost of such true prevention is a small fraction only of the cost of treatment, which is now patently borne to partially recap some of the great damage lack of prevention causes. The most hopeful thing in public health today is the widespread awakening of the general public, who listen with open minds to common-sense arguments from those who know, instead of clinging to the traditional mysticism of a preceding, and (in this regard) ignorant generation. As well might we believe our forefathers' doctrines concerning wireless telegraphs, or motor cars, or the North Pole, as to accept their beliefs concerning modern medicine or public health.

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Replies to Questions

Ques. 13. (a) What causes a carbuncle? (b) Are hot or cold poultices best? (c) What of the serum treatment?

Ans. 13. (a) In the large majority of cases, "boils" and "carbuncles" are caused by certain spherical bacteria, growing in clusters, known as staphylococci, occasionally by similar germs growing in chains, called streptococci. These germs enter through

some break in the skin often very insignificant. The poisons they form kill or injure the body cells in their immediate neighborhood, and the body resists them by first bringing about the dilatation of existing bloodvessels around the injured area, and later by the formation of new ones, and by the pouring out of germ-destroying fluids and cells. This accounts for the redness and swelling and the final collection of "pus" or "matter" at the central portions.

Ans. 13. (b) Heat applied to the area of infection aids in the dilatation of the vessels, and thus in the increase of fluid and the quicker formation of the "pus"; continuous cold tends to contract the vessels, lessening the quantity of fluid and delaying the formation of "pus." Remember that ordinary cold applications soon reach the temperature of the body unless frequently changed or kept cold by ice. The choice of hot or continuous cold applications will depend on what the physician thinks better for the particular place in which the infection occurs or its stage of development, etc.

Ans. 13. (c) By "serum treatment" you probably mean the treatment by bacterial vaccines which are simply suspensions of dead germs. What success has occurred with this treatment has been greatest with just such infections as mentioned here, namely: boils and carbuncles. It is especially valuable when carried on for a time after the infection improves, for it serves to increase the body's specific resistance against those germs, and thus prevents future similar infections for a considerable period of time. Any up-to-date physician can arrange to find out for his patient the particular germ responsible for the infection, and can have the proper vaccine made.

E. FIDLAR.

Ques. 14. (a) Why called the "New Public Health"? (b) Do you think that we know more than our ancestors? (c) Confucius has said: "A thousand years' study is only a preparation for the real knowledge we should possess to be able to stand in the presence of our ancestors?"

Ans. 14. (a) The New Public Health is so-called because it is a complete reversal, in principles and practice, of the teachings of previous generations. Modern discoveries, especially in bacteriology, have advanced agriculture and other industries, have reconstructed medicine, have made surgery a fine art instead of polite butchery, and have replaced the collection of old wives' fables which constituted public health by a real science; this has been done in twenty or thirty years, does not that entitle present-day public health to be called "New"? (b) Each individual person now living on the earth has, by the simplest calculation, at least eight million "forebears," probably more. They were a mixed lot; a few were sages, but most were savages. I certainly believe that we know more than some of our ancestors did. They had fifty or sixty centuries to work in; we, in as many years, have learned to fly, to see the bones in our bodies, to talk to each other without even wires hundreds of miles apart; we use Niagara to do our milking; we can drop into "tea" at either Pole, quite indiscriminately; we motor, photograph in colors; give votes to our women (well, and, best of all, we know enough not to do certain things our ancestors did. We do not beat our wives (legally); we haven't burnt a witch for many years; we have left off chaining up and flogging the insane; teaching with hickory sticks instead of brains and

patience; hanging for stealing anything worth over eighteenpence; smothering people if a mad dog bites them; depriving fever patient of drinking water, and making Sunday the worst day in the week for little children.

Of course, it is true, we still sell alcohol to drunkards; let laundries put saw edges on our collars, and vote at random on purely party lines; we still have women's dresses button up the back; grade crossings; professional baseball; "bridge," and all our wisdom has so far failed to establish a practical woman's pocket; we wear high silk hats; drink raw milk, unspectated, and crowd ourselves in cities; we still believe in patent medicines, invest in wild-cat mines, and purchase stock on margins; but we have made at least one real and true advance over our ancestors—we don't think everything "new" must necessarily be invariably wrong, and if this alone were the only progress, and all as a race, had made, it would by itself be worth most of our previous history.

Ans. 14. (c) Are you trying to confuse us with Confucius? Was he not the man who taught that an eclipse was due to a dog swallowing the moon? It is a pity he offered such an explanation; Mark Twain would have told him not to explain it all—"Explanations always fog things up so." Confucius confuses the main issue, if he had public health in mind, which I much doubt. The fact is, it is the ignorant, not the learned, in public health, who stand in the way of the progress of their ancestors. The more we know, the longer we can live, and the longer, therefore, can we put off that fateful interview.

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